

Sincerely Wrong

Standing Firm in Biblical Truth Against False Doctrines

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Course Description:

In a world filled with competing beliefs and spiritual claims, it is essential for followers of Christ to be grounded in the truth of God's Word. Sincerely Wrong is a Bible-based study designed to equip students to recognize and respond to false religions and deceptive teachings. Using Scripture as our ultimate and infallible authority, we will examine the origins, core doctrines, and practices of various belief systems that distort or deny the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Throughout this course, students will:

- Compare each religion's teachings with the truths of the Bible
- Learn to identify common patterns of deception and spiritual counterfeit
- Strengthen their understanding of foundational Christian doctrine
- Develop confidence in sharing their faith lovingly and clearly with others

The goal of this course is not merely to expose error but to exalt the truth—helping believers stand firm in their faith and compassionately lead others toward the only way, the only truth, and the only life found in Jesus Christ.

Schedule:

Nov 30	Intro: Foundational Doctrine
Dec 7	Roman Catholicism
Dec 14	Mormonism
Dec 21	Freemasonry
Dec 28	Muslims
Jan 4	J.W.'s
Jan 11	Hinduism
Jan 18	Budism
Jan 25	Scientology
Feb 1	Cultural Christianity
Feb 8	Memory Bowl!
Feb 15	Conclusion

Writing Assignments + Memory Scriptures

Dec 7	Who is your best friend?	Rom 3:23
Dec 14	In a recent Sunday School class the lesson was on making a disciple as the answer to the future of the church. Do you agree? Do you actively pursue that task? What would you consider the biggest obstacles to that task?	Rom 6:23
Dec 21	On a scale of 1-10, what would you rate yourself on self-discipline? Would you consider being disciplined as important? Why or why not? What steps are you taking to improve?	Rom 10:9-10
Dec 28	What are your goals for 2026? Are they S.M.A.R.T? (S — Specific M — Measurable A — Achievable R — Relevant T — Time-bound)	John 14:6
Jan 4	Describe a moment when you had to choose between what was easy and what was right.	Phil 4:6-8
Jan 11	Is your ministry fruitful/growing? Why or why not?	John 3:16-17
Jan 18	What does the word “integrity” mean to you? Describe someone who models it well.	Joshua 1:8
Jan 25	Name 5 things that you are thankful for.	1 John 1:9
Feb 1	Rate (on a scale of 1-10) how you are doing on each of the big 5	Ephesians 2:8-9
Feb 8	When was the last time God spoke to you? What did He say? By what means did He speak to you?	Memory Bowl
Feb 15	How much time do you spend in deep prayer?	10 commandments in order