"the way" series the Story of the Bible

What is Truth?

John 14:1-14

Context of the Gospel of John

- Theme: Deity of Jesus
- Written by: Apostle John
- Dated before AD66
- Passage during Last Supper

John 14:6 (Jesus is the Truth)

What is the Bible?

Hebrew Bible (Old Testament)



TORAH	NEVI'IM "PROPHETS"	KETUVIM "WRITINGS"
GENESIS	JOSHUA	PSALMS
EXODUS	SAMUEL	PROVERBS
LEVITICUS	KINGS	IOB
NUMBERS	ISAIAH	RUTH
DEUTERONOMY	JEREMIAH	CHRONICLES
	ETC.	ETC.

New Testament



EPIST	LES
PAUL	13 Letters
PETER	2 Letters
JOHN	3 Letters
JAMES/JACOB	1 Letter
JUDE	1 Letter
ANONYMOUS	Hebrews

Four tell the story of his life, death, and resurrection.

Twenty-one early letters are from the team of leaders Jesus appointed (apostles). They were addressed to communities all over the ancient Roman world, guiding them in their discipleship to Jesus.

ACTS

REVELATION

One recounts the first couple decades of the movement he started.

One is an apocalypse addressed to 7 churches.

The Big Picture "Story of the Bible"

- Consider Style and Genre
- The BIG Story of the Bible
- Love requires a choice

Literary Styles in the Bible

•	Words create a picture				

Ancient Jewish Meditation Literature

HOMEWORK for next week:

- 1) Read Proverbs 3:5-6
- 2) Read Proverbs 9:10-12
- 3) Define Wisdom?