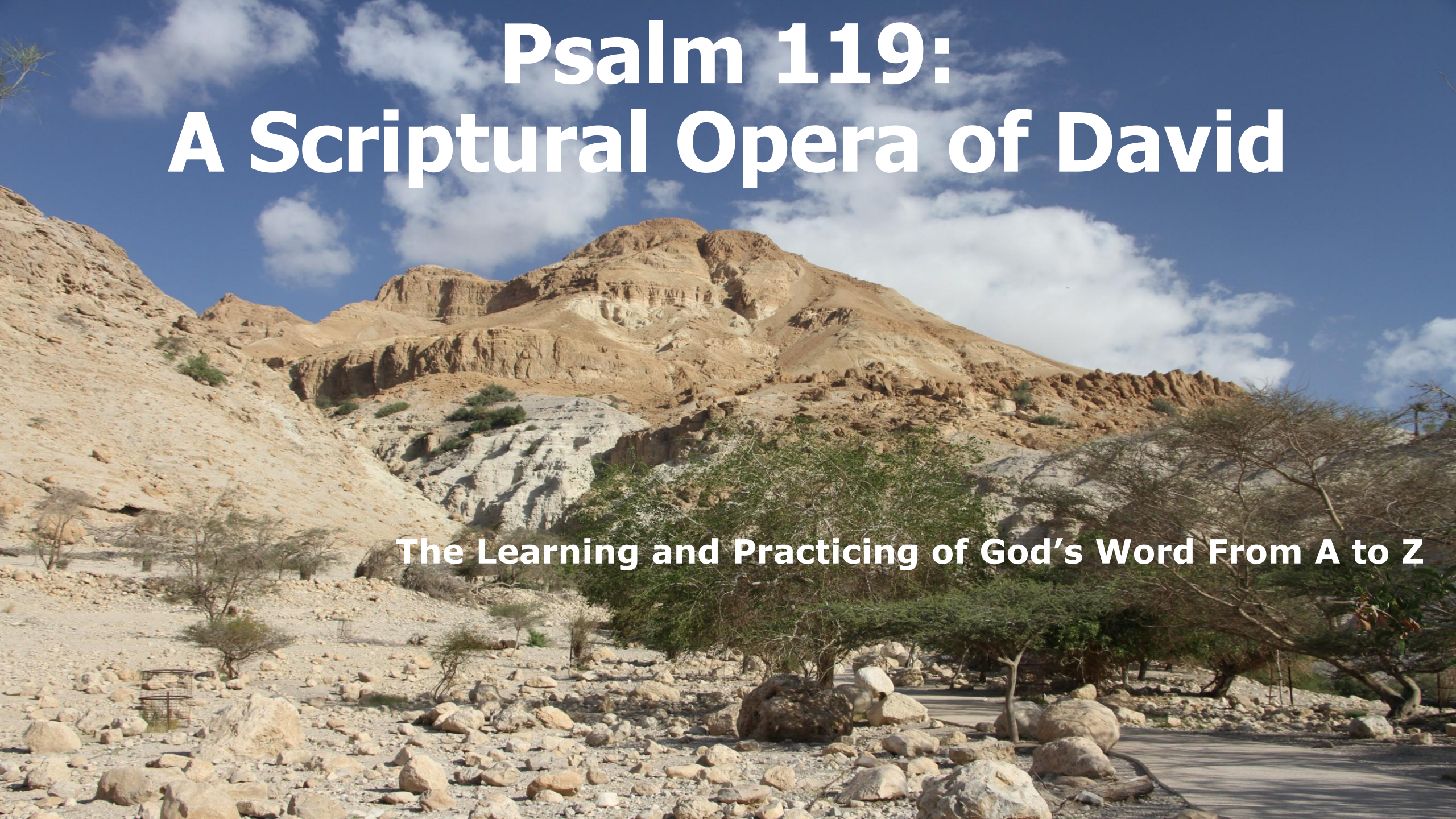


Psalm 119: A Scriptural Opera of David

The Learning and Practicing of God's Word From A to Z



“Aleph – How Blessed ... are those Walk in the Torah Law ... (119:1-8).”

