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ABOUT OUR **CURRICULUM**

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“Compass is such a great resource for solid truth and Biblical foundations that my kids will be well equipped to face any challenges that question their beliefs!”

— HOLLY



ABOUT OUR **APPROACH**


For the past 15 years, Compass Classroom has developed video materials to help students think Biblically about the world around them. As a father of three kids myself, I'm well aware of the ideas spreading like a darkening fog through our culture. But I'm also aware of the power of a Biblical worldview to dispel that darkness.

Our approach to making curriculum is like that of an artisan craftsman: we value quality over quantity. Each of our products has been carefully designed to accomplish its educational goals. We believe education should be interesting, engaging, and fun for students.

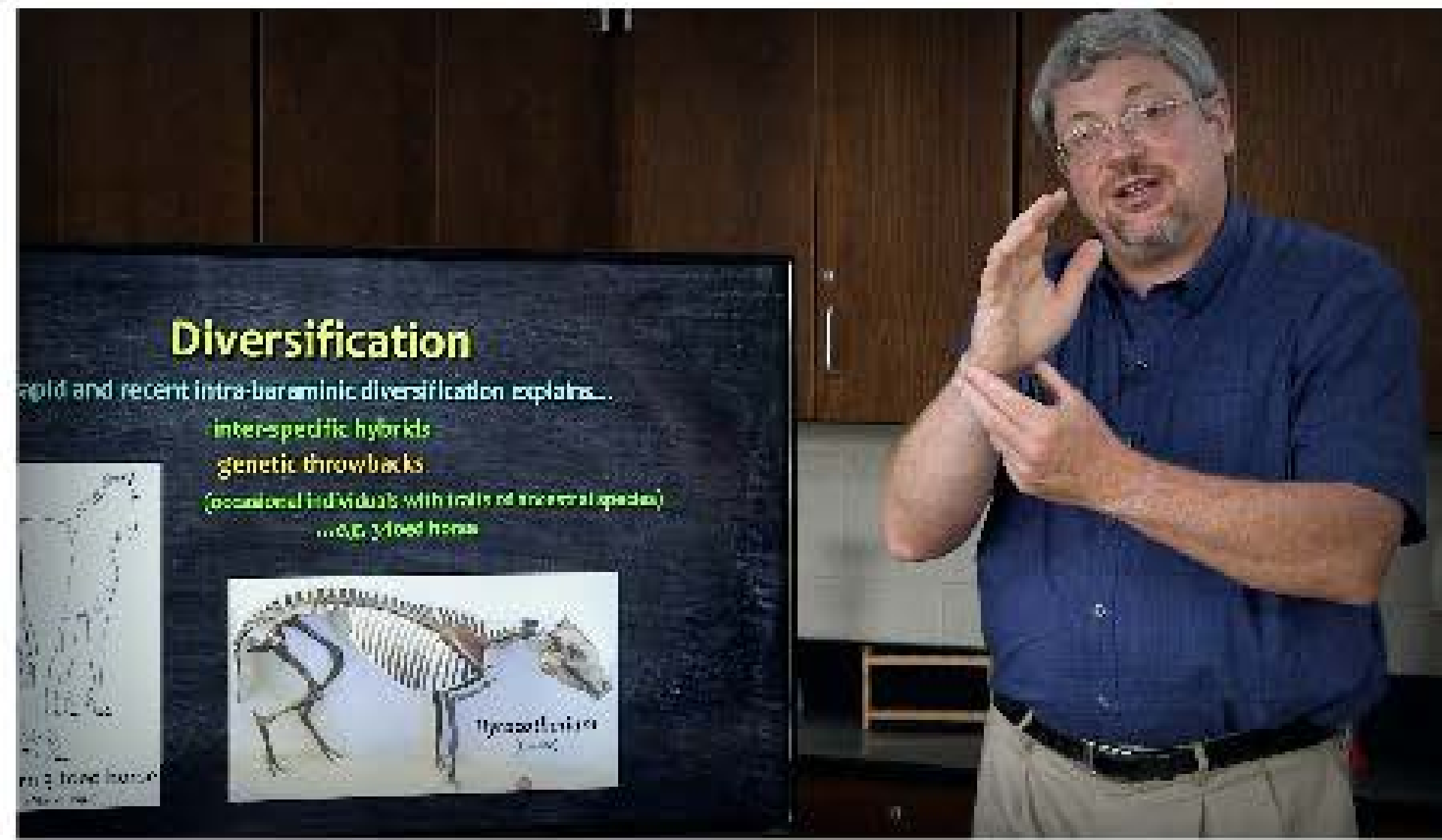
Thousands of homeschool families and Christian schools already use our curriculum each year, but we're constantly hearing people say they've just discovered us. If you are new to our products, I would encourage you to go to MyCompassClassroom.com and try out everything for free for two weeks. We have a lot of interesting products; I feel sure we have something that will help you on your homeschool journey.

We are pleased to be able to serve you and your family.

Most sincerely,



Thomas Purifoy, Jr.
Father, Teacher, and Founder



WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING

VISUAL LATIN

“Without any knowledge of Latin myself, Visual Latin has made teaching Latin to my children not only possible, but simple and even fun.”

“It is a wonderful feeling to hear your child ask, ‘Can we do Latin yet?’”

“This is my 21st year of homeschooling. I have tried a whopping 5 different Latin programs and have FINALLY found one that I love.”

WORD UP!

“The ease of this program for mommas and the fun and engaging nature of it for the kids makes it a favorite in our house!!!”

“Even my 5-year old enjoys watching the videos and has picked up some new words!”

AMERICAN HISTORY

“I have been homeschooling for 24+ years, and I'd have to say that American History was the BEST curriculum I've ever taught!”

“I love this curriculum, and I love the way Mr. Raymond presents it. It is from a Christian worldview, and is the most interesting history course I've ever sat under.”

“History comes alive in this video curriculum.”

MODERNITY

“My son loves the history, learning from original documents and seeing the role worldview has played in the events of the work, and learning that ideas have consequences.”

“I love it! It makes you think, it helps you understand history, and it debunks revisionist history.”

ANTIQUITY

“Excellent content. Love how customizable it is for each family to tailor the workload!”

“My son (13) comes to me to tell me the things he's learning, and I like what I hear!”

CIVICS & AMERICAN GOVERNMENT (LIVE)

“5 stars! Mr. Raymond is engaging, knowledgeable, and holds the students accountable. The online time added an opportunity to hear from other students and Mr. Raymond himself. Very pleased!”

CREATIVE WRITING

“[My son] really enjoyed the videos and he said it gave him a whole new insight to writing.”

“This material has exceeded my expectations and enhanced our study of literature.”

GRAMMAR FOR WRITERS

“Grammar for Writers is an excellent way to introduce or reinforce grammar for your students.”

“My son sees the point of the ‘rules’ of grammar for the first time!”

GRAMMAR OF POETRY

“Grammar of Poetry is a masterpiece of enjoyable reading and enriching information.”

“My daughter loved this curriculum! She couldn't wait each day to do her lessons.”

DEVOTIONAL BIOLOGY

“Finally, a biology curriculum that teaches students to look first at the aspects of the Creator of life in order to better understand the organisms He has created.”

“Exactly what I've been wanting for my kids.”

ECONOMICS FOR EVERYBODY

“I can do nothing but give the highest recommendation for this study.”

“I have to admit...THIS program is what all schools need to use.”

LOGIC

“This will challenge you to think and reason your arguments.”

MODERN PARABLES

“Quality work. Professionally done. Biblically relevant. Easy to use.”

“Our family enjoyed this series together. Very practical applications for making the parables of Jesus come alive to us today.”

PHILOSOPHY

“R.C. Sproul is amazing!”

“We love how the teacher conveys lofty ideas in such a simple way.”

“We consider this course to be essential to a complete high school education for our children. All of our grads have appreciated having been through it.”

HOW SHOULD WE THEN LIVE?

“Loved it! Great opportunities for discussion.”

“Awesome! Kept three teen boys engaged and definitely sparked some amazing conversation. Glad we got to enjoy it together.”

CREATION SCIENCE

“We loved this. The explanations were thorough, scientific and made sense. I liked that some words popped up on the screen to use as vocabulary words. This was one of my favorites so far.”

“We watched the videos and discussed. It was helpful for all my children to see the flaws in evolutionary theory and build up their faith in God's Word.”

FILMMAKING FROM THE FIRST DIRECTORS

“It is my favorite subject this year. I am learning a ton and having just as much fun filming.”

COMPASS MEMBERSHIP

“The most useful part of the Compass Membership to me is how easy it is to pick up a new subject and understand it.”

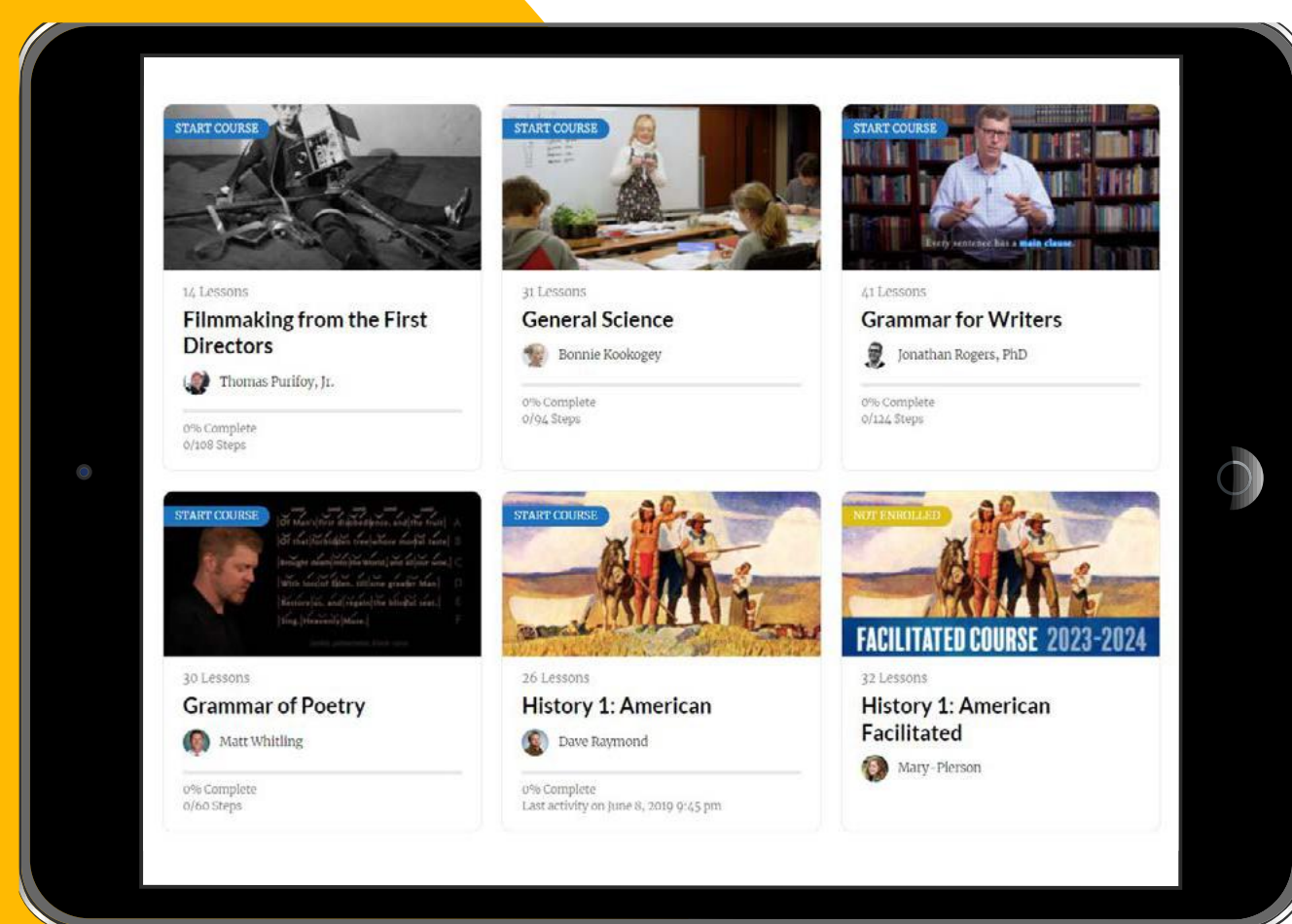
“Video lectures on demand enable my kids to learn independently via a tablet at any time, and tackle subjects in any order.”

HOW TO ACCESS OUR CLASSES

Stream from any device, **purchase courses** and **books**, or use a **combination** that works best for you!

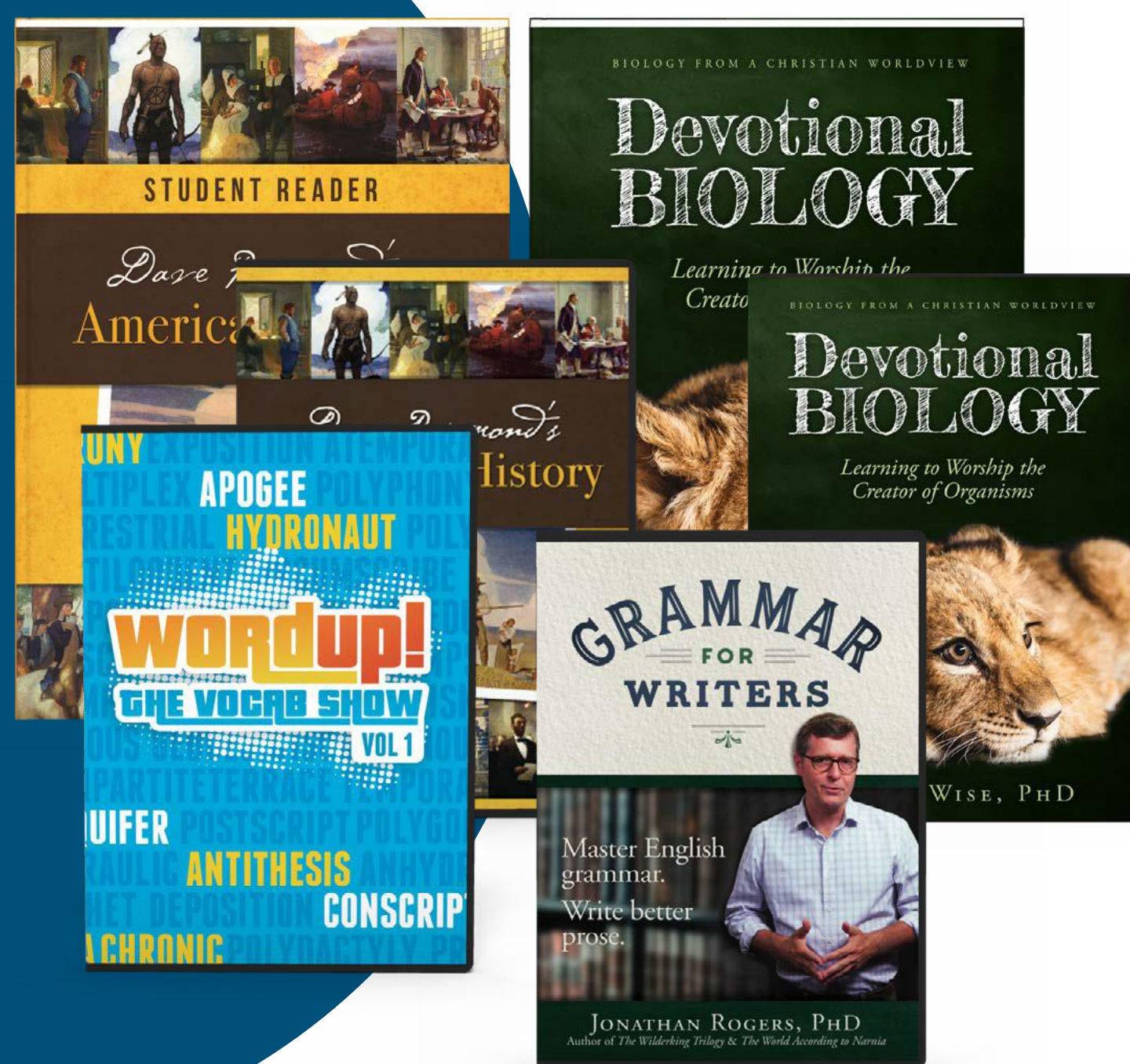
1 Live Classes

Access classes, join discussions, and make connections in our learning community at MyCompassClassroom.com.



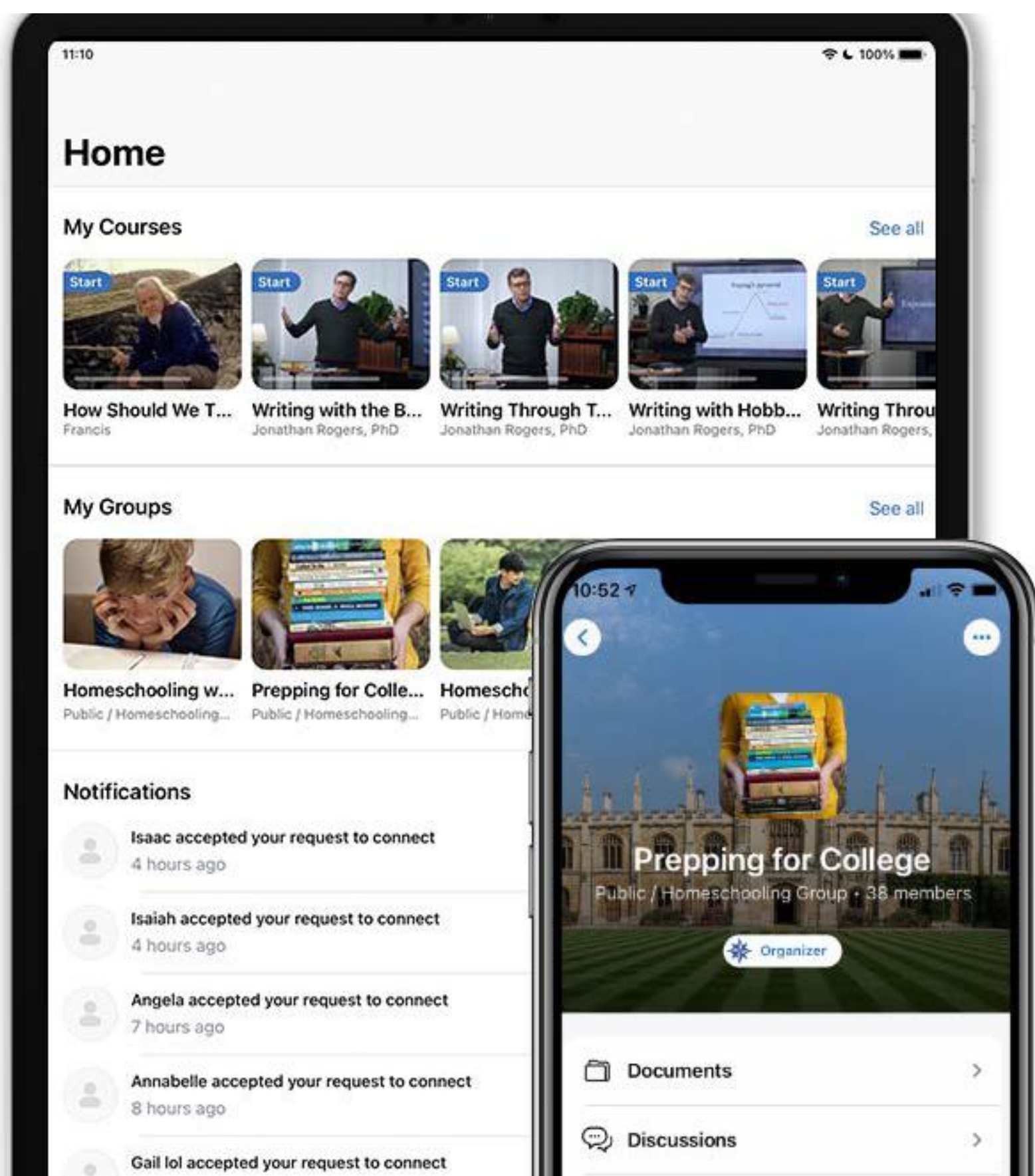
2 Self-Paced Courses

Shop our courses and books for grades 6-12. See how everything maps out for your family in our **scope and sequence**.



DOWNLOAD THE COMPASS APP

Take your curriculum everywhere you go! Our app is the streaming home for Compass Classroom courses.



**DOWNLOAD
THE APP NOW!**



Access your courses, **sample** new products, **join** group discussions, **interact** with facilitators and other learners, **submit** assignments for grading—all from your phone.

“The app is going to make Compass Classroom work for our family. We don’t enable web browsers on our children’s tablets, so have been unable to use it before now. Now that there is an app, we will be able to utilize the amazing content offered!” — Jill

COMPASS MEMBERSHIP

at MyCompassClassroom.com

Stream our classes and products for one low price! Access an entire library of homeschool courses and products on any device. Make homeschooling easy with our expert teachers.

What's Included with EVERY Compass Membership?

- ✓ Access to 30+ Courses for One Student
- ✓ Over 1,500 Videos
- ✓ Dozens of PDF Books & Guides
- ✓ Hundreds of Audio Stories
- ✓ Customer Support Group



“[Membership makes us] able to have 3 or 4 kids on iPads getting simultaneous, customized instruction that’s Christ-honoring and high quality. Then being able to have some level of grading that helps us keep them accountable.” —Jeff

Membership LEVELS



BRONZE

\$39 monthly
\$390 yearly

- ✓ Access to **30+ Streaming Courses** for 1 Student
- ✓ **PDF** Course Books
- ✓ **Audio Stories**
- ✓ **Customer Support** Group

SILVER

\$69 monthly
\$690 yearly

- ✓ Everything in **BRONZE** plus...
- ✓ **Course Facilitation** per class to provide students with guidance, discussion, and community
- ✓ **Family Access** (5 logins) to assign courses and track progress individually

GOLD

\$99 monthly
\$990 yearly

- ✓ Everything in **BRONZE** and **SILVER** plus...
- ✓ **Grading** for courses. [Learn More.](#)
- ✓ Access to Writing and Math Labs **assignment support**
- ✓ **Homeschool Support** Group featuring veteran moms
- ✓ **25% discount** on Live Courses

TRY **BRONZE** FREE FOR 2 WEEKS

Are you Leading a **Group, Co-Op,** or **School?**



We have different options to fit your unique needs, whether you are leading a **small co-op**, an **entire school**, or **anything in between**.

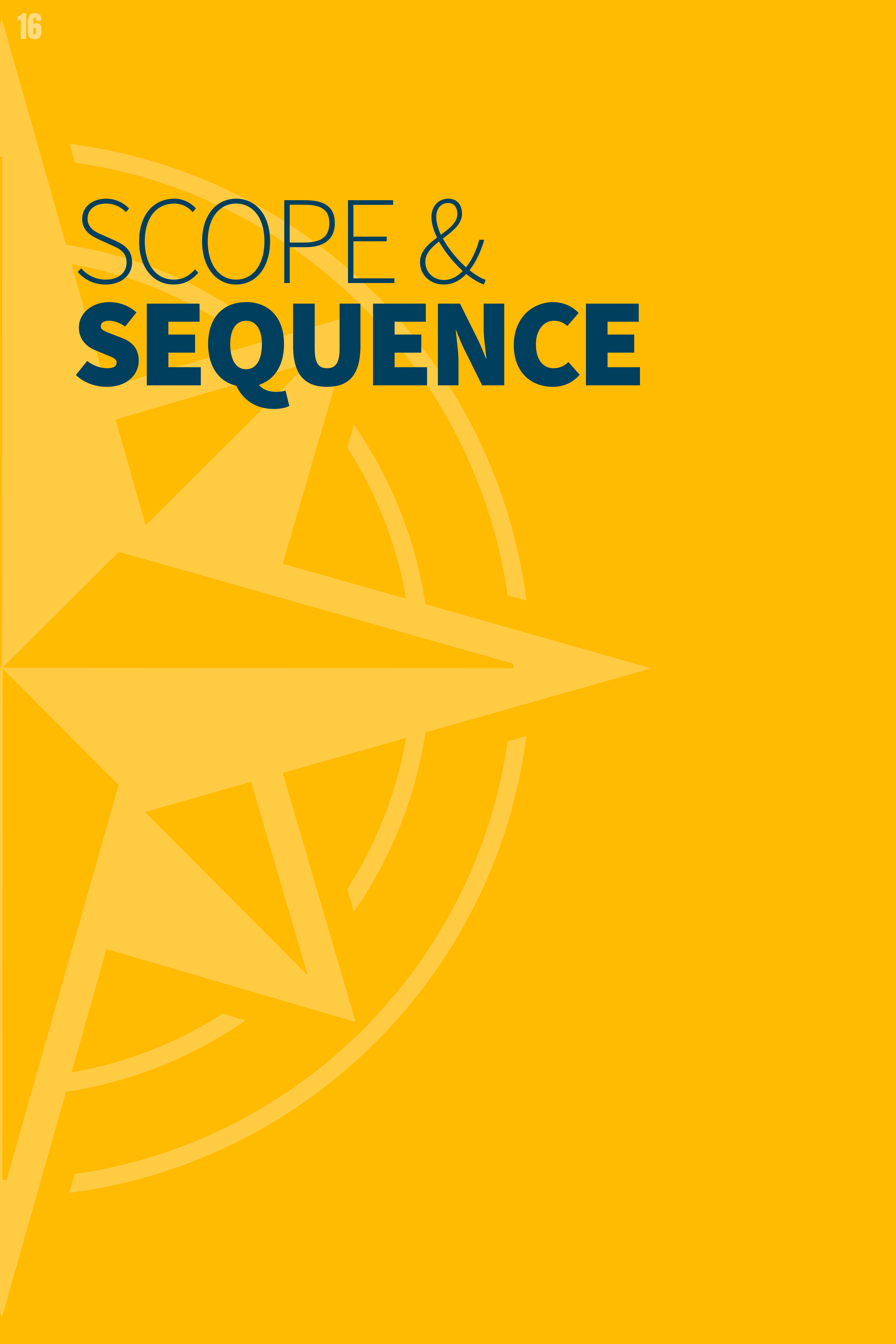
We have **custom pricing** for our streaming courses and learning management system to make using our curriculum easy. We want to work with your situation to provide the best discount possible.

Apply at the button below and one of our group sales coordinators will reach out after we receive your information.

[LEARN MORE](#)



SCOPE & **SEQUENCE**

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“My kids truly enjoy the courses and have grown in their faith by being a part of Compass Classroom. And I am ever grateful for the Biblically grounded worldview held by the teachers; reinforcing what my husband and I are instilling into our children. Passionate and engaging teachers have drawn my kids into a love for learning and deepening their walk with Christ.”

— JENNIFER

WHEN TO USE OUR COURSES

Parents often ask us for a **recommended sequence of courses** for their student. From the beginning, we designed all our curriculum to be as flexible as possible for homeschool families. It's therefore always okay to mix and match, following the needs of your individual student.

The lists below and on the following pages show **just one way** our curriculum can be used for most subjects from grades 6-12. To see all the course options and substitutions available at every grade, visit [our complete scope and sequence](#).

Grade 6

[SHOP GRADE 6 →](#)

Bible



[Modern Parables](#)

Foreign Language
& Vocabulary



[Word Up!](#)

Health
& PE



[F.O.R.M.](#)

History &
Social Studies



[Geography \(Live\)](#)

Literature &
Language Arts



[Middle School Literature](#)

Writing



[Grammar of Poetry](#)

Grade 7

[SHOP GRADE 7 →](#)**Bible****Modern Parables****Foreign
Language****Visual Latin 1****Health
& PE****F.O.R.M.****History &
Social Studies****Geography (Live)****Literature &
Language Arts****Middle School Literature****Logic****Introductory Logic****Science****General Science****Writing****Grammar of Poetry**

Grade 8

[SHOP GRADE 8 →](#)**Bible*****Modern Parables*****Foreign
Language*****Visual Latin 2*****Health
& PE*****F.O.R.M.*****History &
Social Studies*****American History*****Literature &
Language Arts**
(choose one)***American Literature (Self-Paced)***
American Literature (Live)**Logic*****Intermediate Logic*****Science*****Physical Science*****Writing*****Grammar of Poetry***

Grade 9

[SHOP GRADE 9 →](#)**Bible*****Understanding the Old Testament*****Fine Arts***(choose one)****The Story of Great Music***
Filmmaking from the First Directors**Foreign
Language*****Spanish 1 (Live)*****Health
& PE*****F.O.R.M.*****History &
Social Studies*****Modernity: World History*****Literature &
Language Arts*****Modern Literature (Live)*****Logic*****Intermediate Logic*****Science*****Devotional Biology*****Western
Culture Series*****The Greeks*****Writing*****Grammar of Poetry***

Grade 10

SHOP GRADE 10 →

Bible

***Understanding the Old Testament***Civics &
Economics***Civics + Economics for Everybody***

Fine Arts

(choose one)***The Story of Great Music***
Filmmaking from the First DirectorsForeign
Language***Spanish 2 (Live)***Health
& PE***F.O.R.M.***History &
Social Studies***Antiquity: Ancient History***Literature &
Language Arts***Ancient Literature (Live)***

Logic

***Logic***Philosophy &
Worldview***How Should We Then Live?***

Science

(choose one)***Creation Science***
Devotional Biology (Lab Science)Western
Culture Series***The Romans***

Writing

***Grammar for Writers +***
Creative Writing

Grade 11

[SHOP GRADE 11 →](#)
Bible


Understanding the Old Testament

**Civics &
Economics**


Civics + Economics for Everybody

Fine Arts
(choose one)


The Story of Great Music
Filmmaking from the First Directors

**History &
Social Studies**


Christendom: Medieval History

**Literature &
Language Arts**


Medieval Literature (Live)

Math


Calculus for Everyone

Philosophy


Philosophy: Consequences of Ideas

Science


Creation Science

**Western
Culture Series**


Christendom

Worldview
(choose one)


Strange New World
How Should We Then Live?

