“Doctrine Matters”

2 Timothy 3:16-4:5

A. ________ has fallen on hard times over the past couple of decades.

B. Everything in ________ starts with and is held together by doctrine.

C. Doctrine was important to ________ (Jn. 8:31-32; Mt. 22:29; 15:9).
   1. Jesus gave many ________ about those who would teach ________ doctrine (Mt. 7:15; Rev. 2:14; 24).

D. Doctrine was important to the early ________ and was addressed by the ________ (Acts 2:42; 20:25-31; Romans 16:17).

E. What is the prescription for these perils? The _______ of ________.

F. Why we need the ________ of the Bible for what we believe and practice:
   1. Because of ________ ________.
   2. Because of ________ _________. (Gal. 5:16, 18, 22, 25; Eph. 6:17).
   3. In Order to know how to ________ ________ (Gal. 1:10).

G. As we approach the Bible, we must realize that it is ________ (Jn. 17:17).

H. We must teach the ________ truth (Mt. 28:20; Acts 20:26-27; Deut. 12:32; Rev. 22:18-19).

I. We can be sure we ________ Him if we ________ His ________ (1 Jn. 2:3-6).

J. The Bible is the right ________ (Mt. 7:21; 24-25).