

The Gospel Call & True Conversion

Recovering the Gospel

Lesson #12: “The Christian’s Sure Knowledge of God”

□ Read Chapter **Thirteen** and answer the following questions from pages 139-147.

2 Corinthians 4:6 “For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.”

1. What is the distinctive mark of unregenerate people regarding the knowledge of God?
2. What was a common experience every prophet had to deal with in ministering?
3. What was the cause of the lack of knowledge of the one true God?
4. To receive and understand the great spiritual realities what must happen first?
5. What is the core of the New Covenant promise?
6. Why is the true knowledge of God not natural?
7. What is the source and cause of the light in **2 Corinthians 4:6**?

8. What does **1 John 5:20** teach us regarding our lesson?
9. “This does ____ - ____ mean that Christians have no _____ of godly teachers. The Scriptures are _____ that God has _____ gifted teachers to the church to _____ the saints and _____ up the body of Christ.”
10. What means does God use to teach His people throughout their Christian life?
11. What has God done to make a new people for Himself?
12. “They are a people who have _____ to understand something of the great _____ that ought to _____ their lives, such as _____ God is, what they _____, what God has _____ for them, and _____ they should _____ before Him.”
13. What is one of the distinguishing marks of a true church?
14. What two marks are true of every Christian from **John 10:27**?

Quote: “One of the distinguishing characteristics of the true Christian individually and the invisible church collectively is their knowledge of God and their response to it.”

Quote: “Although all Christians stand in need of discipleship, and the work of sanctification is never fully accomplished in this life, there will be a notable difference in the true Christian’s knowledge of God and his submission to that knowledge.”