Writing
(choose one)


Grammar for Writers +
Creative Writing
Fitting Words: Rhetoric

Grade 12

SHOP GRADE 12 →

Bible

***Understanding the Old Testament***Civics &
Economics***Civics + Economics for Everybody***

Fine Arts

(choose one)***The Story of Great Music***
Filmmaking from the First DirectorsLiterature &
Language Arts***British & World Literature***

Math

***Calculus for Everyone***

Philosophy

***Philosophy: Consequences of Ideas***

Science

***Creation Science***Western
Culture Series***Early Moderns***

Worldview

(choose one)***Strange New World***
How Should We Then Live?

Writing

(choose one)***Grammar for Writers +***
Creative Writing
Fitting Words: Rhetoric

PLAN YOUR YEAR with Compass Classroom

What curriculum best fits your child? We're here to help homeschool families select the right courses for your students. We have created a guide that is designed so you can easily see all the curriculum options we recommend for each grade level, allowing you to print, make notes, and plan your year with Compass Classroom.

PLAN YOUR YEAR with Compass Classroom
A curriculum selection guide

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SUBJECT	4 TH /5 TH GRADE	6 TH GRADE	7 TH GRADE	8 TH GRADE
Bible		Modern Parables	Modern Parables	Modern Parables Understanding the Old Testament (1 credit)
History			American History*	American History* (1 credit)
Latin	Visual Latin 1	Visual Latin 1 & 2 Spanish Grammar From Latin Roots	Visual Latin 1 & 2 Spanish Grammar From Latin Roots	Visual Latin 1 & 2 Spanish Grammar From Latin Roots
Language Arts Vocabulary Literature	WordUp! Vol. 1-3	WordUp! Vol. 1-3 Middle School Literature Grammar of Poetry	WordUp! Vol. 1-3 Middle School Literature Grammar of Poetry	WordUp! Vol. 1-3 Middle School Literature Grammar of Poetry (.5 credit)
Science			General Science Physical Science	General Science (1 credit) Physical Science (1 credit) Devotional Biology (1 credit w/ lab)
Logic			Introductory Logic Filmmaking From the First Directors	Introductory Logic (.5 credit) Filmmaking From the First Directors (1 credit)
Art & Music				

Have additional questions?
Contact our staff of curriculum specialists and homeschool parents waiting to help you at info@compassclassroom.com. We can help you create a personalized homeschool plan for your family.

***History Recommended Sequence** 1 American History → 2 Modernity → 3 Antiquity → 4 Christendom

Logic
Introductory Logic (.5 credit)
Intermediate Logic (.5 credit)

Art & Music
The Story of Great Music (.5 credit)
Filmmaking From the First Directors (1 credit)

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GET THE PLAN

OUR **PRODUCTS**

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“Some of the highest quality materials we’ve ever used . . . We are so impressed with Compass —and hopeful that we’ll see even more resources in the days to come.”

MODERN PARABLES

Modern Parables is a popular Bible study curriculum that includes short films based on Jesus' parables, insight from dynamic pastors, and in-depth study materials. *Modern Parables* seeks to re-create the emotional immediacy that Jesus' first-century audience felt when first hearing the parables. It does this by using some of the best parable scholarship and exploring it through creative filmmaking.



“My kids loved watching the videos and using the printable materials to stimulate engaging conversation.” — Adrienne

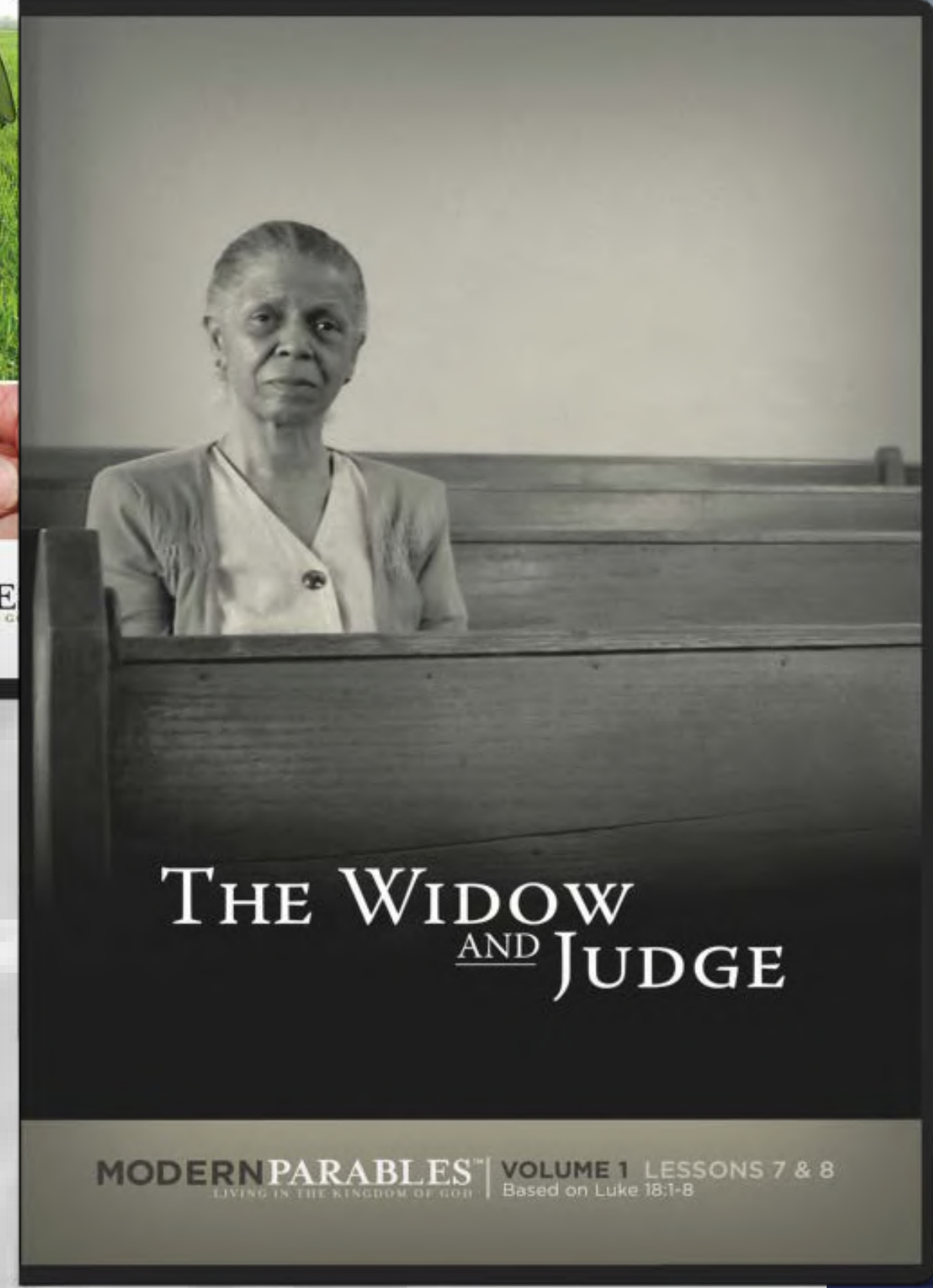
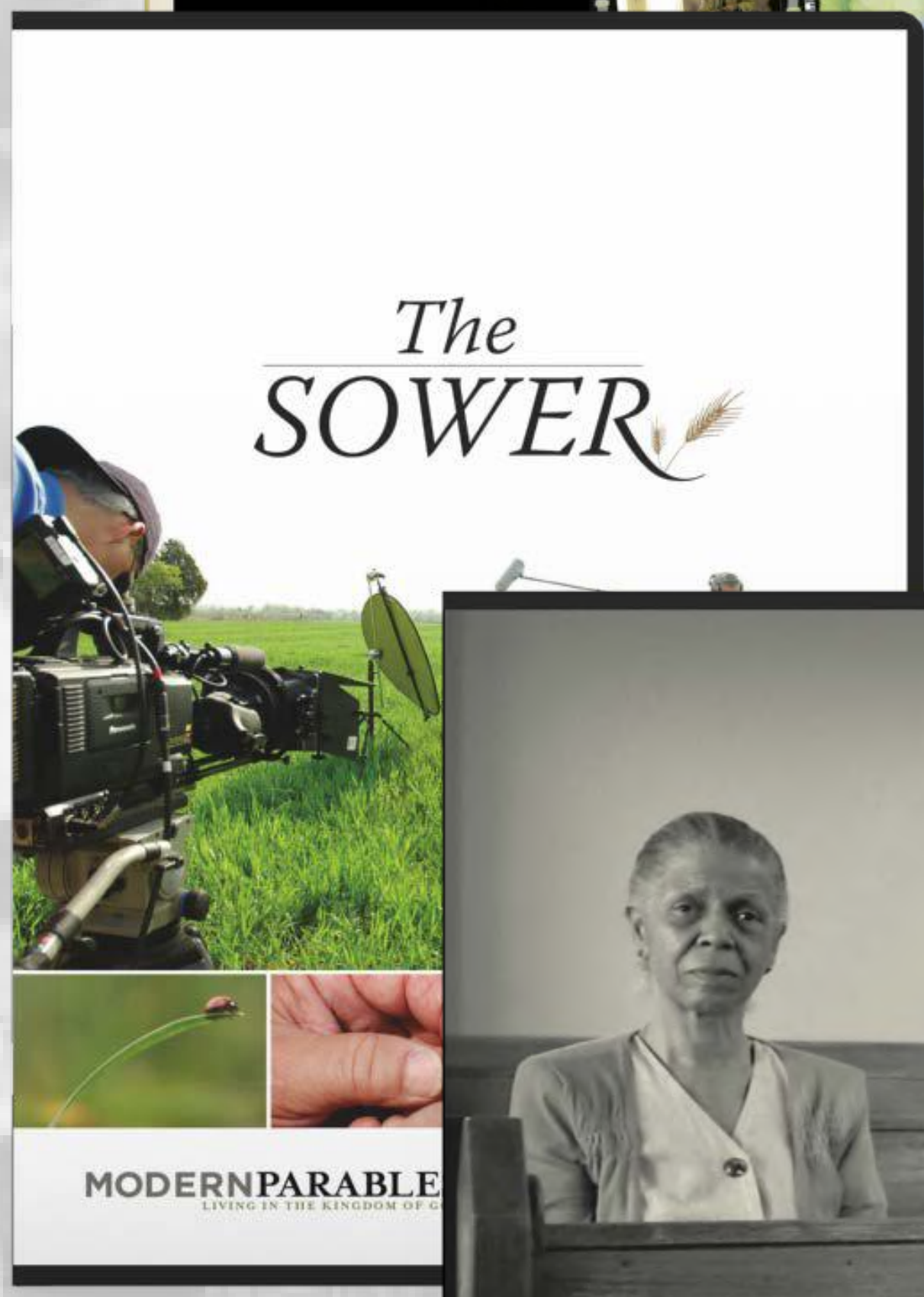
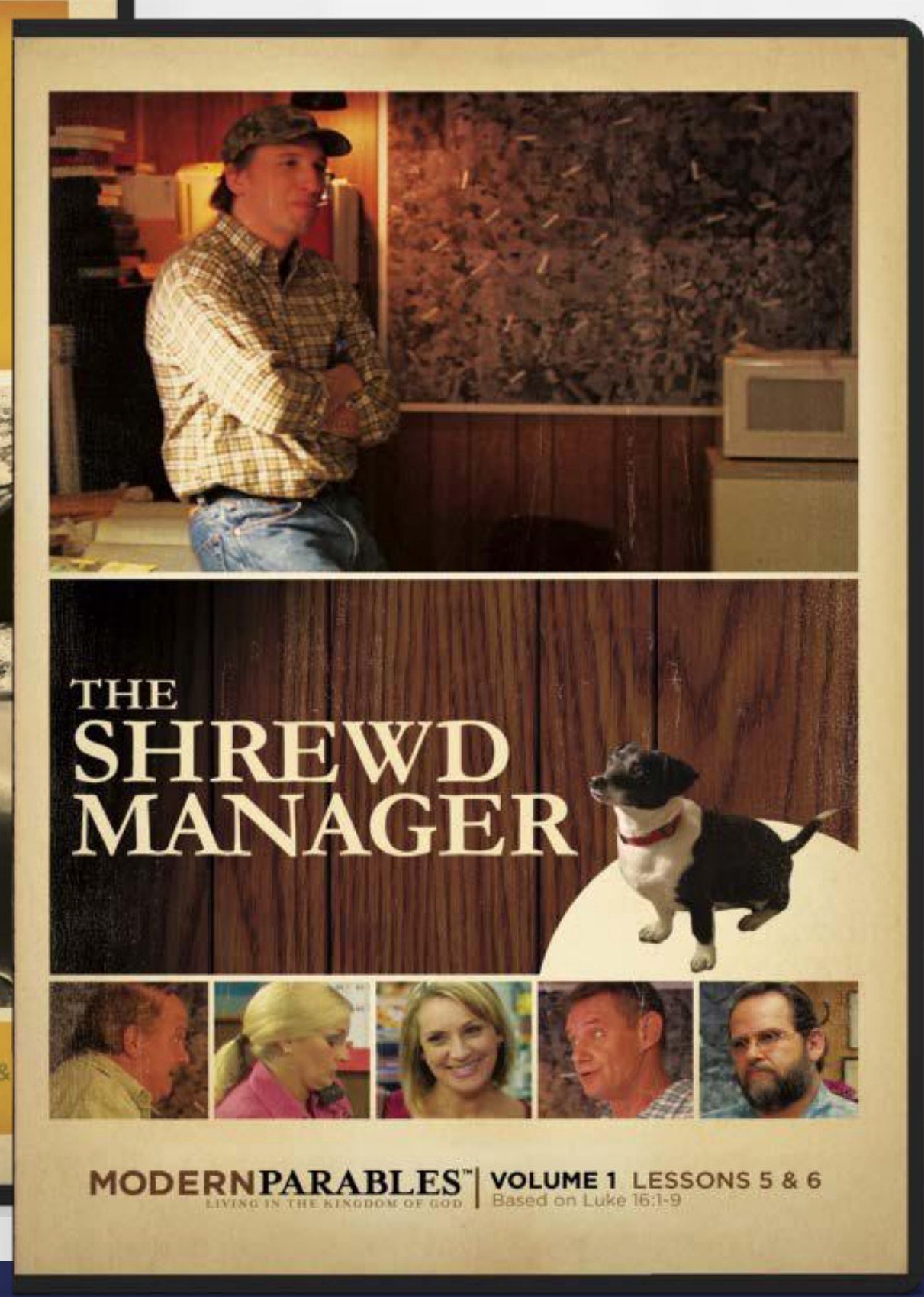
DESIGNED FOR FAMILY OR GROUP USE, THE SET INCLUDES:

- ✓ Six parable films and six application videos for 12 complete lessons, all with Spanish subtitles available.
- ✓ Leader's Guide with two introductory chapters on the parables, 12 detailed teacher's notes for teaching each class, and six lessons on cinematic theology, accompanied by six director's commentaries.

\$90



INCLUDED IN THE COMPASS MEMBERSHIP



Teacher **Thomas Purifoy, Jr.**

Lessons 6 parable films, application videos, and director commentaries

Set Includes Leader's Guide & Study Materials

Available Additional Leader's Guides & Study Books for group study

Format DVD, streaming, USB thumb drive

Grade Level 6+

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS

WATCH THE TRAILER

UNDERSTANDING THE OLD TESTAMENT

Thomas Purifoy, director and producer of *Is Genesis History?*, has taught the Bible to high schoolers for years. Explore the engaging, in-depth curriculum of his own design, including the structure of Redemptive history, the relationship between archeology and the text, issues regarding authorship and inspiration, Israel and other ancient cultures, covenant and promise, and how the Old Testament leads to the coming of Jesus Christ.



“Mr. Purifoy also teaches us how we can learn on our own with books and commentaries, and how to get our answers from the Bible in order to get biblical perspective of life. I think it is a very good resource and extremely helpful.” — Faith

BOOKS COVERED:

Genesis & Exodus | Histories | Major Prophets

\$180INCLUDED
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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher **Thomas Purifoy, Jr.****Credit** 1 (Bible)**Lessons** 28**Required Book** Zondervan NASB Study Bible
(either **hardback** or **bonded leather**)**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 9+

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**

CIVICS

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT'S
HISTORY & STRUCTURE

WITH DAVE RAYMOND



LIVE CLASS

Join master teacher Dave Raymond for a historical journey through American civics and government. Live video discussions and graded coursework will reinforce a biblical understanding of the role of government.

Civics: American Government's History and Structure is a discussion-based class that will study the American system of government by exploring the Biblical basis for civics, a brief history of civil liberty, the English common law system, and America's founding documents.

Students will complete weekly readings and write answers to discussion questions for class. Students will also have an opportunity to demonstrate their understanding of civics through occasional quizzes and a paper on a Supreme Court case at the end of the semester.

“Incredible class! If you want your child to not only experience a government class from a Christian perspective, but also gain practical knowledge about the unique rights and privileges they possess as an American citizen, this is the course for you.”

— Grace

\$325/semester**THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:**

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–December)
- ✓ Weekly, Graded **Discussion Questions**
- ✓ Regular **Quizzes**
- ✓ **Final Paper** on the Supreme Court
- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record

LIVE**Teacher** [Dave Raymond](#)**Credit** 1/2 High School**Course Length** Semester**Meeting Time** Thursdays, 2:15-3:15PM CST**Lessons** 14**Includes** Readings, Quizzes, Discussion Questions**Format** Live Zoom meetings & moderated discussion group on MyCompassClassroom.com**Grade Level** 10+**LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE**

Economics for Everybody

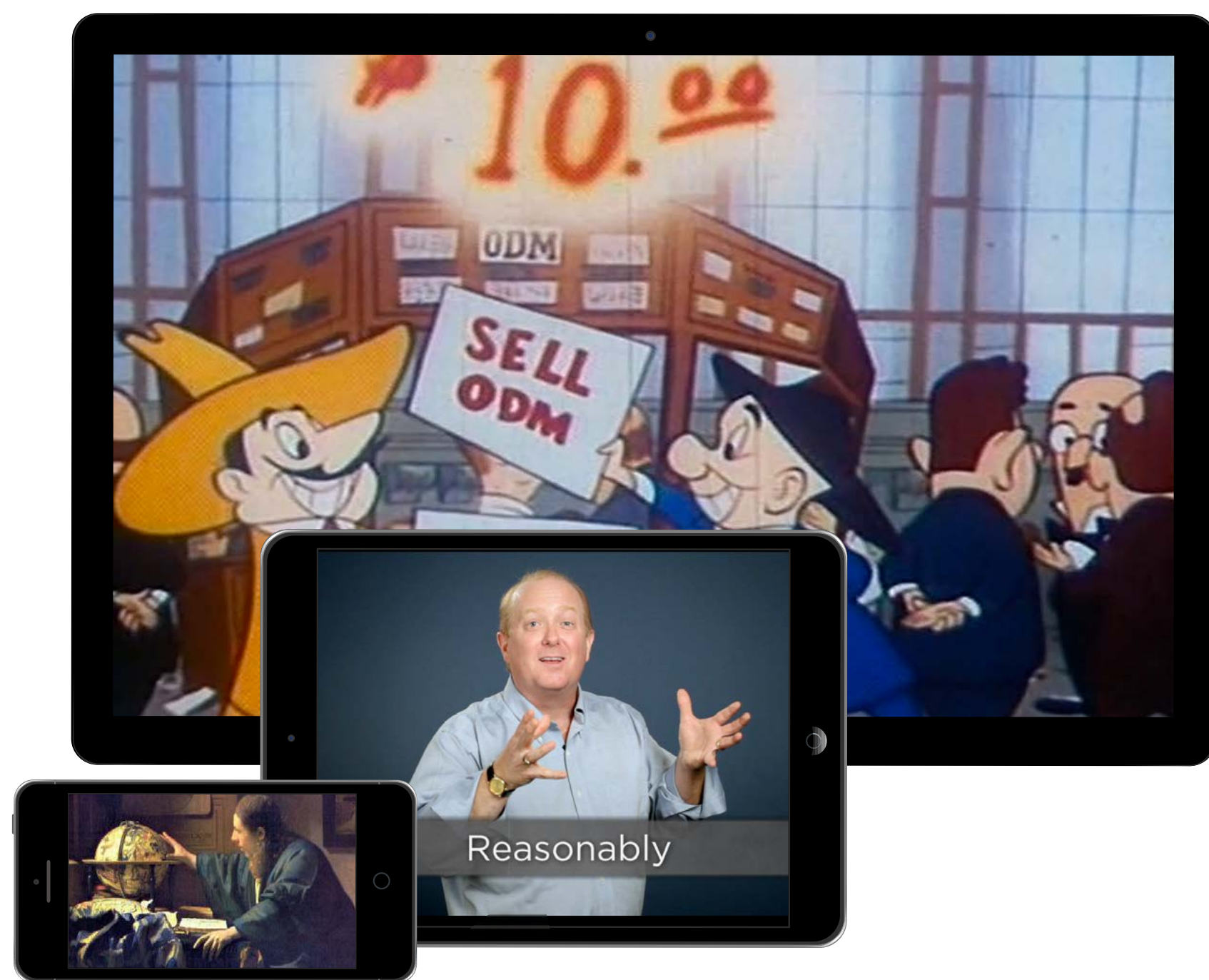
Applying Biblical Principles to Work, Wealth & the World

R.C. Sproul, Jr. provides an insightful and entertaining exploration of the principles, practices, and consequences of economics. Thoroughly unconventional, it links entrepreneurship with lemonade, cartoons with markets, and Charlie Chaplin with supply and demand.

Everything is summarized in a complete study guide with discussion questions, short answers, and recommended additional readings.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

stewardship | sin | civil government | money | trade | profit | free markets | socialism | inflation | depressions | welfare | religious persecution | much more...

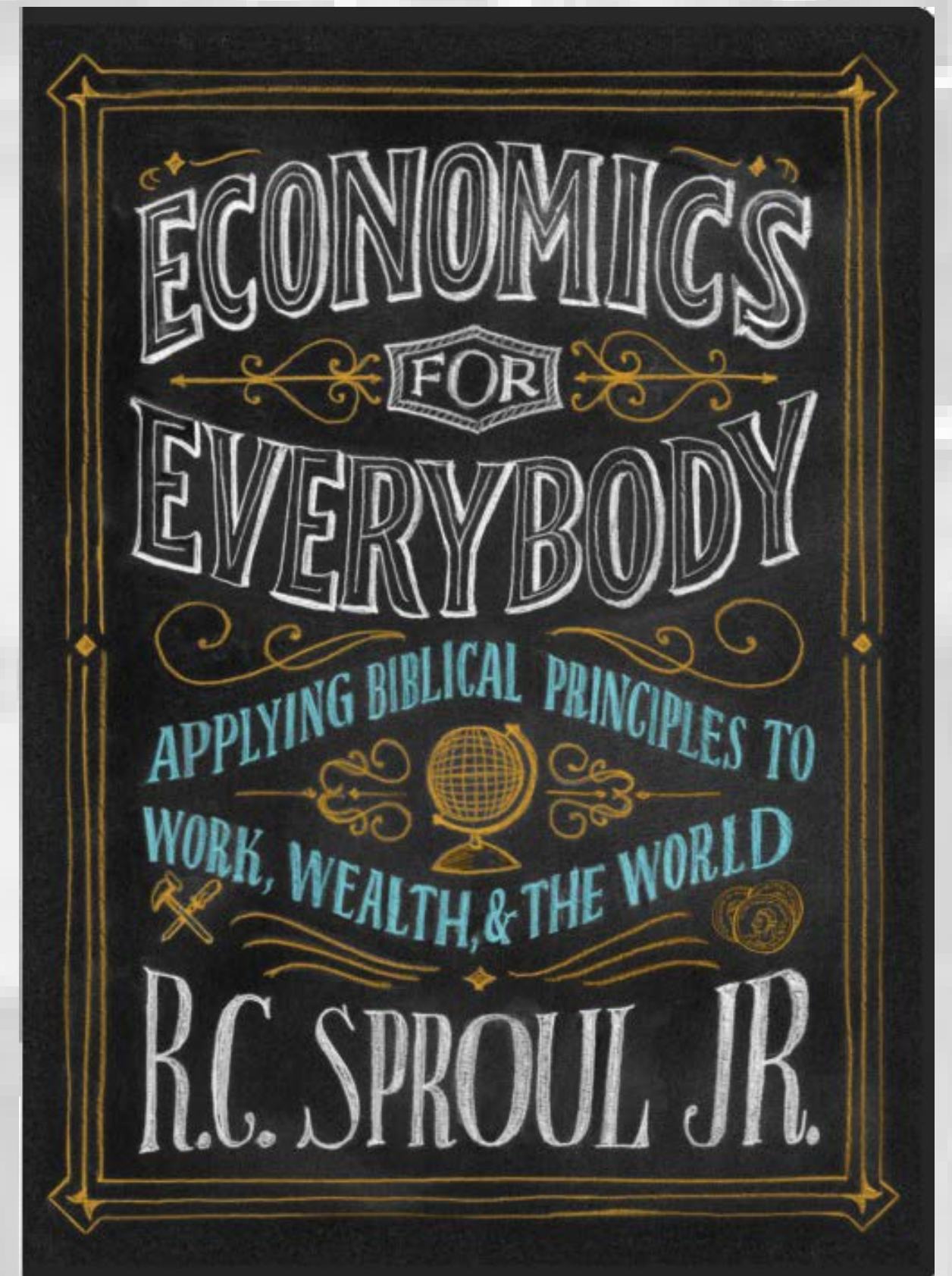


“I think Economics for Everybody should be shown on national TV right now! Loved it! Very engaging videos and rich content. Plan to use with other students and recommend to other homeschooling families.” — Tammy

\$70

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MEMBERSHIP**THIS SERIES:**

- ✓ Shows how economic freedom is directly related to religious freedom
- ✓ Examines the roles of trade, markets, money, and entrepreneurship
- ✓ Explores the differences between socialism, interventionism, and free markets
- ✓ Explains how stewardship is at the heart of a healthy economic system
- ✓ Includes a 274-page Study Guide with a complete scope & sequence, answer key, and integration with Basic Economics.

[View a sample!](#)**Teacher** [R.C. Sproul, Jr.](#)**Credit** 1/2 (Economics); 1 when combined with the *Basic Economics* textbook**Lessons** 12**Includes** Study Guide (PDF & EPUB)**Available** *Basic Economics* (hardcover)**Format** DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 10+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

FILMMAKING

FROM THE FIRST DIRECTORS

Filmmaker Thomas Purifoy, Jr. guides students down the path of early film history

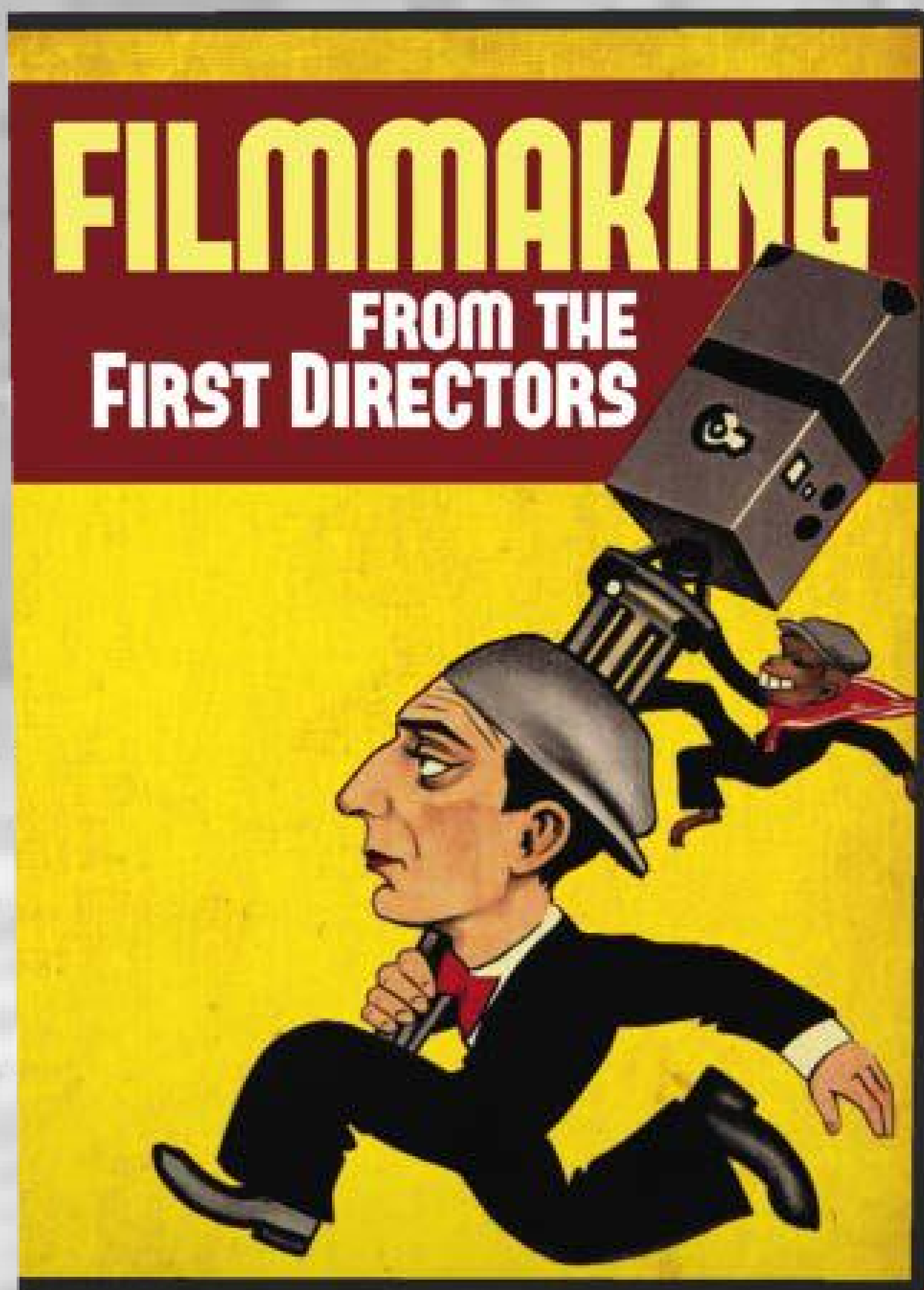
showing how the first great film directors created the modern language of the cinema. A unique approach to learning the craft of filmmaking, Thomas explains continuity

and multi-shot editing, framing and blocking, storytelling, stylization, production techniques, and much more. Students will create up to eight silent films in this class.



