Deep Discipleship
Foundations Overview
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Theme: God's People Need **Deep Discipleship**

1. **Three Reasons** We Need Deep Discipleship:

    - Deep Discipleship Is **Necessary**

        - Because **Absolute Truth Exists**

        - Because **Love Requires Truth**

    - Deep Discipleship Is **Relevant**

        - Because **It Reveals the Real You**

        - Because **Everyone Is a Theologian**

FOUNDATIONS

- Deep Discipleship Is **Practical**
    - Because **Right Belief Informs Right Practice**
    - Because **We Become What We Worship**

2. **Three Foundations** for Deep Discipleship:
    - First Foundation: **Bible**
        - Know What God Said: **OT and NT Overview**
            - What God Spoke: **Content and Outlines**
            - How God Spoke: **Literary Genre**
            - Who God Spoke Through: **Authorship**
            - When God Spoke: **Date**
            - Where God Spoke: **Cultural Background**
            - Why God Spoke: **Theme and Unity**

- Know What God Meant: **Hermeneutics**
    - Principles of **Bible Study**
    - Principles of **Interpretation**

- Second Foundation: **Theology**
    - Know Who God Is: **Systematic Theology**
        - As Father: **Theology Proper**
        - As Son: **Christology**
        - As Spirit: **Pneumatology**
        - As Savior: **Soteriology**
        - As Revealer: **Bibliology**
        - As Creator: **Anthropology, Hamartiology, Angelology**
        - As Ruler: **Eschatology**

        - Know Who God Isn't: **False Theologies**
            - Heresies
            - Cults
            - World Religions
            - False Gospels
        - Know How God Acts: **Biblical Theology**
            - The Story of the Bible
            - The Theme of the Bible

    - Third Foundation: **History**
        - Know His Providence: **Church History**
        - Know His Faithfulness: **Christian Biography**
        - Know His Church: **Historical Theology**

Conclusion

- Our **Schedule**
- Our **Resources**
    - Notebook and Notes
    - Recommended Reading
    - Video and Audio Archives