

GOSPEL FLUENCY +COVID-19

PART 1: JESUS IS BETTER — EVEN IN COVID-19



ANSWER IN "CHAT":

What do you think of when you hear the word "fluency"?

What do you think of when you hear the word "gospel"?



BIG CLAIM:

Many Christians Believe 2/3 of the Gospel



For I am not ashamed of the gospel,
for it is the power of God for salvation to
everyone who believes, to the Jew first
and also to the Greek.

ROMANS 1:16



For the **wrath of God** is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth.

ROMANS 1:18



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The gospel is...

1. ...a historic reality
2. ...that greatly benefits my future
3. ...and impacts every aspect of my life today.



Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old **has** passed away; behold, the new **has** come. All this is from God, who through Christ **reconciled** us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation...

2 CORINTHIANS 5:17-18



For by grace you **have been saved** through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast... For we are his workmanship, **created in Christ Jesus for good works**, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

EPHESIANS 2:8-10



For in it [the gospel] the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."

ROMANS 1:17



GOSPEL FLUENCY IS ...

...the ability to speak the gospel to the real brokenness & longing of people's souls in a way we/they can hear — that sounds like the good news of Jesus for us & our present situations.



ANSWER IN "CHAT":

Rehearse the Truths/Implications of the Gospel:
WHY IS THIS GOOD NEWS (EVEN IN COVID-19)?

1. Jesus' Life
2. Jesus' Death
3. Jesus' Burial
4. Jesus' Resurrection
5. Jesus' Ascension



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PART 2: FRUIT TO ROOT — EVEN IN COVID-19



The good person out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil person out of his evil treasure produces evil, for **out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.**

LUKE 6:45



We destroy arguments and every lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and **take every thought captive to obey Christ...**

1 CORINTHIANS 10:5



Our **BEHAVIORS** are the result of our **BELIEFS.**

We determine what we **are believing** in the moment by tracing the **FRUIT** to the **ROOT.**



DIAGNOSIS: "Fruit to Root" Questions

What
Do I
Do?

Who
Am
I?

What
Has He
Done?

Who
is
God?


