

Twice Born Ministry

TBM-CE02-204: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Course Code: TBM-CE02-204

Credit Hours: 3

King James Version (KJV) — Sola Scriptura Curriculum

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Course Description

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CE Vol 2 courtroom metaphor; witnesses

This Layer 3 course teaches from Twice Born Ministry published apologetics — extracting structure and evidence themes without replacing the source books. Students learn to test every claim by Scripture (Isaiah 8:20) and witness with charity.

Primary source book: Dead Men Don't Stay Dead (Christ: The Evidence Vol. 2)

This course is part of **Layer 3 — TBM Book Track** in the Twice Born Ministry Bible School catalog.

Course Details

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion, students will be able to:

- Summarize the source book's argument structure for this course segment.
- Defend course themes with KJV scripture using literal-grammatical-historical method.
- Distinguish biblical Christianity from the worldviews or practices examined.
- Apply lessons in witness practice, research, or stewardship as assigned.
- Complete module quizzes, assignments, and final exam at 70% or higher.

Module Structure

Each lesson (8–10 modules) maps to book chapters or thematic sections. Lessons include exposition, evidence notes, witness application, discussion prompts, and aligned quizzes.

Assessment Overview

- **Module quizzes:** JSON with embedded answer keys (70% pass).
- **Assignments:** Witness practice, research papers (apologetics), or practical plans (wellness/stewardship).

- • **Group projects:** Debate teams and outreach planning where noted.
- • **Final exam:** Comprehensive written assessment.
- • **Video scripts:** 3–5 production-ready scripts including soul-winning demos for apologetics tracks.

Christian Guardrails

- • King James Bible as citation standard.
- • Oppose false doctrine; love people (Jude 22-23).
- • Source books inform structure; Scripture judges all claims.
- • Academic integrity required; AI assists study, not original witness logs.

Instructor Notes

Professor Shepherd AI: [tb_ai_instructor course_code="TBM-CE02-204"]

Twice Born Ministry Bible School — Layer 3 TBM Book Track

Course Modules

TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 1: Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof

Introduction

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Book Structure and Teaching Aim

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Scripture Exposition

Anchor **Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof** in the Word. Assigned references:

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Exegesis steps: (1) Read the full paragraph. (2) Define key terms biblically. (3) Compare with clearer passages. (4) Apply to the worldview or practice under examination.

Witness Bridge

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- **Question:** "Have you ever tested that belief against Scripture alone?"
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Evidence, Logic, and Worldview Testing

Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof uses the TBM comparative method:

State the claim clearly — no straw men.

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Apply internal consistency tests — does the system contradict itself?

Apply external verification — history, science where relevant, fulfilled prophecy.

Scripture verdict — Isaiah 8:20; Acts 17:11.

Write a one-page comparison chart: "Their claim → Evidence offered → Biblical evaluation → Gospel opportunity."

Common Objections and Pastoral Responses

When teaching **Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof**, expect pushback:

- **"You're attacking my family tradition."** — Affirm love; distinguish people from unbiblical doctrines.
- **"All religions are the same."** — Ask which religion accounts for sin, the cross, and the empty tomb with evidence.
- **"That's your interpretation."** — Point to plain reading in context; invite joint Bible study.
- **"Christians are hypocrites."** — Agree sinners fail; Christ does not. Return to the gospel.

Draft a 150-word charitable response to one objection for your quiz preparation journal.

Witness and Ministry Application

Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof equips field witness:

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- **Local church:** Propose one outreach night using this lesson's topic.
- **Conversation:** Use two questions from the book section before presenting conclusions.
- **Follow-up:** Offer a Bible, source book chapter, or next-week coffee continuation.

Role-play assignment: 5-minute dialogue with a partner playing a seeker from the target worldview.

Discussion Questions

How does **Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof** fit the source book's overall argument?

Which scripture was most decisive for you? Why?

Where might Christians misapply this material with pride or cruelty?

How would you teach this lesson to a high school homeschool cohort?

What gospel element (sin, cross, faith, response) must not be omitted in witness?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 1 organized *Dead Men Don't Stay Dead (Christ: The Evidence Vol. 2)* material on **Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof**. Complete the module

quiz (70% to advance), update your witness or stewardship journal, and preview the next lesson's reading assignment.

