

In Whom Do We Trust?

Capitol Hill?

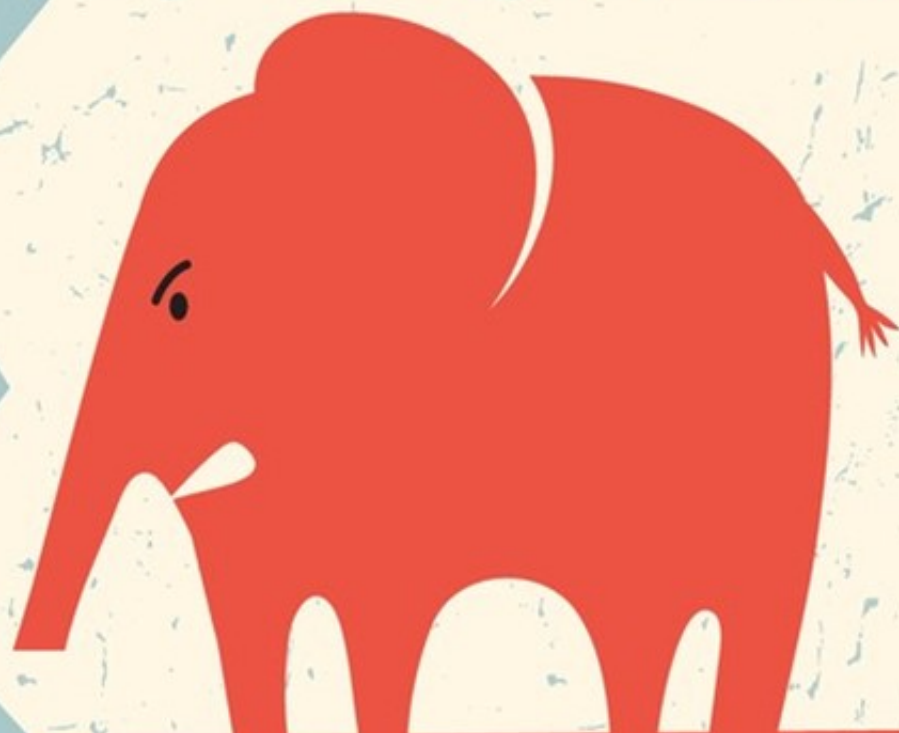
Zion's Hill!

We the People

POWER!



MONEY!

