

Preach the Gospel

An open Bible is shown from a high angle, resting on a dark, textured surface. The pages are slightly aged and show some wear. A bright green Sharpie marker is placed diagonally across the right page. The text on the pages is in a classic serif font, with some words highlighted in green. A semi-transparent white rectangular box is centered over the Bible, containing the text 'Preach the Gospel' in a large, bold, black serif font. The background of the image is a blurred, dark green, suggesting a natural setting like a forest floor.

Romans 8:28-30 “And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. ²⁹ For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers. ³⁰ And those whom he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified.”

Acts 7:51-53 “You stiff-necked people, uncircumcised in heart and ears, you always resist the Holy Spirit. As your fathers did, so do you. ⁵² Which of the prophets did your fathers not persecute? And they killed those who announced beforehand the coming of the Righteous One, whom you have now betrayed and murdered, ⁵³ you who received the law as delivered by angels and did not keep it.”

Matthew 23:37 “O Jerusalem,
Jerusalem, the city that kills the
prophets and stones those who are
sent to it!”

Genesis 50:20 “You meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today”

Proverbs 19:21 “Many are the plans in the mind of a man, but it is the purpose of the Lord that will stand.”

Isaiah 55:8-9 “For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD. ⁹ For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.”

Daniel 4:35 “All the inhabitants of the earth are accounted as nothing, and he does according to his will among the host of heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth; and none can stay his hand or say to him, ‘What have you done?’”

Isaiah 46:9-10 – “Remember the former things of old; for I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me, ¹⁰ declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, ‘My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all my purpose.’”

Lamentations 3:37 “Who has spoken and it came to pass, unless the Lord has commanded it?”

Proverbs 16:33 “The lot is cast into the lap, but its every decision is from the Lord.”

Proverbs 16:4 “The Lord has made everything for its purpose, even the wicked for the day of trouble.”

Deuteronomy 32:39 “See now that I, even I, am he, and there is no god beside me; I kill and I make alive; I wound and I heal; and there is none that can deliver out of my hand.”

Isaiah 45:7 “I form light and create darkness; I make well-being and create calamity; I am the Lord, who does all these things.”

John 3:18 “**Whoever believes** in him **is not condemned**, but **whoever does not believe** **is condemned already**, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.”

Romans 10:14-15 “How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵ And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!”

Matthew 25:31-34 “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. ³² Before him will be gathered all the nations, and **he will separate people one from another** as a shepherd separates **the sheep from the goats**. ³³ And he will place the sheep on his right, but the goats on the left. ³⁴ Then the King will say to **those on his right**, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.’”

41 “Then he will say to **those on his left**, Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels”

1 Thessalonians 5:5 “For you are all children of **light**, children of the **day**. We are not of the **night** or of the **darkness**”

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1 John 1:5-10

Walking in the Light

This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. ⁶ If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. ⁷ But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. ⁸ If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. ⁹ If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰ If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

Contrast

Light	Darkness
Truth	Lie
Righteousness	Sin
Fellowship	Separation



**I BELIEVE
IN GOD**

**I OBEY
GOD**

1 John 1:3-6 “And by this we know that we have come to know him, if we keep his commandments. ⁴ **Whoever says ‘I know him’ but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him,** ⁵ but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him: ⁶ **whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked.”**

Matthew 28:18-20 “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ **Go therefore and make disciples of all nations**, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, **I am with you always**, to the end of the age”