

## *The One True God is the God of Truth*

### Introduction:

1. *“Every record has been destroyed or falsified, every book rewritten, every picture has been repainted, every statue and street building has been renamed, every date has been altered. And the process is continuing day by day and minute by minute. History has stopped. Nothing exists except an endless present in which the Party is always right.” (George Orwell)*
  2. **Truth is a Threat: Which explains the never ending effort to discredit the Bible...**
    - a. Why is the Bible Banned in Communist Countries? —Why is a book so dangerous?
    - b. Why is the Church a threat to godless governments? Why are Christians put in prison?
  3. **Because Truth can Topple Kings and Overthrow Nations...**
    - a. Truth causes Panic among hypocrites, — it keeps powerful people awake at night...
    - b. Truth causes guilt — which results in mental illness and emotional breakdowns
    - c. Truth Puts Criminals in Prison! — Truth is Power!  
*“The Truth it is like a lion, you don’t have to defend it.  
Let it loose, it will defend itself.” (Augustine)*
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## I. THE GOD OF TRUTH

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### **A. THE ONE TRUE GOD IS THE GOD OF TRUTH**

1. God is the God of Truth (Isaiah 65:16)
2. He is the Lord God of Truth (Psalm 31:5)

### **B. TRUTH IS AN ATTRIBUTE OF GOD’S DIVINE PERFECTION**

1. God Cannot Make a Mistake! (Deut 32:4)
2. All the Ways of God are Truth (Psalm 25:10)
3. God is the God of Light and Truth (Psalms 43:3)

### **C. GOD WILL NOT AND CANNOT TELL A LIE**

1. God Cannot Lie (Hebrews 6:18)
2. God is not even tempted to lie (Numbers 23:19)
3. What is the purpose of a lie? To Get What we want...
4. What is the Purpose of Living a Lie? To Continually Get what we want!

### **D. GOD’S WORD IS TRUTH**

1. God’s Word is Truth And He Sanctifies His People with Truth (John 17:17)
2. That Means God’s Promises are Always True! (Revelation 19:9)
3. Jesus said, **“heaven and earth will pass away,  
but my words will never pass away.”**

#### 4. **Jesus Spoke Only Truth—and Truth is Eternal!**

- a) Truth is not seasonal or fashionable or trendy
- b) Truth is not fluid—it does not change over time

#### 5. **All False Teachers Say the Same Thing—Don't listen to God, Listen to me**

- a) Don't Follow God, Follow Me... Don't Pay Attention to God, Pay Attention to Me

### **E. GOD WILL JUDGE BY TRUTH**

#### 1. **God will Judge With Truth—Not YOUR Truth but HIS! (Psalms 96:13)**

#### 2. **God judges with Truth—not by outward appearance**

#### 3. **This is Why the Truth made Jesus a Threat... Jesus Knew the Heart of men**

- a) A threat to the Rulers, the Priests, the Pharisees, Scribes and Lawyers of the Law
- b) Jesus spoke Truth and it made Him a threat to their power!

*Thomas Sewell: "It's amazing how much panic one honest man can spread among a multitude of hypocrites."*

#### 4. **That's Because Darkness hates the light (John 3:19–21)**

#### 5. **God Will Judge the World By Truth (Rom 2:2, 7-8)**

#### 6. **And God's Righteous Judgements Are Truth (Revelation 16:7)**

#### 7. **Satan is a Liar and he is the father of lies...**

and notice the judgement of all Liars (Revelation 21:8)

*All Liars Will Spend Eternity with the father of lies—satan, along with his angels*

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## **II. THE IMPLICATIONS FOR US**

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### **A. GOD DESIRES TRUTH TO BE THE GUIDING PRINCIPLE IN OUR LIFE**

#### 1. **Not Only to Accept the Truth But Internalize it in our heart and our life!**

**(Psalm 15:1–2)**

- a) Why is Faith Pleasing to God? —> Because its Believing Truth and Rejecting Lies!

#### 2. **Truth Must Be the Guiding Principle in Our Heart and Life and Worship**

- a) Jesus: "In vain they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men."
- b) There is a Temptation for Man to substitute Human doctrines as Divine doctrines!

