

BIUS1140 OLD TESTAMENT BOOK STUDY – GENESIS

Pastoral Ministry Certificate – NOBTS
First Baptist Church, Gonzales
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The Pastoral Ministry Certificate

The purpose of the Pastoral Ministry Certificate is to provide supplemental training for ministers in the areas of pastoral work, doctrine, biblical interpretation, and Christian education.

Purpose of the Course

The focus of this course, **Old Testament Bible Course – BIUS 1140: Genesis**, is designed to acquaint the student with pertinent background information and provide a verse-by-verse approach to interpreting of the book of Genesis.

Course Textbook

Derek Kidner, *Genesis* (Kidner Classic Commentaries), IVP Academic, 2019.

Attendance

Because of the intense schedule of these certificate courses, the student should strive to be at every class meeting. Any more than two absences will result in the student being dropped from the course.

The student should make every effort to be in attendance for every scheduled exam.

Course Requirements

1. Students will be required to fulfill reading assignments from the book of Genesis and the textbook. A reading schedule can be found below in the class outline.
2. A quiz will be given at the start of class. A total of five quizzes will be given and the lowest score (one quiz) will be dropped.
3. There will be two exams, a Mid-Course Exam and a Final Exam.

Course Evaluation

- 30%--Quizzes (The lowest quiz score will be dropped)
- 35%--Mid-Course exam
- 35%--Final Exam

Course Schedule

Monday, March 15 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *Registration and payment of fees
- *Introduction and Syllabus
- *Lecture #1
- *Reading: Genesis 1-5; Kidner, 15–89

Monday, March 22 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *Quiz #1
- *Lecture #2
- *Reading: Genesis 6-11; Kidner, 89–121

Monday, March 29 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *Quiz #2
- *Lecture #3
- *Reading: Genesis 12-22; Kidner, 123–155

Monday, April 5 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *MID-TERM EXAM
- *Lecture #4
- * Reading: Genesis 23-36; Kidner, 155–190

Monday, April 12 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *Quiz #3
- *Lecture #5
- *Reading: Genesis 37-44; Kidner, 190–217

Monday, April 19 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *Quiz #4
- *Lecture #6
- *Reading: Genesis 44-50; Kidner, 217-236

Monday, April 26 – 6:30-8:30pm

- *FINAL EXAM