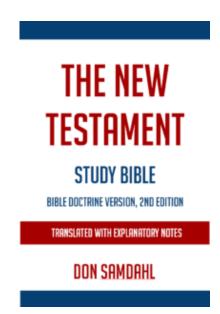
## **Bible Doctrine**



## New Edition!

Bible Doctrine is a site that emphasizes Paul's "gospel of the grace of God" (Acts 20.24), that Christ died for our sins and rose from the dead (1 Corinthians 15.1-4). The Corinthian passage is the clearest definition of Paul's gospel which is the "power of salvation to everyone who believes" (Romans 1.16-17). The articles have been written to reveal God's love and His wonderful salvation for all who will believe and to inform, encourage, and strengthen believers in the Christian faith and life.

Three factors are essential for correct biblical interpretation: 1) understanding the Scriptures are <u>Godbreathed</u> (θεόπνευστος, 2 Timothy 3.16) 2) understanding God has progressively revealed the Scriptures within a structural <u>framework</u>, and 3) maintaining a sound, consistent interpretative method (<u>hermeneutic</u>). A normal, non-symbolic or figurative, hermeneutic is essential for sound interpretation for the areas of theology: soteriology, Christology, Israelology, ecclesiology, anthropology, pneumatology, angelology, and eschatology.

Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth." — Genesis 1:26-28 (NKJV)