

## The Gospel

(the Word Gospel means good news)

1. Read Isaiah 52.  
What was the state of Jerusalem (it represents God's people)? (vs. 3-5)  
What is God going to make them know and who is it that speaks? (vs. 6)  
What are the feet (spiritual character) of them like that bring the good news?  
Whose word must they speak? What things will the gospel make known? (vs.7-10)  
What must they have nothing to do with? (vs. 11) Who do you think the servant is who shall be exalted? Must all preaching of the gospel exalt Jesus Christ?
2. Read Mark 1:1-11  
What was the beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ?  
Did John the Baptist have good news? Who did he exalt and point men to?  
What things did he say about Jesus? (read John 1:29,33)  
If John was God's specific messenger before Jesus do you think the things he said about Jesus are very significant and really what the gospel is all about?
3. Read Isaiah 61:1-9 and Luke 4:16-22  
Who has the Spirit of the Lord upon Him to preach the gospel?  
What sort of things did He preach?  
In Isaiah 61 what are those who heard the gospel to become? (vs. 6)  
What was to be made with them as the result of the gospel? (vs. 8)  
Read Matthew 9:35 for the results of Jesus' ministry.
4. Read John 17:8, 20, 21, John 20:21  
What had Jesus given unto His disciples? What was the result?  
How were others to believe? What were they to experience?  
What was the world to know because of those who believe?  
How were the disciples sent out?
5. Read Romans 1:1, Ephesians 3:6-9, 1 Corinthians 9:16-22, Galatians 1:11-12  
What was Paul separated unto? By whom? How had he received his knowledge of the gospel?  
What was he to preach and to whom?  
Was the desire to preach in Paul's heart almost overwhelming? Is it almost as if he did it against his will such was the strength of the call of God on his life?  
What was he prepared to do (vs. 22) to see souls saved?
6. Read Romans 1:16-17, 2:16, 1 Corinthians 1:17-18, 23-24  
What is revealed in the gospel?  
Is it of faith - remember faith comes by hearing the word of God (Romans 10.17)  
What was the gospel to everyone that believes? What were the things Paul preached? What was definitely not the way he preached?
7. Read 2 Corinthians 4:1-6, 2 Timothy 1:9-10  
What has come to light through the gospel? Who has shined it into our hearts?  
Where is this light? Who is it that blinds the minds of those who do not see the light? Should we preach ourselves or Jesus Christ the Lord? Must the true gospel show us immortality through the resurrection of the Lord Jesus?
8. Read 1 Corinthians 4:15, 1 Peter 1:18-25  
What happens when people hear the true gospel? What does Peter here state the essential things of the gospel to be? What is the fruit in the lives who believe?
9. Read Colossians 1:23  
To know the full benefit of God's grace in our lives what must we not do