

Course Syllabus: A Biblical Overview of Eternal Rewards

I. COURSE INFORMATION

Course Description

A Biblical Overview of Eternal Rewards is a study of the different types of eternal rewards described in the Scripture and how a believer can live so as to receive them by the grace of God. Jesus emphasized eternal rewards more than any other teacher in the Bible. This course will cover a vast array of verses on this vital topic that is neglected by far too many in the body of Christ today.

Course Objectives

1. To become familiar with the biblical rewards presented in Scripture.
2. To gain commitment and motivation to live in a way that responds rightly to the grace and love of God and invests our life and resource for the gaining of eternal treasure.
3. To encounter Jesus through meditation on the Word unto transformation and making wise choices.

Course Approach

This course is designed to be taken over 8 weeks, with each week including a video lecture. However, you may work your way through the videos at whatever pace you desire with the option to re-watch videos at your convenience. To advance to the next video, select "Complete and Continue" at the top of the page (or bottom on some mobile devices). There are corresponding assignments with each week's content for you to do for your own personal enrichment. All videos, notes, and assignments will be hosted in Teachable, our online Learning Management System.

II. COURSE GUIDELINES

Recommended Resources

Zane C. Hodges, *Grace in Eclipse: A Study on Eternal Rewards* https://www.amazon.com/Grace-Eclipse-Study-Eternal-Rewards-ebook/dp/B01N35GI19/ref=sr_1_1_tw_kin_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1496345663&sr=8-1&keywords=Grace+in+Eclipse

Erwin W. Lutzer, *Your Eternal Reward: Triumph and Tears at the Judgment Seat of Christ*, https://www.amazon.com/dp/B00TTCHT4A/ref=dp-kindle-redirect?_encoding=UTF8&btkr=1

Course Outline

- Session 01: Introducing the Judgment Seat and Eternal Rewards
- Session 02: Understanding Eternal Rewards- Biblical Principles
- Session 03: Rewards Related to Our Resurrected Bodies and Garments
- Session 04: Rewards Related to Honor and Praise From God

- Session 05: Rewards Related to Reigning and Crowns
- Session 06: Rewards Related to Our Communion with Jesus
- Session 07: Rewards Related to Heavenly Treasure Pt. 1
- Session 08: Rewards Related to Heavenly Treasure Pt. 2

Bonus Material:

- Mike Bickle: Rewarded For Being Faithful With Small Things (Matt. 25)
- Guest Speaker: Stuart Greaves
- Guest Speaker: Isaac Bennett

III. COURSE ASSIGNMENTS

Reading Course Notes

Students will read course notes for each session.

Teaching Videos

Students to watch each teaching session and are encouraged to take notes.

Forum Discussion Posts (7 posts):

Students will submit a one to two paragraph response to the posted discussion question.

Meditation Journal (7 entries):

Each week a scripture will be assigned with correlating with each session's topic for you to meditate upon using the following model in your time with the Lord. Be attentive to what the Lord brings to mind- ***write down your thoughts, insights, and prayers.*** Ask the Spirit to bring understanding of His word and to guide you to deeper encounter with Jesus. Write down your insights and prayers so that you may turn them into a 300 to 350-word journal entry to upload each week. Students will upload their assignment as a Word Document or PDF in the Teachable learning platform.