

**Bible Minor**  
**Theology 1: Doctrines of Creation and Man**  
*Class 01: Creation and Providence (Part 1)*

**Class Schedule (90 minutes total)**

***\*Please arrive on time\****

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| 10-15 minutes | Fellowship at your table (get to know each other) |
| 15 minutes    | Pre-Video Discussion Questions                    |
| 30-40 minutes | Class via Video                                   |
| 10-15 minutes | Post-Video Discussion Questions                   |
| 5 minutes     | Closing Thoughts and Dismissal                    |

*Feel free to stay around and hang out after class*

**Pre-Video Discussion Questions**

1. Please take the time and have each person formally introduce themselves. Possibly tell where you work, go to school/college, and how long you've been going to our church.
2. Be adventurous with this next discussion point. If you had to use one word to describe yourself, what would it be?
3. For those who feel comfortable, please tell the others at your table why you decided to take this class.
4. Please have someone at your table read 2 Timothy 3:16-17 and answer the following questions...
  - What are the 4 ways the Scriptures are beneficial/profitable? Briefly define each one.
  - What are the two results of Scriptures in our lives?
5. Have someone read this important statement from our church leadership concerning this class  
*"There will be a lot of information that you will learn over the next several months. Some of the information will be life-changing because you've never heard something taught quite like this before. However, there may be other moments in this class when you struggle keeping up or don't understand a concept or teaching. During those moments, please focus on what you understand and not what you don't. Understanding the Scriptures is a lifetime of study, not an instant grasping of every truth. Be patient with yourself. Ask God for help when you don't understand. Most of all, don't quit learning. These classes are meant to provide a greater knowledge of God that leads you to know and love Him more."*

**Post-Video Discussion Questions**

1. Work together with your table to put into 1-2 sentences what it means that creation is purposeful. Please write the sentences out.
2. Did God create the universe? Rather than give a *yes* or *no* answer, describe how He created the universe and what Scriptures make it clear? Can you use a Scripture, outside of Genesis 1, that says God created it?
3. According to the professor, why does the young earth view of creation make sense?
4. If you feel comfortable, please tell everyone one thing you learned today and maybe one action step you can take based on today's class.