“Aleph. How blessed are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the (Torah**) Law of the YHWH. How blessed are those who observe His testimonies (**historical markers/tabernacle**), Who seek Him with all their heart. They also do no unrighteousness; They walk in His ways. You have ordained Your precepts (principles), that we should keep them diligently. Oh, that my ways may be established to keep Your statutes (allotment, prescribed portion, prescription). Then I shall not be ashamed when I look upon all Your commandments. I shall give thanks to You with uprightness of heart, when I learn Your righteous (mishpat, discernment) judgments. I shall keep Your statutes; Do not forsake me utterly!”**

“Beth – ‘In What’ or “In How is a Young Man Keep Pure? By Keeping it according to Your Word ... (Psalm 119:9-16).”

“How can a young man keep his way pure? By keeping it according to Your word. With all my heart I have sought You; Do not let me wander from Your commandments. Your word I have treasured in my heart, that I may not sin against You. Blessed are You, O YHWH; Teach me Your statutes. With my lips I have told of all the ordinances of Your mouth. I have rejoiced in the way of Your testimonies, as much as in all riches. I will meditate on Your precepts and regard Your ways. I shall delight in Your statutes; I shall not forget Your word.”

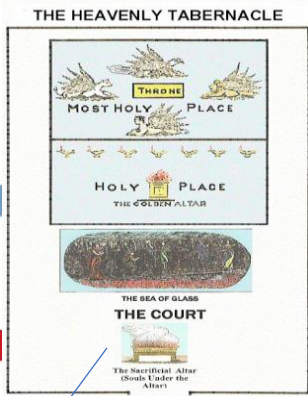
1 Chronicles 29:18-20 – David's Dedicatory Prayer to Build the Temple before His Death



“O YHWH, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, our fathers, preserve this forever in the intentions of the heart of Your people, and direct their heart to You; and give to my son Solomon a perfect heart to keep Your commandments, Your testimonies and Your statutes, and to do all, and to build the temple, for which I have made provision.’ Then David said to all the assembly, ‘Now bless the YHWH your God.’ And all the assembly blessed the YHWH, the God of their fathers, and bowed low and did homage to the YHWH and to the king.”

Promises Made

Promises Fulfilled



Land of Israel
Covenant
Deut 30

Abrahamic
Covenant
Gen 12

Mosaic
Covenant
Exod 20, Gal 3

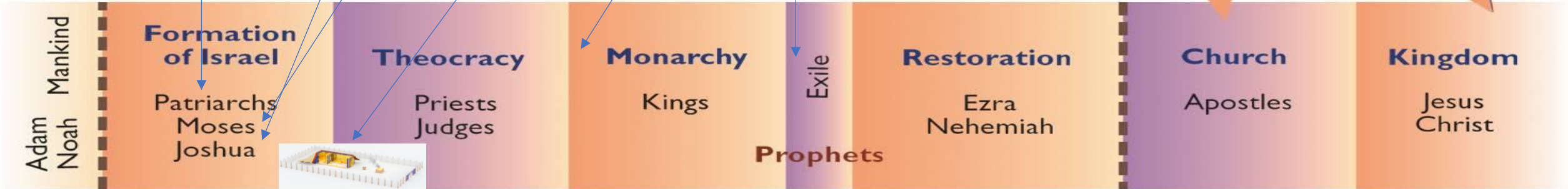
Davidic
Covenant
2 Sam 7

New
Covenant
Jer 31



The Biblical Covenants

Fallen World in Adam



Old Testament

New Testament

The Strong Resemblance between Psalm 19:7-10 and Psalm 119 Suggests David is the Author of Both

“The (Torah) Law of the YHWH is perfect, restoring the soul (119:1); The testimony of the YHWH is sure, making wise the simple (119:88, 99, 130). The precepts of the YHWH are right, rejoicing the heart (119:111); The commandment of the YHWH is pure, enlightening the eyes (119:105, 18) . The fear of the YHWH is clean, enduring forever (119:38); The judgments of the YHWH are true; they are righteous altogether (119:75, 144). They are more desirable than gold, yes, than much fine gold (119:27); Sweeter also than honey and the drippings of the honeycomb (119:103).”