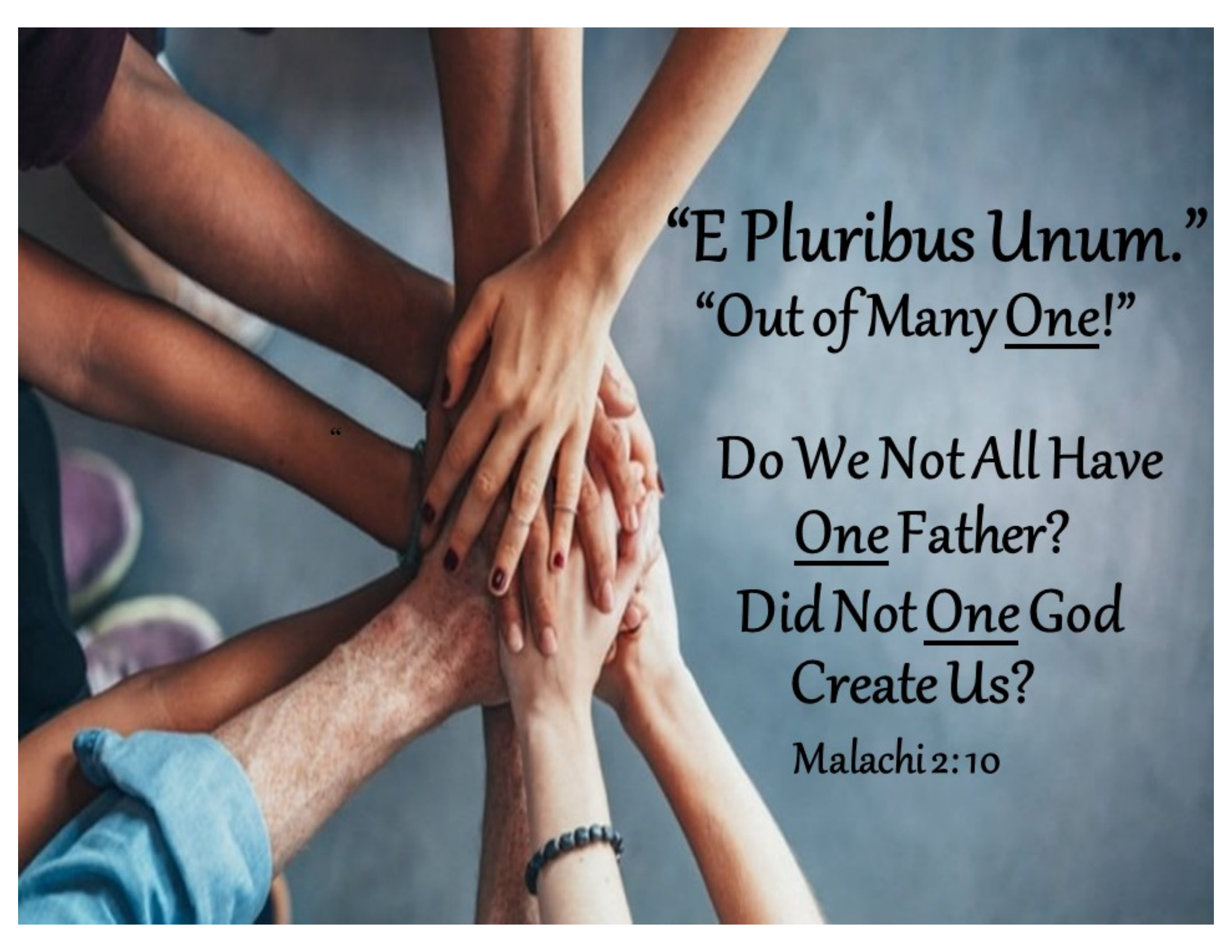


TURF WARS!

*The Body of
Christ!*

*And
Government!*





“E Pluribus Unum.”
“Out of Many One!”

Do We Not All Have
One Father?
Did Not One God
Create Us?

Malachi 2:10

Teachings - This Series

- ✎ Thine is the Kingdom & Power! (1)
- ✎ How Firm a Foundation! (11)
- ✎ How Should We Live – Vote the Bible!
- ✎ Kings, Kingdoms . . . & Father-GOD!

Foundation Scriptures - Series

Hosea 8: 4

The People Appointed Kings without My Consent,
and Princes without My Approval. By Making Idols
for Themselves from their Silver and Gold,
They Brought About Their Own Destruction!”

Daniel 2: 21

“He” Knows All, and Does All: “He” Changes the
Seasons and Guides History; “He” Raises up Kings
and Brings Them Down!

Foundation Scriptures - Series

Romans 13: 1

There is No Authority "Power" Except
from GOD!

Acts 5: 9

But if it is of God, You Will Not be Able to
Stop, Overthrow or Destroy Them; You Might
Even be Found Fighting Against God!

Foundation Scriptures - Series

Proverbs 14: 34

“Righteousness” (Right Standing with God)
Exalts a “Nation” but SIN (Rejecting God) is a
Reproach (Disgrace) to Any people!

Psalms 11: 3

If the Foundations of the “Righteous” (Law &
Order) Are Destroyed, What can the
“Righteous” Do!

Learning OBJ(s) - Series

To identify the Relationship Between Politics,
Political Platforms - & the Gospel! To Grasp –
We are Members of Society, but Citizens of the
Kingdom of God! To Embrace – when the
Political Kingdoms Collide with the Biblical
Kingdom, the Churches Decisions & Choices
Must Be Tethered to the Word of God!

Powerpoint W. Key - Series:

Kingdom Citizens – are Not Democrats,
Republicans or Any Other Political Party!
There Are No Political Parties in the Kingdom
of God – There's Only a Kingdom Party ...
Governed by the Word & Providence of God!
Political Platforms or Political Parties Do Not
Govern the Decisions, Behaviors, & Living of
“Christ Followers!”

