



**Completion of the following classes will earn you a  
Diploma in Christian Counseling.**

**1. *Introduction to Christian Counseling I***

The purpose of this course is to introduce the student to the study of biblical counseling, with a clear look at the principles, and process of counseling. Attention will be given to addressing issues presented in counseling sessions from a biblical perspective. The intended outcome of the course is to understand the need for Christian counseling in the local church, and to minister with compassion as Christ did.

**2. *Introduction to Christian Counseling II***

The purpose of this course is to build upon the foundation established in Module I and provide advanced instruction in the basics of biblical counseling, the principles of biblical counseling, and process of biblical counseling. The intended outcome of the course is that each student will gain a deeper understand of the need for Christian counseling in the local church, and to become more capable at ministering with compassion as Christ did.

**3. *Marriage and Family Counseling I***

In this course, students investigate the critical dynamics or marriage and family counseling from a biblical-based and Christ-centered perspective. Attention is given to the roles of each person in a marriage and in the family to help each be aligned with Scripture; so as to gain victory over every threat to the unity desired in a home.

**4. *Marriage and Family Counseling II***

In this course, students continue to investigate the critical dynamics or marriage and family counseling from a biblical-based and Christ-centered perspective. Additional attention is given to the roles of each person in a marriage and in the family to help each be aligned with Scripture; so as to gain victory over every threat to the unity desired in a home.

**5. *Crisis Counseling I***

This course presents an overview of how to counsel and minister, from a biblical perspective, to those dealing with crises and traumas. Attention will be given to defining the difference between the two. Specific attention will be given to: (1) crisis intervention (2) interviewing and assessments techniques (3) dealing with loss and the importance of grieving (4) the crisis of suicide (5) dealing with depression.

**6. *Crisis Counseling II***

This course presents an overview of how to counsel and minister, from a biblical perspective, to those dealing with crises and traumas. Attention will be given to defining the difference between the two. Specific attention will be given to: (1) children and crises (2) adolescents and crises (3) crisis counseling and the minister (4) ministering to the church and community (5) caring for yourself as you minister to others during difficult times.

**7. *Bible Interpretation I (Hermeneutics I)***

This is a study of the art and science of the interpretation of the Bible. You will be given the skill and competence to properly interpret the various forms of Scripture. You will become better able to approach Bible grammar, context, ancient culture, literary types, dispensations and a host of other matters that will help you better understand, interpret and communicate the Scripture.



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**8. *Bible Interpretation II (Hermeneutics II)***

This module builds on the foundations established in Module I. You will become advanced in your skill and competence to properly interpret the various forms of Scripture. You will become better able to approach figures of speech, Bible types, parables and allegories, Bible prophecy, the use of the Old Testament in the New Testament, the proper application of Scripture and other that will help you better understand, interpret and communicate the Scripture.

**9. *Old Testament Survey***

In this course you will be taught the basics of every book of the Old Testament. You will learn the background, purpose, theme, outline and overview of each book. You will learn the characters, dispensations, covenants, kingdoms and other old covenant matters.

**10. *New Testament Survey***

In this course you will be taught the basics of every book of the New Testament. You will learn the background, purpose, theme, outline and overview of each book. You will learn the characters, dispensations, covenants, kingdoms and other new covenant matters.

**11. *Systematic Theology I***

This study will take you deep into the foundations Christianity as you better learn what we believe, why we believe those things and how our beliefs are to direct our lives. This course covers the Study of the Bible (Bibliology), the Study of God the Father (Theology Proper), the Study of Jesus Christ (Christology), the Study of the Holy Spirit (Pneumatology), and the Study of the Angels and Demons (Angelology and Demonology).

**12. *Systematic Theology II***

This study continues what began in Theology I. You will better learn what to believe as a Christian, why to harbor those beliefs and how to live accordingly. This course covers the Study of Mankind (Anthropology), the Study of Sin (Hamartiology), the Study of Salvation (Soteriology), the Study of the Church (Ecclesiology), and the Study of the End Times (Eschatology).