

“From the Fall to the Finish” - Lesson 1 - “Making the RIGHT choice”

“A thorough knowledge of the Bible is worth more than a college education.”

(Teddy Roosevelt)

*John 5:39 “Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life:
and they are they which testify of me.”*

*Proverbs 16:25 “There is a way that seemeth right unto a man,
but the end thereof are the ways of death.”*

*Acts 20:20 “And how I kept back nothing that was **profitable** unto you,
but have shewed you, and have taught you publickly, and from house to house,”*

the THREE Paradigms

1. Paul said... *“I kept back nothing”* ...
2. He used the word **“PROFITABLE”** ...
3. He stated... *“from house to house”* ...

*Acts 16:32 they spake unto him the word of the Lord,
and to all that were in his house.*

*Acts 17:11 These were more noble than those in Thessalonica,
in that they received the word with all readiness of mind,
and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.*

1. They **“RECEIVED** the word of GOD openly...”
2. They **CONTINUED** studying the word of God daily...

Romans 3:4 “...yea, let God be true, but every man a liar...”

Hebrews 12:2 “Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith...”

1. Jesus Christ is the _____ into heaven!
2. Jesus Christ is “ _____ ” of salvation...
3. Jesus Christ is _____ one day to receive his Bride!

*2 Peter 1:21 For the prophecy came **NOT** in old time by the will of man:
but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.*

*Ephesians 4:14 That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro,
and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men,
and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive;*

*2 Timothy 3:16 All scripture is given by inspiration of God,
and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction,
for instruction in righteousness:*

1. For **DOCTRINE**...

- DOCTRINE is a _____, a FAITH, a TEACHING...
- “You will know them by their fruits!” (Matt. 7:20)

Titus 2:1 “But speak thou the things which become sound doctrine.”

2. For **REPROOF**... is _____...

*John 8:9 “And...being **CONVICTED** by their own conscience,
went out one by one, beginning at the eldest...”*

3. For **CORRECTION**...

- Biblical **CORRECTION** is the act of **ADJUSTING**, **AMENDING** or **ANNULLING** what needs to be _____ within us!

*Proverbs 3:11 “My son, despise not the chastening of the LORD;
neither be weary of his correction:”*

4. For **INSTRUCTION IN RIGHTEOUSNESS**...

Psalms 32:8 “I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go...”