



The Onboarding Protocol

A Systematic Theology Map to be used as an **onboarding ramp** for new Bible Students

*Subtext = what is the underlying lesson that **supports** the Study or the Why in the Scripture*

THE STUDY	WHY?
<p>Daniel 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Validity of the Bible - More sure word of Prophecy - John 14:29, John 13:19, 1 Cor 13:2, 2 Pet 1:19-21, Psa 12:6-7 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shows the reliability of the Bible • Demonstrates God’s foreknowledge • Supports the Foundation of our Faith • Shows that the Bible is that Foundation for our Faith and NOT emotions or how we feel, Isaiah 1:18; Hosea 4:6 – We must have an evidence-based salvation, salvation is based on logic.
<p>The Great Controversy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Creation: Father & Son - Romans 1, “the invisible things of God...” - Spiritual Warfare - Rationale for hurt in the world – need of the gospel - The Michael vs Satan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding Freedom and the role of Choice in history and in our own Salvation • Subtext: No freedom without love – our ability to persuade by logic/evidence for the kingdom of God (2 Cor 5:11). • Salvation requires personal choice • Subtext: wrong choices come with consequences
<p>The Plan of Salvation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - The Son of God - How we are Called, Chosen, and Faithful – Rev 17:14 - Calling and Election sure – 2 Pet 1:10 - Heirs of the Kingdom 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowing your value to God • Subtext: Value is also based on logic and reason (Romans 3:23-25) • Justification by Faith • Atonement provided on the Cross of Calvary • Subtext: The Spirit, the water, and the blood do testify (1 John 5:7, John 5:39)
<p>The Law of God</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - The Office work of the Holy Spirit (John 16:8-14) - Places where Law of God is found: Sanctuary, Our Hearts, Heaven - Subtext: “Finger of God” in OT and NT - Blood of the New Covenant – Heb 9 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • God’s ask of our obedience to Him • Subtext: Obedience is the fruit of sanctification • Shows Relationship (Exo 20:5) • Subtext: Relationships have boundaries, the love of God brings us out of bondage (Exo 20:2)

<p>The Antichrist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Identity of the Little Horn/1st Beast - Fall of the Little Horn - Resurgence of the Little Horn - Union of Little Horn/1st Beast with False Prophet/2nd Beast - Little Horn’s purpose to change Times and Laws as its Mark of Authority 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Little Horn changes God Law vs. God is unchanging, His Law is unchanging • False Gospel leads to Nominal Churches/daughters of the Harlot • Draw Parallel deeper from Daniel 2 (Repeat and Enlarge Concept) • Subtext: shows consistency of the Bible • Points to final conflict, a final test of loyalty, all must choose a side • Subtext: Indecision is still a decision – Satan owns the fence
<p>The Sabbath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Purpose: Inclusive, Universal (Exo 20/Deut 5) - Practice: From evening to evening on the 7th day (Lev 23:32) - Provision: Double-Manna on Friday (Exo 16:25-29) - Principle: Punishment of proportionate value (Exo 31:14) - Protection: Shutting & Guarding the gates on the 7th day (Neh 13:19) - Pledge: Sign/Seal (Exo 20:12, 20, Isa 58:13) - Sign/Mark/Seal (Rom 4:11) <p>Teachers comment: How they respond to this study is everything. It’s okay to spend extra time with them on here. Study Deeper</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrates our obedience and loyalty openly • Distinctiveness – call to stand apart • Subtext: seal represents character perfection • Sign of church militant • Resting in obedience, not complacency • Subtext: The Theory of Relativity – States: Two objects spinning at the same speed are at rest relative to one another – Matt 11:28-30 – whoever is working with God at His pace will always be at rest with Him (Heb 4:4, 9-10) • Tie-in to Creation (Gen 2:1-3, Exo 20:8-11, Rev 14:6-7) • Subtext: Everyone wants to worship a savior but no one wants to worship their Creator
<p>The Sanctuary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - God’s GPS: God’s Gospel Plan of Salvation (Ps 77:13) - That there is an end of sin (Ps 73:17) - News lens to look at the Bible through (1 Cor 13:11-12, Lam 5:16-17, Rev 3:18) - Kaphar and Kopher dual atonement (The “pitch” taught in Gen 6:14) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shows completeness & connectedness of the Gospel. • The Sanctuary is a Christ object lesson • Subtext: Heb 9:9, Sanctuary is a figure (Greek word = Parable) Paul is saying that the sanctuary service was like a parable for us to understand what Jesus’ plan of redemption is to make an end of sin.