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Historical Figure Spotlight

Research one defender of orthodoxy related to this doctrine—Augustine, Athanasius, Luther, Calvin, Spurgeon, or a modern missionary martyr. Write 150 words on how their context shaped their emphasis. Standing on their shoulders, we inherit confessions forged in controversy. Imitate their courage and Scripture saturation, not necessarily every cultural application.

Worship Integration

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Chapter themes from source material:

- Fig. 2A — Resurrection Evidence in Court
- Fig. 2 — Evidence Thresholds

Concept summary (paraphrase): Fig. 2A — Resurrection Evidence in Court WITNESS TESTIMONY
PHYSICAL EVIDENCE DOCUMENTARY ██████████
██████ 500+ eyewitnesses + Empty tomb + 1 Cor 15 creed (AD 35-38) Hostile converts
Grave clothes Josephus / Tacitus Women first witnesses Roman guard failure Early church explosion ■
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BEYOND REASONABLE DOUBT (95%) ■ RESURRECTION = BEST EXPLANATION Fig. 2 —
Evidence Thresholds | Standard | Definition | Resurrection case | |-----|-----|-----| |
Beyond reasonable doubt | ~95–99% certainty | Criminal trial bar — met by combined evidence | |
Preponderance of evidence | 50% — more likely than not | Easily exceeded | | Inference to best
explanation | Most probable cause of facts | Resurrection outperforms all alternatives | ...

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Scripture Exposition

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TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 4: Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross

Introduction

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Book Structure and Teaching Aim

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- (1) the claim being tested, (2) the evidence standard applied, (3) the scripture anchor, and
- (4) the witness or stewardship application.

Chapter themes from source material:

- Fig. 3 — Roman Crucifixion — Cause of Death

Key passages in this section: John 19:34

Concept summary (paraphrase): Fig. 3 — Roman Crucifixion — Cause of Death SCOURGING (flagrum) ■■■ hypovolemic shock + NAILS (wrists/feet) ■■■ asphyxiation when hanging + SPEAR THRUST (John 19:34) ■■■ pericardial/pleural effusion ■ ▼ DEATH CERTIFIED by Roman soldiers (professionals) ■ ▼ SWOON THEORY = medically implausible ---

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Scripture Exposition

Anchor **Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross** in the Word. Assigned references:

- **John 19:34** — read in context; note who speaks, to whom, and why.

Exegesis steps: (1) Read the full paragraph. (2) Define key terms biblically. (3) Compare with clearer passages. (4) Apply to the worldview or practice under examination.

Witness Bridge

Prepare one question and one gospel statement from this lesson:

- • **Question:** "Have you ever tested that belief against Scripture alone?"
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Evidence, Logic, and Worldview Testing

Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross uses the TBM comparative method:

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Identify the evidence standard — history, manuscript, prophecy, archaeology, logic.

Apply internal consistency tests — does the system contradict itself?

Apply external verification — history, science where relevant, fulfilled prophecy.

Scripture verdict — Isaiah 8:20; Acts 17:11.

Write a one-page comparison chart: "Their claim → Evidence offered → Biblical evaluation → Gospel opportunity."

Common Objections and Pastoral Responses

When teaching **Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross**, expect pushback:

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Witness and Ministry Application

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- **Local church:** Propose one outreach night using this lesson's topic.
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Role-play assignment: 5-minute dialogue with a partner playing a seeker from the target worldview.

Discussion Questions

How does **Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross** fit the source book's overall argument?

Which scripture was most decisive for you? Why?

Where might Christians misapply this material with pride or cruelty?

How would you teach this lesson to a high school homeschool cohort?

What gospel element (sin, cross, faith, response) must not be omitted in witness?

Summary and Next Steps

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TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 5: Forensic Pathology of Crucifixion

Introduction

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Book Structure and Teaching Aim

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- (1) the claim being tested, (2) the evidence standard applied, (3) the scripture anchor, and
- (4) the witness or stewardship application.

