

# Doctrinal Statement of the Fundamental Baptist Bible College

A. **We believe** that the Word of God was perfectly inspired in the original manuscripts and it was perfectly preserved through the King James Bible. We therefore believe that the King James Bible is the Word of God, supernaturally inspired, so that it is inerrant in the original manuscripts and preserved by God in its verbal inspiration, so that it is an authoritative standard for every age and every life.

B. **We believe** that God, out of His love for men, sent Christ into the world to save sinners.

C. **We believe** Jesus Christ is the Son of God and the *only* way to eternal salvation.

D. **We believe** that Jesus Christ in the flesh was both God and man, that He was born of a virgin and that He lived a sinless life, in which He taught and wrought mighty works and wonders and signs exactly as revealed in the four Gospels, that He was crucified, died as a penalty for our sins and was raised from the dead, bodily on the third day. Later, He ascended to the Father's right hand where He is head of the church and intercedes for believers, and from whence He is coming again personally, bodily, and visibly.

E. **We believe** that the Lord Jesus Christ made a perfect atonement for sin through His death. By His shed blood we are redeemed from our sins. He became sin for us that we might be justified through faith in His shed blood.

F. **We believe** that once a person is saved he becomes a new creation in Christ. The goal of the Christian will be to grow in spiritual maturity through obedience to the Word of God and the indwelling Spirit. We believe in the eternal security of the believer, that a man cannot undo, and God will not undo, the mighty work of saving grace that God works in every believer.

G. **We believe** the church exists for the purpose of sharing the exciting message of Christ with our community and with the world. We also believe it is the responsibility of the church to develop mature disciples of Christ through joyful worship services and meaningful Bible studies. We believe every believer should be a spiritual witness and should work to promote world missions so all mankind can hear the gospel message. We believe God calls only men to the preaching

ministry whether it be through pastoring or evangelism.

1. **We believe** in the pretribulation rapture of believers and hold to a premillennial view of eschatology.

I. **We believe** in six literal days of creation. God is the Creator and Maker of all. We do not believe in any form of the istic evolution. God literally made the first man, Adam, from the dust of the earth and through Adam's sin all mankind inherited the cursed nature.