

Ashamed of the Gospel

When the Church Becomes Like the World

Lesson #12 “Spiritual Adultery”

Read chapter Twelve and answer the following questions from pages 219-232.

Hebrews 4:12 For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

- 1) What brought about the results of the “Emerging Church”?
- 2) The _____ redefinition of _____ and renaming of everything mirrors secular postmodernism’s _____ with language and _____.”
- 3) What are the two significant effects on language that deconstruction has had?
- 4) Why does the Emerging Church strongly defend profanity?
- 5) What happens to a person when they give up on the idea of certainty?
- 6) What doctrines does the Emerging Church focus on to attack?

- 7) What is the difference between Absolute versus Authentic?

- 8) What are the results of endless deconstruction of Christian doctrines?

- 9) What's wrong with the pastor of the largest user-friendly church denial of failure of their strategy?

- 10) "The Emerging Conversation may _____ and diffuse, but its _____ within evangelical Christianity will _____ be _____."

- 11) What is the author's great concern regarding the break of the Emerging Church?

- 12) How can Christian leaders fight off the slippery-slope that leads the church on the down grade?