

Pillars of Truth Sermon Study Guide

“God’s Gift of Time”- October 3, 2015

I. Introduction

-God is being left out of the picture today

-*Origins of Species*- Man “is immediately descended from the same _____ as the _____; more remotely, from the same _____ as all mammals. He is himself still _____; that process is stalled by our present lifestyle, but biologically it is inevitable.”

II. A Day to Remember

a. Genesis 1:26,27

b. Genesis 2:1-2; Isaiah 40:28

The Sabbath is an eternal reminder of God’s _____.

c. Exodus 20:8-11

d. Deuteronomy 5:12-15

Exodus is tied specifically to God’s _____ of _____. Deuteronomy is linked to God’s _____.

e. Hebrews 4:9-11- The *rest* Paul is referring here is _____ in _____ for _____. _____ is never the answer. (see Rom 5:1)

f. Exodus 31:13- I am the Lord who _____.

The Sabbath is the link to _____ by _____. Just as creation was a work that was done for us, salvation is the same. Christ _____ us, _____ us, and _____ us.

g. John 6- The story of the feeding of the 5000

III. A Day of Relationships

a. Genesis 2:1-3- God did three things:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

b. When God makes something _____, He imputes His _____.

c. Our God is a God of _____. The Sabbath is an eloquent statement to us of a God who actually _____.

d. Mark 2:27-28- The Sabbath was made for _____.

e. Ezekiel 20:12, 20- That you may _____.

f. Satan’s final plan of deception

IV. Conclusion

There is a God who has given us the immeasurable gift of time. He longs to have weekly fellowship with you and me. What an amazing God! Are we willing to open our hearts and accept His divine invitation?

Story of a sunken ship