

V. WHY FOUR GOSPELS?

1. A sacrifice-based faith
2. An event-based faith
3. A person-based faith

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Next Week: Class No. 4, Gospel of Matthew

Core Seminars—New Testament **Class 3: Introduction to the Gospels: The Nature of the Kingdom**



I. INTRODUCTION

II. WHAT IS A GOSPEL?

- A. Not a modern biography
- B. Not an ancient biography
- C. Not like Gnostic Gospels

III. THE LIFE OF CHRIST

- 1. Preview of Who Jesus is**
- 2. John the Baptist's Birth**
- 3. Early Years of Christ**
- 4. Ministry of John the Baptist**
- 5. Conclusion of John the Baptist's ministry and Beginning of Christ's**
- 6. Christ's Ministry in Galilee- Parables**

7. Christ's Ministry around Galilee

8. Later Judean Ministry

9. Ministry around Perea

10. Passion Week

11. Post-Resurrection and Ascension

IV. FOUR PORTRAITS, ONE JESUS

1. Matthew: Jesus the Promised King

2. Mark: Jesus the Servant King

3. Luke: Jesus, the Savior King

4. John: Jesus, the Divine King