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Western States Update

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Western Justice...

One of my favorite classes at PTP examines case studies for elderships. The format involves groups of men examining real dilemmas faced at unnamed congregations. The exercise is used to prepare men to serve as elders and make Godly decisions.

In one case study, a gentleman had been guilty of cleaning out a congregation's bank account, then continuing on as if nothing had happened. The dilemma was what to do about such a gentleman. In jest, I made the comment that out in Wyoming we would introduce the man to Western Justice. Could something be so simple?

Romans 13:1 – *“Let every person be in subjection to the governing authorities...”* Different times and different lands have had varying systems of justice. Some may be harsh or lenient, quick or slow, even just or corrupt. *“We must obey God rather than men”* – Acts 5:29. Though we may have the desire to take justice in our own hands, there are authorities who enact justice. A rash decision by a mob of angry individuals would not be lawful or Godly. Remember Revelation 6:9-11, God will judge all men someday, with righteous judgment, none will be missed. We must trust His time frame and His good Will toward man.

Can Someone Tell Me?

Islam and Mormonism both claim to have additions to the Old and New Testaments of the Bible. Does the Bible mention the coming of the Koran, Hadith Qudsi, Book of Mormon, Pearl of Great Price, or Doctrines and Covenants?

I John 4:4-6 – *“You are from God, little children and have overcome them; because greater is He who is in you than he who is in the world. They are from the world; therefore they speak as from the world, and the world listens to them. We are from God; he who knows God listens to us; he who is not from God does not listen to us. By this we know the spirit of truth and the spirit of error.”*

Galatians 1:6-8 – *“I am amazed that you are so quickly deserting Him who called you by the grace of Christ, for a different gospel; which is really not another; only there are some who are disturbing you, and want to distort the Gospel of Christ. But even though we, or an angel from heaven, should preach to you a gospel contrary to that which we have preached to you, let him be accursed.”*

What Can Happen in A Month?

- Fall is coming on to Cody, Wyoming. Time for bears to think “nap time”.
- Working on website updates including more articles soon coming.
- Kids are back to school and the house is much quieter these days.
- Wife has entered, “It’s fall so I must bake cookies mode”. I love this time of the year!

How Many Prophets Can You find? 10? 20? It's All in Fun!

Find 41 and you are done!

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Are different Greek words translated “preach” in the New Testament?

G2784 – - k russ

to *herald* (as a public *crier*), especially divine truth (the gospel): - preach (-er), proclaim, publish.
Reference: Mat. 3:1, 4:17, 23, 9:35, 10:7, 10:27, 11:1, 24:14, 26:13, Mk. 1:4, 7, 14, 38, 39, 45, 3:14, 5:20, 6:12, 7:36, 13:10, 14:9, 16:15, 20, Lk. 3:3, 4:18, 19, 44, 8:1, 39, 9:2, 12:3, 24:47, Acts 8:5, 9:20, 10:37, 10:42, 15:21, 19:13, 20:25, 28:31, Rom. 2:21, 10:8, 10:14, 15, I Cor. 1:23, 9:27, 15:11, 12, 2 Cor. 1:19, 4:5, 11:4, Gal. 2:2, 5:11, Php. 1:15, Col. 1:23, I Th. 2:9, I Ti. 3:16, 2 Ti. 4:2, I Pe. 3:19, Rev. 5:12

G1229 – - diaggello

to *herald thoroughly*: - declare, preach, signify.
Reference: Lk 9:60, Acts 21:26, Rom.9:17

G2605 – - kataggello

1) to announce, declare, promulgate, make known
 2) to proclaim publicly, publish
Reference: Acts 4:2, 13:5,38, 15:36, 16:17,21, 17:3,13,23, 26:23, Rom. 1:8, 1Co. 2:1, 9:14, 11:26, Php. 1:16,18, Col. 1:28;

G2980 – - laleo

1) to utter a voice or emit a sound 2) to speak
Some References: Mat. 9:18,33, 10:19,20; Acts 2:4,6,7,11,31; Rom. 3:19; 7:1; 15:18; 1Co. 2:6,7,13, 31; 2Co. 2:17; 4:13, Eph. 4:25; 5:19; 6:20; Php. 1:14; Col. 4:3,4; 1Th. 1:8; 2:2,4,16; 1Ti. 5:13; Tit. 2:1,15; Heb. 1:1,2; 2:2,3,5; 3:5; Jas. 1:19; 2:12; 5:10; 1Pe. 3:10; 4:11; 2Pe. 1:21; 3:16; 1Jn. 4:5; 2Jn. 1:12; 3Jn. 1:14; Jude 1:15,16; Rev. 1:12; 4:1; 10:3,4,8;

G2097 - - euaggeliz

to *announce goodnews* (“evangelize”) especially the gospel:
References: Mat. 11:5; Luke 1:19; 2:10; 3:18; 4:18,43; 7:22; 8:1; 9:6; 16:16; 20:1; Acts 5:42; 8:4,12,25,35,40; 10:36; 11:20; 13:32; 14:7,15,21; 15:35; 16:10; 17:18; Rom. 1:15; 10:15; 15:20; 1Co. 1:17; 9:16,18; 15:1,2; 2Co. 10:16; 11:7; Gal. 1:8,9,11,16,23; 4:13; Eph. 2:17; 3:8; 1Th. 3:6; Heb. 4:2,6; 1Pe. 1:12,25; 4:6; Rev. 10:7; 14:6;