

What's the New Testament About?

Selected Scripture
(series #1)

Intro: God's sovereign work through Providence

- Galatians 4:4
- The Grecian Empire 331 B.C. (language & culture)
- The Roman Empire 146 B.C. (roads & government)

I. The term "New Testament" or "New Covenant"

- Luke 22:15-20

II. The Gospels (they compose 46% of the N.T.)

- they emphasize the last week of Jesus' life

III. The book of Acts, the history of the early church - Acts 1:1

IV. The letters of Paul, the Apostle to the Gentiles - Rom. 11:13, 15:15-16, Eph. 3:1-11

V. The book of Hebrews: Jesus is Superior

- Hebrews 1:1-3

VI. The general Epistles (James-Jude)

- James 1:1, 1 Peter 1:1

VII. The book of Revelation - the triumph of Christ

- Revelation 1:1-3, 22:7

VIII. A comparison and contrast of the Gospels

Concluding application: believe in Jesus Christ!