## **CF203 BIBLE TEACHING METHODS**

## INTRODUCTION

Have you ever explained something they did not know to another person? Perhaps you showed them how to do a certain task? If so, you have already experienced teaching. You may be asking yourself, "Why should I study this topic? Why should I take a course on teaching tactics?" Through the study of this course, you will learn why each believer must know how to teach. You will learn what it means to teach, the main objectives of teaching, why teachers are needed, and who is to be taught. You will learn the difference between the leadership position of a teacher, the gift of teaching, and the general command to all believers to teach. You will also learn the serious responsibility of teaching as you study special Biblical warnings.

You will also unpack the functions of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit in Biblical teaching. You will learn details of the mission of Jesus, "a teacher coming from God". From this study you will discover the divine purpose of your own mission as a teacher. By learning the teaching mission of Jesus which is now the responsibility of all believers today. We study qualities of His lifestyle, which should also be evident in your life as a teacher. We will also learn what Jesus taught. Jesus did not have a lifetime to train His disciples. He only had a few short years, so He focused His teaching on important concepts. The content of His message should be the focus of your own teaching mission.

The general message of Jesus was the Gospel of the Kingdom of God. The question is what were the specific details of His teaching? Through our journey through Bible Teaching Methods, we will not only learn about he when, where, why and what Jesus taught during His earthly ministry. But we will also study the methods Jesus used in teaching. A method is defined as a plan, system, procedure, or way of doing something. The teaching methods of Jesus refer to how He taught.

Often, the Church has been content to use secular educational methods rather than those revealed in God's Word. The best methods for Biblical teaching are those which Jesus used and proved to be effective. We will unpack general methods which accompanied the teaching of Jesus. Some of those topics include specific methods of verbal instruction used by Jesus, various aids which can be used when you teach,

Before you begin to teach it is important to analyze your audience, set objectives, and plan the lesson. True spiritual growth is not measured by what a student is hearing or has heard, but by what he does about what he is hearing or has heard.

teach a Biblical lesson using various methods. But how do you know if your teaching is effective? How do you know if spiritual objectives are met and the lives of those you teach experience help and change? The answer to these questions is found in evaluation.

The Bible is the basis for all instruction in the church and the focal of every lesson. You will learn ways to teach a Biblical lesson as well as selection of Biblical curriculum, excellent materials that can assist in organizing training for one group or several groups of students.

The Biblical plan of spiritual multiplication is teaching faithful men who are able to teach others also (II Timothy 2:2). If you are to fulfill this plan, you must constantly be training teachers. This course discusses two basic needs for teacher training and practical steps for planning a training program. Guidelines are also given on how to recruit students for the training, how to conduct the sessions, and for placing trained teachers in the church.

This course will also introduce the subject of Biblical preaching and planning a sermon. It defines preaching, identifies the subjects of Biblical preaching, explains the importance of the demonstration of God's power when preaching, and identifies Biblical warnings regarding preaching. You will discover that preaching and teaching are similar in many ways but differ in methods of presentation and style of delivery.

## Learn more by purchasing the entire course that covers the following topics:

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Lesson 13 - Teaching Illiterate Students

Lesson 14 - Teacher Training

Lesson 15 - An Introduction To Preaching

Lesson 16 - Planning A Sermon