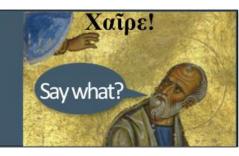
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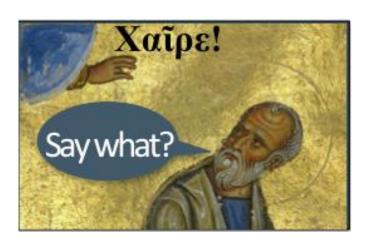


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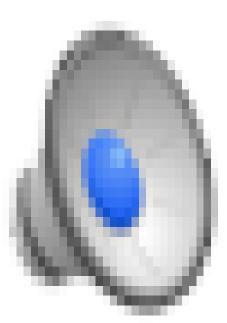
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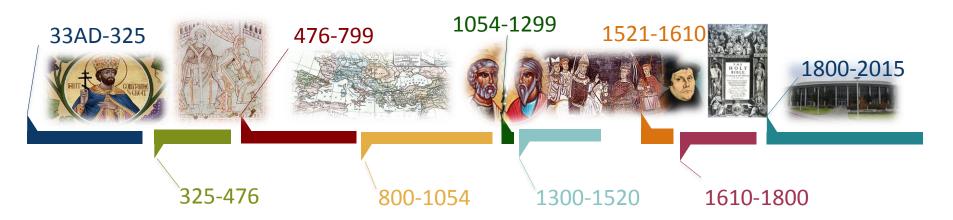
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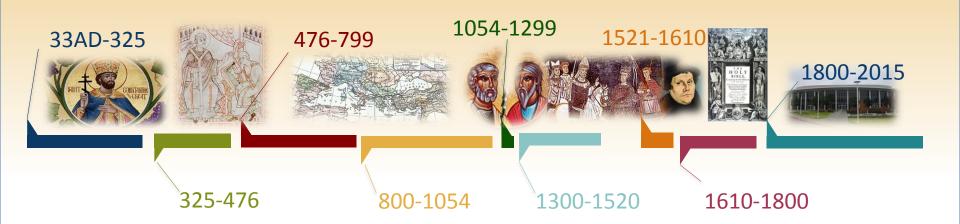


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### CHURCH HIS ORY

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#### Need your thoughts, please

Andy Birchfield

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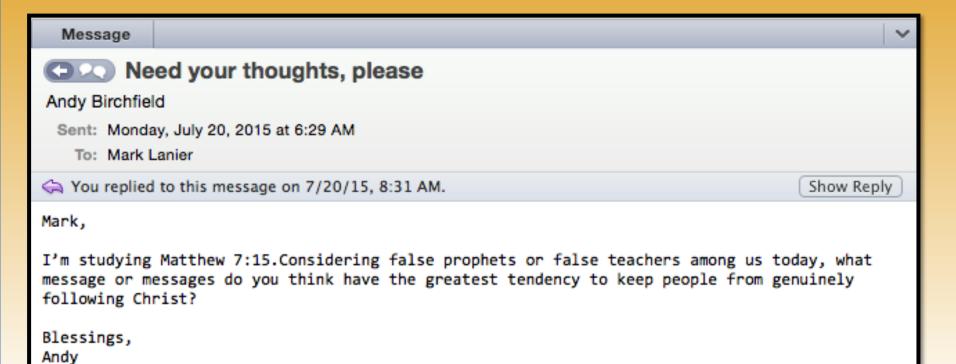
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Mark,

I'm studying Matthew 7:15.Considering false prophets or false teachers among us today, what message or messages do you think have the greatest tendency to keep people from genuinely following Christ?

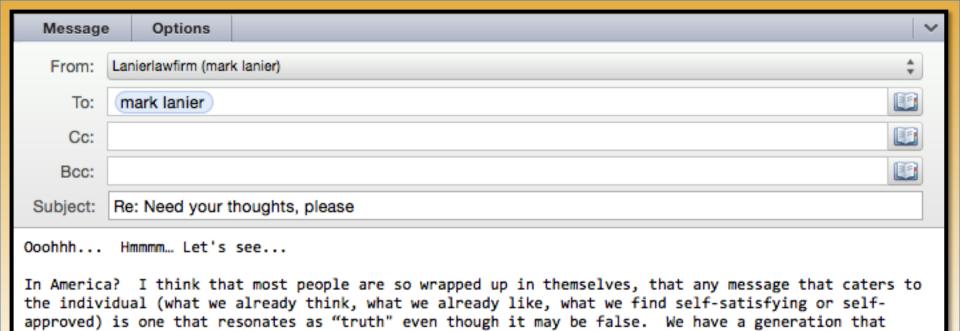
Blessings, Andy



Matt. 7:15 "Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing but inwardly are

