

***“The Gospel According to Jesus”***  
**by John MacArthur**  
***Introduction and Chapters 1 & 2***

1. According to the author in the introduction, what is the fundamental problem with the popular gospel of our day? What is your assessment of his analysis?
2. What does Jesus mean when He says, “Follow me” (Matt. 16:24)?
3. Why is it important for us to understand that Jesus Christ is Lord?
4. How does slavery illustrate what it means to be a Christian?
5. What does the author mean by “Easy Believism”? What is your experience with the message of Easy Believism?
6. How does Matt. 7:21-23 apply to this discussion?
7. Comment on the following statement in Ch. 2: “Real salvation is not only justification. It cannot be isolated from regeneration, sanctification, and ultimately glorification.”
8. How would you biblically critique the “Carnal Christian Theory” popularized by Dr. Lewis Sperry Chafer?
9. What does Dispensationalism have to do with the notion of separating Christ’s role as Savior from His role as Lord?
10. How does “Lordship Salvation” align with the biblical teaching that salvation is “by grace through faith” (Eph. 2:8-9)?