“My son loved every aspect of it. Great content and challenging assignments. It's amazing to see how his creativity grew throughout this course.” — Corlia

Assignments include making a variety of short films which will be uploaded for class comments and review.

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MEMBERSHIP**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

- ✓ Digital Video Camera
- ✓ Tripod
- ✓ Computer with Editing Software
- ✓ Internet Connection

Teacher **Thomas Purifoy, Jr.****Credit** 1 (Fine Arts, Computer Technology)**Lessons** 14**Includes** Classic Films to Watch, Interactive Discussion Group**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 9+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

The Story of

GREAT MUSIC

Turn music history from a daunting subject to an entertaining and accessible part of your homeschool.

Take a guided tour through the development of music in the Western world. Starting at the Renaissance and going through the 20th century, students watch engaging performances as they read through the history of composers. A great introduction to classical music.



“I’m only part of the way through but am already impressed with the thoroughness and thoughtfulness of the material included. I’m looking forward to going through more of the course.” — Jennifer

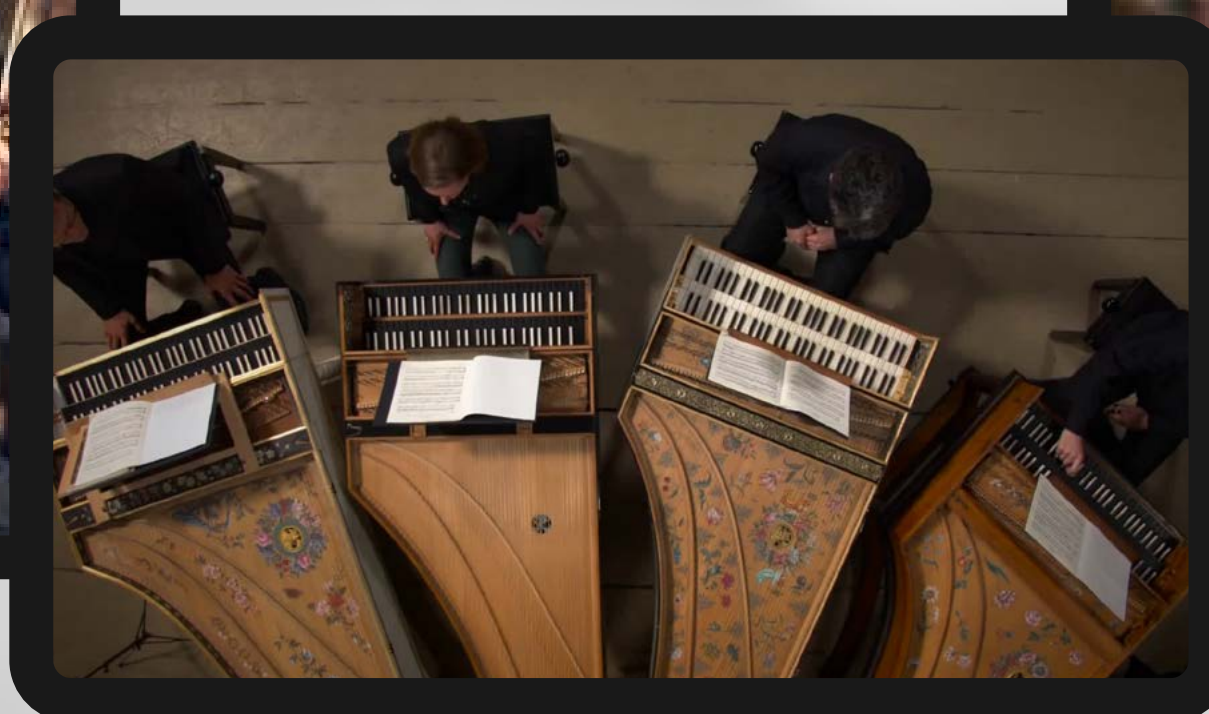
We designed this course in music appreciation for students **without any prior musical training**, but it provides a **robust historical guide for music students** wanting to connect the dots between periods, composers, instruments, and performance styles.

\$140INCLUDED
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MEMBERSHIP**PERIODS COVERED:**

Renaissance | Early Baroque | Classical | Romantic | Modern

SOME COMPOSERS COVERED:Palestrina | Monteverde | Handel | Bach | Haydn | Mozart | Beethoven | Schubert
Mendelssohn | Schumann | Saint-Saëns | Chopin | Liszt | Verdi | Wagner**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Introductory essays on each musical period and composer of note through the beginning of the twentieth century;
- ✓ High-quality performances of the music discussed, curated from around the web;
- ✓ Quizzes on terms and listening identification, as well as research projects to reinforce learning;
- ✓ Playlists for video and audio to extend learning beyond the course;
- ✓ Prompts for a regular listening journal;
- ✓ Suggestions for art projects.

Teacher **Thomas Purifoy, Jr.***Credit* 1 (Music Appreciation, Fine Art)*Lessons* 16*Format* streaming*Grade Level* 9+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

VISUAL LATIN

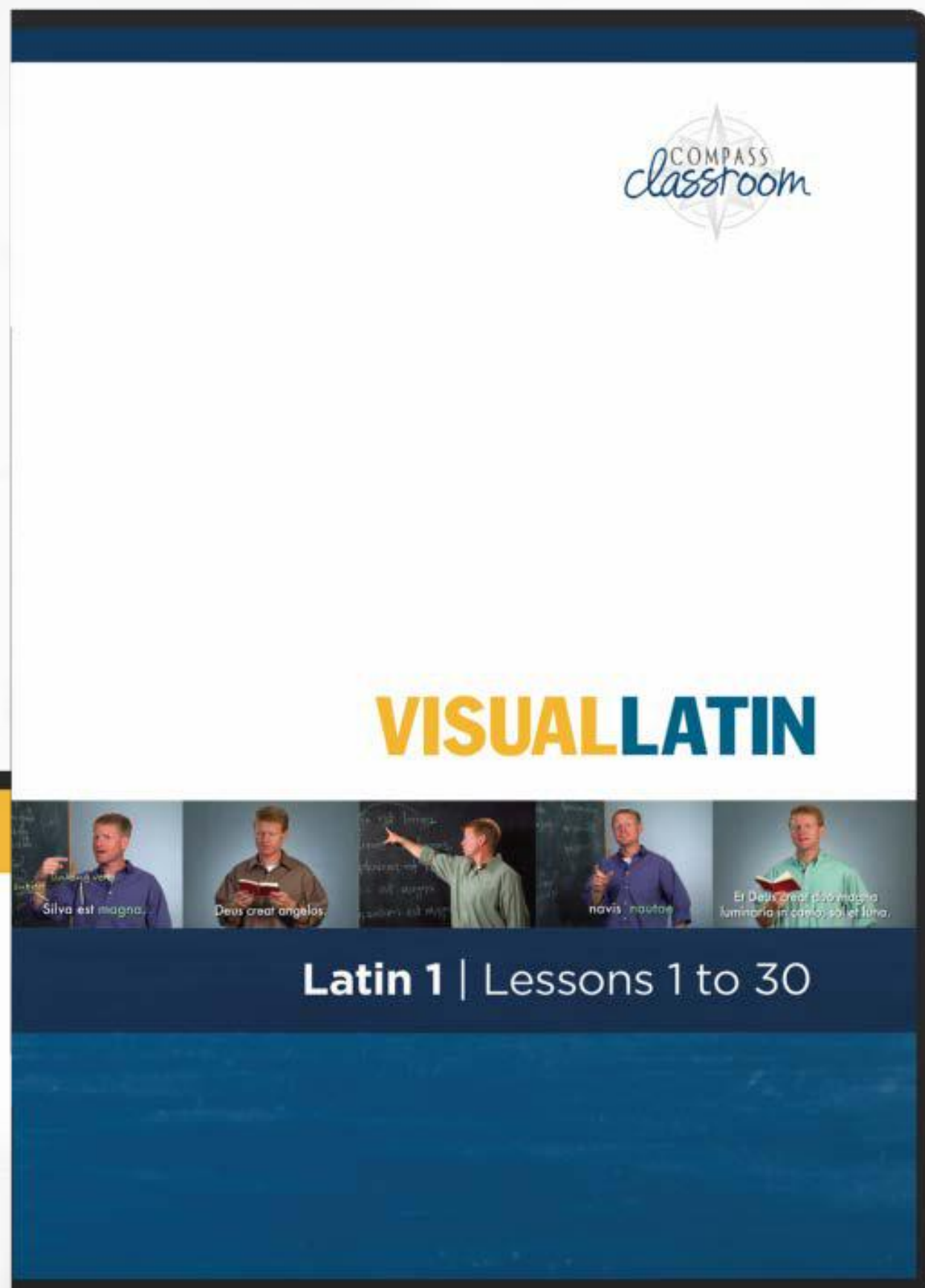
Dwane Thomas is a Latin magician: he's spent over 15 years turning students into Latin speakers and readers. His secret? He's one of those unique teachers who makes learning difficult subjects fun and enjoyable. Thousands of children have already been transformed through his magic. Let yours be next.



“Love it! Easy enough for a first timer and entertaining for teens and tweens! I was a ‘3-time-Latin failure’ with other programs—this one was the one that worked! Two kids in and it’s been great for our family!” — Amy

What’s unique about Visual Latin?

- ✓ Uses a combination of short videos and worksheets for different learning styles
- ✓ Keeps children engaged through clear explanations and humor
- ✓ Includes Latin translations of simplified Vulgate Bible in every lesson
- ✓ Combines the best aspects of the natural and traditional methods of learning

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Three short videos on Grammar, Sentences, and Reading
- ✓ Worksheets with Latin Vulgate Bible Translations
- ✓ Weekly Quizzes
- ✓ Online Flashcards

**Teacher** **Dwane Thomas****Credit** 1 per level (Foreign Language, Latin)**Lessons** 30 per level**Includes** Teacher's Guide, Worksheets, Quizzes & Vocab Lists (PDF); Flash Cards (online)**Available** Teacher's Guide, Worksheets & Quizzes (softcovers); Teaching Guides for use with Henle & Lingua Latina (PDF)**Format** DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 7+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

SPANISH 1

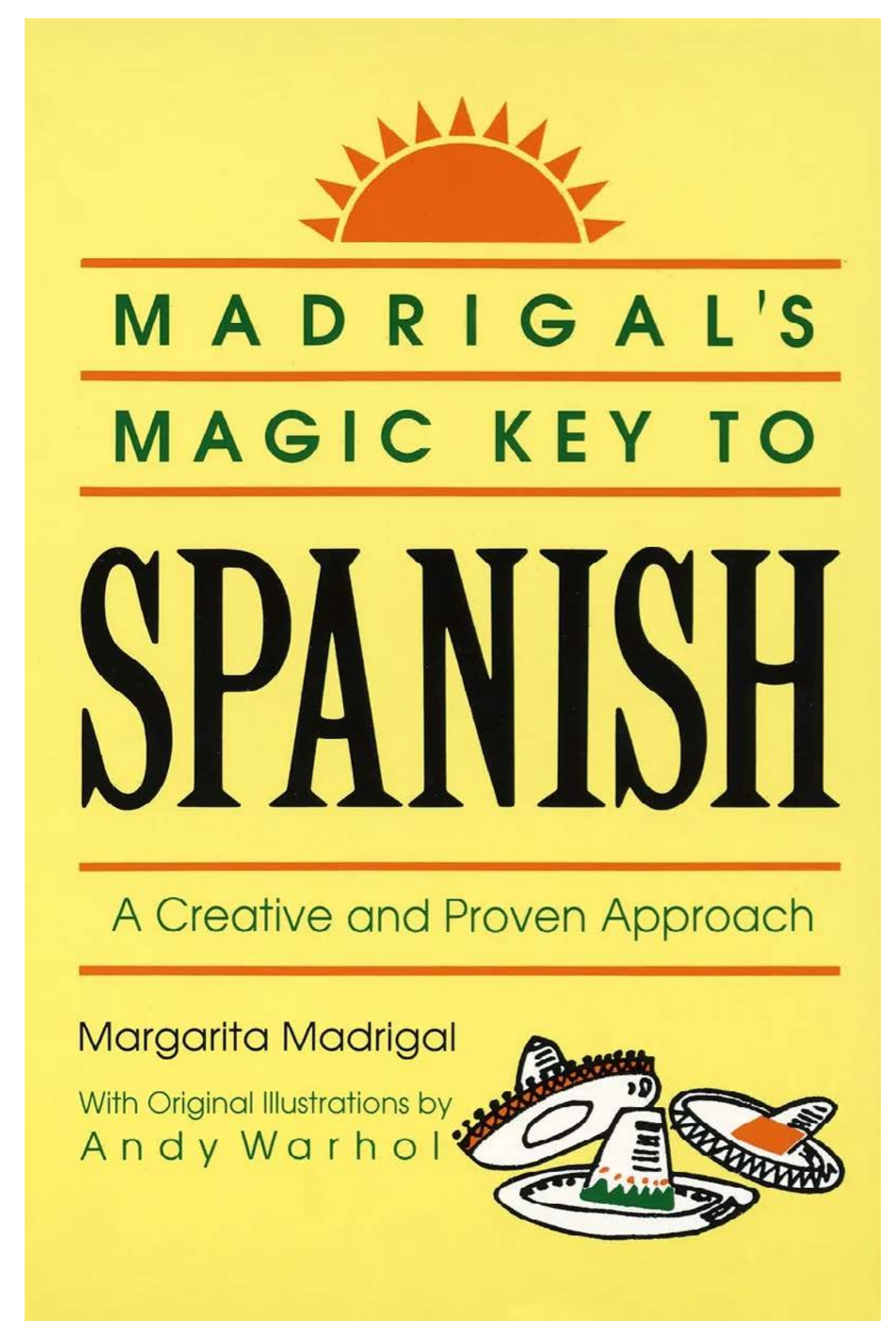


LIVE CLASS

Dwane Thomas once again presents his popular live Spanish classes. Students wanting a high school foreign language will get practice reading and speaking Spanish each week.

In Spanish 1, Dwane will take students through most of *The Magic Key to Spanish* by Margarita Madrigal. Students will learn all of Spanish grammar. This is a rather intense class, though the book makes the course seem somewhat easy. There are 45 chapters in the book.

In the beginning, with the easier chapters, he will move at the pace of several chapters weekly. Students will read the chapters, and then will come to class to discuss what they have read. Everyone will practice speaking Spanish in class. There will be opportunities for questions and discussion. Multiple choice tests and test keys are included for every chapter on Dwane's site, where grades will be posted.



“My son is enjoying Dwane Thomas so much, and his personality keeps our attention. The hardest part is the fast pace, but we’re trusting the method!” — Elizabeth

\$650/year**THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:**

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–May)
- ✓ Weekly **Conversations**
- ✓ Regular **Tests** on textbook material
- ✓ Grades Available for Parent Record

LIVE



Teacher **Dwane Thomas**

Credit 1 (Foreign Language,
Year 1)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Tues., Wed., & Thurs., 9:30–9:55AM CST

Weeks 31

Includes Live Conversations, Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group,
Quizzes

Format Live on GoToMeeting

Grade Level 9+

LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE

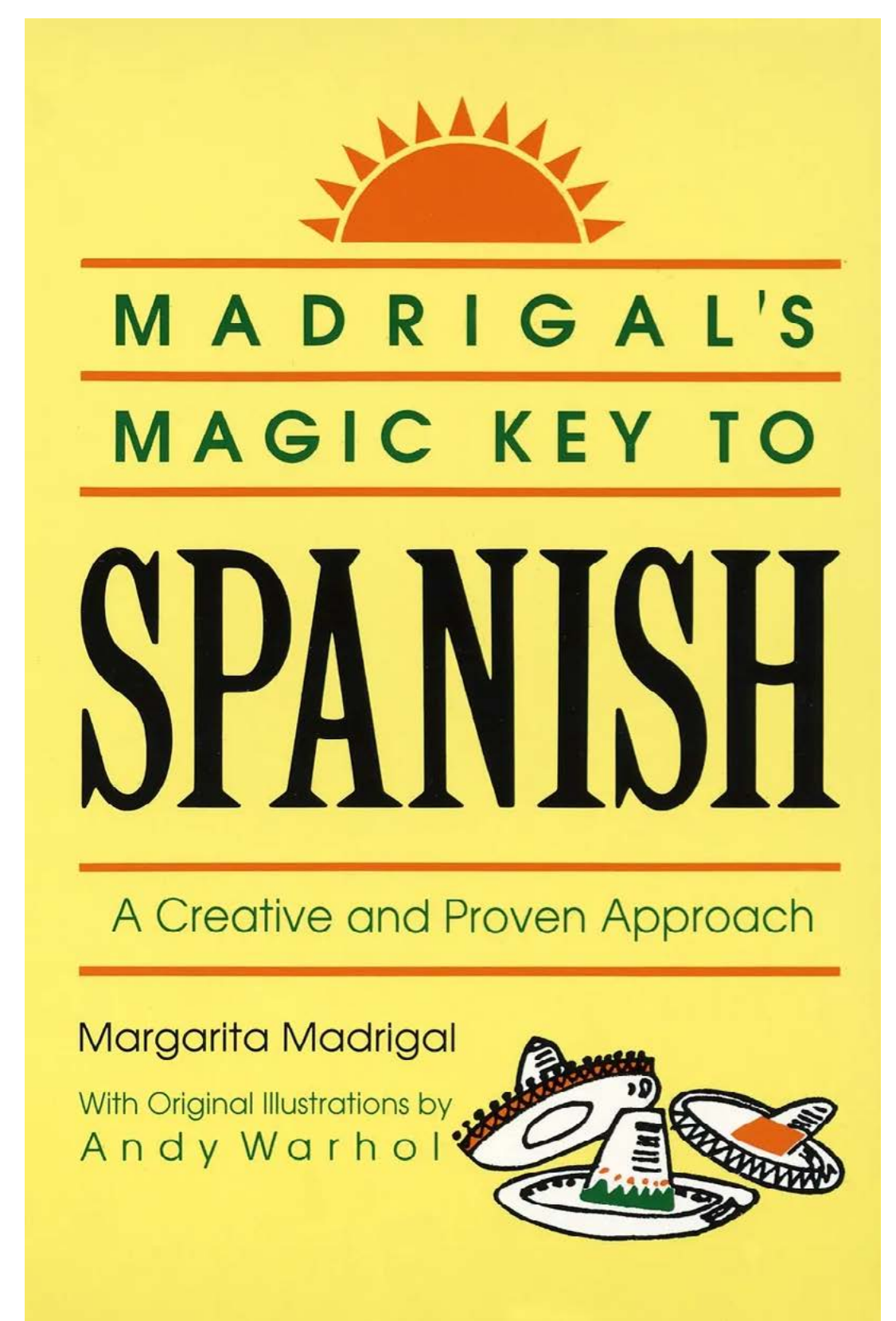
SPANISH 2



LIVE CLASS

Spanish 2 will serve students wanting their second year at the high school level. They will get practice reading and speaking the language each week.

Dwane will finish the last chapters of *The Magic Key to Spanish* by Margarita Madrigal before reading a fiction book with the students in Spanish. He will announce the title over the summer, but it will be a classic such as *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*. Students will read the chapters, and then will come to class to discuss what they have read. Everyone will practice speaking Spanish in class. There will be opportunities for questions and discussion. Multiple choice tests and test keys are included for every chapter on Dwane's site, where grades will be posted.



“Dwane's love for foreign languages is infectious!” — Ashley

\$650/year**THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:**

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–May)
- ✓ Weekly **Conversations**
- ✓ Regular **Tests** on textbook material
- ✓ Grades Available for Parent Record

LIVE



Teacher **Dwane Thomas**

Credit 1 (Foreign Language,
Year 2)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Mon., Tues., Wed., & Thurs., 9–9:25AM CST

Weeks 31

Includes Live Conversations, Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group,
Quizzes

Format Live on GoToMeeting

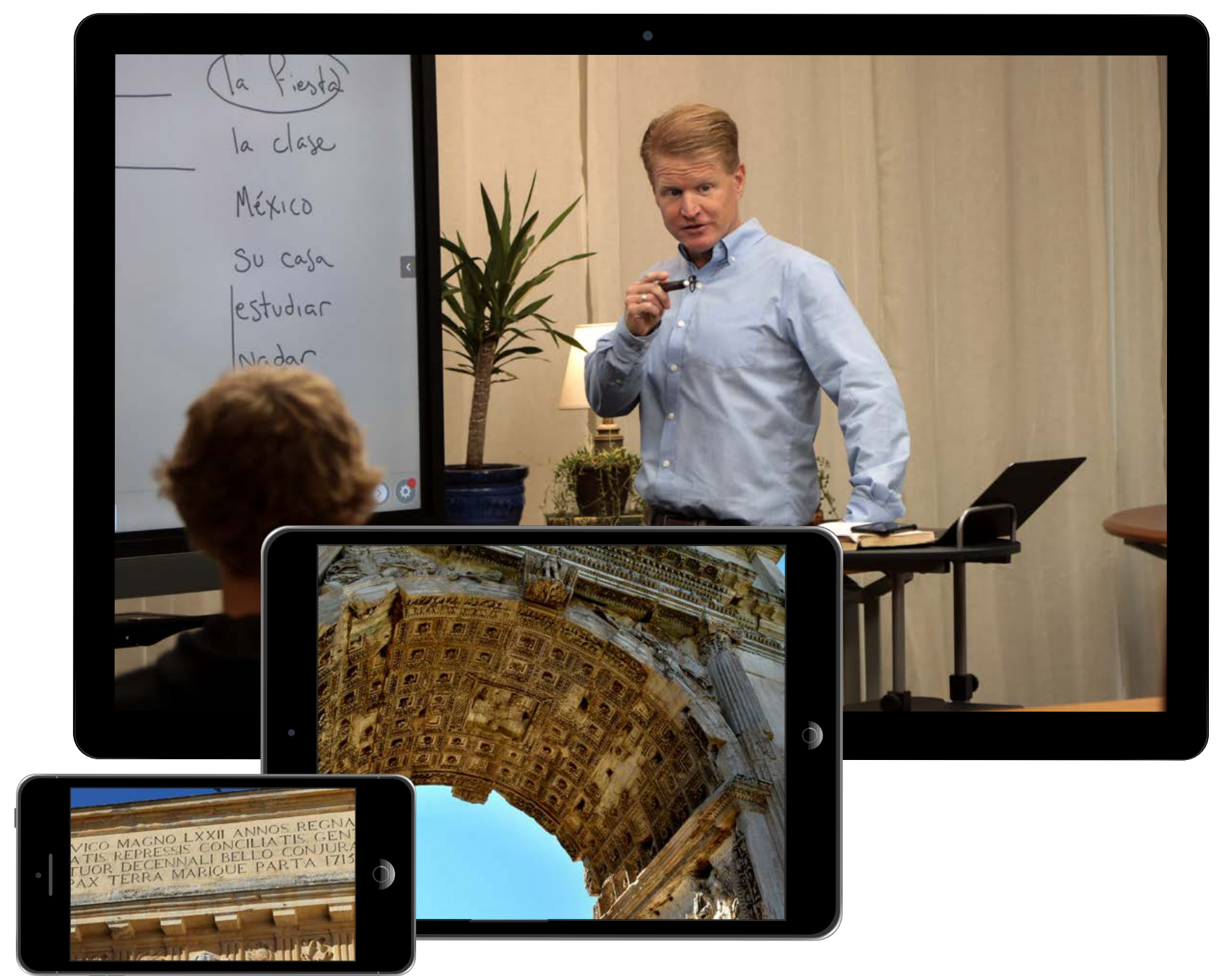
Grade Level 9+

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SPANISH GRAMMAR

from Latin Roots

Dwane Thomas, of *Visual Latin* and *Word Up!* fame, teaches kids introductory Spanish using an unusual and effective new approach based on Latin grammar. Drawing from the student's vocabulary in English and (possibly) Latin, Dwane teaches the structure and grammar of the language along with pronunciation.



Topics Include...

The Past Tense in Spanish

The Preterite Tense

–*er* and –*ir* Verbs

Plural Verbs and Adjectives

Past Tense: –*er* and –*ir* verbs

Irregular verbs: *estar* and *ser*

Present Participles

The Present Tense

Past Tense Irregular

Past Participles

Radical Verbs

The Verb *ir*

Irregular Verbs

Direct Object Pronouns

Indirect Object Pronouns

Reflexive Verbs

The Imperfect Tense

Commands

Subjunctive

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

This course provides an excellent introduction to the structure and grammar of the Spanish language, with particular reference to its origins in Latin. However, it is not recommended for high school credit since it does not provide evaluation in spoken Spanish.

