

# **Bible Institute: Bible Foundations**

## **Course Syllabus**

### **Week 1: Formation of the Bible**

- **Lesson 1:** How We Got the Old Testament
- **Lesson 2:** How We Got the New Testament

### **Week 2: Preservation and Canon**

- **Lesson 3:** Introduction and the Canon of Scripture
- **Lesson 4:** Preservation and Transmission of Scripture

### **Week 2: Trustworthiness of the Bible**

- **Lesson 5:** Archaeological Evidence for the Old Testament
- **Lesson 6:** Archaeological Evidence for the New Testament

### **Week 4: Reasons You Can Trust the Bible**

- **Lesson 7:** The Bible's Unique Consistency Across 66 Books
- **Lesson 8:** Pulling it all Together - REVIEW

### **Week 5: Common Questions and Controversies Part 1**

- **Lesson 8:** Is the Bible Full of Contradictions?
- **Lesson 10:** Has the Bible Been Changed Over Time?
- **Lesson 11:** Is the Bible Just a Copy of Ancient Myths?

### **Week 6: Answering Common Questions and Controversies Part 2**

- **Lesson 12:** Isn't the Bible Anti-Science?
- **Lesson 13:** What About the Lost Books of the Bible?
- **Lesson 14:** Introduction for the Final Two Weeks - Ephesians

### **Week 7: Bible Study to Change Your Life**

- **Lesson 15:** Tools to Read, Study, and Understand the Bible
- **Lesson 16:** First Two Chapters of Ephesians

## **Week 8: Together in the Word**

- **Lesson 17:** Searching, Digging, Knowing - Ephesians
- **Lesson 18:** Sharing, Applying, Growing - Ephesians

## **? Week 9: BONUS WEEK: The Bible vs. Cults and World Religions**

- **Lesson 19:** Bible vs. Book of Mormon
- **Lesson 20:** Bible vs. The Qur'an