Big Question(s) ~ Series:

What is the Function of Government Given to Man by Holy God? ... As Christ Followers How Are We View & Think About Government & Appointed Representatives of the People?

How Are We to Select (Vote) for Representatives (Servants) of the People?
What Should Christ Followers Do When Government "Servants" Are Corrupt?

Previous Teaching - Week 1

1. Thine is the Kingdom & Power! (1)
 - a. Founding Fathers of Government . . .
Spiritually Principled Leader!
 - i. Character – They “Believed God!”
 - b. Know Your Government . . . “Providence of God!”
 - i. Government/Nations . . . “Under God!”



Thing is the Kingdom & Power:

The Founding Fathers Were Spiritually
Principled Leaders!

They Believed the World & Nations Belonged
to a Sovereign & Providential - Holy God!

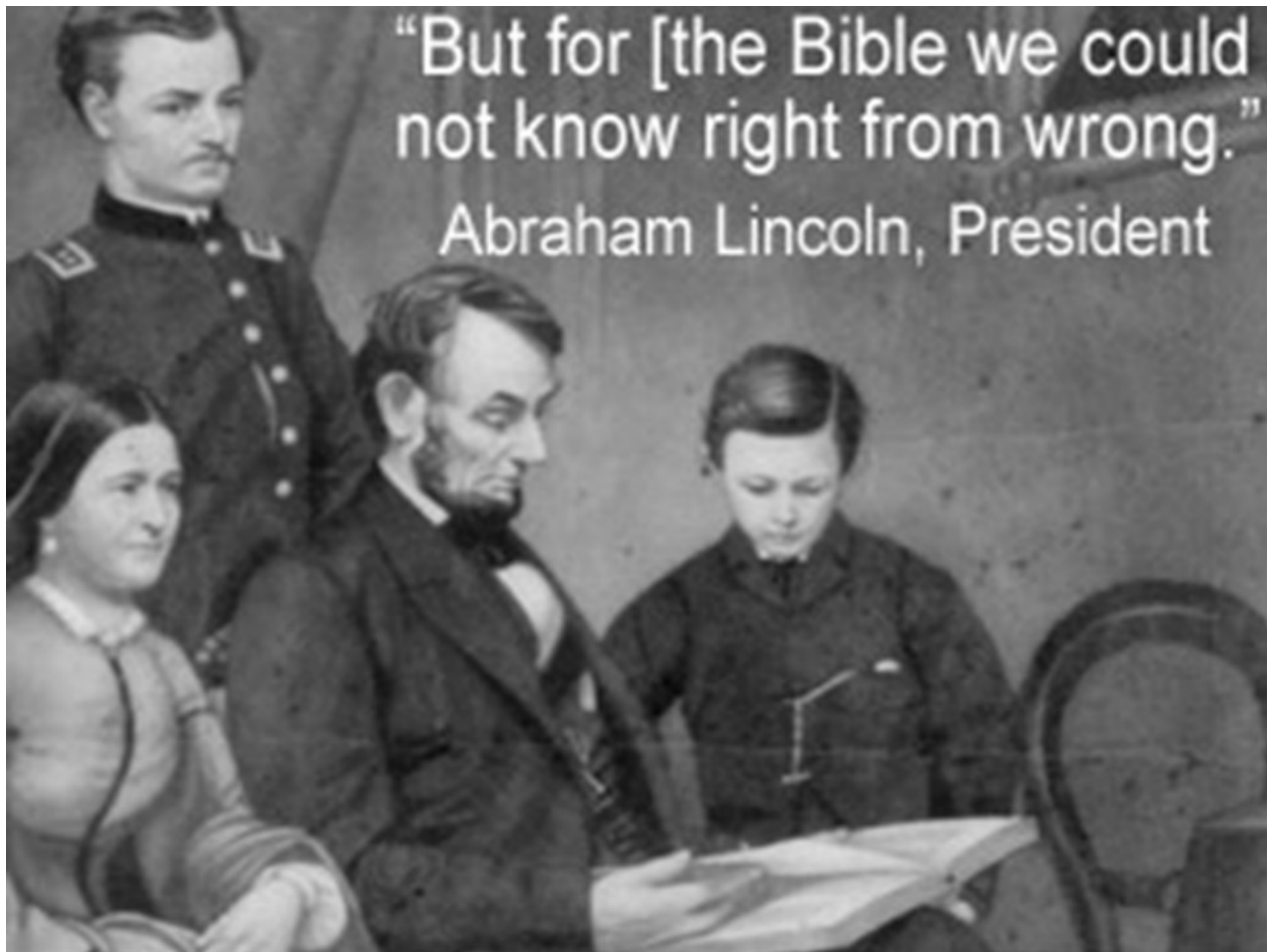
They Morally Believed the Government &
Nation Needed to Built on the God of the Bible!