Teacher **Dwane Thomas****Lessons** 29**Required Books** *Madrigal's Magic Key to Spanish, All Spanish Method*
by Guillermo Aviles**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 8+

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

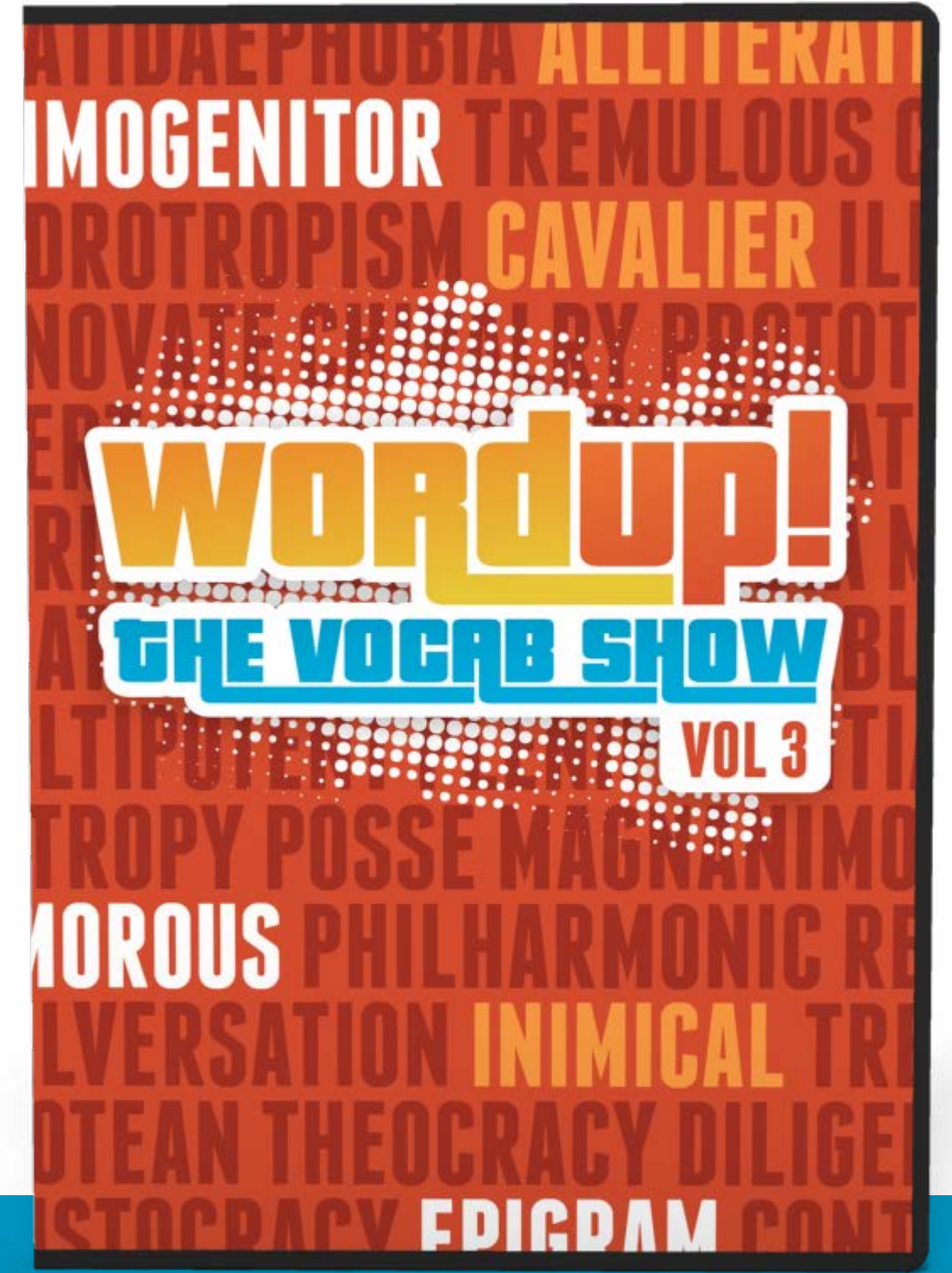
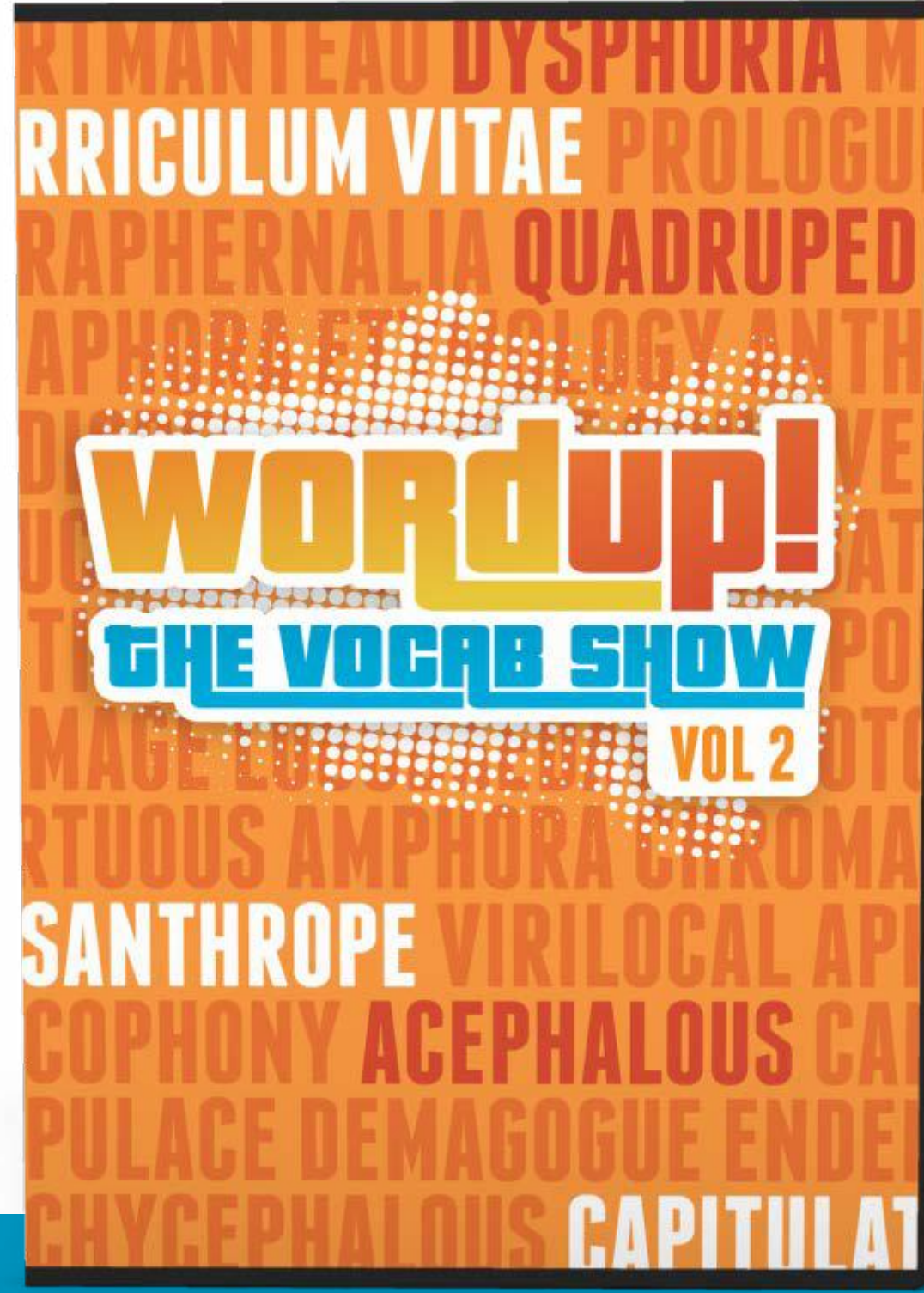
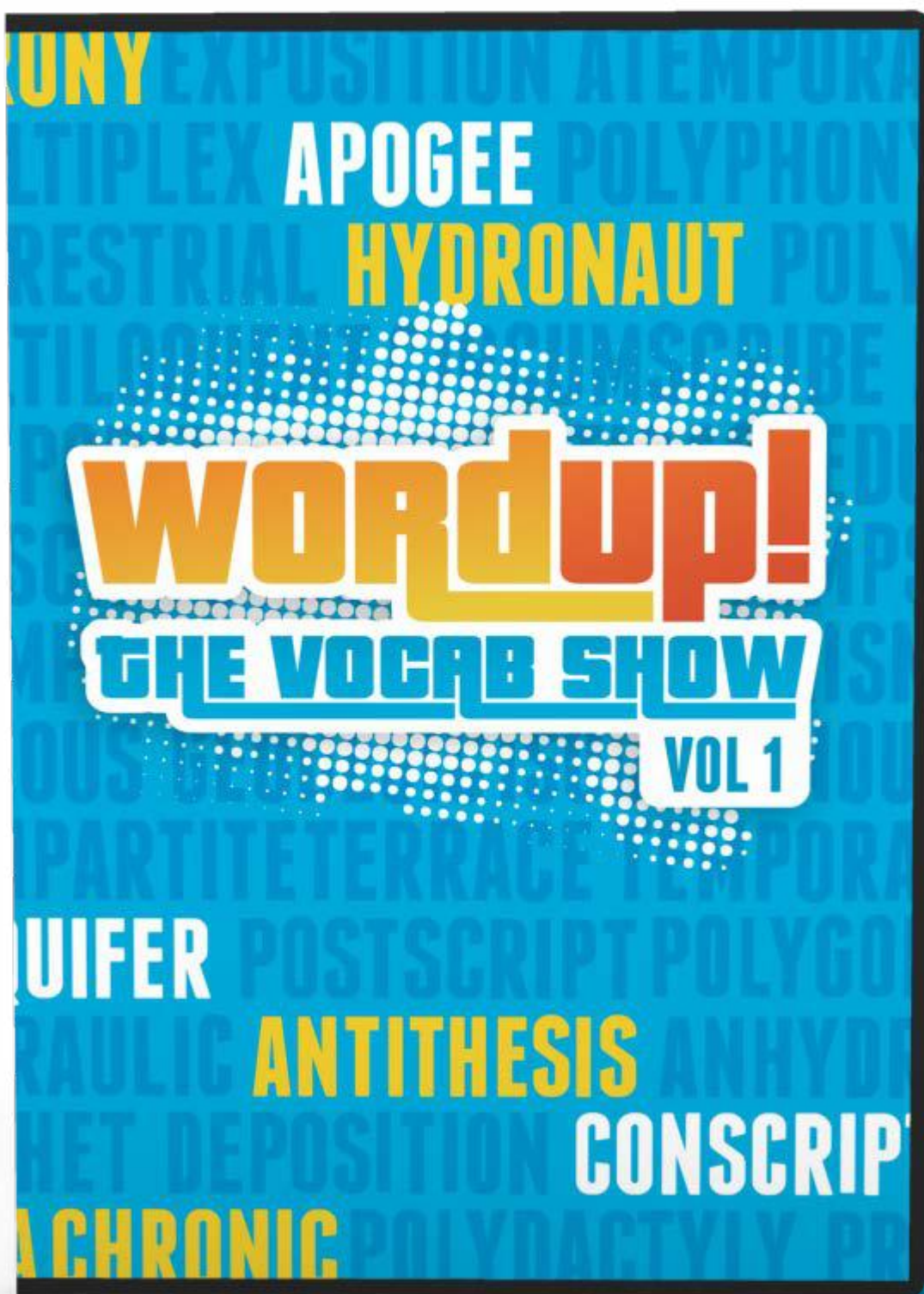
LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**

WORD UP! THE VOCAB SHOW

Dwane Thomas stars in a zany show teaching Latin and Greek roots plus hundreds of English vocabulary words. Utilizing a visually-mnemonic approach to learning, Word Up! seriously expands a student's grasp of the vocabulary used in literature, science, and standardized tests. Altogether, this series will introduce 67 Latin & Greek roots and more than 600 English words.



“Word Up! is an engaging, entertaining and educational foray into Greek and Latin roots. Dwane’s character and quirky humour create a method of instruction that keeps the kids asking for more!” — Tina

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COMPASS
MEMBERSHIP*Teacher* **Dwane Thomas***Lessons* 10 per volume*Includes* Flashcards & Games (online)*Format* DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming*Grade Level* 6+**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ 10 English words from a Greek root
- ✓ 10 English words from a Latin root
- ✓ Online flash cards, memory games, & printable vocab lists

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS**WATCH THE TRAILER**

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HEALTH & PE

It can be a challenge to find a health and PE curriculum that aligns with our values. Most health curriculum is boring, dated and forces us to endlessly sift through the materials to find what is fitting for our kids.

The F.O.R.M. Curriculum is a Biblically based health and PE course that has all the resources parents need. With animated videos, teaching guides, devotional guides, movement videos, automatically graded assessments and more, you can cover the health credit from a Biblical worldview.

There are **four pillars, units of eight lessons each**, that compose F.O.R.M.



1

Functional Fitness

Learning how to move well over a lifetime.

2

Optimal Nourishment

Learning how to enjoy food, while also fueling our bodies.

3

Rest & Recovery

Learning how to create preventative routines to stay refreshed.

4

Multiplied Maintenance

Learning the foundations of healthy living & helping others do the same.

“F.O.R.M curriculum has been a transformative addition to our homeschooling journey. It's not just a program; it's an inspiration for my daughter to embrace complete health.” — Miranda

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COMPASS
MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ **An animated lesson** that covers everything students need to know about how to take care of their bodies (8-12 minutes each). Includes interactive learning guides.
- ✓ **A lesson guide** to help you go even deeper into the topic.
- ✓ **Teaching slides** teachers can use to go deeper into the lessons.
- ✓ **Auto-graded assessments** solidify what your students learned in the lessons.
- ✓ **A movement video** to teach your students functional motor movements they can practice to strengthen their bodies.
- ✓ **Nutrition challenges** that break down nutrition into a simple framework for students to practice creating healthy meals and snacks.
- ✓ **A devotional guide** that takes your student on a journey to see what the Bible teaches about the topics they are learning.

Teachers Ashton Tate & Joel Evrist**Credit** 1 (P.E., Health, Fitness)**Lessons** 36**Includes** Assessments, Guided Notes, Interactive Learning Guides, Fuel Challenge, Recipe Book (PDF)**Available** Pillars also [sold separately](#)**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 6+

When you purchase the complete set, you also receive four bonus lessons about more sensitive topics. Many parents want to cover these topics but don't know where to start. F.O.R.M. approaches them from a Biblical worldview.

BONUS LESSONS

1. Emotional Health
2. Sexual Engagement & Reproduction
3. Social Health, Conflict & Grief
4. Substance Abuse & Addiction

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS

Dave Raymond's
**HISTORY
SERIES**

In this extremely popular series, Dave Raymond uses storytelling to show how a Christian worldview applies to the history of the world.

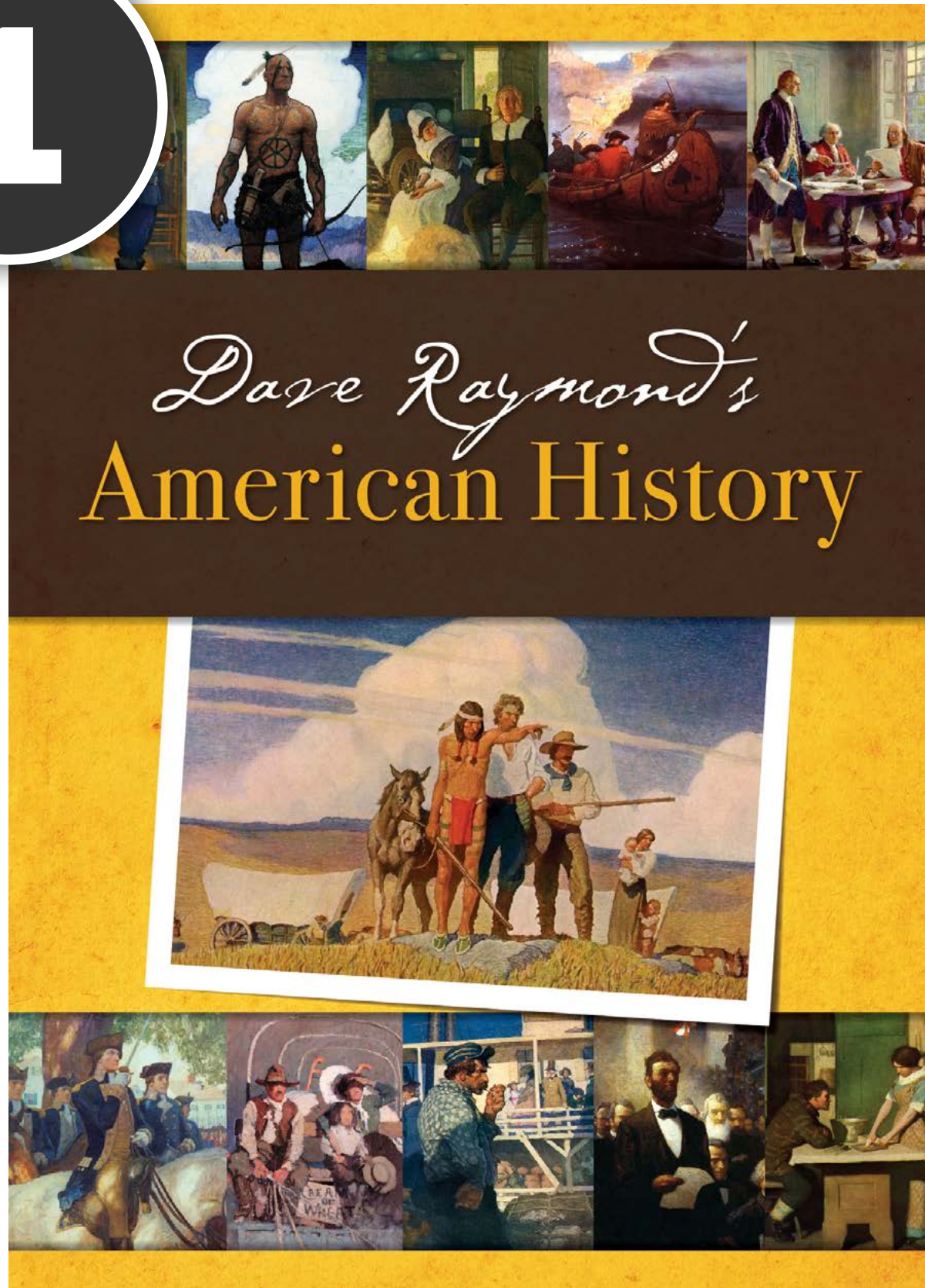
His respect for history as God's providence lets him take an honest and insightful approach to the men, women, and events of the past.

The curriculum sets can be watched in any order. Recommended ages are *American History* 12+, *Modernity* 13+, *Christendom* 14+, and *Antiquity* 14+. If the included scope and sequence is followed, each course qualifies for 1 high school credit.



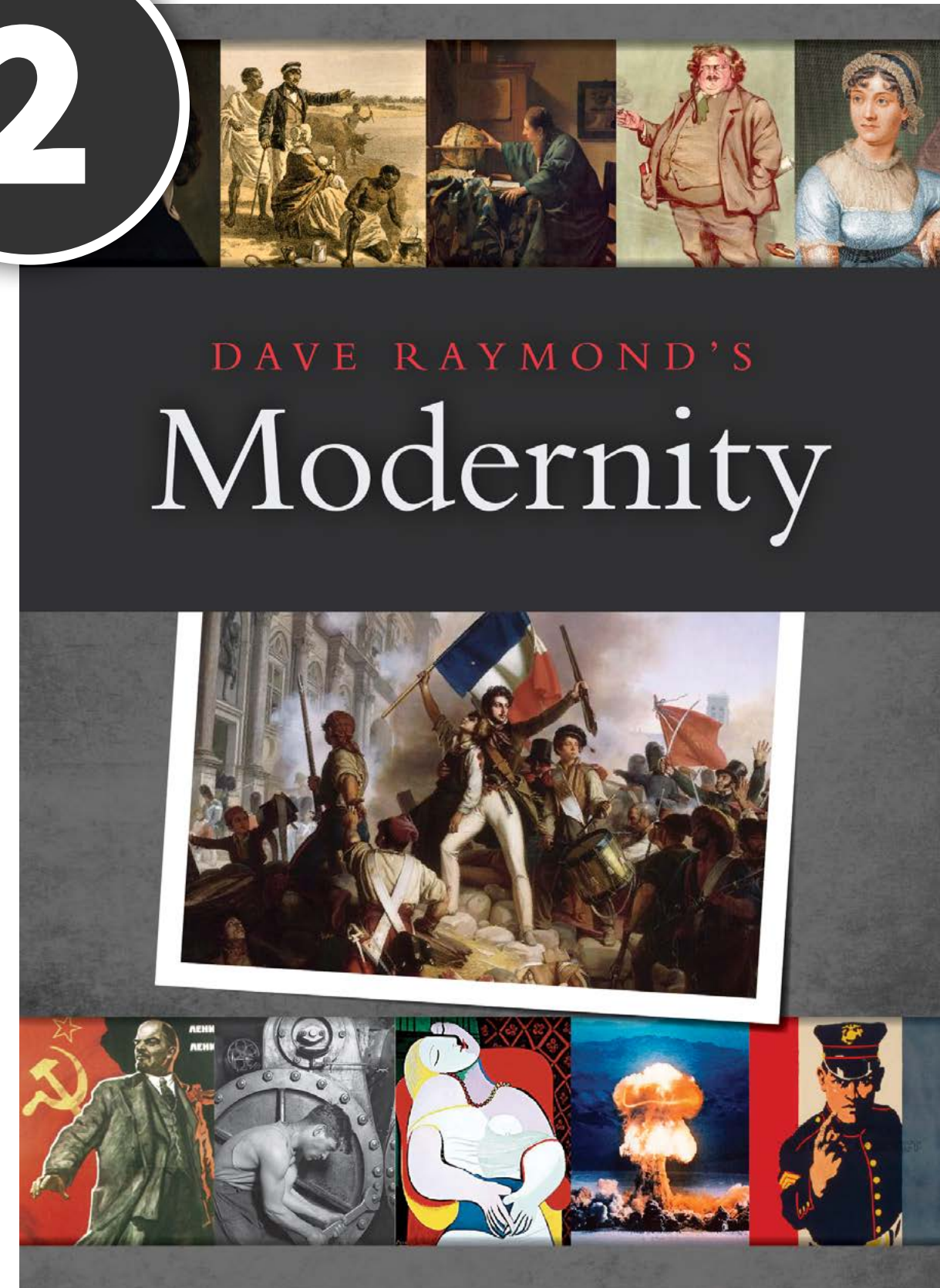
We recommend completing the history curriculum in this order:

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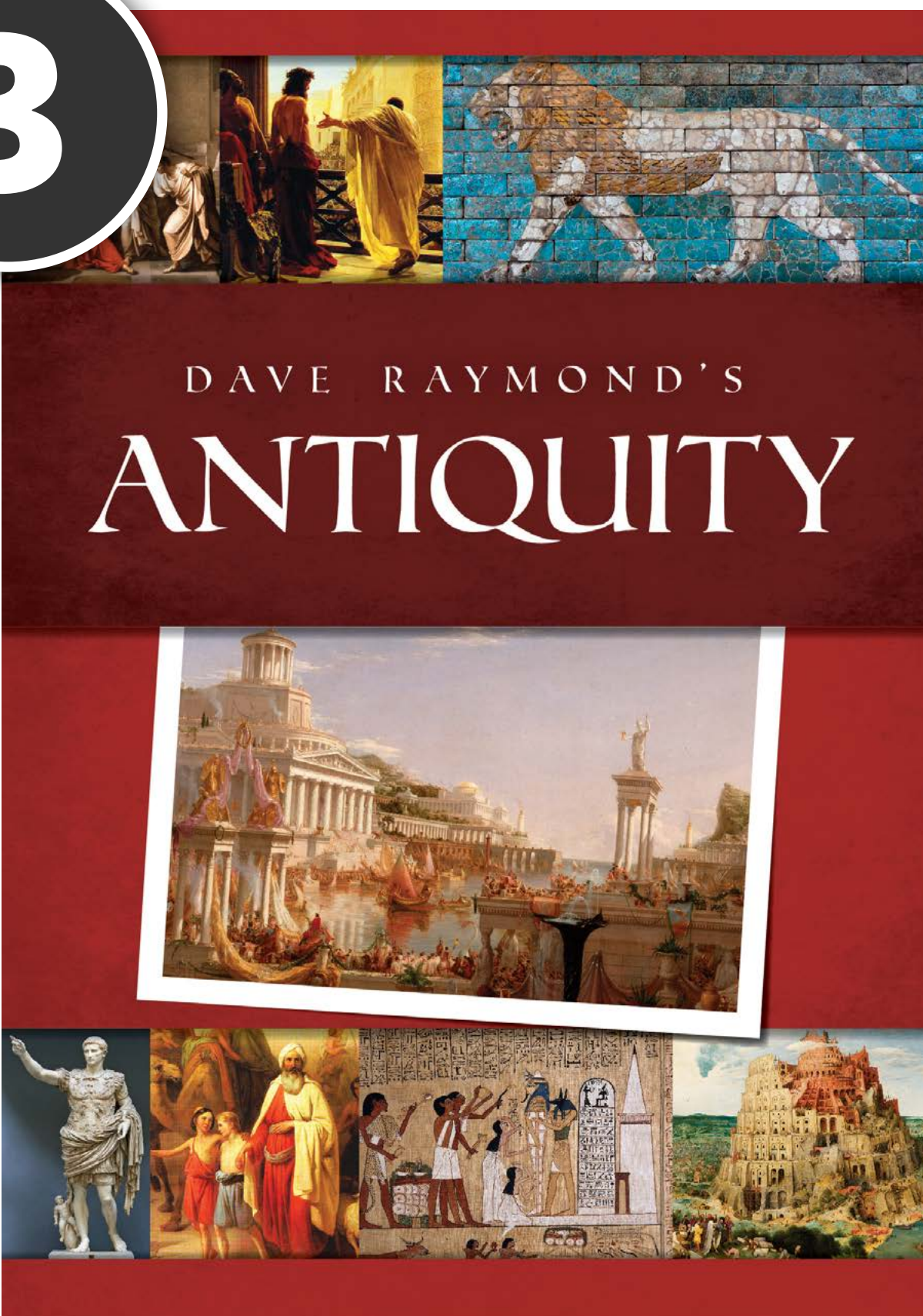
Recommended viewing age **12+**

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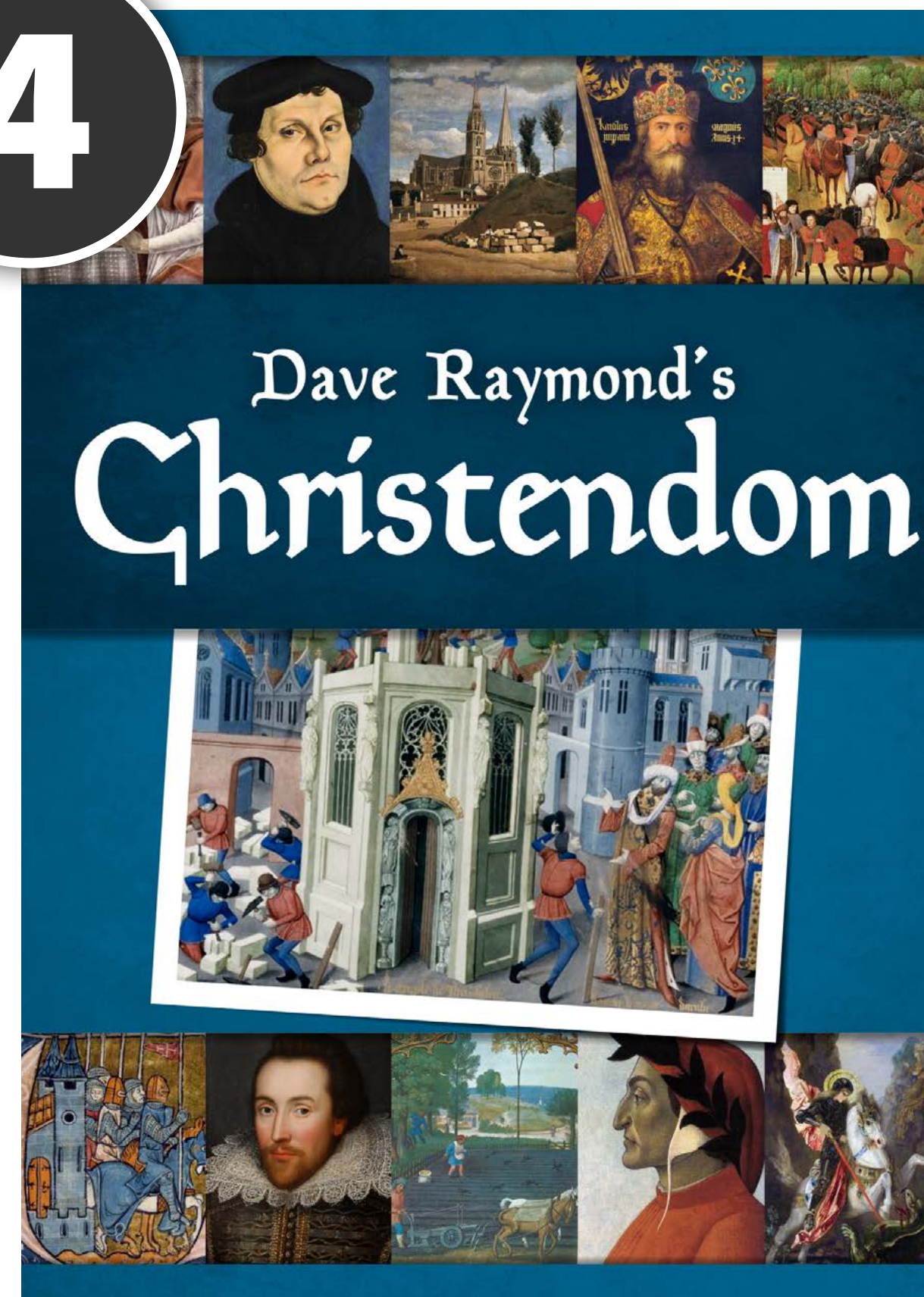
Recommended viewing age **13+**

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Recommended viewing age **14+**

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Recommended viewing age **14+**

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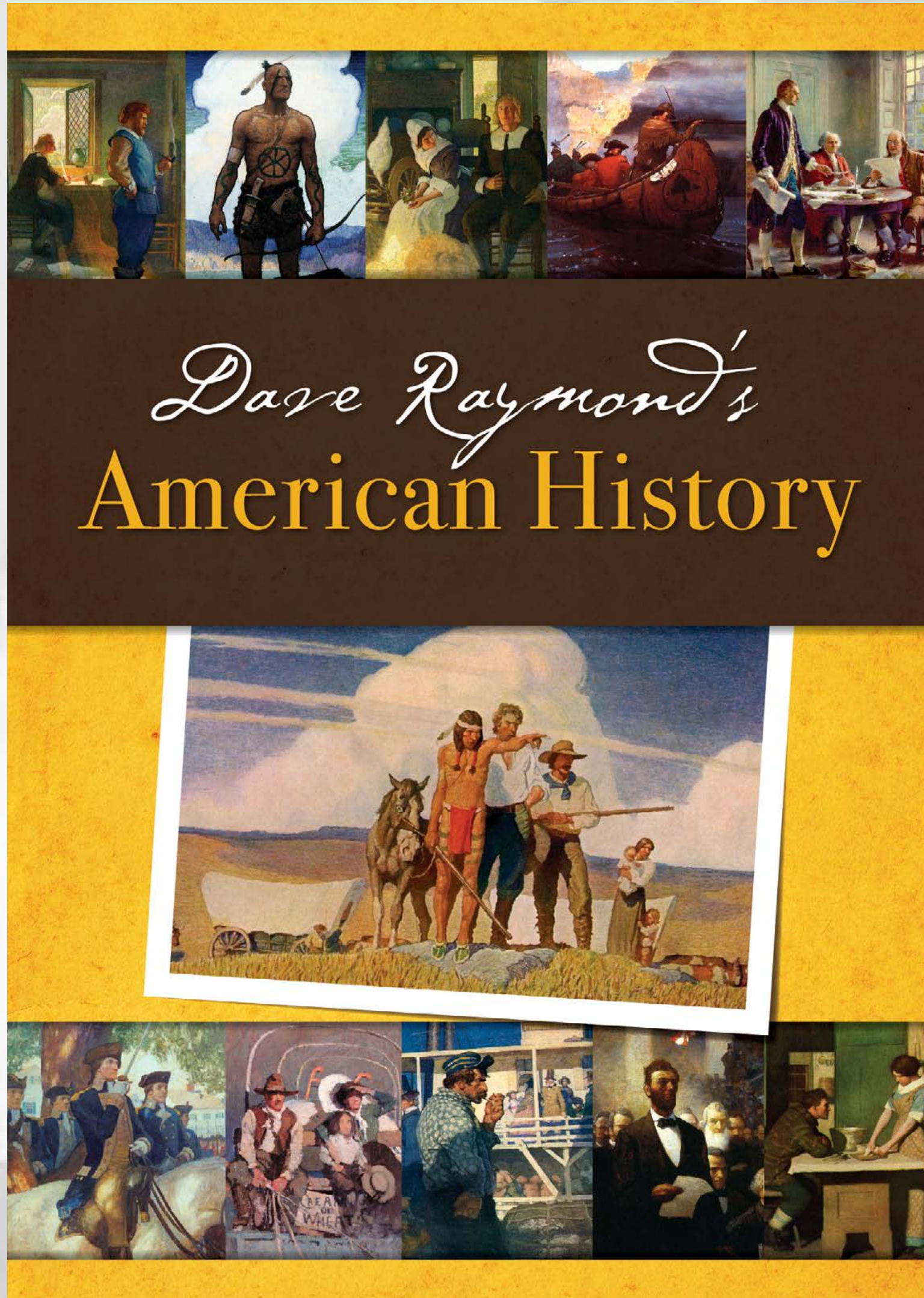
Each product page has information on the class, how to assign credit, additional resources, and reading lists.

