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COURSE SYLLABUS

THEO 202

THEOLOGY SURVEY II

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This is a continuation of general survey of Bible doctrine designed to synthesize and outline each of the ten major areas of systematic theology. Survey II includes anthropology, hamartiology, soteriology, ecclesiology and eschatology.

RATIONALE

Many students enter programs at Liberty University without any doctrinal or theological background. Each student needs to be grounded in doctrine in order to know what he or she believes and why he or she believes it. This course, along with THEO 201, gives the student a comprehensive exposure to systematic theology for the purpose of equipping him or her for ministry, whatever his or her vocational goals might be.

I. PREREQUISITE

For information regarding prerequisites for this course, please refer to the [Academic Course Catalog](#).

II. REQUIRED RESOURCE PURCHASE

Click on the following link to view the required resource(s) for the term in which you are registered: <http://bookstore.mbsdirect.net/liberty.htm>

III. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS FOR LEARNING

- A. Computer with basic audio/video output equipment
- B. Internet access (broadband recommended)
- C. Blackboard [recommended browsers](#)
- D. Microsoft Office

IV. MEASURABLE LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- A. Identify properly the core content of the doctrines of anthropology, hamartiology, soteriology, ecclesiology, and eschatology.
- B. Differentiate between classical Christian teachings regarding the above doctrines, and those teachings which fall outside of the evangelical Christian faith.
- C. Distinguish scriptural passages supporting the above Christian doctrines.

- D. Compare and contrast the biblical worldview with non-biblical worldviews.

V. COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND ASSIGNMENTS

- A. Textbook readings and lecture presentations
- B. Course Requirements Checklist

After reading the Course Syllabus and [Student Expectations](#), the student will complete the related checklist found in Module/Week 1.

- C. Discussion Board Forums (6)

Discussion boards are collaborative learning experiences. Therefore, the student is required to submit a thread in response to the provided prompt for each forum. The student will share his or her beliefs regarding major issues in Christian theology by submitting a thread of at least 300 words. In addition to the thread, the student is required to reply to 2 classmates’ threads. Each reply must be at least 150 words. Any sources used must be cited in current Turabian format. (MLO: A, B, C)

- D. Short Reflection Paper

The student will write a paper summarizing a biblical doctrine covered in this course and give 3 practical applications to life. The paper must be 400–600 words and in current Turabian format (or whichever style corresponds to the student’s degree program). (MLO A, B, C)

- E. Biblical Worldview Essay

The student will write an 800–1,000-word paper comparing and contrasting the biblical worldview with non-biblical worldviews by analyzing various understandings of humanity. The paper must be in current Turabian format (or whichever style corresponds to the student’s degree program). (MLO: A, B, C, D)

- F. Quizzes (8)view tab

Each quiz will cover the Reading & Study material for the assigned module/week. Each quiz will be open-book/open-notes, contain 12 multiple-choice and true/false questions, and have a 30-minute time limit. (MLO: A, B, C)

VI. COURSE GRADING AND POLICIES

- A. Points

Course Requirements Checklist	10
Discussion Board Forums (6 at 45 pts ea)	270
Short Refection Paper	100
Biblical Worldview Essay	150
Quizzes (8 at 60 pts ea)	480
Total	1010

- B. Scale

A = 900–1010 B = 800–899 C = 700–799 D = 600–699 F = 0–599

C. Instructor Feedback and Response Time

Responses to student emails will be provided within 48 hours and assignment feedback will be given within 1 week from the assignment due date.

D. Disability Assistance

Students with a documented disability may contact Liberty University Online's Office of Disability Accommodation Support (ODAS) at LUOODAS@liberty.edu to make arrangements for academic accommodations. Further information can be found at www.liberty.edu/disabilitysupport.

If you have a complaint related to disability discrimination or an accommodation that was not provided, you may contact ODAS or the Office of Equity and Compliance by phone at (434) 592-4999 or by email at equityandcompliance@liberty.edu. Click to see a full copy of Liberty's [Discrimination, Harassment, and Sexual Misconduct Policy](#) or the [Student Disability Grievance Policy and Procedures](#).

E. Quality Matters Seal of Approval

This certification mark recognizes that this course met Quality Matters Review Standards.



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COURSE SCHEDULE

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Textbooks: Erickson, *Introducing Christian Doctrine* (2015).
 Etzel & Small, *Everday Series: Theology* (2016).
 Hitchcock & Hindson, *Can We Still Believe in the Rapture?* (2018).

MODULE/ WEEK	READING & STUDY	ASSIGNMENTS	POINTS
1	Erickson: ch. 1 Etzel & Small: sect. 1 1 presentation	Course Requirements Checklist Class Introductions DB Forum 1 Quiz 1	10 0 45 60
2	Erickson: chs. 17–19 Etzel & Small: sect. 5 Genesis 1–2 3 presentations	DB Forum 2 Quiz 2	45 60
3	Erickson: chs. 21–22 Romans 3, 5 2 presentations	DB Forum 3 Quiz 3	45 60
4	Erickson: chs. 31–33 Etzel & Small: sect. 7 John 15 3 presentations	DB Forum 4 Quiz 4	45 60
5	Erickson: chs. 34–35 Romans 3 (reread) 2 presentations	Short Reflection Paper Quiz 5	100 60
6	Erickson: chs. 36–38 1 Timothy 3 5 presentations	DB Forum 5 Quiz 6	45 60
7	Erickson: chs. 39–42 Etzel & Small: sect. 8 Hitchcock & Hindson: entire book Revelation 21–22 5 presentations	DB Forum 6 Quiz 7	45 60
8	Erickson: ch. 2	Biblical Worldview Essay Quiz 8	150 60
TOTAL			1010

DB = Discussion Board

NOTE: Each course module/week (except Module/Week 1) begins on Tuesday morning at 12:00 a.m. (ET) and ends on Monday night at 11:59 p.m. (ET). The final module/week ends at 11:59 p.m. (ET) on **Friday**.