

CALVARY CHAPEL MAIDSTONE

SPIRIT LED WORD BASED

A Study In APOLOGETICS

New Apostolic Reformation

Greek = apologia

- Verbal defence
- Reasoned argument

Acts 26:1-2

Paul gave an "apologia" for himself

Philippians 1:7

Paul gave an "apologia" for the gospel

1 Peter 3:15

Peter exhorts believers to give an "apologia" for the faith

Jude 3-4

Beloved, while I was very diligent to write to you concerning our common salvation, I found it necessary to write to you exhorting you to contend earnestly for the faith which was once for all delivered to the saints. For certain men have crept in unnoticed, who long ago were marked out for this condemnation, ungodly men, who turn the grace of our God into lewdness and deny the only Lord God and our Lord Jesus Christ.

Early Apologists

Paul, Jude Peter Justin Martyr, Irenaeus, Athanasius

Modern Apologists

Walter Martin, Josh McDowell, Dave Hunt Lee Strobel, John Lennox, Frank Turek

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What Does It Believe & Practice?

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Ephesians 4:11

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Dominion Theology
Seven Mountains

- 1) Arts, 2) Business, 3) Church, 4) Media,
- 5) Education, 6) Family, 7) Government

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Ephesians 2:19-22

Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief cornerstone, in whom the whole building, being fitted together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord, in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

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Matthew 10:1-4

Matthew 28:16-20

Acts 1:15-26

Acts 9

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1 Corinthians 15:7-9

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What Should Our Response Be?