Dave Raymond's American History

Dave Raymond has spent over a decade teaching history from a Christian worldview. In this engaging series, he explores the story of the United States by focusing on key people, events and ideas that shaped our nation. His accompanying reader provides 284 pages of original source material so students are exposed to the documents that became history.

“Dave Raymond's American History is by far our favorite history experience so far. It's engaging, involves interesting projects (not busy work), and biblical theology incorporated throughout. We will continue to use Dave Raymond's series.” — Ashlee



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Dave Raymond's American History

EACH LESSON INCLUDES:

- ✓ Five lectures (10-15 minutes each)
- ✓ Weekly readings and exams
- ✓ Projects, essays, and a year-long portfolio

Teacher [Dave Raymond](#)

Credit 1 (U.S. History)

Lessons 26

Includes Teacher's Guide & Student Reader (PDF & EPUB)

Available Teacher's Guide, Student Reader (softcovers) [VIEW SAMPLE](#)

Format DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming

Grade Level 8+

Video Hours 25 hours of teaching

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS



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DAVE RAYMOND'S

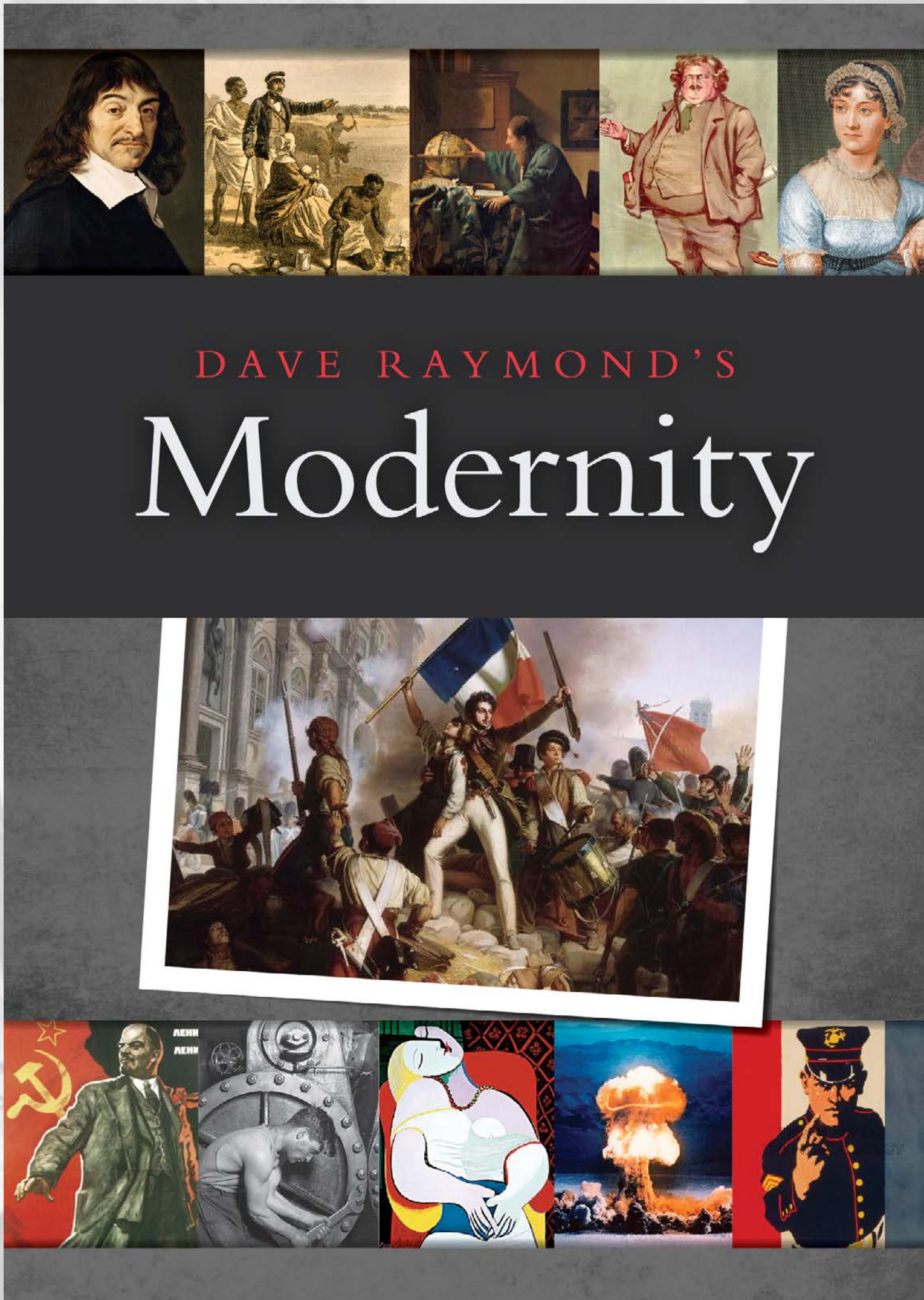
Modernity

If you've traveled across the New World in Dave Raymond's American History course, you'll want to continue the journey in this exciting addition to his history cycle. Under Dave's instruction, students will learn how to apply a Christian worldview to the major ideas, people and movements of our current age. Modernity covers world history from 1600 to the early 21st-century.

"I just asked my daughter taking Modernity to review it. Her reaction, 'I love it! It doesn't describe history as just dates and events. It gives context as to why events took place, and the people behind them. Before this, I thought history was boring. I look forward to working on Modernity. It's my favorite class.'"

— Carla



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DAVE RAYMOND'S
Modernity

EACH LESSON INCLUDES:

- ✓ Five lectures (20-25 minutes each)
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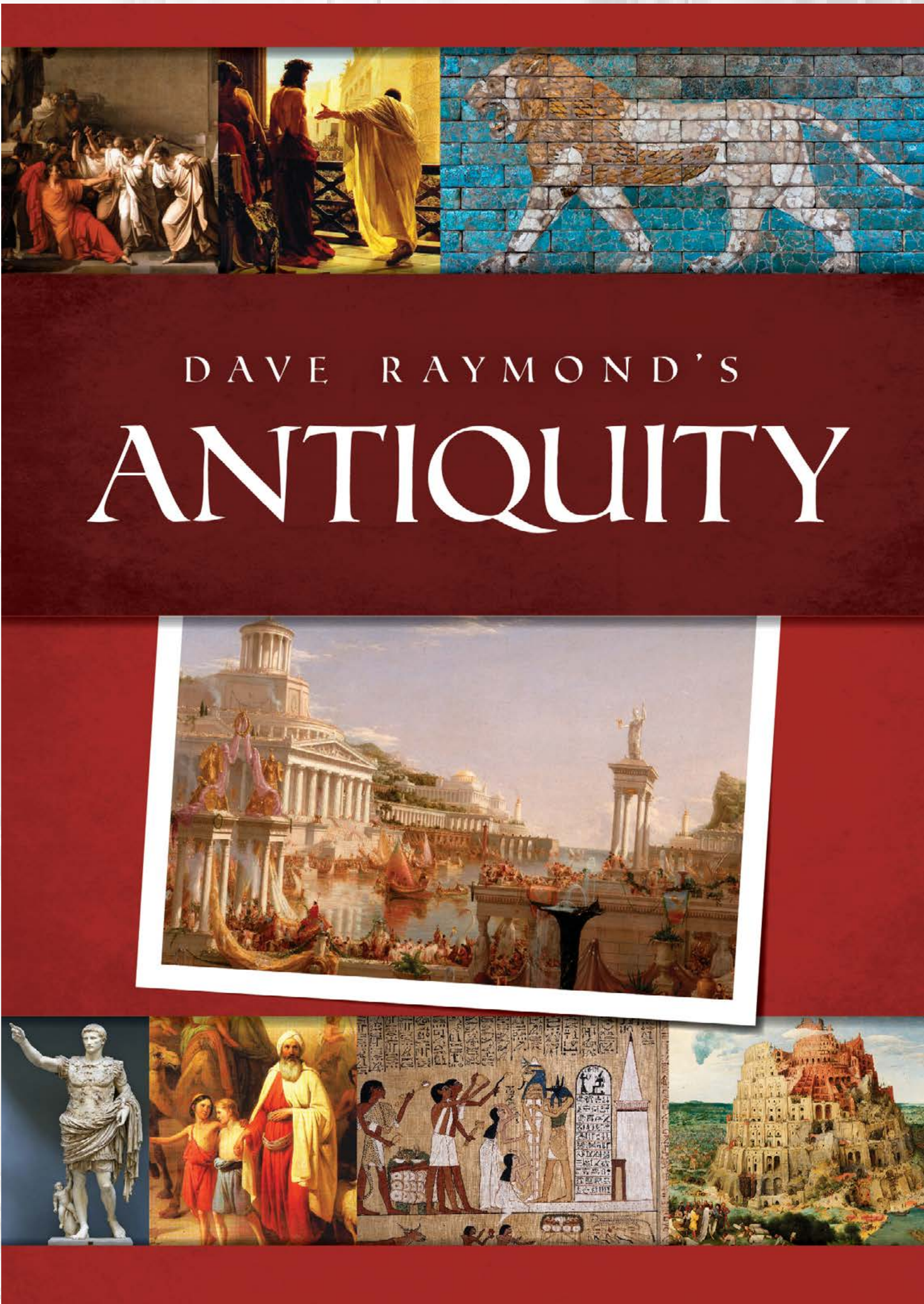
Teacher **Dave Raymond****Credit** 1 (World History)**Lessons** 27**Includes** Teacher's Guide & Student Reader (PDF & EPUB)**Available** Teacher's Guide, Student Reader (softcovers) **VIEW SAMPLE****Format** DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 9+**Video Hours** 47 hours of teaching**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

DAVE RAYMOND'S
ANTIQUITY

Dave Raymond begins with Genesis, then traces world history all the way to the life of Christ. This incredible series synthesizes the events recorded in the Bible with ancient history, showing clearly how God's providence directed the events in the ancient world. A must-have series for those wanting their children to have a Biblical worldview of history.

“I found it very in-depth for my high school student. I thought it was engaging and provided plenty of opportunities for my student to think critically in order to give a well thought-out answer. The material provided opportunities for us to have some great conversations.” — Mary



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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Five lectures (20-25 minutes each)
- ✓ Weekly readings and exams
- ✓ Projects, essays, and a year-long portfolio

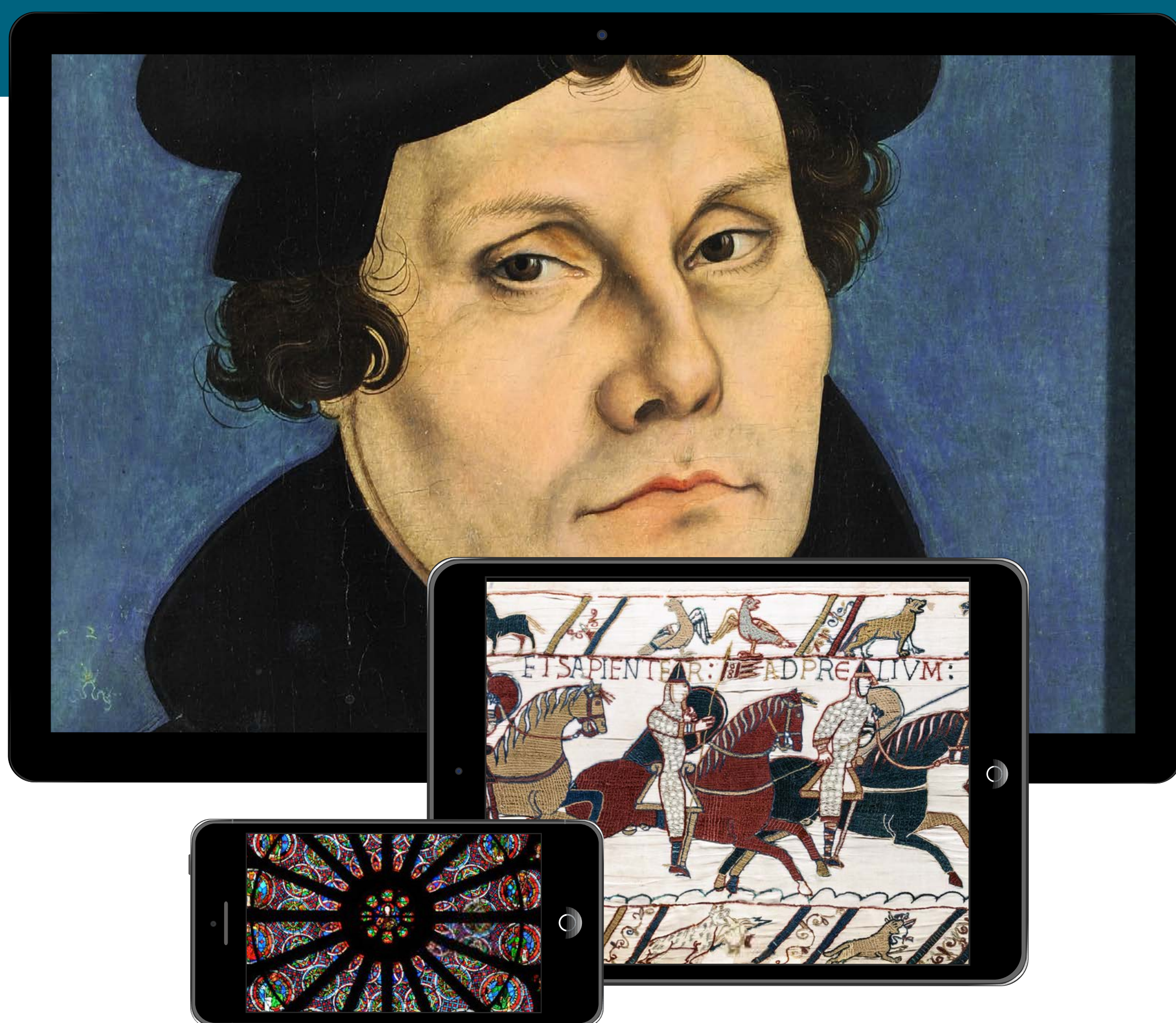
Teacher **Dave Raymond****Credit** 1 (Ancient History)**Lessons** 26**Includes** Teacher's Guide & Student Reader (PDF & EPUB)**Available** Teacher's Guide, Student Reader (softcovers) **VIEW SAMPLE****Format** DVD, USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 10+**Video Hours** 44 hours of teaching**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

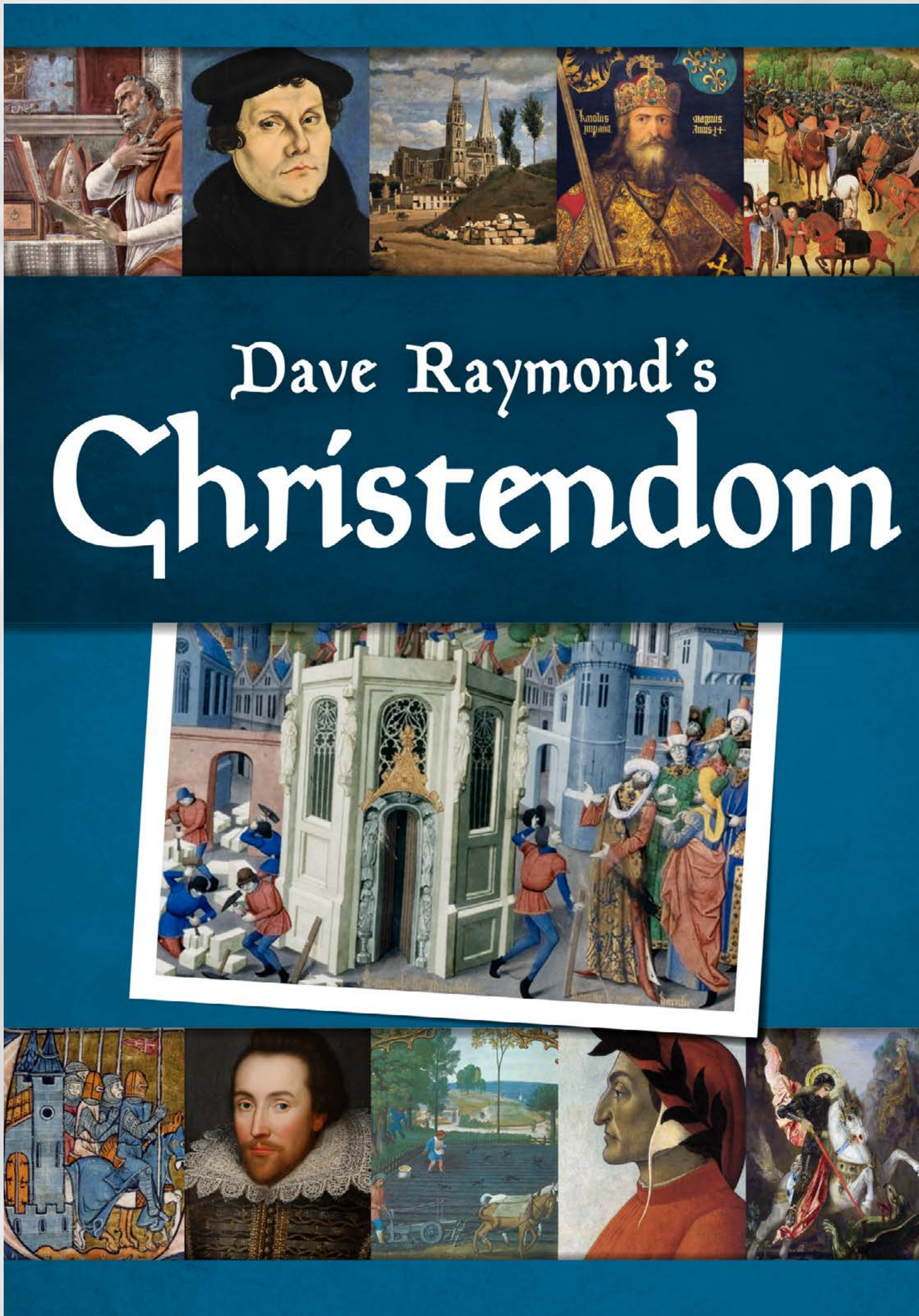
Dave Raymond's Christendom

Dave Raymond completes his four-year history cycle in a series spanning the resurrection of Christ to the 1600s. He traces the growth of the church through periods of tremendous persecution, flowering, and reformation. Along the way, he relates the compelling stories of the emperors, monks, barbarians and battles of the medieval age.

“My daughter loves how what she is learning in her class directly relates to what we are learning in our Bible studies. She also loves discussing how the class lectures presents the Bible as history and not a story. It has led to many interesting discussions.”

— Christabell



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COMPASS
MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Five lectures (20-25 minutes each)
- ✓ Weekly readings and exams
- ✓ Projects, essays, and a year-long portfolio

Teacher **Dave Raymond****Credit** 1 (Medieval History, Middle Ages)**Lessons** 26**Includes** Teacher's Guide & Student Reader (PDF & EPUB)**Available** Teacher's Guide, Student Reader (softcovers) **VIEW SAMPLE****Format** USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 10+**Video Hours** 52 hours of teaching**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

EUROPEAN & ASIAN GEOGRAPHY

WITH DAVE RAYMOND



LIVE CLASS

Dave Raymond brings his popular geography series online for the second time! Aimed at students in 5th-8th grades, this course will be a visual exploration that brings to life the people, places, and stories of Europe and Asia.

This is a live lecture- and picture-based class that will cover basic world geography and the topography, nations, capitals, and culture of Europe and Asia. Students will take weekly notes on each nation, create regular portfolio entries, take regular geography quizzes, and complete an end-of-year project.

“My son has thoroughly enjoyed Mr. Raymond’s geography class this year. He does an incredible job teaching and engaging with his students, and makes the experience fun and interesting. My son comes back after class sharing with us the places he has learned about. I’ve seen his confidence grow this year as he gets excited to participate in the discussion and complete his weekly assignments. This has been such an enjoyable learning experience that I think will truly stick with him and I am so appreciative.”

— Brea

\$550/year**THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:**

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (Aug 28–Apr 30)
- ✓ Weekly **Note-taking**
- ✓ Regular **Portfolio** Map Assignments for Facts and Illustration
- ✓ Regular **Quizzes** on Countries, Capitals, and other Facts
- ✓ Creative, Hands-on **Final Project**
- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record

LIVE

Teacher **Dave Raymond****Credit** 1 (Geography,
Social Studies)**Course Length** Year**Meeting Time** Thursdays, 1-2 PM CST**Lessons** 28**Includes** Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group, Quizzes, Lecture Notes, Maps & Images**Format** Live Zoom meetings**Grade Level** 6, 7, 8**LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE**

Middle School

LITERATURE

Instructor Maggie Purifoy, homeschooler of her three children, has spent several years in the classroom both in Europe and America. This course approaches literary analysis of novels, plays, and poetry via lively discussion. Varied writing assignments, including the comparison essay, the expository essay, and the thesis paper, flow from this analysis.



BOOKS DISCUSSED

Johnny Tremain

The Adventures of Tom Sawyer

Across Five Aprils

The Hiding Place

A Christmas Carol

Murder on the Orient Express

The Fellowship of the Ring

Much Ado About Nothing

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher Maggie Purifoy**Credit** 1 (Literature)**Lessons** 28**Required Books** *Writing and Rhetoric Books 9 & 10* from Classical Academic Press**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 6, 7, 8

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**



American LITERATURE

LIVE CLASS

In this live class, read and discuss great books in Zoom meetings as you trace the development of American literature. Learn how to write and talk about literature and present your findings in writing assignments.

American Literature Live will focus on building a comprehensive understanding of basic literary elements such as irony, duality, juxtaposition, and, more importantly, a love of literature.

The format will be discussion-based with short lectures focused on the historical context of a particular book or short story. Students will read a variety of literary forms and learn how to write a basic thesis paper and find their own voice. The papers should reflect the student's personal opinion as well as his ability to grasp literary concepts.

The course can be used alongside *Dave Raymond's American History* course but is also structured to stand alone.

“My son stated that he learned as much history as literature, which I appreciate because literature is not written in a vacuum; context matters. We're looking forward to *Modern Literature Live!*”

— Jane

LIVE

LIST OF READINGS

(**bold items** need to be purchased separately)

- “The Celebrated Jumping Frog of Calaveras County” by Mark Twain
- *The Aztec Hunters* by Francis William Rolt-Wheeler
- Explorer Stories
- ***The Witch of Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth George Speare**
- Poems by Anne Bradstreet
- Poems by Phyllis Wheatley
- “Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death” by Patrick Henry
- ***Johnny Tremain* by Esther Forbes**
- The Declaration of Independence & The United States Constitution
- “The Cask of Amontillado” & “The Purloined Letter” by Edgar Allan Poe
- “Rip van Winkle” by Washington Irving
- Poems by Emily Dickinson
- ***The Adventures of Tom Sawyer* by Mark Twain**
- ***Little House on the Prairie* by Laura Ingalls Wilder**
- *Battle-Pieces & Aspects of the War* by Herman Melville
- *Across Five Aprils* by Irene Hunt
- *The Wilderness Hunter* by Theodore Roosevelt
- “After 20 Years” by O. Henry

\$650/year

THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–April)
- ✓ Regular **Note-taking**
- ✓ Weekly **Reading** in assigned books
- ✓ Graded **Writing Assignments** that vary in length and topic
- ✓ Graded **Thesis Paper**
- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record



Teacher **Mary Pierson Purifoy**

Credit 1 (Literature, Language Arts)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Mondays, 1-2PM CST

Lessons 31

Includes Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group, Lecture Notes, Paper Guidelines

Format Live Zoom meetings

Grade Level 8, 9

LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE

American LITERATURE

Ben Crist has taught middle and high school students for sixteen years, specializing in the humanities. Divided between lecture and discussion formats, this course will take the student from colonial writings to modern fiction, and survey both prose and poetry.



BOOKS DISCUSSED

The Last of the Mohicans

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn

The Red Badge of Courage

Little Women

The Great Gatsby

To Kill a Mockingbird

Travels with Charley

Peace Like a River

*Select short stories, poetry,
and essays*

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher **Ben Crist****Credit** 1 (American Literature, Literature I)**Lessons** 29**Includes** Handouts distributed in class, thesis paper guidelines, and schedule**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 8+

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**



Modern LITERATURE

LIVE CLASS

Read and discuss works of Christendom through modern times, from chivalric romances to the Cold War. In weekly Zoom meetings, you will learn how to write and talk about literature and deal with literary criticism.

Modern Literature Live traces literature from the late Middle Ages to the Cold War. Students will read around fourteen books as well as short stories and poems. They will also write essays containing personal opinion and outside criticism.

The format will be discussion-based with short lectures focused on historical context. Diagnosing particular literary elements through plot, character, and point of view is an essential aspect of this class. Students will leave the class with a well rounded view of literature, a solid foundation in writing, and a love of books.

The course can be used alongside *Dave Raymond's Modernity* course but is also structured to stand alone.

“This class has been fantastic for my daughter. She has always loved literature, but I always wished we could take her reading a bit further. This live class was the answer we were looking for. I love that she’s got a teacher who is knowledgeable about the background of each book. I equally love that the students are discussing the books together. It seems to mimic how adult readers would discuss in a book club. I just love it.” — Kristi

LIVE

LIST OF READINGS

(*bold items* need to be purchased separately)

- *Don Quixote* by Miguel de Cervantes
- *Robinson Crusoe* by Daniel Defoe
- *The Pilgrim's Progress* by John Bunyan
- *The Scarlet Pimpernel* by Baroness Orczy
- *Emma* by Jane Austen
- *Sherlock Holmes* by Arthur Conan Doyle
- *Gladys Aylward: The Little Woman*
- *Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde* by Robert Louis Stevenson
- *All Quiet on the Western Front* by Erich Maria Remarque
- *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee
- "In Flanders Field" by John McCrae
- "Memorial for 1940" by John Gould Fletcher
- *The Hiding Place* by Corrie ten Boom
- *Animal Farm* by George Orwell
- *Cry, the Beloved Country* by Alan Paton

\$650/year

THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–April)
- ✓ Regular **Note-taking**
- ✓ Weekly **Reading** in assigned books
- ✓ Graded **Writing Assignments** that vary in length and topic
- ✓ Graded **Thesis Paper**
- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record



Teacher [**Mary Pierson Purifoy**](#)

Credit 1 (Literature, Language Arts)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Mondays, 2:30-3:30pm CST

Lessons 31

Includes Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group, Lecture Notes, Paper Guidelines

Format Live Zoom meetings

Grade Level 9+

LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE

Ancient LITERATURE

**LIVE CLASS**

Read and discuss ancient classics that still shape the modern world. Reading literature from the ancient world will expose your students to ideology that still impacts the modern world. Class discussion and writing assignments will build a love and understanding of literature as a whole.

Ancient Literature Live will teach your students how to write an academic paper, read various forms of literature, and understand literary principles such as juxtaposition, irony, tone, as well as historical references. The format will be discussion-based with short lectures focused on the historical context of a particular book or short story. Students will read a variety of literary forms and learn how to write a basic thesis paper and find their own voice. The papers should reflect the student's personal opinion as well as his ability to grasp literary concepts.

The course can be used alongside *Dave Raymond's Antiquity* course, but is also structured to stand alone.

“Miss Purifoy has a very deep knowledge of ancient culture and history in addition to literature... The book selection was amazing... Lastly, the discussions and exchanges of ideas with Miss Purifoy and other students were also extremely enriching.”

— Moniko

LIVE

LIST OF READINGS

(*bold items* need to be purchased separately)

- *The Epic of Gilgamesh*
- ***Tales of Egypt* by Roger Lancelyn Green**
- ***Greek Mythology* by Edith Hamilton**
- ***The Iliad* by Homer**
- ***The Odyssey* by Homer**
- The book of Isaiah in The Holy Bible
- *Histories* by Herodotus
- *History of the Peloponnesian War* by Thucydides
- *Phaedo* by Plato
- **“The Tragedy of Julius Caesar” by William Shakespeare**
- Selections from Roman histories, speeches, and poetry
- ***The Aeneid* by Virgil**
- ***The Man Born to Be King* by Dorothy Sayers**

\$650/year

THE LIVE COURSE CONSISTS OF:

- ✓ Weekly Class **Lectures** (August–April)
- ✓ Regular **Note-taking**
- ✓ Weekly **Reading** in assigned books
- ✓ Graded **Writing Assignments** that vary in length and topic
- ✓ Graded **Thesis Paper**
- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record



Teacher **Mary Pierson Purifoy**

Credit 1 (Literature, Language Arts)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Wednesdays, 1-2 PM CST

Lessons 31

Includes Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group, Lecture Notes, Paper Guidelines

Format Live Zoom meetings

Grade Level 10+

LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE

Medieval LITERATURE

**LIVE CLASS**

Read and discuss great books as you focus on the historical context of the Middle Ages and even write a basic thesis paper.

In *Medieval Literature Live*, students will read, discuss, and write about some of the greatest works from the Medieval era.

Understanding the literature of a certain time period encourages a love of that time period.

The class will give your student a thorough understanding of basic literary principles, reading comprehension skills, and a strong writing foundation. The format will be discussion-based with short lectures focused on the historical context of a particular book or play. Students will read a variety of literary forms and learn how to write a basic thesis paper and find their own voice. The papers should reflect the student's personal opinion as well as his ability to grasp literary concepts.