"IT IS THE DUTY OF ALL NATIONS TO ACKNOWLEDGE
THE PROVIDENCE OF ALMIGHTY GOD, TO OBEY HIS
WILL, TO BE GRATEFUL FOR HIS BENEFITS, AND HUMBLY
TO IMPLORE HIS PROTECTION AND FAVOR."

- George Washington



“But for [the Bible we could
not know right from wrong.”
Abraham Lincoln, President



Previous Teaching - Week II

1. How "Firm" a Foundation! (11)

a. Nations/Governments Submit to God

... Everything Belongs to Father-GOD!

i. God's Authority – For God's Sake!

ii. Responsibility of Civic Leaders ...

Serve the People – Ministers!

Previous Teaching - Week II

1. How “Firm” a Foundation! (11)

b. Christians – Holy Compliant Citizens!

i. Submit to Leaders – For God's Sake!

i.. Christians – “Holy Compliances!”

Everything Belongs to God!



Today's Teaching - Week III

1. How Should We Live – VOTE the Bible!
 - a. Biblical Position ... “Politics & Parties!”
 - i. Father-GOD – Does Not Follow
“Political Parties or Platforms!”
 - b. Guiding Principles for Voting . . .
“Justice & Righteousness!”
 - i. Lawlessness – Holy “BAR!”

Today's Teaching - Week III

1. How Should We Live – VOTE the Bible!

c. Biblical Principle for Voting . . . Never
“Violate Your Conscience!”

i. Loyal to the Word – “Fully Persuaded!”

d. Powerpoints . . . “Christ-Followers to
Remember!”

Learning OBJ(s) ~ Today

On Capitol Hill, Politics Represents Very Different Realities – “Us & Them; Winners & Losers; Right & Wrong Theologies!”

The House of God is Never to Get Emotionally “Caught up” in Believing a Majority “Vote” of a Political Party ... is the Answer to the “Ills” Facing the Nation – Only the God of Zions Hill is the Answer & Hope for a World in Need of Saving – Leadership, Healing, Provision & Safety!

Powerpoint W. Key - Today:

“Father-GOD Can Change Any Leader – Ruler, King or President! Father-GOD Can Remove Any Ruler, King or President! Father-GOD Can Overrule any Ruler, King or President!

Proverbs 21: 1

“The Lord Can Control a King's Mind; The Heart of a King is a Canal/Stream in the Hand of the Lord; He Can Direct/Turn it as He Pleases!”

Big Question(s) ~ Today:

“Does God Approve of Something Because it is Good or it is Good Because God Approves of it?”

(Plato)

Should the Church (You) be Disciplined
(Influenced) by Politics, Politicians or Special
Interest Groups? Are You Loyal to Any Party or
Political Platform . . . Instead of Loyalty to the
Special Interest of Christ & the Gospel?



“Vote” the Bible!

Does Father-God
Sanction, Approve or
Support Politics or Political
Parties?

Galatians 1: 8



Dangers of Political Parties:

“Partisanship Will Lead to
Inter-Political Conflict; Divide
the Nation; Give Rise to Cases of
Tyranny! Domination of One
Faction Over Another; Will
Create a Spirit of Revenge &
Party Dissension!”

George Washington



*This Pillar shall not
stand... I am determin'd
to support a just and
necessary War...*

*This Pillar
must come down
I am a friend
of Peace...*

*...you a precious token of honest
Bleeding Liberty Supported by three Pillars —
Devise my sons from pulling at them Should
you remove one you destroy the whole.*

“VOTE the Bible!”

