



WHAT IS BIBLICAL ASTRONOMY?

LESSON 1

Why do Christians study astronomy? Because God has invited us to do it! Studying astronomy is an amazing way to learn more about God and His creation. This course will help you gain a greater understanding of and appreciation for what God has placed in the sky.

I. What is the purpose of Experience Astronomy?

- A. The main goal of this course is to get you used to the sky. In this class, we are focusing on _____.
- B. The core focus will be on what you can observe in the sky with the _____ (not using a telescope).






II. How will each class work?

- A. Each class will have a _____ to watch, a _____ to take, and an _____ homework assignment.
- B. For the outdoor assignments, follow the instructions in your course Field Guide. You will be required to get outside at specific _____ in order to complete the assignments correctly.

III. Why did God create the sun, moon, and stars?

A. The Bible tells us about God's creation of the universe in the first chapter of the book of _____.

B. God created the sun, moon, and stars for very practical reasons:

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IV. What is the difference between astronomy and astrology?

A. Astrology says the motions and positions of the heavenly bodies _____
_____. Some people use astrology to _____. Astrology is
largely _____.

B. In contrast, astronomy is a real _____ science. Astronomy is practical.

V. Why is it great to study astronomy?

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