

***“The Gospel According to Jesus”***  
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***Chapters 17-18***

1. What is the common theme of Matthew 4:17, Luke 5:31, and Luke 13:3,5? Why are these passages so important in understanding the message of Jesus? (p. 175)
2. What is repentance in the Bible? Critique the definitions given by Dispensational teachers at the top of p. 177.
3. How do we know that repentance is a gift from God? Why is this important? (p. 178-179)
4. In your opinion, what is the most convincing Old Testament reference for repentance? (p. 181)
5. What is the ultimate aim of the gospel according to Jesus? (p. 184)
6. How can the well-known hymn, “Just As I Am” by Charlotte Elliot be mis-applied? (p. 185)
7. Comment on the author’s statement on p. 186, “Not all faith is redemptive.”
8. Why is it important to recognize that saving faith is a gift from God? (p. 189)
9. Why are faith and obedience so closely linked throughout Scripture? (p. 190)
10. What do the Beatitudes in Matthew 5:3-12 teach us about repentance? (pp. 192-193)