

Spiritual Life Seminary

GMIS-525 GREAT MISSIONARIES WHO CHANGED THE WORLD: Winter Quarter 2021

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GMIS-525 GREAT MISSIONARIES WHO CHANGED THE WORLD 3 credits

A few brave souls risked their lives to take the Gospel to strange and unknown cultures around the world. These courageous missionaries displayed sacrifice and courage that is sure to ignite the flames of evangelism in your heart as you explore the lives of: David Livingstone, Adoniram Judson, Hudson Taylor, Jonathan Goforth, and others..

SLBC Mission Statement:

To prepare students, through affordable higher education, to become leaders, teachers and ministers of extraordinary passion for Christ, who influence the world

Performance Objectives

1. Read God's Generals, the Missionaries by Roberts Liardon.
2. Write 2 papers (5-7 pages) on two of the missionaries we discuss in class. You must use at least 4 resources from the library (including your Roberts Liardon text if applicable). First tell me about the missionary's life and work and then tell me what this missionary inspires you to live for Christ and to do missions.
3. A midterm and final exam will be given.

Instructional Texts (required):

1. Holy Bible (I will be reading from King James Version, but you may bring any standard version to class (RSV, NIV, NASB, etc.)
2. Spiritual Life Seminary Course Manual (2018). *Great Missionaries Who changed the World.*
3. Roberts Liardon: *God's Generals, the Missionaries.*

GREAT MISSIONARIES WHO CHANGED THE WORLD SCHEDULE

Session	Date	COURSE ACTIVITY	God's Generals Reading
Session 1	1/12/20	William Carey and Movie of His Life	Manual: Pages 2-9 Book: Pages 84-117
Session 2	1/19/20	Nikolaus Zinzendorf Movie: First Fruits (20 min)	Manual: Pagers 10-17 Book: Pages 15-57
Session 3	1/26/20	David Livingstone and Movie of His Life	Manual: Pages 18-29 Book: Pages 203-242
Session 4	2/2/20	HUDSON TAYLOR And Movie of his life	Manual: Pages 30-42 Book: Pages 243-280
Session 5	2/9/20	AMY CARMICHAEL And Movie of Her Life	Manual: Pagers 43-48 Book: Pages 281-318
Session 6	2/16/20	ADONIRAM JUDSON "The Father of American Missions" DAVID BRAINERD "American Indian Missions"	Manual: Pagers 49-58 Book: Pages 58-83, 118-159
Session 7	2/23/20	JONATHAN GOFORTH AND MIDTERM	Manual: Pagers 63-71 Book: Pages 319-356
Session 8	3/2/20	Gladys Aylward Video	Manual: Pages 59-62
Session 9	3/9/20	Eric Liddell China Missionary and Prisoner	Manual: Pages 72-75
Session 10	3/16/20	Mother Theresa Movie of Her Life FINAL, 2 Papers Due	Handout Notes

NOTE: In the event of obtaining an incomplete at the end of the semester, students will be given 1 week to finish and turn in all assignments and exams. After 2 weeks, the student will receive an F grade for the course and no credit, unless significant extenuating circumstances warrant otherwise.

Spiritual Life Seminary's official attendance policy is as follows:

A basic requirement for ministers, pastors and missionaries is a regular, on-time attendance. Spiritual Life Bible College students are expected to be on time and in regular attendance for all of their classes. It is the responsibility of the student to get their work in on time and get a tape of any classes missed. All assignments are in the syllabus. More than two unexcused absences may reflect upon your course grade

GRADING

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Grade Percentages	
<u>Percentage</u>	<u>Points</u>
A = 90% –100%	225-250
B = 80% –89%	200-224
C = 70% –79%	175-199
D = 60% –69%	150-174
F = Less than 60%	149 or fewer
<u>POINT SYSTEM</u>	
Assignment	Total Points
1. 2 Papers	50 (25 points each)
2. Midterm	100 points
3. Final	100 points
<u>Total points possible</u>	250 points