APOLOGETICS 2 (Defending Your Faith to Win Souls Not Arguments) Syllabus (Online Course)

1. Course Objectives:

The purpose of this course is twofold: It will help the student defend their faith to win souls, not arguments. It will also help them hold fast to the Word of God in a culture that is departing from the Word and is now attacking it. The knowledge gained from this class will build on what you learned from Apologetics Part 1 and will assist you in applying biblical truths to answer common questions in today's crazy culture. **Note: It is not required that you attend Apologetics 1 prior to taking this class.**

2. Course outline:

- I. Introduction to Apologetics: What is it and why do it?
 - A. Two Main Purposes
 - B. Seven Answers for Apologetics
- II. The Evolution Solution!
 - A. Big Bang or Big Bust: Nineteen Bust Barometers
 - Questions for Evolutionists
 - Adaptation vs. Evolution: Eleven Adaptation Assets
 - Man's Dominion: Eight Dominion Dynamics
 - Law of Probabilities REFUTES Evolution: Four Probability Pointers
 - Irreducible Complexity: Six Complexity Concepts
- III. What Does the Bible Say About Homosexuality?
 - A. Six Homosexuality Horizons
 - Jesus did not practice affirmative inclusion: Seven Grace Guarantees
 - The Bible & Homosexuality: Nine Biblical Thoughts
- IV. Is the God of the Old Covenant a Moral Monster?
 - A. Eight God Guarantees
 - Israelites vs. Canaanites: Three Canaanite Concepts
 - Slavery: Seven Slavery Statements
 - Women: Nine Women Wonders

3. Required Textbooks

This course is designed from Pastor Jim's curriculum and requires no textbook.

4. Tests & Quizzes

Knowledge checks – 0 points Quiz - 20 points Final - 40 points

5. The student's grade is computed as follows:

Final - 40 points Quiz - 20 points Homework - 70 points = 130 TOTAL POINTS

The grading scale will be as follows:

130 - 117 = A 116 - 104 = B 103 - 91 = C 90 - 78 = D77 & below = F

If the student is 5 points away from the higher grade on the above scale, he will receive a plus. Example: 112 = B+

In addition, if the student is 2 points away from the higher grade, he may receive the higher grade (depending on student homework). Example: 115 could = A

Note: Although the knowledge checks following each lesson are not graded, they may be considered in the determination on whether a student will receive the higher grade.

Homework & Tests

- 1. Once homework is assigned, you will not be able to proceed to the next video teaching session until the assignment has been submitted for approval. Students will receive a confirmation email when homework is submitted, as well as another email when it has been approved. Note: If auditing the class, simply type "Auditing" and submit the assignment in order to proceed to the next lesson.
- 2. Homework assignments are generally worth 10 points. Once the WCBI Team approves an assignment, you will be able to see your score in your student account by clicking on "My Progress." When auditing, no points will be awarded.

* All tests, quizzes and homework are based on Pastor Jim's curriculum and the Bible. What is emphasized in class as important is "fair game" on any test or quiz.

* At WCBI your grade is important (Prov. 22:29), however our major emphasis is on <u>scriptural application</u> to the student's life (James 1:22)! Homework, quizzes and tests are designed with this in mind. (When studying please keep this in mind!)

3. Students who successfully complete the course, including all homework assignments and tests with a final minimum course grade of 70% will receive a Course Completion Grade Report from World Changers Bible Institute. **Audited courses will not count towards graduation requirements.**