- Purposes: (1) To study the doctrine of salvation including different theological viewpoints and problem areas with respect to various aspects of the doctrine, and to become acquainted with some of the vast literature in this area. (10 weeks)
  - (2) To study the philosophy and methodology of presenting the Gospel to non-Christians. (5 weeks) (Taught by the Practical Theology department and not included in this part of the syllabus)

#### Requirements:

- (1) Reading of Chafer, Systematic Theology, Vol. III, except pp. 225-266.
- (2) Leon Morris, The Apostolic Preaching of the Cross should be read carefully before the first exam. Omit pp. 61-124.
- (3) J.I.Packer, Evangelism and the Sovereignty of God should be read by the second exam.

(4) The first exam will be held Oct. 1, and the second, Nov. 7.

#### Outline:

- 1. I. Importance of this study
  - II. Tenses of Savlation
  - III. Motives for Savlation
  - IV. Need for Salvation -- Total Depravity
- 2. The Incarnation of Christ
  - I. Its Purposes
  - II. Its Means
  - III. Its Result
  - IV. The Heresies
- 3. The Life and Ministry of Christ
  - I. The Offices of Christ--Prophet, Priest, Potentate
  - II. The Life Sufferings of Christ
  - III. The Passion of Christ Events of Holy Week, Day of Crucifixion
    - IV. The Practical Point
- Accomplishments of the Death of Christ
- thru I. Substitution

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- A. The Exegetical Basis for Substitution
  - B. The Areas of Substitution
  - C. The Liberal Understanding
  - II. Redemption
    - A. The Word Studies Involved
    - B. The Doctrine
  - III. Reconciliation
    - A. The Biblical Terinology
    - B. The Concept

#### IV. Propitiation

- A. The Wrath of God
- B. The N.T. Teaching (basis, extent, problem)
- C. Summary

#### V. Justification

- A. The Problem in Justification
- B. The Proceedure in Justification
- C. The Practicality of Justification

#### VI. The End of the Law

- A. The Unity of the Law
- B. The People of the Law
- C. The End of the Law
- D. The Use and Misuse of the Law Today

## VII. Judgment of the Sin Nature

- A. The Purpose
- B. The Provision
- C. The Plan

## VIII.Ground for the Believer's Forgiveness

- A. The Charge
- B. The Confession
- C. The Cleansing

# IX. Other Accomplishments

Adoption, Sanctification, Pre-cross sins, Future Salvation of Israel.

- 9. Exam
- 10. Free
- 11. Types and Theories of the Atonement
  - I. Some Important Types
  - II. Some False Theories
  - III. The Modern Smorgasbord
- 12. The Doctrine of Election
- and I. The Nature of Election
- 13. A. The Biblical Terminology
  - - B. The Characteristics of the Concept

## II. The Problems in Election

- A. What's going to be is going to be
- B. God is the author of sin
- C. Man is not responsible because he is not free

#### 14. The Extent of the Atonement

- I. The Issue
- II. The Question
- III. Some Guidelines
  - IV. Scriptures supporting a limited concept
    - V. Scriptures supporting an unlimited concept

| 15. | The Work of God   | in | Salvation    |
|-----|-------------------|----|--------------|
|     | I. The Doctrine   | of | Calling      |
|     | II. The Doctrine  | of | Conviction   |
|     | III. The Doctrine | of | Regeneration |

- 16. Some Benefits of Salvation
  Bring Chafer, Vol. III to discuss pages 225-266
- 17. The Doctrine of Perseverance
  and See Robert Gromacki, Salvation is Forever (Moody, 1973) and
  18. Robert Shank, Life in the Son (Westcott, 1961) (reviewed by A.J.
  McClain in the Grace Journal, Fall, 1960).
  - I. The Teachings of Arminius
  - II. Some Problem Passages Rev. 22:19; 1 Cor. 9:27; John 15:6; Heb. 6:4-6
  - III. The Intercession of Christ
  - IV. The Works of the H.S.
  - V. The Relation between Security and Assurance
- 19. The Terms of Salvationand I. The True Concept of Faith20. A. Kinds of faith
  - B. Elements of Faith
  - C. Object of Faith
  - D. Relation of faith to repentance
  - II. False Additions to Faith
    - A. Baptism. Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16.
    - B. Prayer Formulas
    - C. Surrender or Lordship
      - 1. The Issue
      - 2. The Meaning of Lord
      - 3. The Meaning of Disciple
      - 4. Some Examples
      - 5. Is It Easy to Believe?