kravenous wolves. 16 You will recognize them by

Μatthew 7:1 Προσέχετε δὲ ἀπὸ τῶν ψευδοπροφητων, οιτινες ἔρχονται πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἐν ἐνδύμασιν προβάτων, ἔσωθεν δέ εἰσιν λύκοι ἄρπαγες. <sup>16</sup> ἀπὸ τῶν καρπῶν αὐτῶν ἐπιγνώσεσθε αὐτούς μήτι συλλέγουσιν ἀπὸ ἀνανοβάν σου δε καροπολένουσιν ἀπὸ



Scripture.

This is truly "sheep's clothing." It's what folks want!

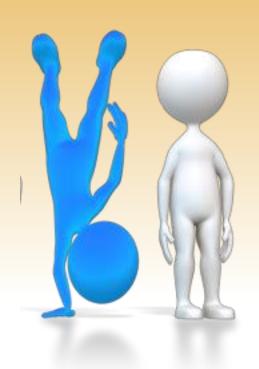
BTW, the word "Beware" ("prosechete" - pronounced "prose- eck- a tay") means "Pay attention to!" It's an imperative telling folks to "Look at carefully!" You can see the wolf in sheep's clothing, but you need to be alert and looking carefully!

measures truth by their own experience and feeling, rather than an objective measuring rod like

That's my immediate thought, for what it's worth!







Islam and
Christianity are
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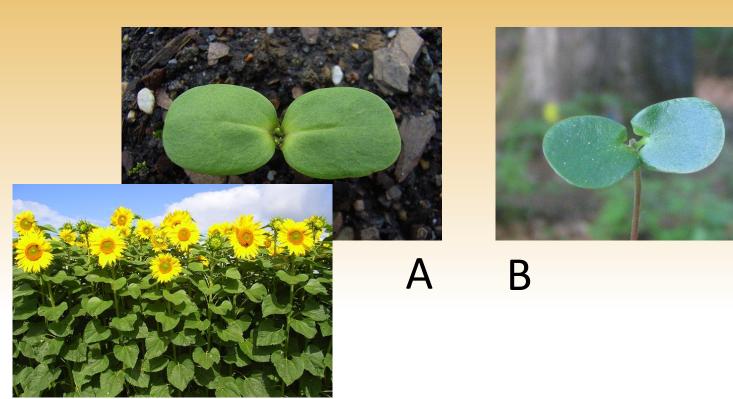




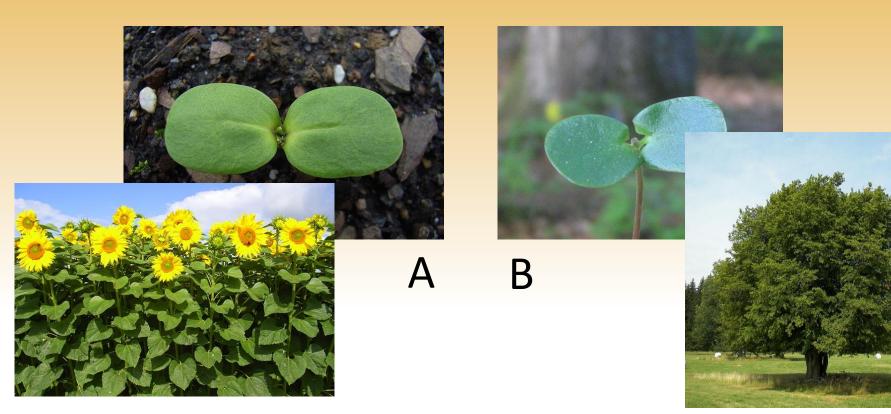


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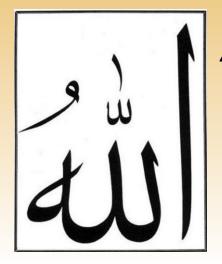












