

Yes – No Is there more than one true gospel?
Yes – No Will you be cursed if you change the gospel of Christ?

16. 1 Peter 1:24-25

Yes – No Will the words of Jesus fade away and be forgotten?
Yes – No Has God, by His power, preserved His word for all time?

God's Word Handed Down to All Man

Through Jesus
 Through the Holy Spirit
 To the apostles
 Who wrote it down.

Review

1. How does God speak to us today?
2. How did the apostles receive God's word?
3. How much truth was given to the apostles?
4. Yes – No Can the New Testament prepare us for every good work?
5. Yes – No Are you living in obedience to the word of God?

Growing in Jesus

Lesson 1

God Speaks to Us through His Word

How Does God Speak to Us Today?

1. Hebrews 1:1-2

- Yes – No Did God speak to the fathers through the prophets?
Yes – No Does God speak to us through His Son, Jesus Christ?

2. Matthew 17: 1-8

- Yes – No Did God say “hear Moses”?
Who was the only person they saw when they looked up?

3. John 17:8

- Yes – No Did Jesus give His words to the apostles?
Yes – No Must we obey the apostles’ words?

Were the Apostles Inspired?

4. John 14: 26

- Yes – No Were the apostles to rely on their own memories?
Yes – No Would the Holy Spirit teach the apostles all things?

5. John 16:12, 13

- Yes – No Would they only receive some of the truth?
Yes – No Does God reveal new truths to us not given to the apostles?

Are Paul’s Writings Inspired?

6. Galatians 1:11, 12

- Yes – No Did men teach Paul the gospel?
Yes – No Did Jesus reveal the gospel to Paul?

7. Acts 20:27

- Yes – No Was Paul’s understanding of the gospel restricted or limited?

8. John 20: 30, 31

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- Yes – No Did John have a purpose for writing this book?
Yes – No Did John write about everything Jesus did?

9. Ephesians 3:2-4

- Yes – No Would it be necessary to have this letter if God revealed His word directly to all men?

10. 2 Peter 1:12-15

- Yes – No Did Peter write this letter so that after his death God’s word would remain with man?
Yes – No Was there a real need for Peter and other inspired men to record God’s Word?

11. 1 John 5:13

- Yes – No Can John’s readers be assured of their salvation?
How can you have assurance of your salvation?

Is God’s Written Word Complete?

12. 2 Timothy 3:16, 17

- Yes – No Are the Scriptures able to make you complete (perfect)?
Yes – No Can the Scriptures furnish you with all you need to serve God fully?
Yes – No Do you need more Scriptures in addition to the Bible?

13. 2 Peter 1:3

- Yes – No Has God provided all you need for life and godliness?
Yes – No Do we need additional revelations?

14. Jude 3

- Yes – No Was “the faith” delivered once for all?

Can We Add to God’s Word?

15. Galatians 1:6-9

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