

Instituted in 1932

The National Bible College

TEACHING THE KINGDOM GOSPEL WITH A NATIONAL RESPONSIBILITY TO THE COVENANTS OF ALMIGHTY GOD

DISTANCE LEARNING COURSE



The College

Motto: QUOD VERUM TUTUM - "What is true is safe"

The National Bible College is an inter-denominational Christian organisation originally established in 1932 at Harrow Weald in Middlesex England.

The aim of the College is to proclaim the integrity and Divine inspiration of Holy Scripture as the word of Almighty God; the Gospel of the coming Kingdom of heaven on earth; and with that in view, the Gospel of personal salvation in The Lord Jesus Christ.

The College further emphasises the identity, significance and responsibility of the Anglo-Saxon, Celtic and related Christian nations as witnesses for Almighty God in the world.

The National Bible College originally held properties both at Harrow Weald in Middlesex England and Buckingham Gate in London.

THE NATIONAL BIBLE COLLEGE



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PROSPECTUS

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Dr. William Pascoe Goard F.R.G.S (1863 - 1937) was an early founder principal of the College. He was born in Cornwall, England, but later moved to Canada and in 1912 became minister of the Knox Congregational Church in Vancouver (later renamed Grandview Congregational Church). He served as a Methodist minister for over 40 years. In 1930 Dr. Goard attended a special ceremony at the Chicago Kent College of Law at which he was awarded the degree of "Doctor of Laws and Logic" in recognition of excellent scholarship for his book *The Law of the Lord: The Common Law* (1928)



Dr. William Pascoe Goard F.R.G.S

In 1936 a Faculty of the College at Harrow Weald inaugurated a Correspondence Course for the benefit of those unable to attend College lectures. Although the College buildings were commandeered by the British Government for use by the RAF after the outbreak of war, the Correspondence Course, which had proved such a popular adjunct, continued to expand considerably, and students enrolled from Cornwall to the Orkneys; from Newfoundland to British Columbia; from New York to Venezuela; Australia and New Zealand; Africa from the Cape to Kenya; and from many other countries.

Students included men and women from almost every walk of life. That correspondence course has formed the basis for our revised Distance Learning Programme operating from our headquarters in Bishop Auckland.



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The Programme

This Distance Learning Programme can be useful to anyone from any background who is interested in studying the Bible, its origin, covenants, prophecies, Gospels and Epistles.

The modules are clearly and simply written with a particular emphasis on God's purpose and destiny for the Israel peoples.

Other than basic literacy, there are no prerequisites for enrolling on the course.

The Programme Content

The programme comprises four modules:

- 1. ORIGIN, CONTENT AND CHRONOLOGY OF THE BIBLE (this is a mandatory unit for all participants in the course)
- 2. OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT CRITICISM
- 3. PROPHECY IN OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS
- 4. ESTABLISHING THE IDENTITY OF ISRAEL, JEWS AND GENTILES

A certificate of achievement is awarded at the completion of each of the four modules.

Procedure

Short answer questions based on the studies are incorporated into each unit. Successive units of a module will be forwarded on receipt of responses to the questions set for the previous unit.

Time Required for Lessons

Some units, particularly those on Prophecy, require longer study than others, but an average of two hours per unit is anticipated.

Fees

A registration fee of £35 (GBP) or \$55(US) is required for any or all of the modules.

Text Books

In some cases suitable books are suggested in the unit material. The essential books for all modules are:

The Holy Bible (The Authorised Version is recommended)

A Bible Concordance (Strong's, Young's or Cruden's are recommended)

A Bible Dictionary (The New Bible Dictionary – Intervarsity Press, The Zondervan Bible Dictionary, The Illustrated Bible Dictionary are recommended)

Enrolment

Enrolment on the course can be at any time and for any or all of the modules.

Note: because of its foundational nature, Module 1 is mandatory before participating in any of the other modules.

An enrolment form is obtainable from:

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ORIGIN, CONTENT AND CHRONOLOGY OF THE BIBLE

Units

- 1.1 Bible Origins and Translations
- 1.2 Creation
- 1.3 Judgment and Promise of Redemption
- 1.4 Israel from Egypt to Canaan
- 1.5 Classifying the Old Testament Books
- 1.6 The Divided Kingdom and Captivities
- 1.7 The Prophets
- 1.8 The Gospels
- 1.9 The Acts of The Apostles
- 1.10 The Epistles and Revelation

OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT CRITICISM

Units

2.1	Higher	and	Lower	Criticism

- 2.2 Transmission of the Bible text
- 2.3 Reviewing Criticism
- 2.4 The Creation Story
- 2.5 Authorship of the Pentateuch
- 2.6 Biblical History and the Prophets
- 2.7 The Book of Daniel
- 2.8 The Apocrypha, Israel, Judah and the Jews
- 2.9 Spiritualising the Scriptures
- 2.10 The New Covenant

PROPHECY IN OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS

Units

3.1	The Training and Function of the Prophets
3.2	Rules for the Study of Prophecy
3.3	The Design and Purpose of Prophecy
3.4	Prophecy in the Pentateuch
3.5	The Major and Minor Prophets
3.6	Application of the Rules for the Study of Prophecy
3.7	Prophets and Prophecy in the Gospels
3.8	Prophets and Prophecy in the Acts and Epistles
3.9	Prophets and Prophecy in the Epistles (cont.)
3 10	The Book of Revelation

ESTABLISHING THE IDENTITY OF ISRAEL, JEWS AND GENTILES

Units

4.1	The Division of Israel and Judah
4.2	Links between Britain and Israel
4.3	Identity Evidence
4.4	The Ancient Britons and the Druids
4.5	The Anglo-Saxons
4.6	Race and Language
4.7	Old Testament Prophecies regarding Israel's Future
4.8	Old Testament Prophecies regarding Israel's Future (cont.)

New Testament Prophecies regarding Israel's

4.10 The Early British Church and the National Faith

4.9

Future