God Does Not Follow Political
Parties or Platforms!

Hosea 8: 4

The People “Voted” – Chose Kings without My
Consent, and Princes without My Approval. By
Making Idols for Themselves from their Silver
and Gold, They Brought About Their Own
Destruction!”

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“VOTE the Bible!”

*Guiding Principles for Voting:
“Justice (Equity) & Righteousness!”*

*Unjust Laws; Systems & Structures;
Evil & Corruption; Injustices & Abuses!*

*Poor; Disenfranchised &
Helpless!*

“VOTE the Bible!”

Guiding Principles for Voting:
“Justice (Equity) & Righteousness!”

Jeremiah 22: 3

Thus says the Lord, “Do Justice & Righteousness,
and Deliver the One Who Has Been Robbed from
the Power of his Oppressor. Do Not Mistreat or Do
Violence to the Immigrant, Orphan, or the Widow;
and Do Not Shed Innocent Blood in This Place!”

“VOTE the Bible!”

Guiding Principles for Voting:
“Justice (Equity) & Righteousness!”

Proverbs 31: 8 - 9

“Speak Up - Open Your Mouth for Those Who Cannot
Speak for Themselves; Defend the Rights of Those
Who Have Nothing (Vulnerable/Fragile). Speak Up -
Open Your Mouth & Judge Fairly With Righteousness,
& Defend the Rights of the Poor & Needy!”

“VOTE the Bible!”

Guiding Principles for Voting:

“Justice (Equity) & Righteousness!”

Voting Ballot Issues:

- ☞ Character & Integrity! Abortion! Education!
- ☞ Economy! Social Security! National Security!
- ☞ Same Sex Marriage! Health Care! Taxation!
- ☞ Immigration! Racial/Social Injustice!

“VOTE the Bible!”

Guiding Principles for Voting:

Holy “B.A.R!”

Speech, Living & Being - Christ-Followers:

Behavior! Attitude! Response!

- ☞ Walk in Truth! Psalm 119: 9
- ☞ Obey the Truth! Galatians 5: 7
- ☞ Love God & Neighbor! Matthew 22: 37 - 39

“VOTE the Bible!”

Biblical Principles for Voting:

Never Violate Your Conscience!

Romans 13: 5

*“As a Matter of Principle – For the Sake of
Your “Conscience” . . . Because You Know
of Your “Conscience” What’s Right
& Wrong!”*



“VOTE the Bible!”

*Biblical Principles for Voting:
Never Violate Your Conscience!*

Romans 14: 5

*“Let Everyone be Sure, Fully Convinced in
Their Own Mind . . . According to Their
Convictions – Conscience!”*

“VOTE the Bible!”

Biblical Principles for Voting:

Never Violate Your Conscience!

Founding Fathers:

- ☞ Had a Great Reverence for God & Scripture!*
- ☞ Had Spiritual Convictions!*
- ☞ Had Minds/Hearts for Justice & Righteousness!*
- ☞ Had a Sincere & Proven Care for the People!*

“VOTE the Bible!”

Biblical Principles for Voting:

Powerpoints – Christ Followers

“Remember:”

- ✘ Focus of Voting – is the Advance the Gospel!*
- ✘ No Govt or President Can Take the Place of God! Father-GOD Has All the Power/Authority!*
- ✘ There is No One Way a Christ-Follower “Votes!”*
- ✘ GOD Didn’t Give Us Political Parties (Sides)!*



“VOTE the Bible!”

Biblical Principles for Voting:

Voting Assistance Information

“Local; State & Federal Leaders”

By State!

“Their Beliefs & Backgrounds!”

“MyFaithVotes.Org

A close-up photograph of a metal surface, likely a coin or medal, featuring embossed text. The text is arranged in three lines: "IN" on the top line, "GOD WE" on the middle line, and "TRUST" on the bottom line. The metal has a textured, slightly mottled appearance with some darker areas and highlights from the lighting. The embossing is clearly visible, with the letters having a three-dimensional quality. The overall tone is warm and metallic.

IN
GOD WE
TRUST

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