The course can be used alongside *Dave Raymond's Christendom* course, but is also structured to stand alone.

“I love that my daughter got a teacher who is knowledgeable about the background of each book. I equally love that the students are discussing the books together.” — Kristi

LIVE

LIST OF READINGS

(**bold items** need to be purchased separately)

- **Confessions by Augustine**
- **Beowulf**
- *The Song of the Nibelungs*
- *The Canterbury Tales* by Geoffrey Chaucer
- ***The Divine Comedy* by Dante**
- **“The Second Shepherd’s Play”**
- ***Le Morte d’Arthur* by Sir Thomas Malory**
- Selections from Renaissance poetry
- *The Prince* by Machiavelli
- ***Henry V* by Shakespeare**
- *The Faerie Queen* by Edmund Spenser
- ***The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood* by Howard Pyle**

\$650/year

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- ✓ Grades Submitted for Parent Record



Teacher **Mary Pierson Purifoy**

Credit 1 (Literature, Language Arts)

Course Length Year

Meeting Time Wednesdays, 2:30-3:30PM CST

Lessons 31

Includes Recordings, Moderated Discussion Group, Lecture Notes, Paper Guidelines

Format Live Zoom meetings

Grade Level 11+

LEARN MORE & VIEW SCHEDULE

British & World

LITERATURE

Thomas Purifoy explores some of the greatest epics and books written in the history of the world. Thomas is an author and teacher who studied English and Creative Writing at Vanderbilt University. He takes a special interest in understanding the way literature functions, as well as how we write about it. To that end, Thomas required his local students to present papers publicly to the class in a seminar-style setting which online students can model.



BOOKS DISCUSSED*

Introduction to the Classics

The Odyssey

Augustine's Confessions

The Divine Comedy

Gawain and the Green Knight

Hamlet

Paradise Lost

Pride and Prejudice

Tale of Two Cities

Heart of Darkness

All the King's Men

Six Centuries of Great Poetry

On Writing Well

The Elements of Style

*Specific book editions are needed for this course. [Click to learn more.](#)

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher **Thomas Purifoy, Jr.****Credit** 1 (British Literature, World Literature, Literature II)**Lessons** 28**Required Books** Special editions of the books listed on the previous page; see course page for details.**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 12

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**

CALCULUS

FOR EVERYONE

***Calculus for Everyone* teaches**

calculus. But it also represents one of the first tangible steps in recent years at reunifying STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) with the liberal arts. Pulling from over a decade of experience teaching calculus, Dr. Mitch Stokes

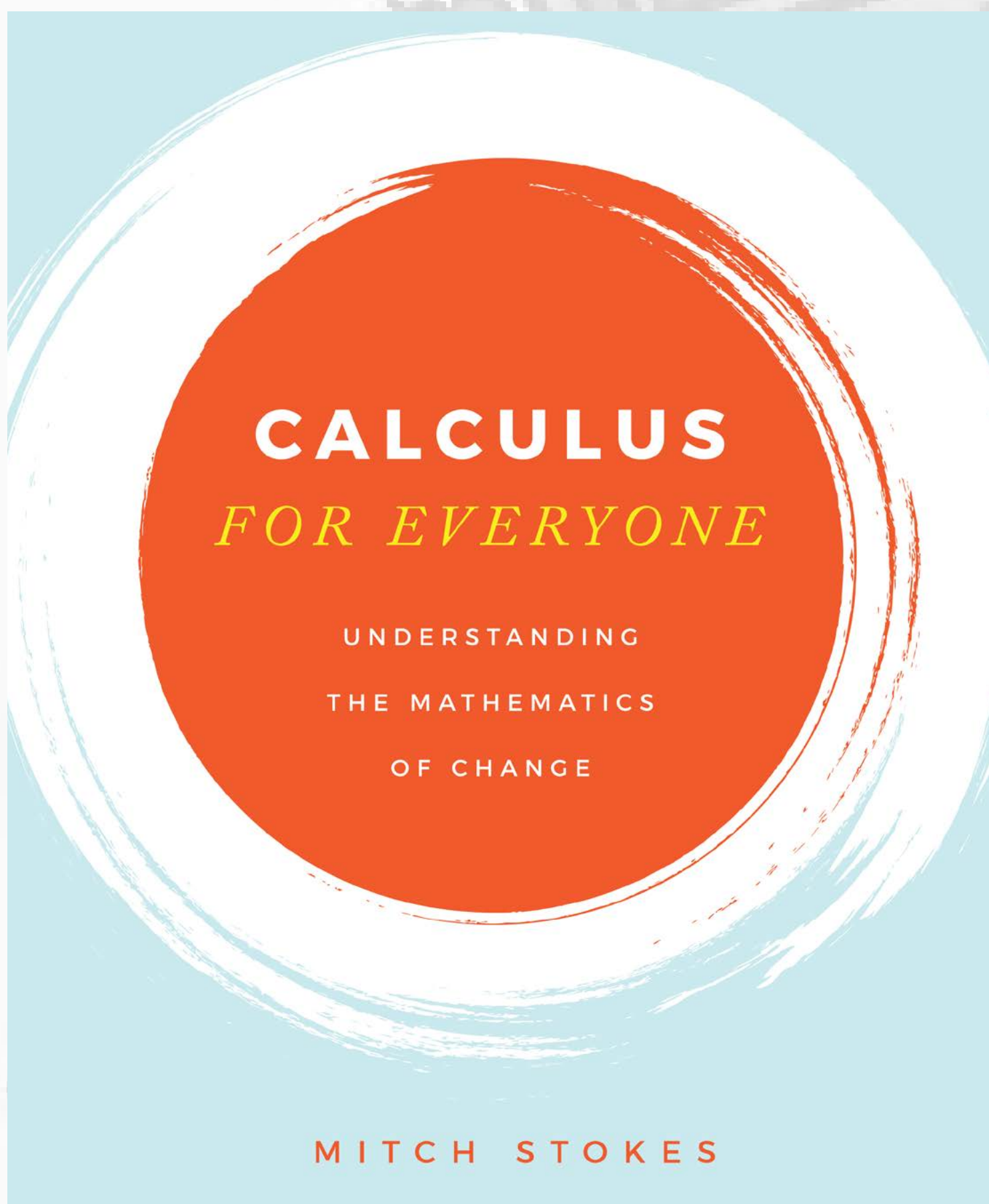
presents the mathematics of

change in an extremely effective way for anyone with a first-year course in algebra in this new video curriculum.



“‘Show, don’t tell’ is such a helpful rule of thumb—for writers, for teachers, for boastful teenage boys. This book is my own attempt to show what I’ve been telling people for fifteen years: that there’s a better way to teach mathematics. And though the book is specifically about calculus, its point is general.”

— from the author’s Acknowledgements

\$229**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Reading assignments for the required textbook
- ✓ Video lesson that presents the textbook's lesson in a different way
- ✓ Study question and/or exercises for the textbook

Teacher [Mitch Stokes, PhD](#)

Credit 1 (Mathematics)*

Lessons 32

Format streaming

Grade Level 11+

Required Book [Calculus for Everyone](#) by Mitch Stokes

*The video series requires the textbook in order to access Study Questions and Exercises.

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS**WATCH AN INTRO**

LOGIC

Introductory & Intermediate

Brian Kohl, a skilled logician with more than twenty years of teaching experience, makes logic simple to understand in this two-level course. Brian introduces students to all the essential concepts of logic in his bestselling logic homeschool curriculum: definitions, logical statements, fallacies, syllogisms, and much more. He also provides practice tests and other helps for those learning at home.

“This will challenge you to think and reason your arguments.”

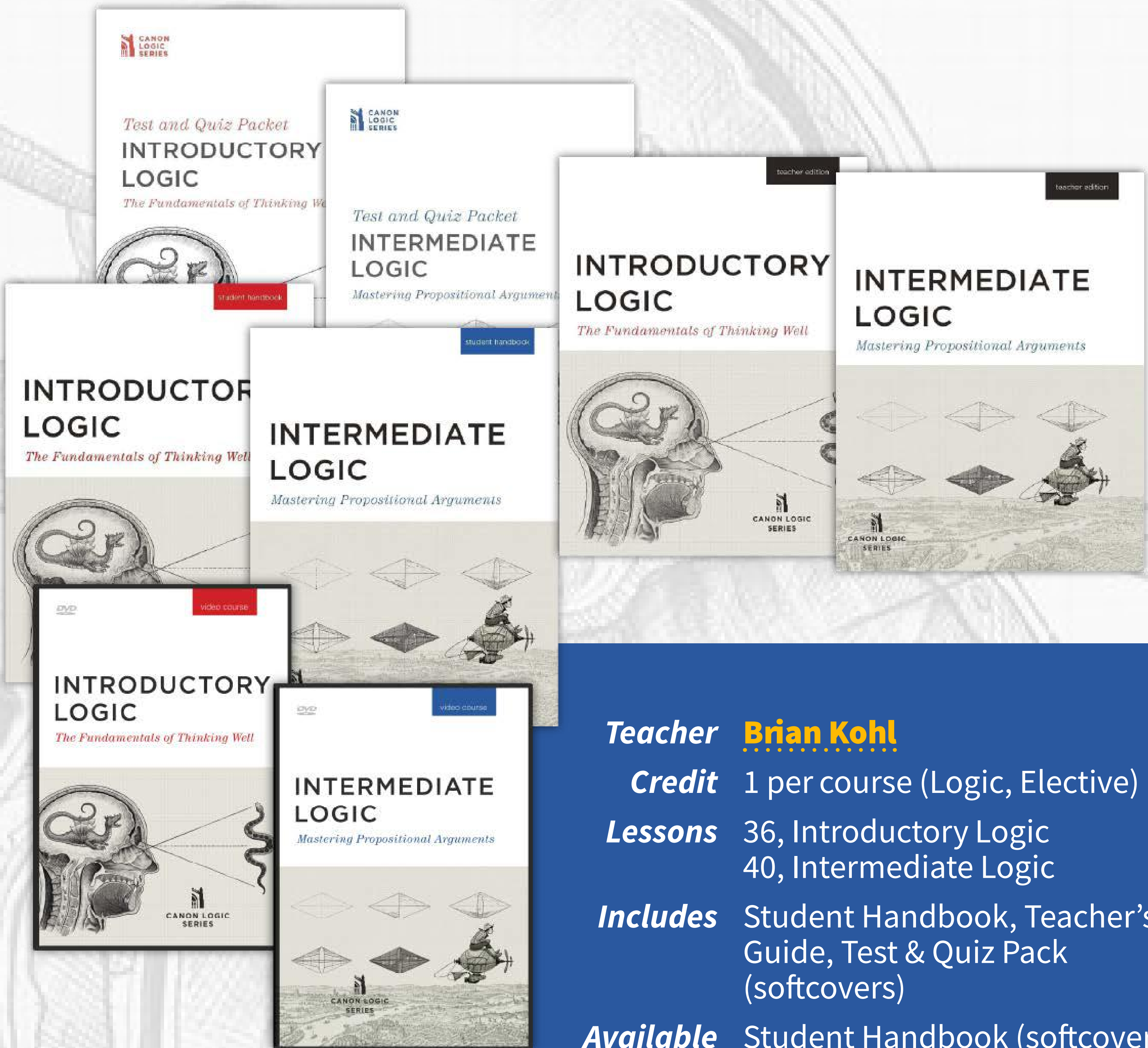
— Kathy

INTRODUCTORY LOGIC

Provides the proper foundation of reasoning in the truth of God, then trains students in the crucial skills of defining terms, recognizing basic types of statements, identifying informal fallacies, and more.

INTERMEDIATE LOGIC

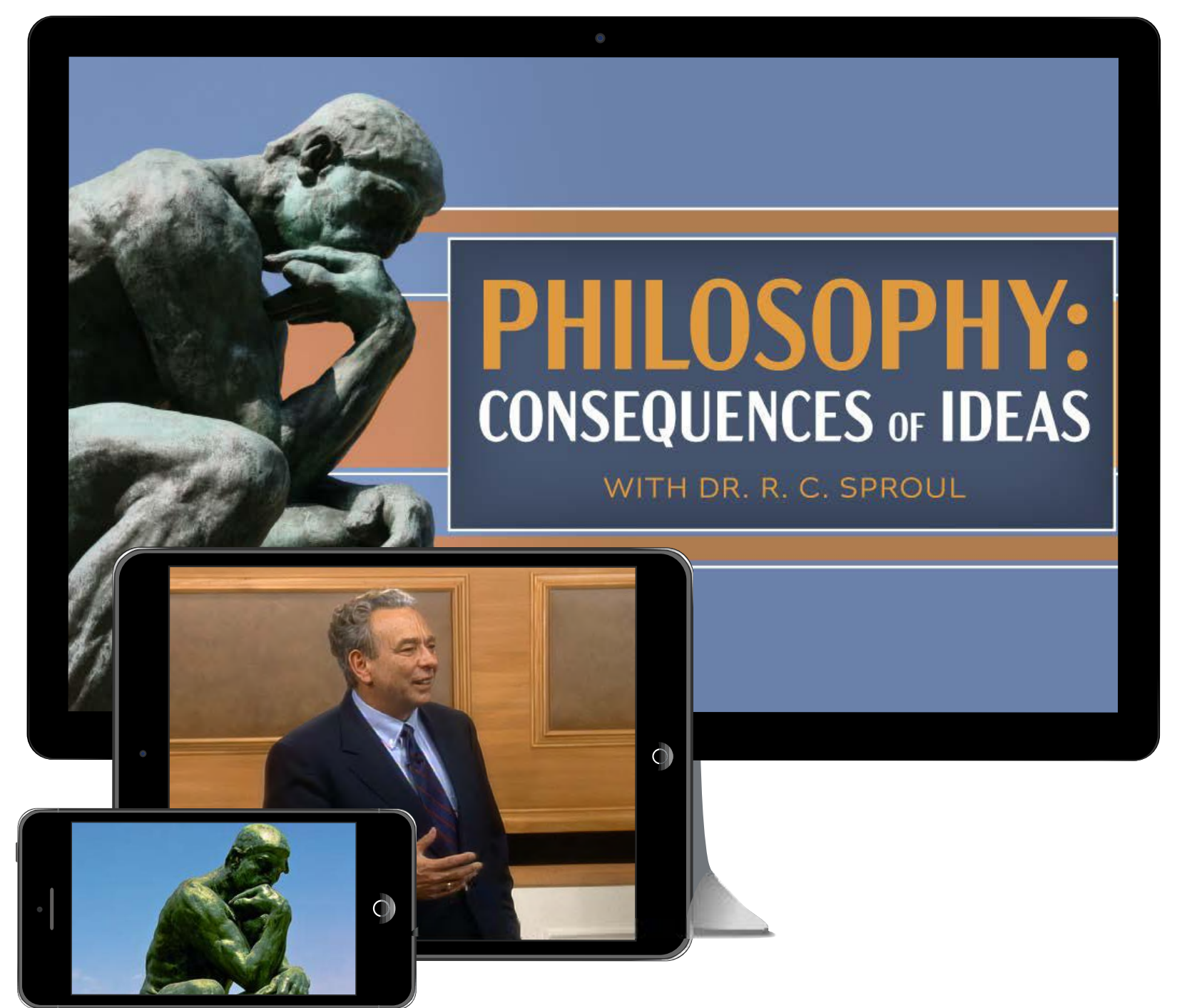
Trains students to master propositional arguments; interpret and analyze logical operators and truth tables; internalize the nine basic rules of inference; determine consistency, self-contradiction, tautology, equivalence, and validity by using truth trees; understand ‘digital logic,’ and much more.

\$146**Teacher** **Brian Kohl****Credit** 1 per course (Logic, Elective)**Lessons** 36, Introductory Logic
40, Intermediate Logic**Includes** Student Handbook, Teacher's Guide, Test & Quiz Pack (softcovers)**Available** Student Handbook (softcover)**Format** DVD only**Grade Level** 7+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

PHILOSOPHY: CONSEQUENCES OF IDEAS

WITH DR. R. C. SPROUL

Ideas have consequences, and worldviews matter. Expose your student to history's most powerful ideas and the men who developed them. We've put this demanding high-school elective course together because of the rise of ideology over truth in the public square, and because we knew the best way for students to get a hold of powerful ideas is to send them to the actual sources with a bit of background.



"The way you combined the video lectures with a text and incorporated a deeper understanding of the video lectures is a wonderful way to teach the material. I can't wait to use this with my kids when they get a bit older, but I am excited about using it for myself before then!" — Lacey

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MEMBERSHIP

The course would be an excellent capstone for upperclassmen who want to “take captive” all the pieces they’ve accumulated across disciplines like science, literature, history, and art (2 Corinthians 10:5).

EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:

- ✓ introductory videos on each philosopher by R.C. Sproul from his popular Consequences of Ideas video series;
- ✓ primary source readings from the full, historic books by each philosopher;
- ✓ secondary readings from John Frame’s monumental *A History of Western Philosophy and Theology* to provide a Christian analysis of the philosopher, his ideas, and his legacy;
- ✓ a mixture of assignments, articles, quizzes and research projects to reinforce learning.

Teacher [**Dr. R.C. Sproul**](#)

Credit 1 (Humanities, Intellectual History, Philosophy, Worldview)*

Lessons 16

Format streaming

Grade Level 11+

Required Book [***A History of Western Philosophy and Theology***](#) by John Frame

*The series includes videos by R.C. Sproul, primary source readings from philosophical works, and assigned reading in John Frame’s *A History of Western Philosophy and Theology* (purchased separately).

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS

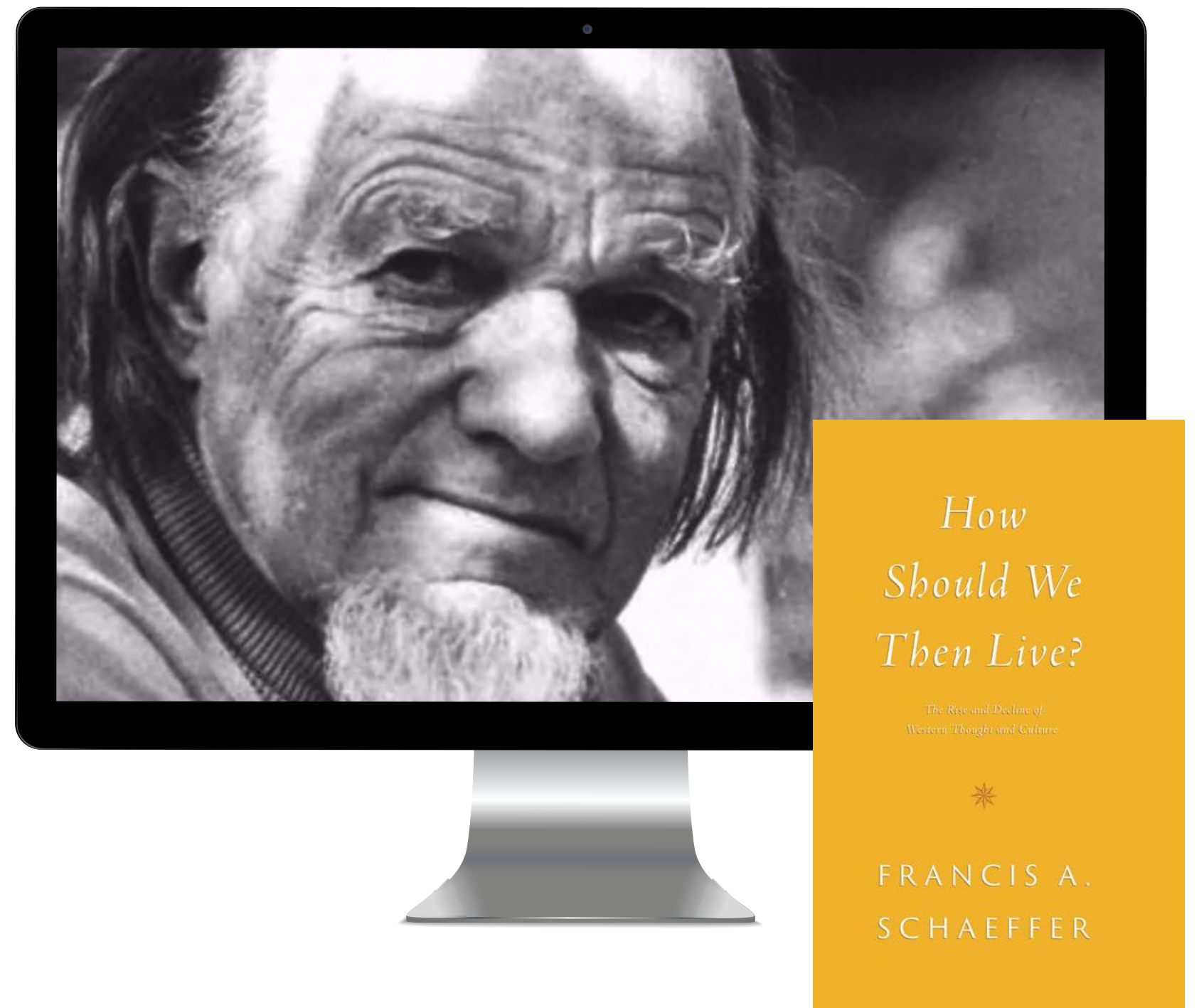


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HOW SHOULD WE THEN LIVE?

Francis A. Schaeffer

This is the apologetics and intellectual history series every young Christian should know. Francis Schaeffer—perhaps the most influential Christian thinker in the last 100 years—clearly explains the basics of worldview thinking in this combined book and video series. Filmed at over 100 locations in eight countries, it is a spectacular presentation of the flow of history, ideas, and cultural analysis from a Christian perspective.



The fact that the series is nearly 50 years old makes it even more valuable: many of his predictions have come true with startling accuracy. This lends great credibility to his Biblical and cultural insight.

“Francis Schaeffer is amazing!” — Silkie

TOPICS INCLUDE:

The Roman Age | The Middle Ages | The Renaissance | The Reformation
 The Revolutionary Age | The Scientific Age | The Age of Non-reason
 The Age of Fragmentation | The Age of Personal Peace & Affluence | Final Choices

\$70

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ An introductory essay
- ✓ Content advisory for parents
- ✓ Key quotes from the book
- ✓ Quiz on video & reading content
- ✓ Research topics
- ✓ Lesson outline
- ✓ Book lists for further study
- ✓ Essay questions

Teacher [Francis A. Schaeffer](#)**Credit** 1/2 (Bible, Apologetics, History, Philosophy)***Lessons** 12**Includes** Study Guide, Quizzes, Research Topics, Essay Prompts**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 10+**Required Book** [How Should We Then Live?](#) (softcover) by Francis Schaeffer

*The series works best by using the videos and book together. (You will need to buy the book separately.)

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS**WATCH THE TRAILER**

STRANGE NEW WORLD

with **Carl R. Trueman**

Ignore cancel culture and learn the reasons why sexual identity is the battleground of our day. Explore the profound changes reshaping our culture, and stand firm in the faith. Grove City College professor Dr. Carl Trueman will help your student understand the modern emphasis on personal authenticity and sexual identity.



“As I have traveled the world, I have often hired tour guides to lead me through unfamiliar locations. Their expertise has always proven helpful in explaining what I am seeing and experiencing. And in much the same way, Strange New World is essentially a guided tour to modern times. Trueman acts as a wise and trusted guide to a culture that has become increasingly uncomfortable and unfamiliar. I highly recommend you take the tour.”

— Tim Challies, author, Seasons of Sorrow

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ an introductory video by Dr. Carl Trueman, a respected Christian professor of church and intellectual history
- ✓ a complete reading guide through the required book
- ✓ selections from contemporary movies, documentaries, and news clips that bring the ideas of the book off the page
- ✓ primary source readings from the works of philosophers highlighted by Trueman
- ✓ secondary readings that provide a Christian analysis of selected philosophers, their ideas, and their legacies
- ✓ a mixture of assignments, articles, quizzes and research projects to reinforce learning

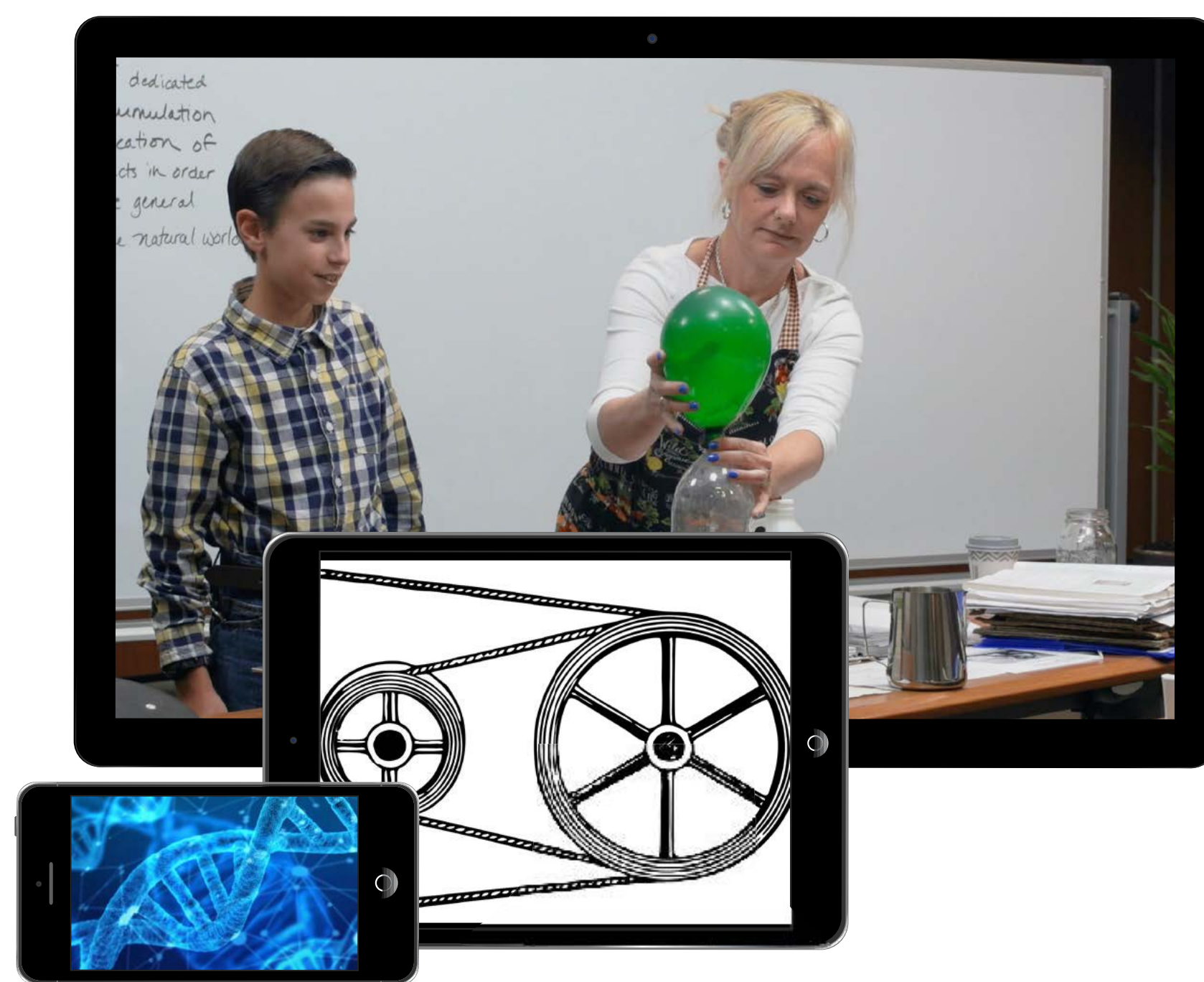
Teacher **Dr. Carl R. Trueman****Credit** 1/2 (Humanities, Intellectual History, Philosophy, Worldview)***Lessons** 10**Includes** Study Guide, Quizzes, Research Topics, Essay Prompts**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 11+**Required Book** **Strange New World** by Carl Trueman

*The series works best by using the videos and book together. (You will need to buy the book separately.)

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS**WATCH AN INTRO**

GENERAL SCIENCE

Bonnie Kookogey brings her 19 years of homeschool mentoring and licensed nursing experience to bear in General Science. Students explore geology, paleontology, archaeology, simple machines, science history, the scientific method and experimental design, concluding with an introduction to life sciences and biology, human anatomy and human physiology.



TOPICS COVERED

A Brief History of Science

Scientific Inquiry

How to Analyze and Interpret Experiments

The History of Life: Archeology, Geology, and Paleontology

Foundations of Geology

The Fossil Record

Uniformitarianism and Catastrophism

What Is Life?

Classifying Life

The Human Body: Fearfully and Wonderfully Made

Energy and Life

The Human Digestive System

The Human Respiratory and Circulatory Systems

The Human Lymphatic, Endocrine, and Urinary Systems

The Human Nervous System

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher Bonnie Kookegey**Credit** 1 (Science)**Lessons** 30**Required Books** *Exploring Creation with General Science*, 2nd ed., by Dr Jay Wile. This out-of-print textbook and the Solutions Manual & Student Notebook are available on the secondary market. [Read more.](#)**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 7, 8

This course is part of the Compass Lectures Series where veteran teachers were filmed as they taught in an actual classroom. This product includes streaming access to the videos as well as assignments that were given to the students attending in person. Any homework needs to be graded by students or parents.

