

# **BINT203 THE GOSPELS**

## **INTRODUCTION**

A historical, biographical, and exegetical study of the life and teaching of Jesus (during the last six months of his earthly ministry) as set forth in the four gospels.

### **Course Objectives:**

- Upon completion of this course, the student should:
- Know the major aspects of the life and teaching of Jesus.
- Be able to describe the chronology and geography of the life of Christ.
- Understand the basic content and the unique contribution of each gospel.
- Be able to discover the contemporary significance of issues raised in the study of the life of Jesus.
- Be able to recite from memory the seven “I am” statements recorded in John’s gospel.
- Be able write a brief explanation (exegesis) of a text from the gospels.
- Love to read the gospels as a source of spiritual nurture.
- Develop spiritually and morally by relating their lives to the life of Jesus.

### **Required Textbook:**

Four Portraits, One Jesus: A Survey of Jesus and the Gospels  
by Mark L. Strauss (Author)  
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### **Learn more by purchasing the entire course that covers the following topics:**

Lesson 1 – The Background of the Gospels

Lesson 2 – Why Four Gospels?

Lesson 3 - The Birth of Jesus

Lesson 4 - The Early Life of Jesus

Lesson 5 - The Forerunner of Jesus

Lesson 6 – The Baptism and Temptation of Christ

Lesson 7 – The Disciples of Christ

Lesson 8 – The Ministry of Jesus

Lesson 9 – Jesus, the Son of God and the Son of Man

Lesson 10 – Jesus, the Very Heart of the Father

Lesson 11 – Jesus, The Greater than Moses

Lesson 12 – Jesus, The Power of God

Lesson 13 - Jesus, The Lord of the Sabbath

Lesson 14 – Jesus, The “I AM”

Lesson 15 – The Opposition of Jesus

Lesson 16 – The Parables of Jesus

Lesson 17 – The Prophetic Ministry of Jesus

Lesson 18 – Jesus’ Rejection and the Road to the Cross

Lesson 19 – The Arrest and Trials of Jesus

Lesson 20 – The Crucifixion of Jesus

Lesson 21 – The Resurrection and Ascension of Jesus