- “**Gimel** – Deal Graciously with Your servant that I may keep Your Word ... (Psalm 119:17-24).”
- “**Daleth** – Cleaves to the Dust is my Soul, revive me according to Your Word ... (Psalm 119:25-32).”
- “**He** – Teach me, O YHWH, the way of Your statutes, and I shall observe it to the end ... (Psalm 119:33-40).”
- “**Vav** – Let come Your (chesed) **lovingkindnesses** also come to me, O YHWH, Your salvation according to Your word ... (Psalm 119:41-48).”
- “**Zayin** – Remember the Word to Your servant, in which You have made me **hope** ... (Psalm 119:49-56).”
- “**Heth** – **My Portion** is the **YHWH**; I have promised to keep Your words ... (Psalm 119:57-64).”
- “**Teth** – **Good** You have dealt with Your servant, O YHWH, according to Your Word ... (Psalm 119:65-72).”

“Revive me according to **Your lovingkindness, So that I may keep the **testimony** of **Your mouth** (Psalm 119:88).”**

- **Psalm 136:1 – Thankful for the goodness & eternal grace of God.**
- **Psalm 136:2 – Thankful for Absolute Deity of God & His Eternal Grace.**
- **Psalm 136:3 – Thankful for God’s Absolute Lordship & His Eternal Grace.**
- **Psalm 136:4 – Thankful for God’s great wonders & His Eternal Grace.**
- **Psalm 136:5-9 – Thankful for God’s Creative Architecture & His Eternal Grace**
- **Psalm 136:10-15 – Thankful for God’s Redemptive Power & Judgments during the Exodus & His Eternal Grace.**
- **Psalm 136:16 – Thankful for God’s Disciplinary Leading through the Wilderness & His Eternal Grace**
- **Psalm 136:17-22 – Thankful for God’s Victory in the Promised-Land & His Eternal Grace**
- **Psalm 136:23-26 – Thankful for God’s Provision through Thick and Thin & His Eternal Grace**

- “**Yod** – Your hands made me and fashioned me; Give me understanding, that I may learn Your commandments ... (Psalm 119:73-80).”
- “**Kaph** – Languished is my Soul for Your **salvation**; I wait for Your Word ... (Psalm 119:81-88).”
- “**Lamedh** – Forever, O YHWH, Your word is settled in heaven ... (Psalm 119:89-96).”
- “**Mem** – How I love Your (Torah) Law! It is my meditation all the day ... (Psalm 119:97-104).”
- “**Nun** – Lamp to my Feet is Your Word and a **Light** to my Path ... (Psalm 119:105-112).”
- “**Samekh** – The Double-Minded I Hate, but I Love your (Torah) Law ... (Psalm 119:113-120).”
- “**Pe** – Wonderful are Your Testimonies; Therefore, my Soul Observes them ... (Psalm 119:129-136).”

“Ayin – Done have I justice and righteousness; Do not leave me to my oppressors ... (Psalm 119:121-128).”

“Tsadhe – Righteous are You, O YHWH, and upright are Your judgments ... (Psalm 119:137-144).”

“Qoph – Cried I with all my heart; Answer me, O YHWH. I will observe Your statutes ... (Psalm 119:145-152).”

“Resh – See my affliction and rescue me, for I do not forget Your (Torah) Law ... (Psalm 119:153-160).”

“Shin – Princes persecute me without Cause, but my Heart stands in Awe of Your Words ... (Psalm 119:161-168).”

“Tav – Lament my let come before You, O YHWH; Give me understanding according to Your Word ... (Psalm 119:169-176).”

Psalm 119 was one of our Primary Themes in Ukraine



- Taught Psalm 119 and began a long series on the Life of the Messiah at the Regeneration Church in Kyiv.
- Taught Psalm 119 and Proverbs at a Bible Institute in Dnipro.
- Pastor Victor Munko finished teaching Psalm 119 at New Community Church in Irpin.
- Taught Life of Christ in photographs in Kyiv, Rivne, Lviv, Baryshvika, and Dnipro.
- Teaching Life of the Messiah Course in both Dnipro and Kyiv.
- Teaching through Revelation 1-3 in various churches in Rivne, Dnipro, Irpin, and Kyiv.
- Teaching the Miracles of Christ and Their Meaning in Baryshivka.
- Filling-in various churches when needed/asked.