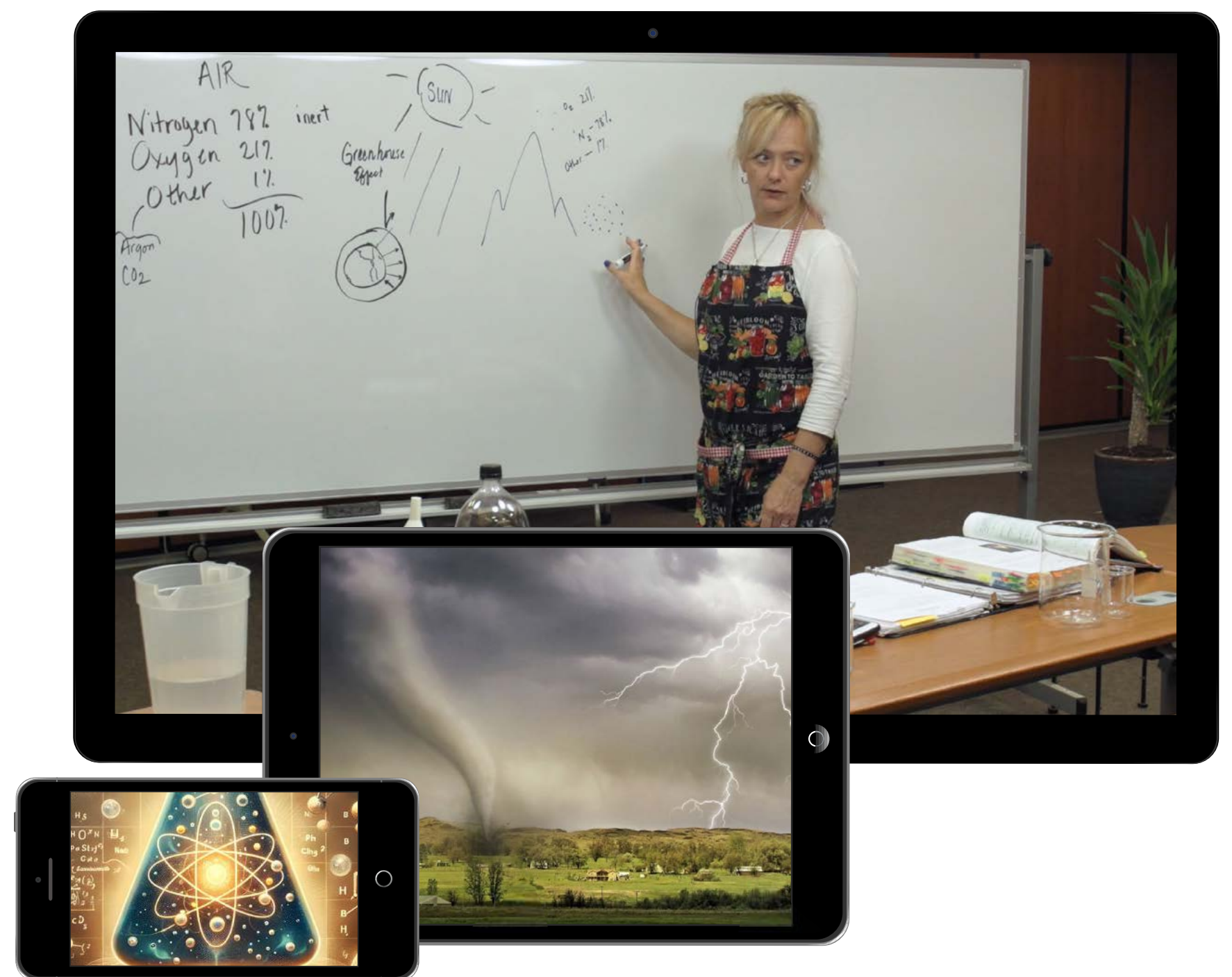
LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**

PHYSICAL SCIENCE

Physical Science invites students to see the world around them in a new light through thoughtful study of such fundamental subjects as atomic theory, general chemistry, physics, electricity, and gravity.

Students use the tools of hands-on experimentation

and inquisitive discussion to uncover how it is that they, as the handiwork of an awesome Creator, exist in the natural world He has created.



TOPICS COVERED

Weather & Unit Conversions

Air

The Atmosphere

The Wonder of Water

The Hydrosphere

Earth and the Lithosphere

An Introduction to the Physics

of Motion

Newton's Laws

The Forces in Creation

Waves and Sound

Light

An Introduction to Astrophysics

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Lecture video from the hour-long class
- ✓ Assignment

Teacher Bonnie Kookegey**Credit** 1 (Science)**Lessons** 29**Required Books** *Exploring Creation with Physical Science*, 2nd ed., by Dr Jay Wile. This out-of-print textbook and the Solutions Manual & Student Notebook are available on the secondary market. [Read more.](#)**Format** streaming**Grade Level** 8,9

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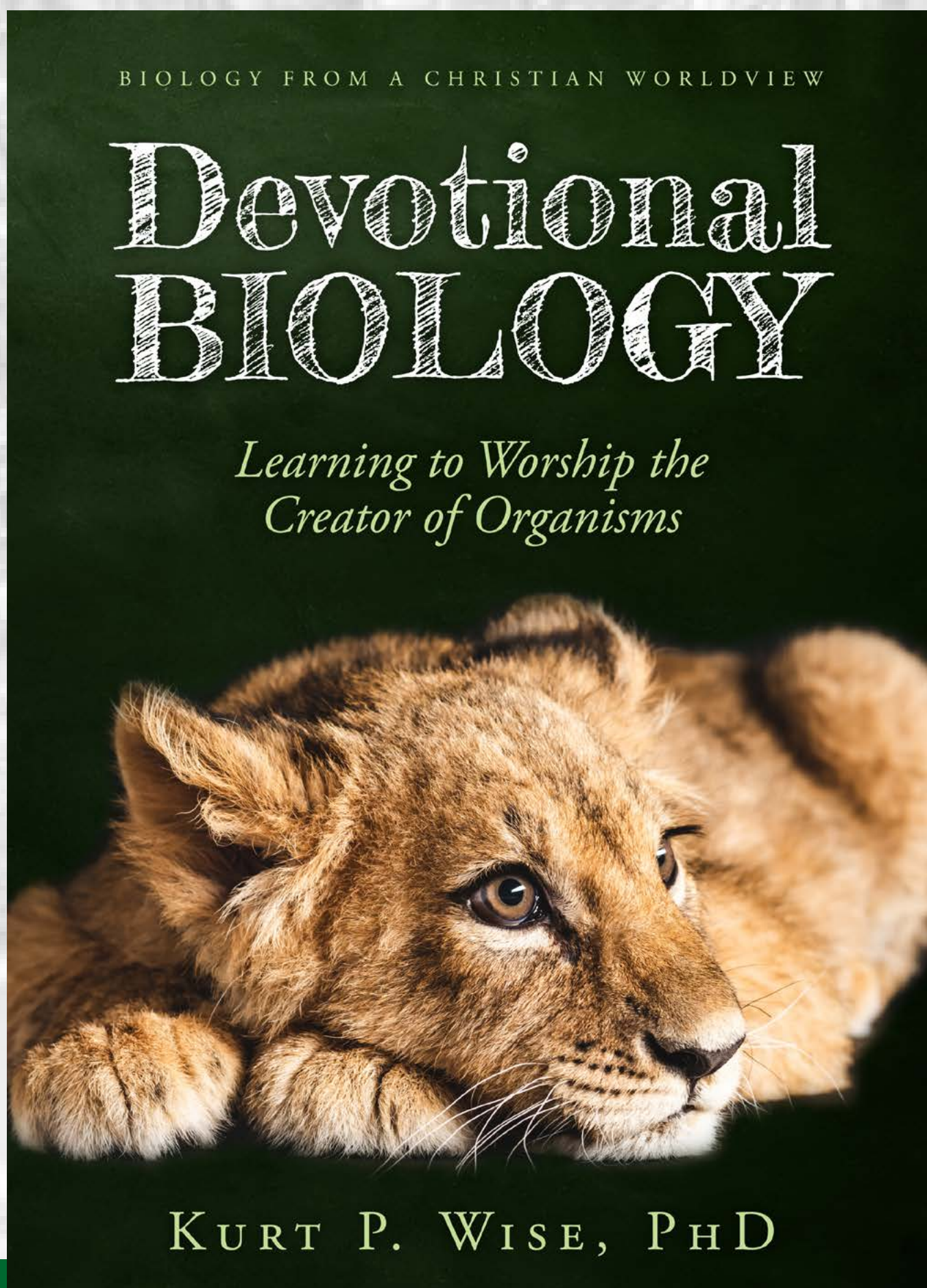
LEARN MORE ABOUT THE COURSE**SAMPLE LECTURE**

Devotional BIOLOGY

Dr. Kurt Wise designed this unique class to fully integrate a Christian worldview with the biological sciences. The result is a completely new way to approach biology. One of the many interesting things about the class is how Dr. Wise starts with our understanding of who God is, then shows how God has created the living world to reflect His unique attributes in His creation. He explains a fascinating array of subjects from a creationist perspective, including the nature of life, biblical kinds, biosystems, biodiversity, cell theory, the history of life, and much, much more.



“Dr. Wise’s approach to this subject has planted in [my family] a lifetime desire to get to know their Creator more and more through His Word and through His creation. This is exactly why I homeschool!!! I cannot say enough about how much of a blessing this curriculum has been to our family.” — Connie

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MEMBERSHIP**INCLUDES:**

- ✓ 71 in-depth video lectures
- ✓ Lab Manual with video explanations
- ✓ Teacher's Guide with Scope & Sequence
- ✓ 534-page student textbook with new full-color layout. View a sample!

Teacher **Dr. Kurt Wise****Credit** 1 (Biology, Lab Science)**Lessons** 15 Chapters & Labs, 71 Lectures**Includes** Textbook, Teacher's Guide & Lab Manual (PDF & EPUB)**Available** Textbook (hardcover), Teacher's Guide & Lab Manual (softcovers), Lab Materials & Supplies (boxed set)**Format** USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 9+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

Creation Science

Created by the producer of *Is Genesis History?*, this homeschool video series explains the science and scholarship within Genesis, as well as introduces the key scientists building the modern Creation-Flood model. Subjects covered include the following: geology, paleontology, biology, astronomy, archeology, philosophy of science, and much more—all presented from a Biblical worldview.



“I found this to be excellent in connecting science with a biblical perspective. The lectures kept science the focus but brought in biblical concepts to consider.” — Rosie

TOPICS EXPLORED IN THIS COURSE

- ✓ Scientific Paradigms
- ✓ Created Kinds
- ✓ Fossil Record
- ✓ DNA
- ✓ Transitional Forms
- ✓ Historic Views
- ✓ Evolution
- ✓ Ecosystems
- ✓ Global Flood
- ✓ Starlight
- ✓ Tower of Babel
- ✓ Big Bang
- ✓ Rock Layers
- ✓ Genealogies
- ✓ Isotope Dating
- ✓ Age of the Earth
- ✓ Hebrew Text
- ✓ Dinosaurs
- ✓ Epochs of History
- ✓ Neanderthals
- ✓ Nautiloids
- ✓ Dinosaur Soft Tissue
- ✓ Coal Formation
- ✓ And much more...

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This course draws on years of research, reading, and filming to provide a comprehensive introduction suitable for homeschool science credit. Video and written materials from the *Is Genesis History?* Documentary, *Beyond Is Genesis History?* series, the IGH Bible Study, the 2017 Creation Conference lectures, and ongoing research in the field are all combined in a course package accessible to novice and expert alike.

LESSONS IN THE STREAMING COURSE INCLUDE:

- ✓ One or more video lessons
- ✓ Multiple essays from the producer or scientists
- ✓ Projects or research to punctuate several lessons
- ✓ A scientific lecture or paper to dive deeper into the topic

Teacher	Thomas Purifoy, Jr. (and others)
Credit	1 (non-lab Science)
Lessons	23
Includes	Online classroom with videos to watch, articles to read, and research projects to complete
Available	Creation book bundle (hardcover)
Format	streaming
Grade Level	11+

*There are five print books needed if a student is taking this course as designed for credit. [See this step in the course](#) for more info.

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS



WATCH AN INTRO

WESTERN CULTURE

Classical Scholar Wes Callihan has guided students through the classics for over **25 years**. In this series, he explores some of the most important works that shaped Western culture and the world. With over 20 hours of engaging lectures per year and an excellent selection of readings and exercises, Wes provides a strong foundation of the essential elements of Western culture.



“Demanding, challenging, mesmerizing content that will leave your student, no matter how steeped in history and classical studies, begging for more.” — Lisa

SET 1: THE GREEKS

The Epics • Drama & Lyric • The Histories • The Philosophers

SET 2: THE ROMANS

The Aeneid • The Historians • Early Christianity • Nicene Christianity

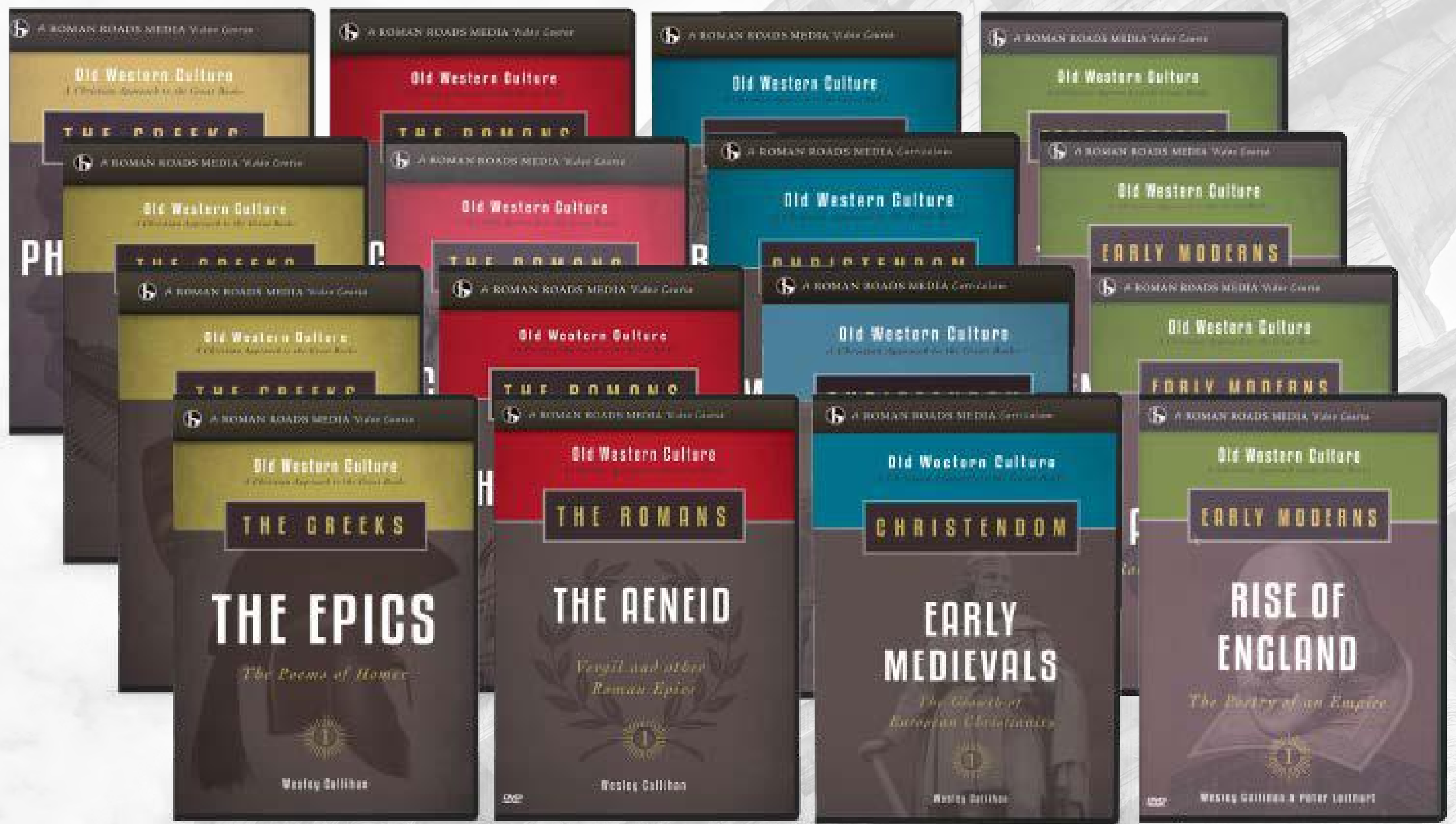
SET 3: CHRISTENDOM

Early Medievals • Defense of the Faith • The Medieval Mind • The Reformation

SET 4: EARLY MODERNS

Rise of England • Poetry & Politics • The Enlightenment • The Novels

\$299



Teacher [Wes Callihan](#)

Credits 2 per set (Humanities, Literature, History)

Lessons 12 per course, 48 per set

Includes Workbook, Teacher's Edition, Course Guide, Art Guide & Reader (PDF)

Format streaming

Grade Level 9+

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS



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CREATIVE WRITING

WITH JONATHAN ROGERS

Author and professor Dr. Jonathan Rogers teaches careful readers to become confident writers using beloved classics. Hone your craft in this seminar from a literary scholar, published author, and popular instructor of Grammar for Writers.



Students will learn lessons like how to write effective dialogue, how to build confidence in their own voice, and how to craft memorable characters and compelling narratives.

This master class in composing fiction uses popular novels such as *To Kill a Mockingbird*, *The Hobbit*, and *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* to teach creative writing in practical lectures of 20-30 minutes.

“We are using this course not even so much to learn creative writing, but as a tool to better analyze and understand literature. We are only a few weeks in, but so far, this material has exceeded my expectations and enhanced our study of literature.” — Andrea

\$108



INCLUDED IN THE COMPASS MEMBERSHIP

EACH LESSON INCLUDES:

- ✓ One lecture (20-30 minutes)
- ✓ A supplemental writing exercise

Teacher **Dr. Jonathan Rogers**

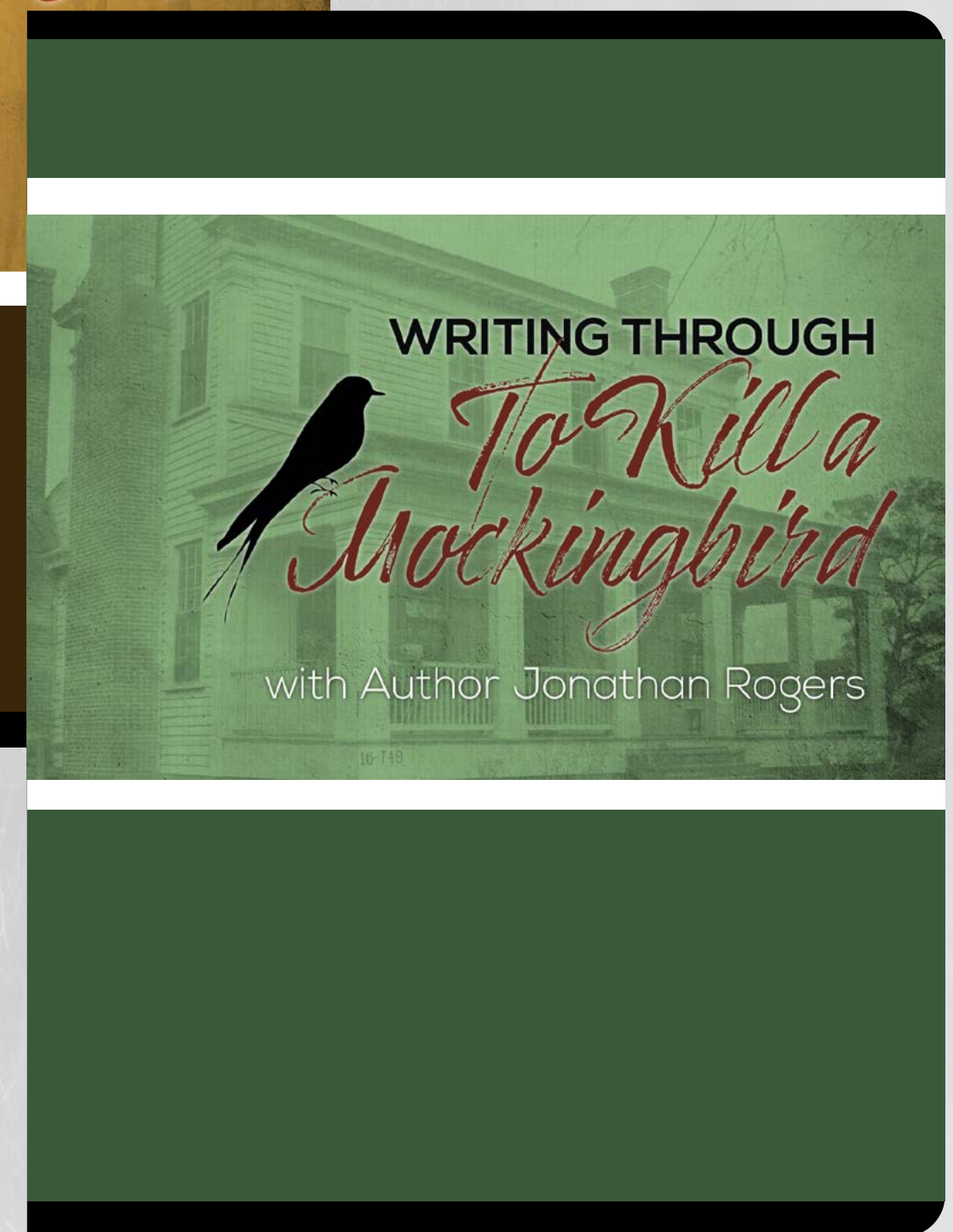
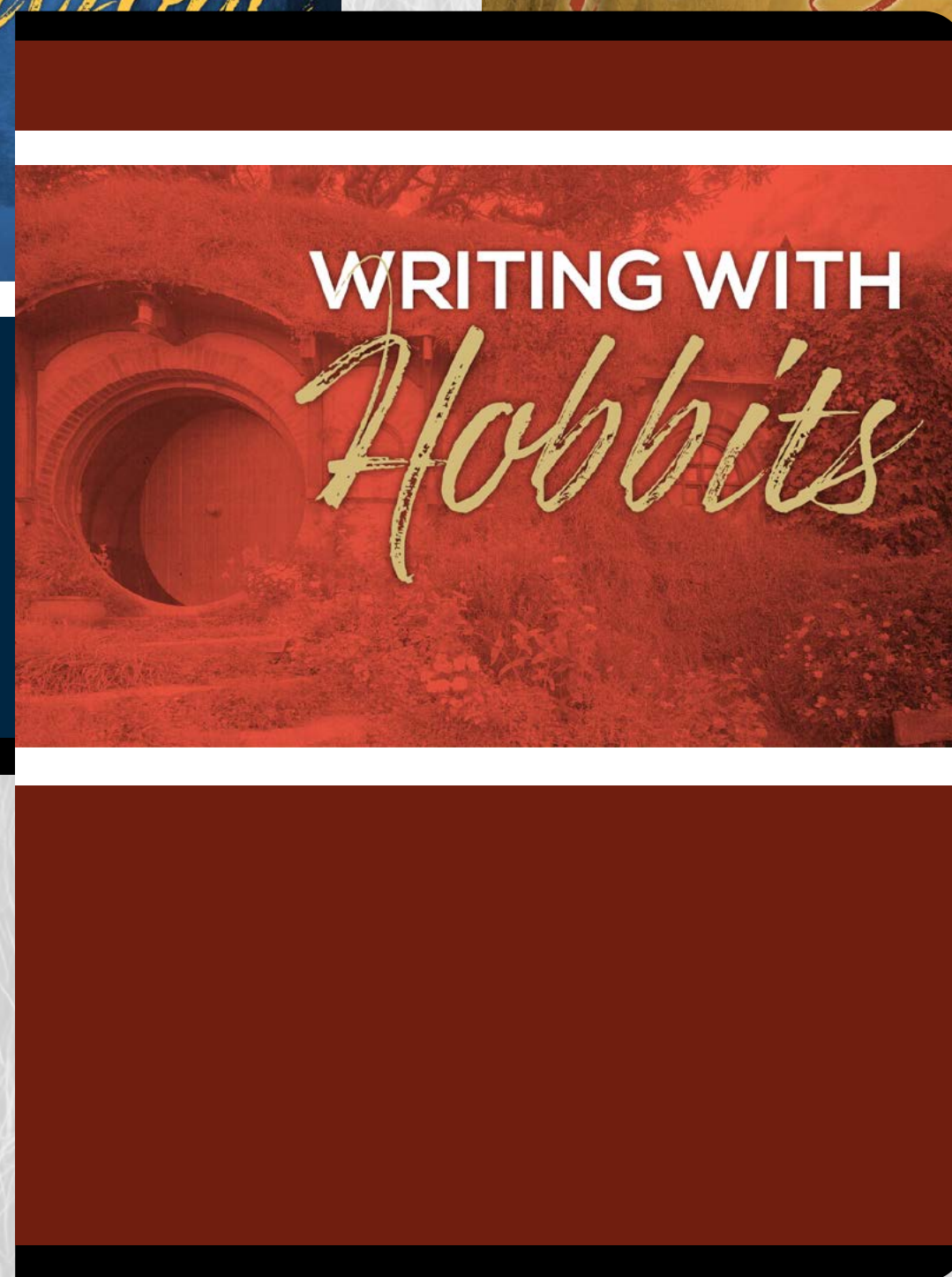
Credit 1 for the set (English, Writing, Literature)

Lessons 70

Includes Supplemental Writing Exercises (PDF)

Format USB thumb drive, streaming

Grade Level 9+



LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS



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GRAMMAR

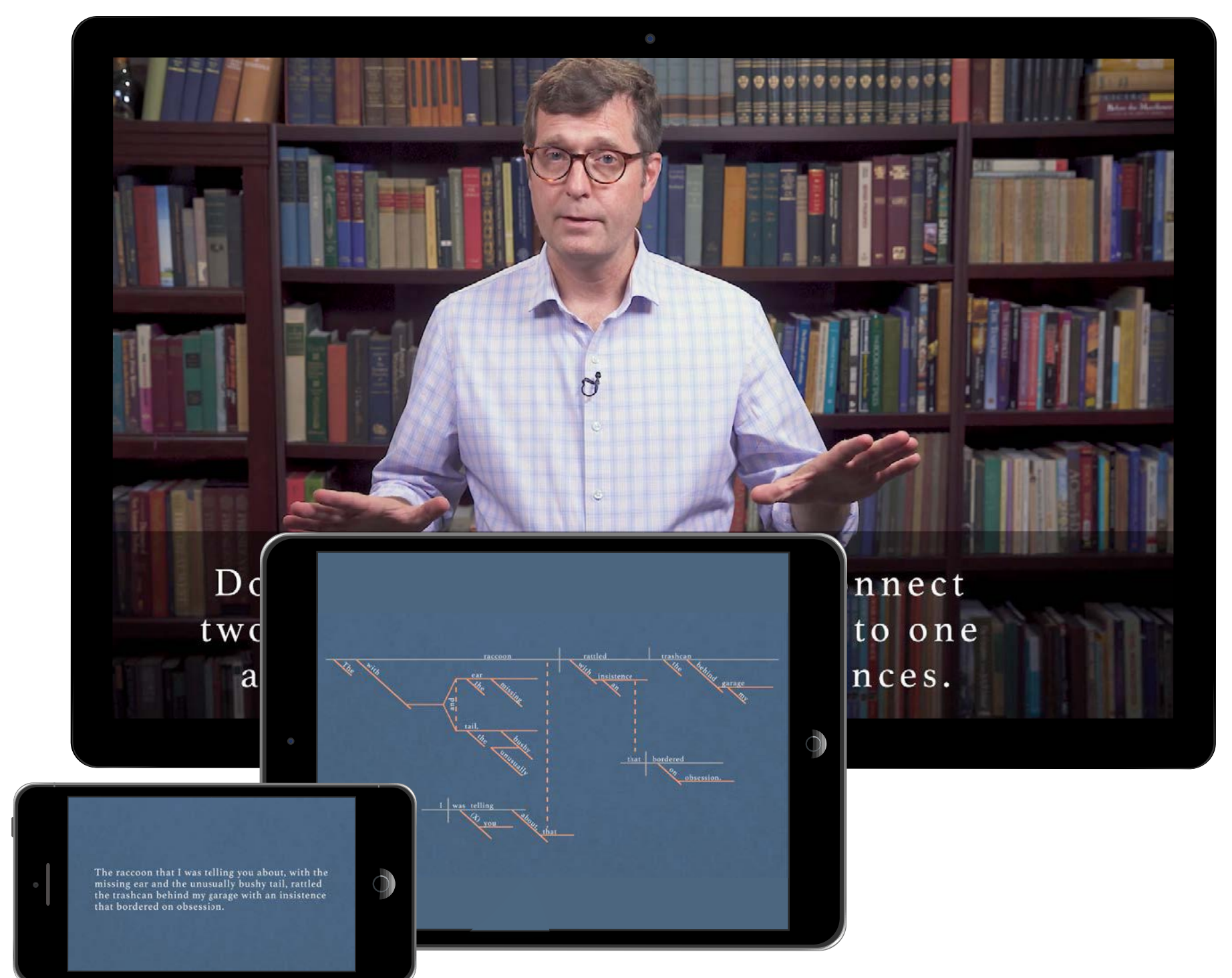
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WRITERS



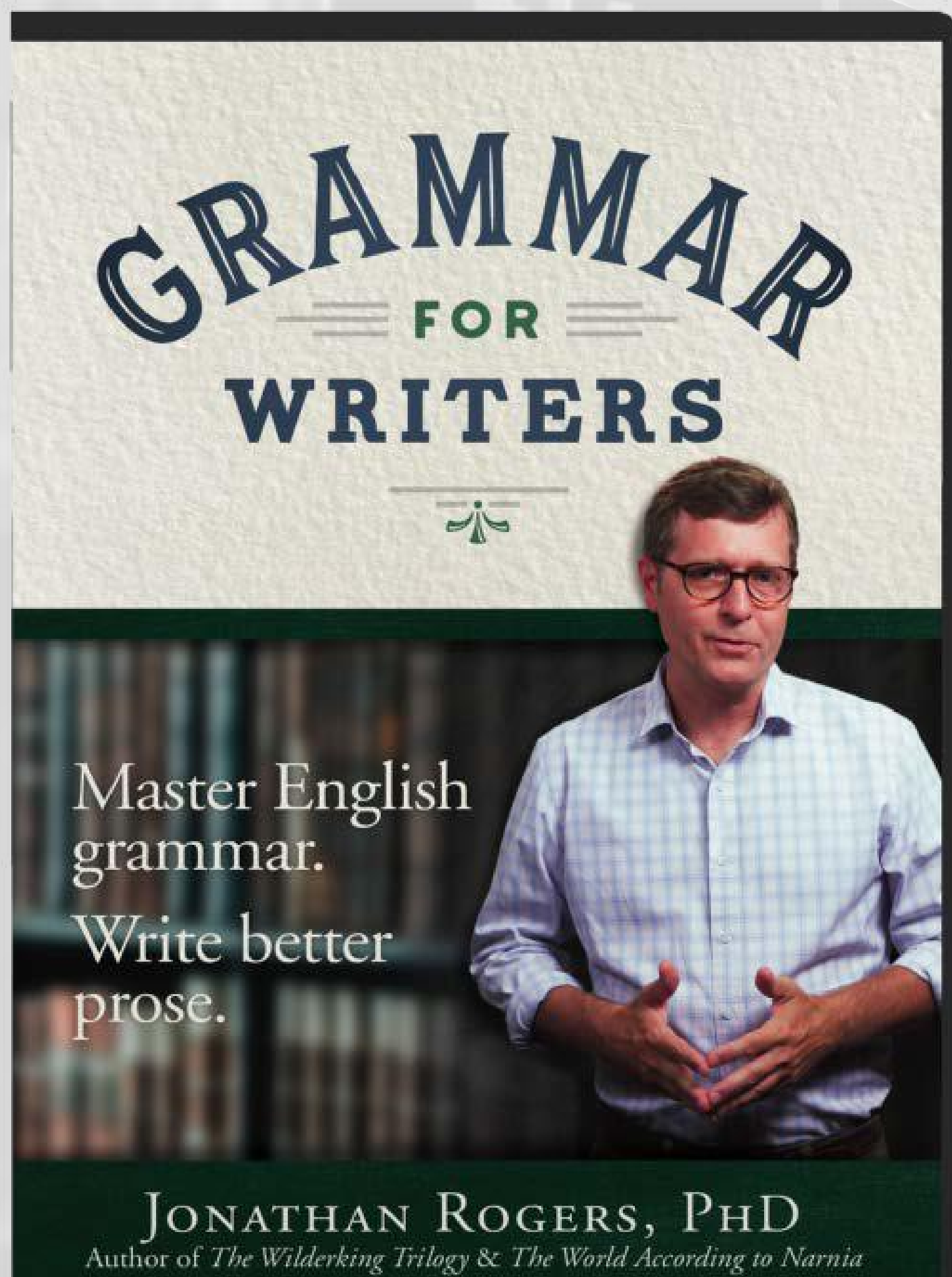
This course is a deep dive into English grammar—but not grammar for its own sake. The goal is to give learners a mastery of grammar that results directly and immediately in better writing.

