Purpose, Principles and Process of the Timeline of Truth

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- 1. To Cover the Entire Bible
 - a. The entire Bible is inspired.
 - b. The entire Bible is profitable.
- 2. To Teach the Whole Counsel of God
- 3. To Ground Believers in the Word
- 4. To Progress in a Chronological Order
- 5. To Produce Reusable Materials
- 6. To Augment Other Studies
 - a. Topical
 - b. Focused

Principles:

- 1. Helps Keep the Bible Central
- 2. Allows for Protection and Control of Curriculum
- 3. Allows Our Church to Set the Topics / Pace
 - a. Not curriculums
 - b. Not publishing houses
- 4. We Study the Same Thing
 - a. The entire Church family studies the same thing.
 - b. An entire family studies the same thing.
- 5. Allows for Interaction in the Church and in Families
- 6. Allows for Collaborating Efforts in Other Ministries
- 7. Helps with Planning (You Know What's Next)

Practices:

- 1. Begin by Reading the Text in our Common Translation (NKJV)
 - a. Shows that the Word is Our Source
 - b. Shows that the Word Can Be Studied and Understood
- 2. Explain the Word
- 3. Give Key Points to Know and Learn
- 4. Work the Word into the Students (activities, memory, review)
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