

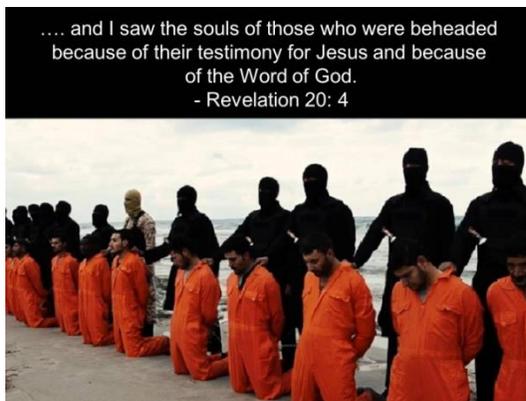
Law Enforcement... The Divine Mission!!

Lesson 1

We live in a perilous hour foretold long ago!!



Ferguson, Baltimore, Germany, France ... all across the world we see an increasing lawlessness...



Relatively unheard of 15 – 20 years ago, beheadings have become mainstream and the tool of choice for Islamic Extremists.



The Greek (language the New Testament was written in) word for nation is “ethnos”... the root of the English word “ethnic” ... Ethnic group will rise against ethnic group.

Freedom

1. We know America as land of the _____ and home of the brave, but what is freedom? Can you provide a working definition of freedom? _____

2. What is Anarchy? _____

3. Where would you recommend someone to go to find out what freedom is? _____

A. **John 8: 31 – 32** _____

B. **John 8:36** _____

C. **Galatians 5:1** _____

D. **2 Cor. 3: 17** _____

“Men are qualified for civil liberty in exact proportion to their disposition to put moral chains upon their own appetites. Society cannot exist unless a controlling power upon will and appetite be placed somewhere, and the less there is within the more there must be without. It is ordained in the eternal constitution of things that men of intemperate minds cannot be free, their passions form their fetters (chains).”

- Edmund Burke, *A Letter to a Member of the National Assembly*, 1791

4. **James 4: 1 – 3** According to this passage, what is the root cause of bad human behavior? _____

Who is God?

5. What words would you use to describe God? _____

An Aspect of God Nature Seldom Discussed

6. Who is God according to these verses?

A. **Exodus 15:3** _____

B. **Psalm 24:8** _____

C. **Psalm 68:5** _____

D. **Proverbs 6: 17 – 19** _____

F. **Isaiah 61:8** _____

7. Does the above description of God sound like anyone you know? _____

8. **Romans 13: 1 – 4**

A. According to this passage, why did God establish civil authority? _____

B. Rebellion is ultimately against who? _____

C. Can civil authorities justly rule without a moral standard? Why or why not? _____

D. What would the modern day equivalent be to the sword? _____

The Sword

9. **Revelation 19: 11 – 21** What was “Christ like” in this passage? _____

10. **Luke 7:3, Acts 10: 1 – 2** Who had the greatest faith in all of Israel? Who was the target of the first outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the gentiles? What were their professions? _____

11. **Hebrews 11: 32 – 34** What was accomplished 'by faith' in this passage? _____

12. **1 John 3: 17, Matthew 25: 42** If we're to meet our brothers needs according to these verses, would I have the obligation to protect his life if I had the means to do so in a time of danger? Why or why not? _____

13. **1 Corinthians 13:7** What does love always do according to this verse? _____

“The true warrior fights not because he hates what’s in front of him but because he loves what’s behind him.” - G.K. Chesterton

Ezekiel 22:30

14. What were the ancient cities like in that day? _____

15. Who was the 'man among them' tasked with protecting the city in that day? _____

16. **Ezekiel 22:30 c.f. Romans 13: 1 – 4** What was this man's two fold mission? _____

Jeremiah 5:1 ... YOU can make a big difference!!