

BTCP training uses a biblical, systematic, portable and comprehensive approach to providing the foundational equivalent of a good Bible college or seminary education. Our training consists of 520 hours of interactive classroom lecture and discussion under the supervision of a qualified teacher, taking from 1- 2 years to complete.

What Does a Trained Pastor Look Like?

The pastor trained by BTCP should have the necessary Bible knowledge, ministry skills and character to properly minister to Christ's church. He can best be described with three words: *COMPETENT*, *CONFORMED* and *CAPABLE*.

COMPETENT in the Scripture

- He knows, understands and applies God's Word.
- He has a biblical world view.

COMPETENT in basic ministry skills

- He is able to teach/preach God's Word to equip God's people.
- As an undershepherd, he is able to counsel, lead and comfort those entrusted to him.

CONFORMED to the image of the Lord Jesus Christ

- His character and conduct reflect the grace of Christ.
- He is a Spirit-led servant leader.
- He is growing in spiritual maturity.

CAPABLE of spiritual reproduction

- He is actively multiplying and investing in other leaders.

In summary: The goal of BTCP is to equip a pastor or church leader to know the Lord's Word, walk authentically in His grace and minister to His people.

BTCP's Concept and Curriculum

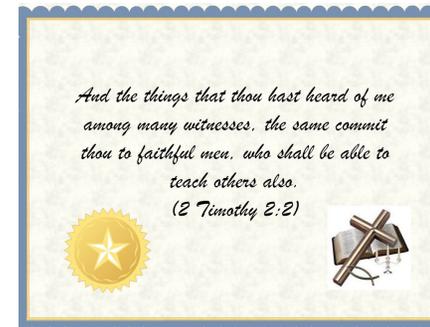
The Concept involves a biblical, systematic, portable and comprehensive life-on-life approach that provides the foundational equivalent of a good Bible college or seminary education. This non-formal training is relationally delivered, trans-denominational and affordable.

The Curriculum consists of up to 10 courses with up to 520 hours of interactive classroom lecture and discussion under the supervision of a qualified teacher. The training takes from 1-2½ years to complete and costs are reasonable. The Bible is our main textbook and along with the 10 course manuals becomes a lifetime resource for the pastor in his ministry.

The 10 BTCP Courses:

- Bible Study Methods and Rules of Interpretation**
- Old Testament Survey**
- New Testament Survey**
- Preaching Biblical Messages and Pastoral Ministry**
- Bible Doctrine Survey**
- Personal Spiritual Life**
- Church Ministry/Administration/Education**
- Teaching Principles and Methods**
- Church History Survey**
- Missions/Evangelism/Discipleship**

These classes give trained Pastors and Leaders a foundation to use for Ministry and Service and to pass on to others in partnership with BTCP.





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*All scripture is given by inspiration of God,
and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof,
for correction, for instruction in
righteousness: That the man of God may be
perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good
works.*



(2 Timothy 3:16-17)