<p>The Investigative Judgment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Role of God the Father in the Judgment: - Subtext: The Father is looking for Perfect Records (Dan 7:13-14) and Perfect Righteousness/Character (Matt 22) - Role of Jesus Christ in the Judgment: - Subtext: Jesus is looking for Faith and Repentance that He may present you faultless atoning for your sins (Malachi 3 Daniel 8:14, Jude 24) and provide you robes of white raiment (His Righteousness) (Matt 25, Zch 3, Rev 19:7) to provide what the Father is looking for. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Humanity will take on 1 of 5 states of existence in regard to the Judgment taking place: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Despair: No hope I can make it 2. Denial: I exempt myself from this judgment 3. Defiance: With clenched fists we say to God, “I don’t need to be judged, I am saved by grace and don’t have to change!” 4. Delusion: The investigative judgment is not about performance, but repentance only – the problem here is that this gives us a false hope because it always relies on an intercessor being in the sanctuary for us atoning for our continued sins. When our names come up in the judgment, we are either wearing the white raiment or we are not – Jesus will not be able to be our lawyer at this point at the close of probation. 5. Deference: To be in a state of humble submission. This is where we should be, the place where the meek can inherit the earth. When we are in this state, this is where Christ is able to transform us and as we are broken on the rock (Matt 21:44) we are rebuilt into Christ’s image.
<p>The State of the Dead</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Body + Breath = Living Soul (Gen 2:7) - Subtext: We don’t have a soul, we ARE a Soul - The Soul is not immortal, Only God is (1 Tim 1:17) - The Second Death is an everlasting <u>punishment</u> not <u>punishing</u> (Matt 25:46, John 3:36) - Spiritualism: A tactic of Satan to make people think they can talk to their dead loved ones when these are actually demons sent to deceive. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultimatum of Sin • Those who refuse to confess their sins under conviction of the Holy Spirit do not experience true conversion and do not have the power to separate from their sins themselves and are found without a wedding garment (Matt 22) and are cast into the lake of fire. • The wages of sin is death (Rom 6) • Whosoever does not believe shall perish (John 3:16) • In the end, “no more death” (Rev 6:9)

<p>Christian Lifestyle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - Diet - Dress - Temperance - Baptism & Rebirth/Born Again - <u>GODSPLAN</u> for Total Health: - <i>Godly Trust</i> - <i>Open Air</i> - <i>Daily Exercise</i> - <i>Sunshine</i> - <i>Plenty of Rest</i> - <i>Lots of Water</i> - <i>Always Temperate</i> - <i>Nutrition</i> - All Elements of GODSPLAN have Physical and Spiritual Application 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Reform: • Subtext: goes before the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in the Latter Rain. Daniel had a clean diet (Dan 1:8) before he stood up to the King of Babylon and before God gave Daniel the gift of interpreting dreams and the spirit of prophecy • Dress Reform: • Subtext: Jezebel study on adornment in the day of Judgment, analysis of high priest garments on day of atonement. • Temperance in all things: • Subtext: Golden pot of Manna, too much of anything spoils the vessel it is stored in, maggots in the manna if more than what was needed was gathered to be kept (Exo 16:20). New wine was never to be put in old bottles (John 5:36-39). • Baptism/Born again • Subtext: Aaron’s Rod that Budded, Washing of regeneration (Tit 3:5), Of a new mind (Rom 12:1-2), Sanctification (1 Thess 4 & 5, emphasis v5:23)
<p>The Spirit of Prophecy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Addresses:</i> - God still speaks to his people - Kinds of Visions in the Bible (Open and Night Visions) - Prophets in the Bible - Spiritual Gifts of the Holy Spirit - Sign of a True NT Church - Conditions for a Prophet - Tests of a Prophet - Experience of Ellen White and her work 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Gift of Prophecy is the greatest of all spiritual gifts (1 Cor 13:1-4) • God always had 2 uses for prophets: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A giving-prophet 2. A receiving-prophet • Prophecy is important because it fulfills in times of crisis and knowing what to do during a time of crisis is often life and death. • Subtext: Truth becomes critical in a time of Crisis • Shows God’s continued guidance