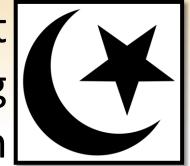
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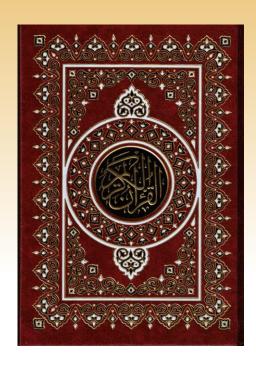
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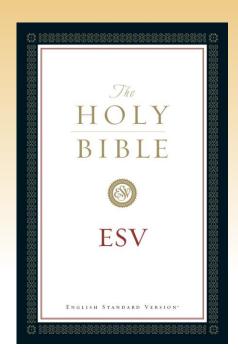


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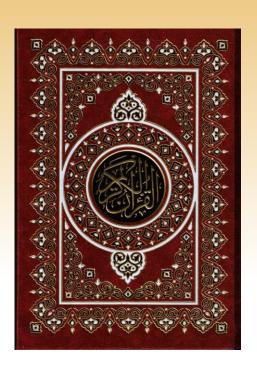
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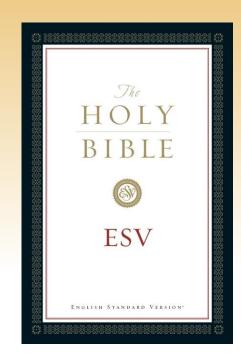


"The revelation of the Book, in which there is no doubt, from the Lord of the universe. Do they perchance say, 'He made it up'? No, this is the truth from your Lord" (32:2-3)



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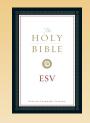
"All scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work " (2 Tim. 3:16-17)







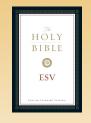








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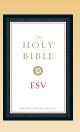
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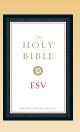
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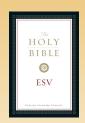


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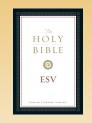


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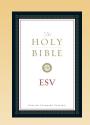




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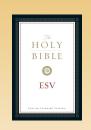


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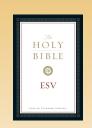




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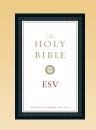




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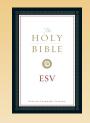
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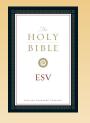




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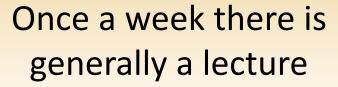
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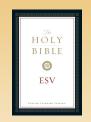


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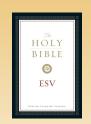


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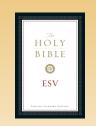
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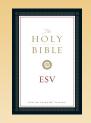
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- Communion
- Tithing



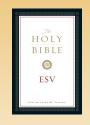








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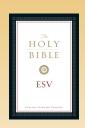






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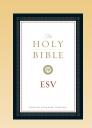






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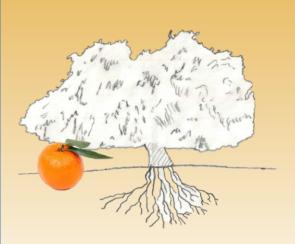
Holiness is more than a list of do's and don'ts.

It made possible by the Holy Spirit and is the calling of all believers



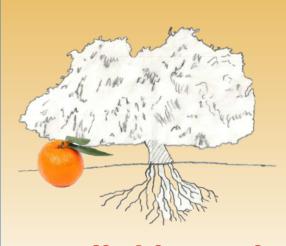
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### Lots more could be said but...



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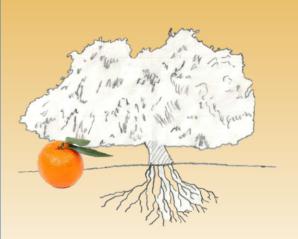
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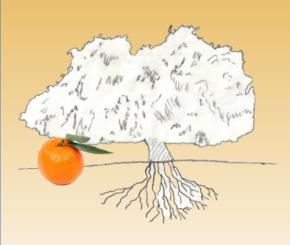
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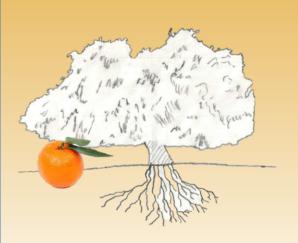
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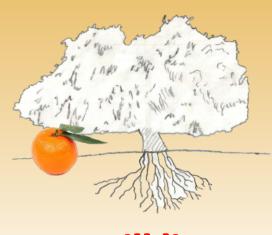
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### Committing the Word of God to memory in 2015

# Next week: 1 John 1:1-3:19 (English Standard Version)