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- Preach the Gospel
- In all the World
- Every Creature (NKJ) – Whole Creation (ASV)

The Gospel of Christ

- Paul's Obedience:
- *So, as much as is in me, I am ready to preach **the gospel** to you who are in Rome also. 16 For I am not ashamed of **the gospel** of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. 17 For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, "The just shall live by faith." Rom 1:15-17*

The Gospel: Power to Save

- I am ready to preach *the gospel* to you
- I am not ashamed of *the gospel* of Christ
- It(*the gospel*) is the *God's power to save*
- for *everyone* who *believes* in it (*the gospel*)
- God revealed He makes us righteous by faith in *the gospel*.

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- I declare(make known to you) the **gospel**.
- **Which I preached** to you
- **Which you received**
- In **which you stand**
- By **which you are saved**
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- *For **I delivered** to you **first of all** that **which I also received**: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, 4 and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared to... 1Cor. 15:3-4*
- **Christ died for our sins** according to Scripture
- **He was buried,**
- **He rose again the third day** according to Scripture
- And that He appeared to Cephas then to the twelve. To more than five hundred brethren at one time, then He to James, then to all the apostles; last of all, to me also.

The First “Gospel” Sermon

- *Jesus of Nazareth a man approved of God by mighty works wonders and signs God did.. You Know* 22
- *You killed him. Historical Fact* 23
- *God raised him* 24
- *Prophecy ... David said* 25-31
- *We (the twelve) are witnesses* 32
- *He is at right hand of God* 33
- *God poured out what you see and hear* 33
- *Prophecy ... David said* 34-35
- *God has made Him both Lord and Christ* 36
- *Pricked in heart: What should we do?* 37
- *Repent and be baptized for remission of sins* 38
- *Those who received his word gladly baptized* 40

The Gospel Preached by Me

- *But I make known to you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. 12 For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. Gal 1:11-12*

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The Fulness of the Gospel

- *I marvel that you are turning away so soon from Him who called you in the grace of Christ, to **a different gospel, 7 which is not another**; but there are some who trouble you and want to **pervert the gospel of Christ**. 8 But even if we, or an angel from heaven, preach **any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you**, let him be accursed. 9 As we have said before, so now I say again, if anyone preaches **any other gospel to you than what you have received**, let him be accursed. Gal. 1:6-9*
- Not Turn from Christ ... Just from His Authority

A Different Gospel

- *But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. 4 For if he who comes preaches **another Jesus** whom we have not preached, or if you receive **a different spirit** which you have not received, or **a different gospel** which you have not accepted — you may well put up with it! 2 Cor 11:3-4*
- They still called Jesus Lord.
- Just wouldn't fully submit to all His commands

The Exclusive Nature of the Gospel

- *Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, “If you abide in My word, you are Truly My disciples. 32 And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.” Jn. 8:31-32*
- *“Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. 22 On that day many will say to me, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and cast out demons in your name, and do many mighty works in your name?’ 23 And then will I declare to them, ‘I never knew you; depart from me, you workers of lawlessness.’ Mt. 7:21-23*

The Exclusive Nature of the Gospel

- *Everyone who goes on ahead and does not abide in the teaching of Christ, does not have God. Whoever abides in the teaching has both the Father and the Son. 10 If anyone comes to you and does not bring this teaching, do not receive him into your house or give him any greeting, 11 for whoever greets him takes part in his wicked works. 2 John 9-11*

Obeying The Gospel

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- Just How Important are these two commands?
- Many today proclaim that baptism is not important and unnecessary to obey the gospel.

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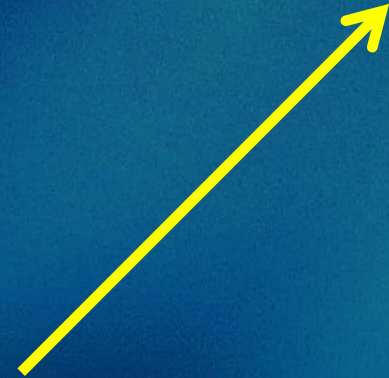
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Obeying the Gospel Paul Preached

• *Or do you not know that as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? 4 Therefore we were **buried with Him** through baptism into death, that **just as Christ was raised from the dead** by the glory of the Father, even so **we also should walk in newness of life**. 5 For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection, 6 knowing this, that our old man was **crucified with Him**, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. Rom 6:3-7*

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Have We Obeyed that Gospel?

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Sadly Many Today are putting up with it.

They have been deceived by Satan to accept a different gospel and a different Jesus than the one revealed in Scripture.