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Course content may be changed, term to term, without notice. The information below is provided as a guide for course selection and is not binding in any form, and should not be used to purchase course materials.

COURSE SYLLABUS

GBST 104

CHRONOLOGICAL SURVEY OF THE OLD TESTAMENT II

COURSE DESCRIPTION

A chronological and comprehensive survey of the Old Testament featuring a unique structuring of biblical events in basic stages of Bible history. This course presents the Conquest, Judges, and United Kingdom stages.

RATIONALE

A student of God's Word must consider the value of the Old Testament for his/her life. Not only is the Old Testament the history of the Jewish people, but it holds God's earliest teachings of sin, repentance and justification. This course identifies the points of importance for a more complete, historical and contextual understanding of God's revelation to man.

I. PREREQUISITES

None

II. REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS

Click the following link to view the required resources for the term in which you are registered: <http://bookstore.mbsdirect.net/liberty.htm>

III. MATERIALS FOR LEARNING

- A. Internet access (broadband or cable recommended)
- B. Microsoft Word
(Microsoft Office is available at a special discount to Liberty University students.)
- C. Textbooks
- D. A study Bible

IV. MEASURABLE COURSE OBJECTIVES

- A. The student will become familiar with the history of the Old Testament.
(Method of assessment —Reading of all of the Old Testament books covered in this course [I Kings through Song of Solomon] and the Reading Report Form)
- B. The student will internalize the truths of the Old Testament for today's believer.
(Method of assessment—Discussion Boards)
- C. The student will recognize the content of the Old Testament through authorship, literary style, and theological development.
(Method of assessment—Weekly Assignments)

- D. The student will understand the role and significance of the Old Testament as foundational truths for the teachings of the New Testament.
(Method of assessment—Weekly Lessons, Discussion Boards)

V. COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND ASSIGNMENTS

A. Textbook readings

You are required to read all of the books of the Old Testament covered in this class (I Kings to Song of Solomon). You are also required to read the chapter from the textbook that corresponds to each book of the Old Testament (see the course chart). A reading report form is due at the end of Module 8.

B. Discussion boards

You are expected to participate in all 4 Discussion Boards (DB). The instructions for participation can be found with each discussion board assignment.

C. Weekly Lessons

The student will complete 2 lessons from the workbook for Weeks 1–7 and 1 lesson for Week 8; they should be submitted through the assignment link. Each set of lessons is due on Monday at 11:59 p.m. (ET) with the exception of Week 8 which is due on Friday at 11:59 p.m. (ET).

VI. COURSE GRADING AND POLICIES

A. Points

Reading Report Form	160
Discussion Boards	200
Weekly Lessons	640
Total	1000

B. Scale

A = 900–1000 B = 800–899 C = 700–799 D = 600–699 F = 0–599

C. Disability Assistance

Students with a documented disability may contact Liberty University Online’s Office of Disability Academic Support (ODAS) at LUOODAS@liberty.edu to make arrangements for academic accommodations.

COURSE SCHEDULE

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Textbook: Wilmington, Harold L., *Great Truths from God's Word* (2003).

WEEK	READING & STUDY	ASSIGNMENTS	POINTS
1	Wilmington: pp. 235-263 Bible Readings	Course Requirements Checklist Assignment 1	0 80
2	Wilmington: pp. 263-275, 276-296 Bible Readings	Assignment 2 DB Forum 1	80 50
3	Wilmington: pp. 296-307, 310-323 Bible Readings	Assignment 3	80
4	Wilmington: pp. 323-335, 338-349 Bible Readings	Assignment 4 DB Forum 2	80 50
5	Wilmington: pp. 352-368 Bible Readings	Assignment 5	80
6	Wilmington: pp. 368-385 Bible Readings	Assignment 6 DB Forum 3	80 50
7	Wilmington: pp. 385-393, 396-408 Bible Readings	Assignment 7	80
8	Wilmington: pp. 410-421 Bible Readings	Assignment 8 DB Forum 4 Reading Report Form	80 50 160
TOTAL			1000

DB = Discussion Board

NOTE: Each course week (except week 1) begins on Tuesday morning at 12:00 a.m. (ET) and ends on Monday night at 11:59 p.m. (ET). The final week ends at 11:59 p.m. (ET) on Friday.