Made Three Ministry Trips to Armenia +1 to Georgia



- Taught the book of Galatians, the Life of the Messiah, and New Testament Survey at International Baptist Bible College in Yerevan.

- Taught/teaching the Life of Christ in Photographs in Gyumri, Merkashatz, Yerevan, Nor Hachn, Ashtarak and Sweet Town in churches and various home Bible studies.

- Teaching through Revelation 1-3 in Yerevan and Merkashatz at a church and a home bible study.
- Published and Passing out "True Evangelism" by L.S. Chafer to a number of churches, church groups, and home Bible studies.

- Introduced Pastor Vasya Munko from Lviv Bible Church as a future teacher in Armenia.

- Taught Galatians 1-2 in a small church group in Kutaisi, Georgia that included a trip up into the nearby hills to teach at another small church group in Dilikauri.





Taught through the Life of Christ in Photographs, Psalm 136, and Revelation 1-3 in Auschwitz, Poland





Taught Pergamum Church and "What is the Apostasy" Seminar from 2 Thessalonians 2:3 in Suceava, Romania



Taught How Biblical Miracles are Connected to God's Coming Kingdom at the Oxford Hephzibah Apologetics Group



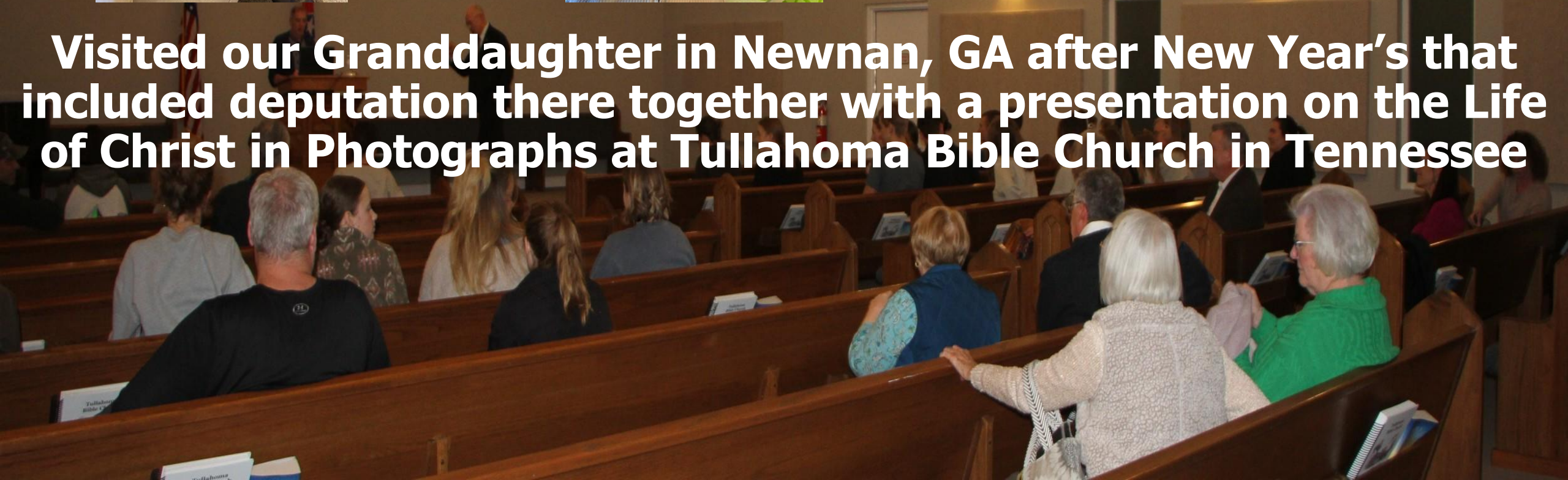
Taught Doubting Thomas from John 20:24-29 at Marlow Baptist Church

Had a Super Christmas Break Visiting New Testament Sites in both Greece and Turkey





Visited our Granddaughter in Newnan, GA after New Year's that included deputation there together with a presentation on the Life of Christ in Photographs at Tullahoma Bible Church in Tennessee



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“Those who follow after wickedness draw near; They are far from Your Torah. You are near, O YHWH, and all Your commandments are truth. Of old I have known from Your testimonies that You have founded them forever (Psalm 119:50-52).”