



Christianity vs. the World
“Mormonism – Another Gospel”
Galatians 1:6-9
July 20, 2014

There is No Other Gospel (6-7)

Beware of Other Gospels (7-9)

Mormon view of Revelation - believe the Bible (the KJV only), but do not consider it inerrant.

Pro. 30:5a-6 Every word of God proves true; ... 6 Do not add to his words, lest he rebuke you and you be found a liar.

Rev. 22:18-19 18 I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues described in this book, 19 and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.

Mormon view of man and God- man-centered. According to Mormon theology, men and women are the spirit sons and daughters of God.

Mormon view of Christ - “The appointment of Jesus to be the Savior of the world was contested by one of the other sons of God. He was called Lucifer, son of the morning...This spirit-brother of Jesus desperately tried to become the Savior of mankind.”

Mormon view of Salvation - not about escaping wrath as much as it is about maximizing our growth and insuring our happiness.

This is a cult: “ A ‘cult’ is any religious movement that claims to be derived from the Bible and/or the Christian faith, and that advocates beliefs that differ so significantly with major Christian doctrines that two consequences follow: (1) The movement cannot legitimately be considered a valid “Christian” denomination because of its serious deviation from historic Christian orthodoxy. (2) Believing the doctrines of the movement is incompatible with trusting in the Jesus Christ of the Bible for the salvation that comes by God’s grace alone (Eph. 2:8-9). ESV Study Bible [p. 2631].

Food For Thought: Mormonism like other religions, teach a works oriented salvation, relying on “another” or different gospel and Jesus, in order to substantiate their claims which condemns those that believe that false gospel.

1. What foundational error do the Mormons commit in the origin of their false doctrines? *Sola* _____

2. What kind of “gospel” was being preached by those who Paul contends had led the Galatians astray?

3. What does Paul say will happen to anyone who promotes and teaches a gospel other than that which Paul preached (vv. 8-9)?

**Bible Text
Galatians 1:6-9**

6 I am astonished that you are so quickly deserting him who called you in the grace of Christ and are turning to a different gospel— 7 not that there is another one, but there are some who trouble you and want to distort the gospel of Christ. 8 But even if we or an angel from heaven should preach to you a gospel contrary to the one we preached to you, let him be accursed. 9 As we have said before, so now I say again: If anyone is preaching to you a gospel contrary to the one you received, let him be accursed.

Summer at C.C.C Continues!

Mark Your Calendar: C.C.C. Bible Teacher Training on Saturday, August 9, from 930 A.M. - 12 noon.

Next Sunday: The Lord's Supper and Love Feast, as the summer at C.C.C Continues with *Christianity vs. the World- Jehovah's Witness*: next Sunday, July 27, we'll observe the Lord's table followed by a pot-luck Love Feast and fellowship meal immediately after the worship service.

Next week's message will deal with the differences and issues between Biblical Christianity and one of the largest and most notable "cults" in our nation. Invite your friends and family to the service and the rest of the 'Summer at CCC' series, *Christianity vs. the World*, in your quest to make disciples, as well as to mature and multiply yourself as you strengthen your faith.

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Have your Friends and Family Ever Wondered:

- ***What is the difference between Christianity and Jehovah's Witnesses? Mormonism? Islam? Catholicism? Judaism? Why does it matter?***

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July 27 - Christianity vs Jehovah's Witnesses

C.C.C. Media Ministry: if you missed a recent message and would like to catch-up or would like to download them to your MP3 player, you can access our most recent inventory at <http://www.sermonaudio.com/christcommchurch>. **Our sermons are now available in Spanish on this site.**



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Pastor Bernie's weekly "My Captive Thought" blog is available on-line at <http://mycaptiveThought.wordpress.com/>.

Christ Community Church Web Page

Please be sure to visit our recently updated web page!

Robert Dominguez has done a fantastic job improving the web page!

Lots of information and quick links to selected sermons in English and Spanish. Links to our Facebook page, sermon audio page, and Pastor Bernie's Blog. Be sure to check out the Announcements to keep up with our current series and what's next!

Our Mission: Christ Community Church exists to worship God, fellowship in community and build the body of Christ by making disciples, baptizing them and teaching them until the Lord Jesus Christ returns (Acts 2:42-47, Mt. 28:18-20, Eph. 4:11-16).

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And they continued steadfastly in the apostles doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread and prayers. – Acts 2:42 (NKJV)