



ELISHA: Discerning the Days — Syllabus

Professor - Jeff Lyle

Class Duration: 8 sessions

Course Textbook: *The Anointing* by Dr. RT Kendall

Course Description:

In this course, KINEO students will continue their studies in the life of the Old Testament Prophet, Elisha. This study is a continuation of the previous course on Elisha's life called *The God-Touched Life*. Much emphasis in this study will highlight Elisha's spiritual gifting and how we practically used those gifts in normal life situations. Much emphasis will be placed upon Elisha's primary gift of the word of knowledge. Spiritual warfare, confrontation of sin, the development of the student's own faith, and other principles will be spotlighted in each session. With the majority of emphasis coming from the biblical narrative of Elisha's life, we will also be supplementing our course with the textbook, *The Anointing* by Dr. RT Kendall.

Course Objectives and Goals:

KINEO students will learn from the life and ministry of Elisha that God expects us to be faith-filled and proactive in our pursuit of integrity, spiritual usefulness in the Kingdom, and devoted service to other people. Additionally, the student will be challenged to come out of agreement with lies that historically limit believers from fulfilling their calling from God. The student will be challenged to pursue a consecrated life which produces an anointing that will impact all those around them. Elisha's biblical testimony will touch nearly every place which will arise in our lives as we follow God and lead people. The overarching goal is for the student to discern that these present days are very similar to the days of Elisha, and all believers would do well to cultivate a life and ministry similar to his.

Class Methodology of Teaching:

1. Class lectures – majoring on Elisha's life as revealed in relevant OT passages
2. Required reading – *The Anointing* by DR. RT Kendall
3. Expect a heavy emphasis to come from your professor that focuses on how the student must consider applying what is being taught to relevant, daily components of his/her own life. You will be exhorted, stretched, and deeply challenged at times.
4. Notetaking from the in-class slides is important; all of the quizzing and testing will come from the in-class lectures; there will also be material from the course textbook contained on quizzes and the final exam. Students must stay engaged and take notes while following the slides and printed outlines of each of the eight weeks of class time.

Course Requirements:

1. Participate in class discussions.
2. Outside assignments (homework):
 - Reading: Bible passages covered in class from week to week
 - Reading: *The Anointing*
3. Class attendance and punctuality are required.
4. Students must complete all lecture and book quizzes and the final exam.

Textbook reading assignments & quizzes — All textbook quizzes must be completed no later than the weekly assigned schedule. The student may work as quickly through the textbook and quizzes as he/she desires, but they cannot take the quizzes any later than the posted schedule.

Lecture quiz schedule - Weekly quizzes that cover material from classroom lectures will be assigned at the end of each week's class and will be in your student portal. It is the student's responsibility to know this and to complete quizzes each week.

Textbook reading and quiz assignments are in your Intro Course.

All quizzes must be completed by Wednesday at 11:59pm EST prior to the next class on Thursday.