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Scripture Exposition

Anchor **Forensic Pathology of Crucifixion** in the Word. Assigned references:

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Common Objections and Pastoral Responses

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Summary and Next Steps

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TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 6: Cold Case Homicide Parallel

Introduction

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Book Structure and Teaching Aim

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Scripture Exposition

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Write a one-page comparison chart: "Their claim → Evidence offered → Biblical evaluation → Gospel opportunity."

Common Objections and Pastoral Responses

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Role-play assignment: 5-minute dialogue with a partner playing a seeker from the target worldview.

Discussion Questions

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Which scripture was most decisive for you? Why?

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What gospel element (sin, cross, faith, response) must not be omitted in witness?

Summary and Next Steps

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TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 7: Prosecutor vs. Defense — Mock Trial Roles

Introduction

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TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 10 of **Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection**. This session covers **Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection**,

drawn from the structure of *Dead Men Don't Stay Dead (Christ: The Evidence Vol. 2)* in the **Christ Evidence Track** track. Complete BS-FND-100 before

advanced TBM courses; AP-501 is recommended for apologetics-heavy tracks.

Twice Born Ministry book-track courses teach *from* published manuscripts — organizing chapter themes into college-level lessons without replacing the books. Purchase or borrow the source volume for full citations, charts, and extended case studies referenced in class.

Pray for wisdom and love before studying contested topics. We contend for souls, not scoring debate points (Jude 3; 1 Peter 3:15).

Book Structure and Teaching Aim

Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection advances the source book's cumulative case. Students should identify:

- (1) the claim being tested, (2) the evidence standard applied, (3) the scripture anchor, and
- (4) the witness or stewardship application.

Do not treat lesson summaries as a substitute for reading assigned book sections. Use this module to organize notes, prepare quizzes, and rehearse gospel conversations.

Scripture Exposition

Anchor **Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection** in the Word. Assigned references:

- **Isaiah 8:20** — read in context; note who speaks, to whom, and why.
- **Acts 17:11** — read in context; note who speaks, to whom, and why.
- **2 Timothy 3:16-17** — read in context; note who speaks, to whom, and why.

Exegesis steps: (1) Read the full paragraph. (2) Define key terms biblically. (3) Compare with clearer passages. (4) Apply to the worldview or practice under examination.

Witness Bridge

Prepare one question and one gospel statement from this lesson:

- **Question:** "Have you ever tested that belief against Scripture alone?"
- **Gospel bridge:** "Sin separates us from God; Christ died and rose — faith in Him is the answer."

Evidence, Logic, and Worldview Testing

Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection uses the TBM comparative method:

State the claim clearly — no straw men.

Identify the evidence standard — history, manuscript, prophecy, archaeology, logic.

Apply internal consistency tests — does the system contradict itself?

Apply external verification — history, science where relevant, fulfilled prophecy.

Scripture verdict — Isaiah 8:20; Acts 17:11.

Write a one-page comparison chart: "Their claim → Evidence offered → Biblical evaluation → Gospel opportunity."

Common Objections and Pastoral Responses

When teaching **Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection**, expect pushback:

- • **"You're attacking my family tradition."** — Affirm love; distinguish people from unbiblical doctrines.
- • **"All religions are the same."** — Ask which religion accounts for sin, the cross, and the empty tomb with evidence.
- • **"That's your interpretation."** — Point to plain reading in context; invite joint Bible study.
- • **"Christians are hypocrites."** — Agree sinners fail; Christ does not. Return to the gospel.

Draft a 150-word charitable response to one objection for your quiz preparation journal.

Witness and Ministry Application

Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection equips field witness:

- • **Personal:** Repent of condescension; ask God for love for the lost.
- • **Local church:** Propose one outreach night using this lesson's topic.
- • **Conversation:** Use two questions from the book section before presenting conclusions.
- • **Follow-up:** Offer a Bible, source book chapter, or next-week coffee continuation.

Role-play assignment: 5-minute dialogue with a partner playing a seeker from the target worldview.

Discussion Questions

How does **Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection** fit the source book's overall argument?

Which scripture was most decisive for you? Why?

Where might Christians misapply this material with pride or cruelty?

How would you teach this lesson to a high school homeschool cohort?