#### 3. **But Believers Are Called to Uphold the Truth!**

- a) **To Worship God in Truth** (John 4:23–24),
- b) **To Be Committed to the Truth** (Pr. 23:23),
- c) **Obey the Truth** (1 Peter 1:22; cf. Rom. 2:8; Gal. 5:7),
- d) **Love the Truth** (2 Thess. 2:10),
- e) **Speak the Truth in Love** (Eph. 4:15),
- f) **Walk in the Truth** (Pss. 26:3; 86:11; 2 John 4; 3 John 3–4).
- g) **TRUTH is the essence of the work and mission of the church, which is to be:**

**"the pillar and foundation of the truth" (1 Tim. 3:15).**

*"God's household, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and foundation of the truth." NIV*

**NOT Facebook, or CNN, or the Government or CDC or Universities, Laboratories—the Church**

## **B. FALSE PARADIGMS WILL NOT SURVIVE THE STORMS OF LIFE**

- 1. Only Truth Transcends the test of Time—False Paradigms Will Crumble**
  - a) Notice how some built their life on False Pretenses (Matthew 7:21-23)**
    - (1) Many will say, Lord, Lord! (not a Few... MANY)
    - (2) Didn't We do this and that... We did it your name God... we did it for you!
    - (3) No You Didn't... You did it to elevate yourself, you did it because that's what YOU wanted to do
    - (4) God told you to do THIS, but you didn't want to do THAT, you wanted to do THIS
    - (5) You who practice LAWLESSNESS — You Created Your Own Rules,  
Your Own Form of Righteousness
- 2. God wants us to Build Our Life on the Rock of Truth (Matthew 7:24–27)**
  - a) The one who LISTENS... to the Word of God
  - b) and DOES the word of God will be accepted
- 3. LIES Deceive, Divide, and Destroy**
  - a) Satan is a Liar and he is the father of lies (2 Thessalonians 2:9–10)
  - b) They Exchanged the TRUTH of God for a Lie (Rom 1:18)**
  - c) WHY? What is the purpose of a lie? —To get what we want! (2 Thess. 2:12)

## **C. ONLY THE TRUTH CAN SET YOU FREE**

- 1. You can tell a lot about the character of a person  
by how they respond to Truth!**
  - a) The Truth Will Either Set You Free or Make You Mad!
  - b) Or it Will Make You Mad and Then Set You Free!
  - c) Your Character is Defined By How You Respond to Truth
- 2. How You Respond to Truth is based on this word: 'If' (John 8:31–32)**
  - a) IF you abide in Jesus words—If you abide in TRUTH...
  - b) Then You Will Know the Truth and the Truth will set you Free!
- 3. Only the Truth Can Set You Free...**
  - a) Free in Christ...
  - b) Free From Guilt and Condemnation (Romans 8:1)**
  - c) Free From Fear, anxiety, depression...

*“If what you believe is not based on truth,  
then what you feel is not based on reality” (Neil Anderson)*

## **D. JESUS IS THE WAY, TRUTH AND LIFE**

- 1. Jesus Trial was a Trial of Truth...**
  - a) Most Trials are about the Truth of a Criminal Act...  
But Jesus Trial was about the TRUTH Of Jesus Identity! (John 18:28–38)
- 2. What is Truth? Pilate asked...**
  - a) This Was a Trial about the TRUTH of Who Jesus is!  
Revealing the Truth of who we are... (John 19:1–18)

**3. Jesus said: *I Am the WAY, the TRUTH and the LIFE,*  
*no one comes to the Father except through me* (John 14:5–6)**

- a) Jesus is the Only Way — of Truth!
- b) Jesus is the Only Way — of Life
- c) Jesus is the Only Way — to the Father!
- d) Even in the Garden of Gethemane, Jesus asked if there could be another way...
- e) Let this cup pass from me... But there was no other way!
- f) Jesus sinless sacrifice—God the Son in human form—had to pay the penalty for our terrible sins against God!

**4. We are saved by the gospel of truth! (2 Thessalonians 2:13–14)**

*because God from the beginning chose you for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth, to which He called you by our gospel, for the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. (2 Thes. 2:13b-14)*

**CONCLUSION:**

- 1. DO NOT LIVE BY LIES!**
- 2. Don't sell your God given soul for Human Dogma**
- 3. ONLY THE TRUTH CAN SET YOU FREE! (1 John 5:20)**

And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us an understanding, that we may know Him who is true; and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life. (1 John 5:20)