



Syllabus

SCS 120 Jesus Teachings

Course Overview

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Course Description

Teachings about the Gospels have usually portrayed Jesus Christ as the “*Great Exception*” to being human. However, by focusing upon his sayings, we can see Jesus as the “*Great Example*” for Spiritual Awakening, Empowerment, and Transformation. By exploring the teachings *of* Jesus, rather than the teachings *about* Jesus, we can follow that example. Students will develop a deeper and more practical understanding of Jesus as Master Teacher, Way-shower through reflection upon his sayings and methods. In this way, they will learn to build a strong spiritual foundation for “Christ Consciousness.”

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Describe how Jesus prayed.
- Describe how Jesus healed.
- Identify the four teachings methods of Jesus
- Describe the main teachings of Jesus Christ.
- Relate the teachings of Jesus to their own life.

Required Books

- **Study Bible – NRSV (New Revised Standard Version)**
Preferred study Bible: *The New Interpreter’s Study Bible ~ NRSV version with Apocrypha*;
Also acceptable: *The New Oxford Annotated Bible with Apocrypha ~ NRSV* or *The Harper Collins Study Bible including Apocryphal Deuterocanonical Books ~ NRSV* or *Cultural Backgrounds Study Bible ~ NRSV (Zondervan, 2019)*
- Turner, Elizabeth Sand. *Your Hope of Glory*. Unity Books

Recommended~ hard copy or online

- Douglass, R.C. *Metaphysical Bible Dictionary*, Unity Books
- *The Revealing Word*, Unity Books