What gospel element (sin, cross, faith, response) must not be omitted in witness?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 10 organized *Dead Men Don't Stay Dead (Christ: The Evidence Vol. 2)* material on **Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection**. Complete the module

quiz (70% to advance), update your witness or stewardship journal, and preview the next lesson's reading assignment.

Soli Deo gloria.

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Appendix A — Assignments

Week 01

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Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 1: Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **analyze** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 1: Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Analyze: Write a 300–500 word reflection on **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 1: Courtroom Metaphor — Burden of Proof**. Include at least two KJV citations and one personal application.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Courtroom, Metaphor

Week 02

Week 02 Assignment — Memory Verse Application

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 2: Legal Standards: Beyond Reasonable Doubt

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **apply** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 2: Legal Standards: Beyond Reasonable Doubt** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Apply: Recite this week's memory verse from memory, then write 250 words explaining how it applies to daily discipleship.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

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Week 03

Week 03 Assignment — Expository Outline

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 3: Eyewitness Analysis — Gospels as Testimony

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **outline** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 3: Eyewitness Analysis — Gospels as Testimony** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Outline: Produce a structured outline (400+ words) for the main passage in **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 3: Eyewitness Analysis — Gospels as Testimony**. Include pericope titles and one-sentence themes.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

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Week 04

Week 04 Assignment — Discussion Response

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 4: Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **explain** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 4: Medical Evidence — Death on the Cross** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Explain: Answer two discussion prompts from the Week 4 reading in 200 words each. Cite KJV only.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)**Auto-grade hints**

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Week 05**Week 05 Assignment — Practical Ministry Step**

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 5: Forensic Pathology of Crucifixion

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **demonstrate** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 5: Forensic Pathology of Crucifixion** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Demonstrate: Complete one practical ministry action tied to **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 5: Forensic Pathology of Crucifixion** (visit, prayer walk, family worship, or service). Submit a 200-word report plus optional photo upload.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Manual review (practical/upload).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)**Week 06****Week 06 Assignment — Witness Outline**

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 6: Cold Case Homicide Parallel

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **construct** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 6: Cold Case Homicide Parallel** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Construct: Draft a 3-minute spoken witness outline using this week's theme. Include gospel bridge, one objection with biblical answer, and call to faith.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Homicide, Parallel

Week 07

Week 07 Assignment — Cross-Reference Study

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 7: Prosecutor vs. Defense — Mock Trial Roles

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **compare** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 7: Prosecutor vs. Defense — Mock Trial Roles** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Compare: Find three cross-references that illuminate **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 7: Prosecutor vs. Defense — Mock Trial Roles**. Write 400 words comparing themes (OT + NT).

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Prosecutor, Defense

Week 08

Week 08 Assignment — Historical Context Brief

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 8: Closing Argument Draft

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **describe** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 8: Closing Argument Draft** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Describe: Write 350 words on historical/literary context for **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 8: Closing Argument Draft**. Minimum four KJV citations.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

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Week 09

Week 09 Assignment — Christological Connection Essay

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 9: Mock Trial Capstone Event

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **evaluate** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 9: Mock Trial Capstone Event** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Evaluate: Explain how **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 9: Mock Trial Capstone Event** points to Christ in 400–600 words. Use literal-grammatical-historical method.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

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Week 10

Week 10 Assignment — Teaching Prep

Course: TBM-CE02-204 · Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **design** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Design: Prepare a 5-minute teaching outline for **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection** suitable for a small group or homeschool lesson.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

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Week 11

Week 11 Assignment — Integration & Review

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Week focus: TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **synthesize** course content from **TBM-CE02-204 — Lesson 10: Integration Lesson 10: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Synthesize: Synthesize the top five themes from Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection. 600 words, minimum six KJV citations, one paragraph on personal growth.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

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Week 12

Creative Ministry Project — TBM-CE02-204

Course: Legal & Historical Brief for the Resurrection

Code: TBM-CE02-204

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **create** an original ministry artifact synthesizing course themes with KJV fidelity and scholarship-gallery quality.

Overview

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Requirements

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- Application: working prototype + 300-word user guide

Grading rubric (100 points)

Pass: 70%

Scholarship gallery

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