PUT 409 William Ames (3)

Puritan Reformed Biblical Seminary Doctor of Divinity in Puritan Studies May 2015

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Description

This course is the analysis of fifty two lectures of Rev. William Ames clearly illustrated with doctrines and its applications.

Course Objectives

- 1. The student will be well known with fifty two lectures of Ames on the presentation of doctrines and its application.
- 2. The student will have burden for living puritan life according to the teachings of Scriptures.
- 3. The student will be motivated to preach and teach the Scriptural doctrines carefully and faithfully.

Course Textbooks

Required Textbook

Ames, William. The Substance of Christian Religion. London: T. Mabb, 1659.

The following reading is required:

300 pages Reading from any book written by William Ames or about William Ames is required.

TOTAL READING

300 pages

Course Requirements

1. *Paper*. The student is to write one paper from the required textbook mentioned above. The paper must be typed, one inch margins, double-spaced, and 40–45 pages in length, including bibliography. The paper should follow the turabian guidelines and conform to the seminary manual for papers and theses. Student has to create his/her own outline from the textbook, and develop his content and argument discussing with the ideas of the author from the same book as stating its strength and weakness of the paper.

Note: Though the student discusses with the textbook and develops his content from the same, he/ she must consult with other valid/ scholarly works for better understanding of the subject.

2. *Reading*. The student is to read the course syllabus and the required reading materials given in this description.

Remember, Paper and reading report is to be graded as follows:

Course Grading

- The student should consult the catalog for the grading scale used in the seminary.
- The *paper* constitutes 85% of the course grade.
- The *reading* constitutes 15% of the course grade.
- Students may turn in class assignments through e-mail in a word/ pdf format as your mentor demands.
- Late assignments, unless the result of circumstances beyond the student's control, are not accepted.
- Except when permission has been granted by the mentor, the complete work not turned in by the end of the program time limits, is recorded as a zero and the student's grade computed accordingly.