Grammar for Writers builds on a native speaker and reader’s instinctive understanding of language in order to demystify English grammar and sentence structure. The course provides concrete tools to analyze, diagnose, and repair writing problems.



“Presented in an excellent, well expressed manner. English is our second language and this course makes it easy to understand the grammar and usage of the language. So glad we found this course.” — Corlia

\$90

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MEMBERSHIP**EACH LESSON INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Instructional video (3-16 minutes)
- ✓ Lecture notes in a conversational style
- ✓ Quiz and answer key

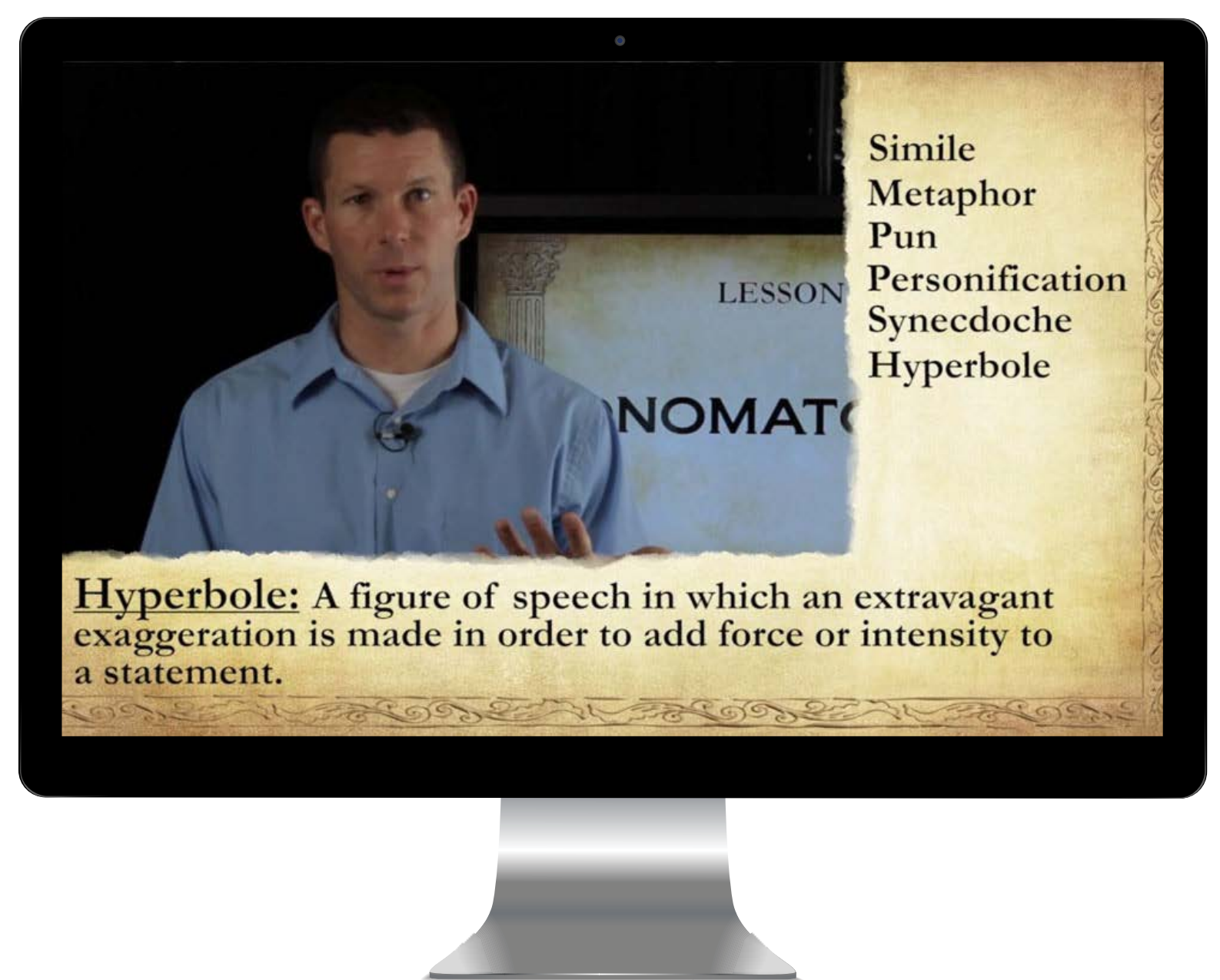
Teacher **Dr. Jonathan Rogers****Credit** 1/2 (English, Writing)**Lessons** 42**Includes** Lecture Notes & Quizzes (PDF)**Available** Lecture Notes & Quizzes (spiral-bound)**Format** USB thumb drive, streaming**Grade Level** 10+**LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS****WATCH THE TRAILER**

Grammar of POETRY

Matt Whitling instructs students in the building blocks of poetry and literature in a fun and engaging way. Principal at the renowned Logos School, Matt has spent many years helping students understand poetic, literary, and non-literal language.

Grammar of Poetry teaches the mechanics of poetry by using the classical approach of imitation. This method teaches students how to interact not only with poems, but also with language in any situation. Lectures cover the fundamentals of poetry from scansion and rhyme to more advanced concepts like spatial poetry and synecdoche.

It is designed for the 6th through 9th grade level, but is also appropriate for older children and adults seeking to achieve a better knowledge of how poetry works.



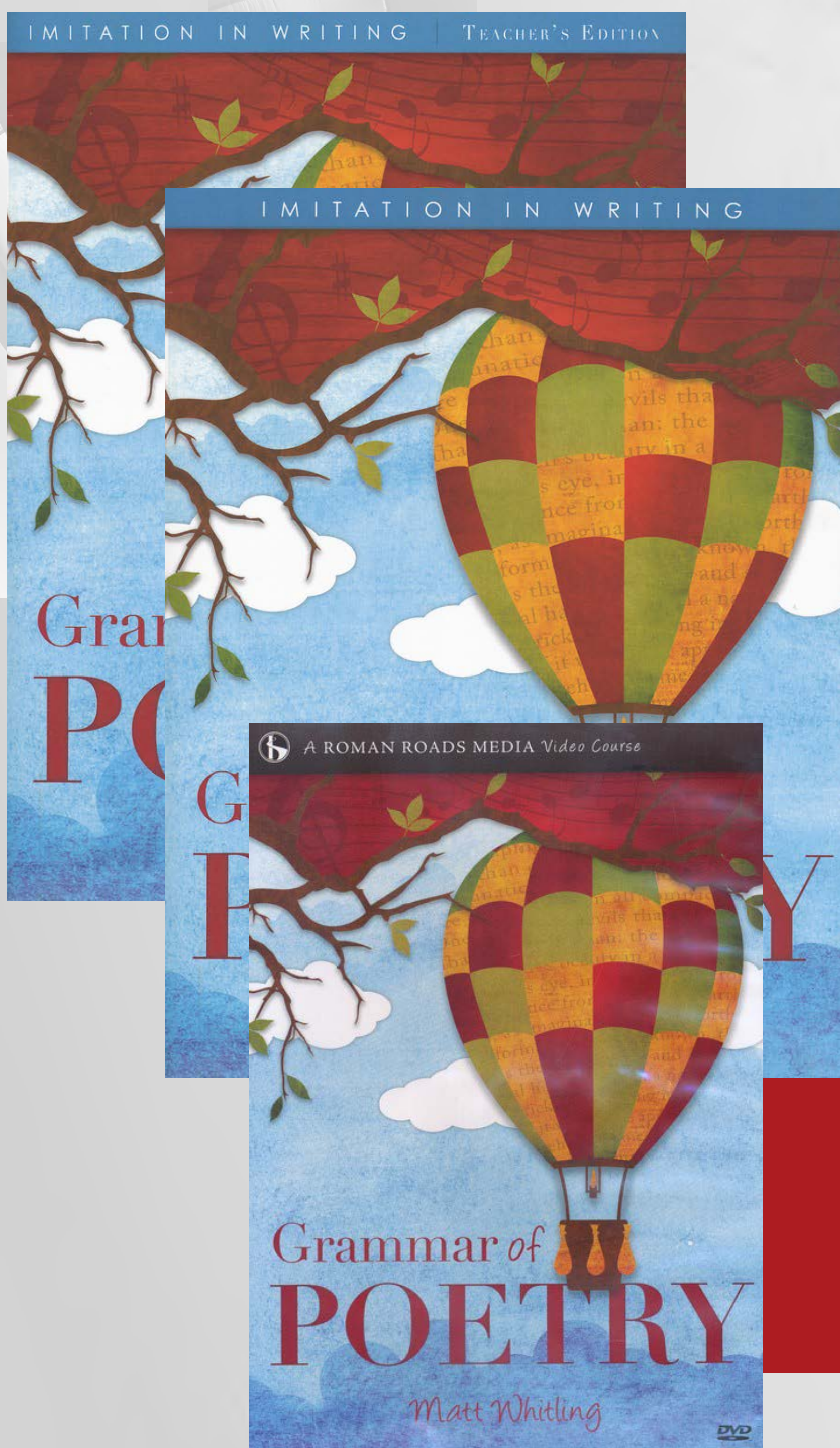
“A masterpiece of enjoyable reading and enriching information.”

— Andrew

\$131



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MEMBERSHIP



Teacher [Matt Whitting](#)

Credit 1/2 (English, Literature)

Lessons 30

Includes Teacher's Edition & Student Book (softcovers)

Format DVD, streaming

Grade Level 6, 7, 8

INCLUDES:

- ✓ Activities for each chapter
- ✓ Real-life examples from Shakespeare to tongue-twisters
- ✓ Riddles to solve
- ✓ Glossary of terms
- ✓ 150+ poems to integrate

LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS



WATCH THE TRAILER

FITTING WORDS

Classical Rhetoric for the Christian Student

What is rhetoric and why do we need it? The short answer is that God created us as people of words, and He wants us to use them in a fitting way. “A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in settings of silver” (Proverbs 25:11). Rhetoric is the art of using words well, and is measured by our ability to teach men the truth, to move men to goodness, and to delight men with verbal beauty. Effective speaking and writing is informative, powerful, and elegant.

Fitting Words instructs students in the art of classical rhetoric, providing them with tools of communication that will equip them for life. Intended for high school students and above, *Fitting Words* is a complete curriculum covering a year of instruction. In this course, students will learn the theory of using words well, study the greatest speeches of all time, and practice the skills of effective oratory.

“The supplementary materials...will enable a parent with no experience in rhetoric to teach this well, but the real key for homeschoolers will be the videos that go along with the text and workbook.” — Wes

\$224



- Credit** 1 (English, Rhetoric, Speech/Debate)
- Lessons** 30
- Includes** Textbook, Workbook, Exam Pack, Answer Key (softcovers)
- Format** DVD only
- Grade Level** 11+

[LEARN MORE & TRY FREE LESSONS](#)



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GO TO COLLEGE

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW

Does thinking about college for your homeschool student feel intimidating? This short class will help you understand the various issues involved in attending college today, from standardized testing to choosing a roommate to finding a good church to succeeding academically.



The class is taught by a current college senior who was also homeschooled; it includes guest appearances by parents and other students. Libby Purifoy led this live seminar in Fall 2024. This product provides access to the recordings.

This eight session class is a combination of lecture and discussion group Q&A. The course explains various topics, provides resources, and gives assignments for the whole family. The linked discussion group provides a place for students and parents to ask questions. The goal of this class is to help explain the current college landscape from a Christian perspective.

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- ✓ What are the different methods of homeschooling?
- ✓ What are the first steps of homeschooling?
- ✓ What does homeschooling young children look like?
- ✓ How is homeschooling about being faithful?

CONVERSATION #2

- ✓ How can I teach my kids at home?
- ✓ Do I have to be at home to homeschool?
- ✓ What does a typical homeschool day look like?
- ✓ How do I discover how my child learns best?
- ✓ How do I choose learning materials?
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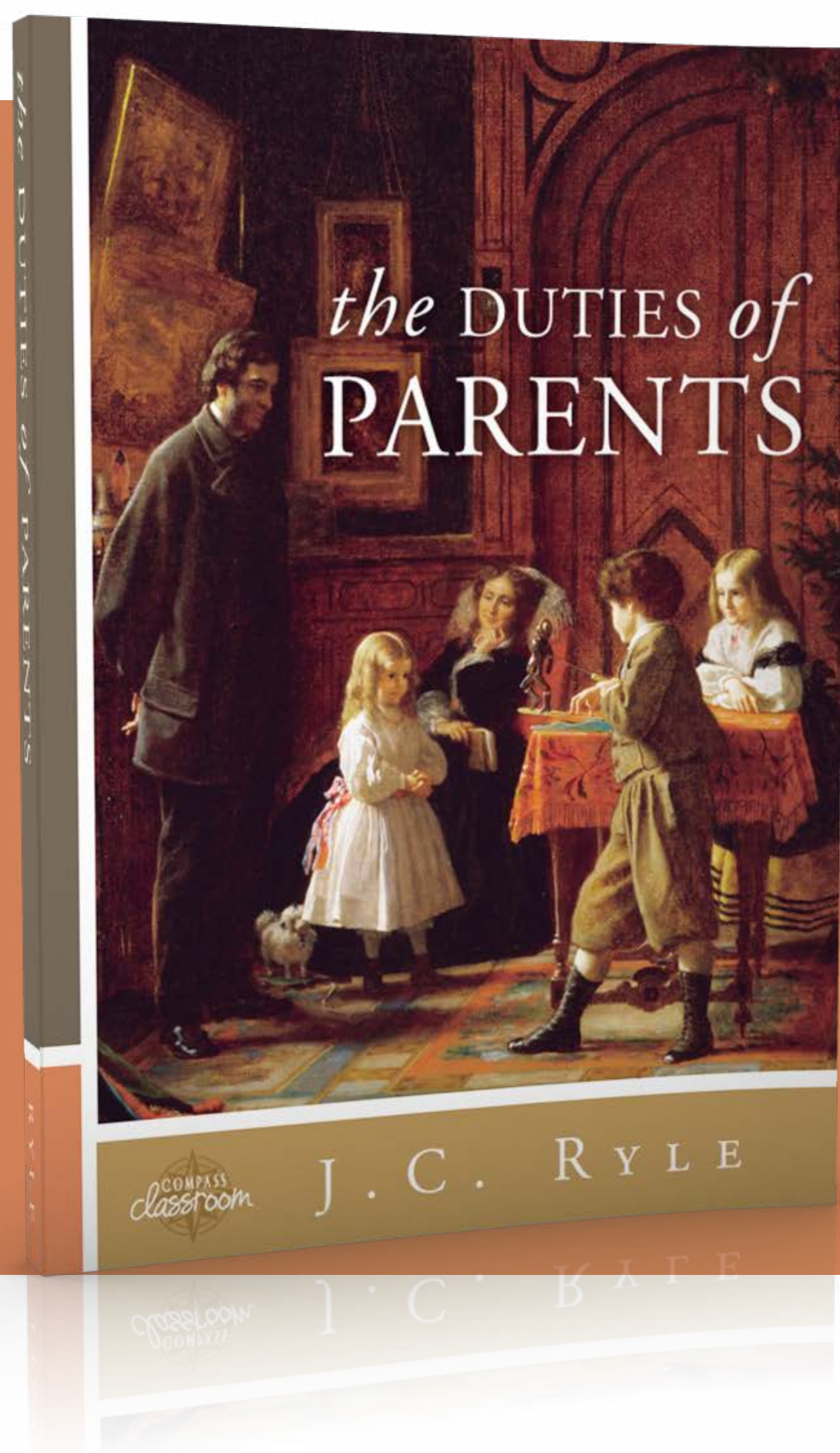
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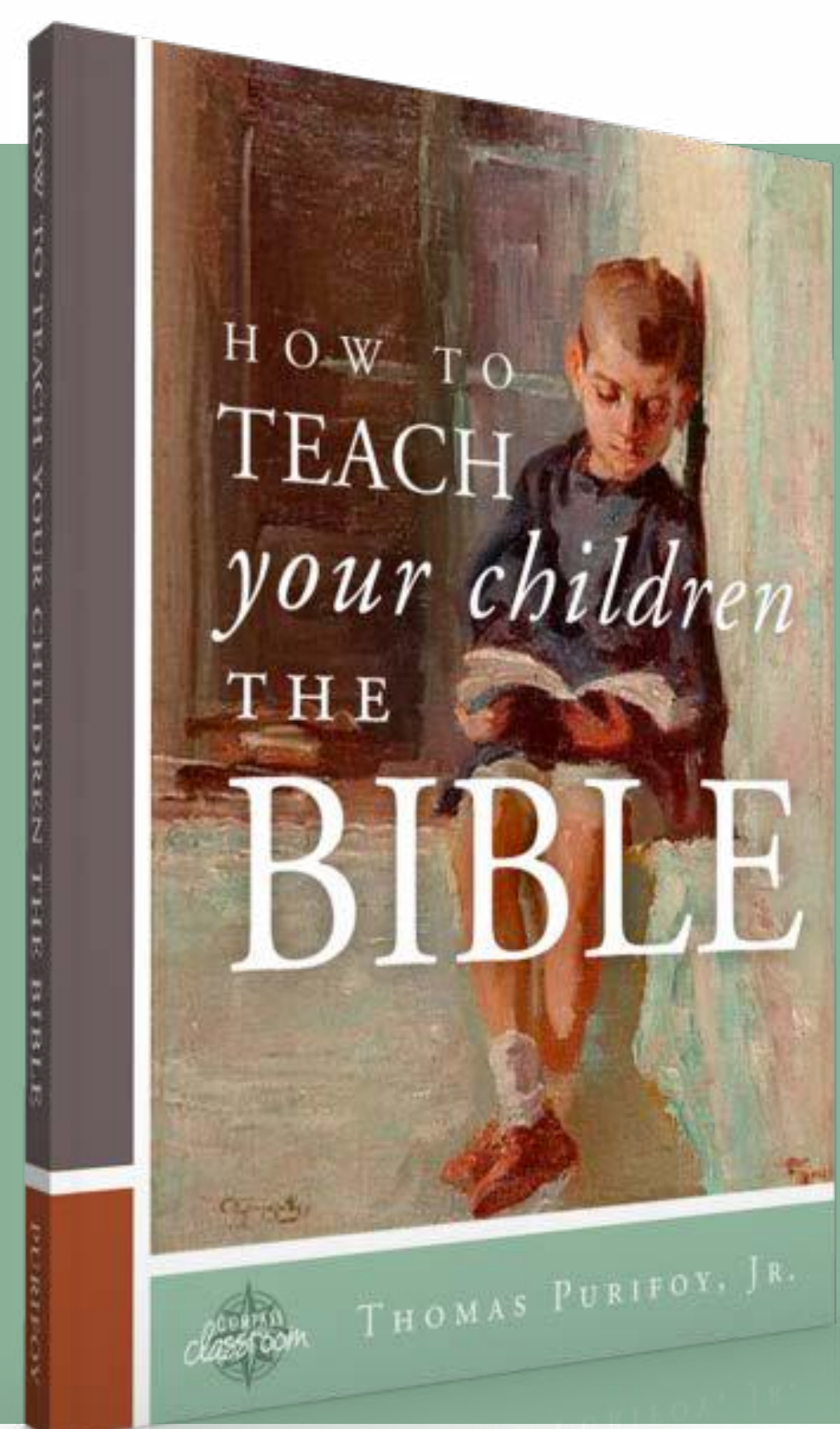
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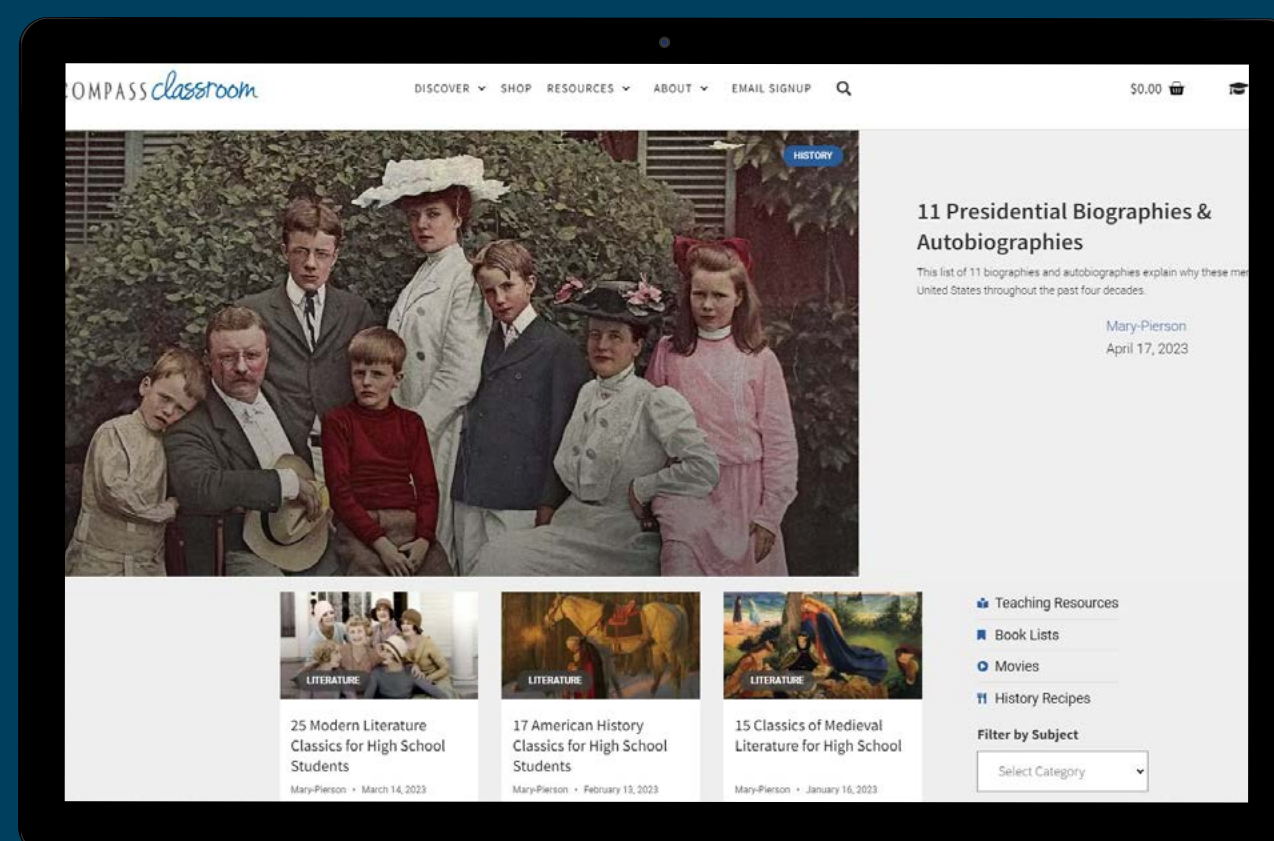
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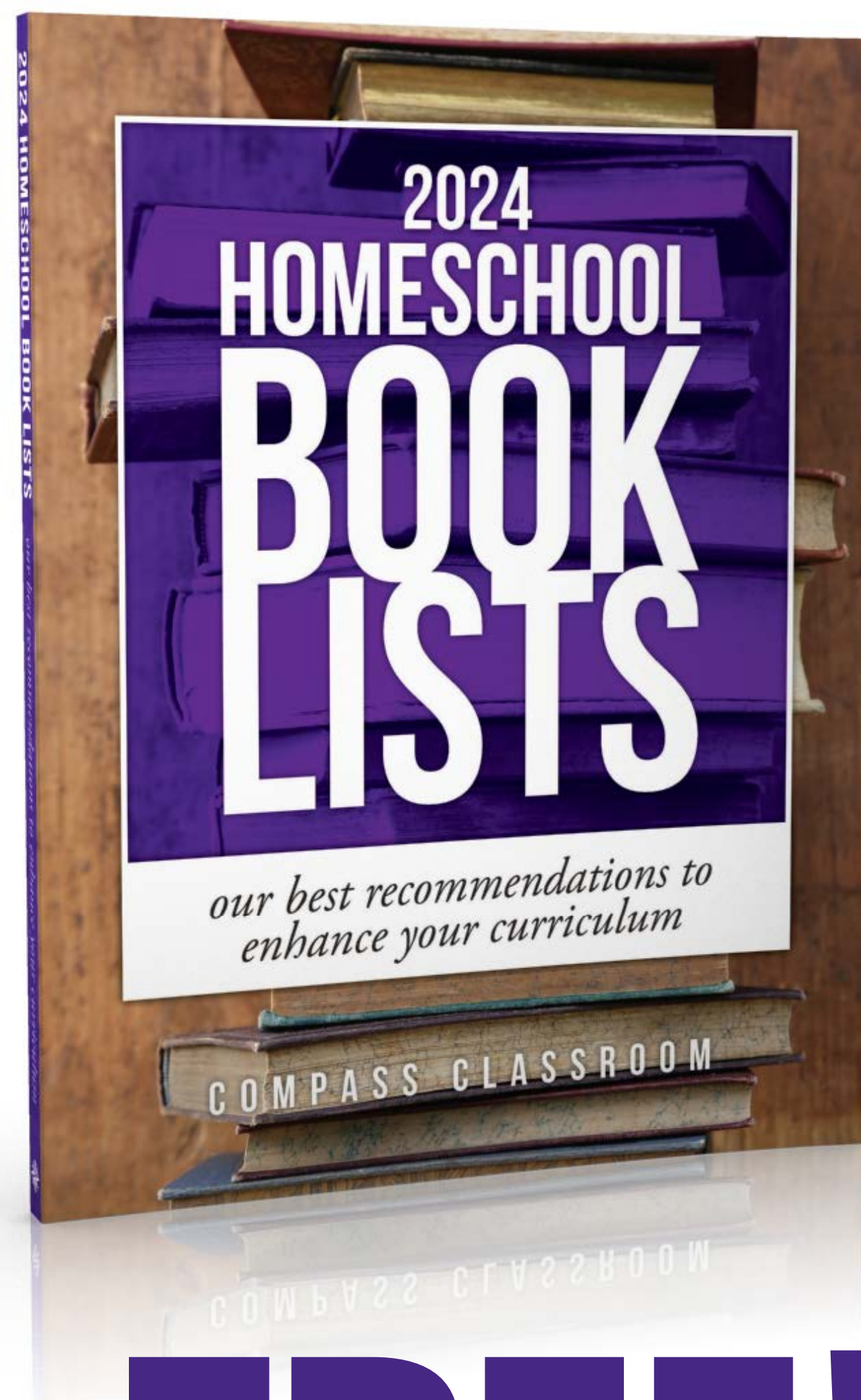
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