

Covenant Theology

Lesson Sixteen

1. According to the author, what is the main hermeneutical principle with which we all (Reformed paedobaptists and Reformed Baptists) agree?

2. In what two categories might we find the New Testament fulfillment of Old Testament passages?

3. In the space provided, note how each of the following New Testament passages represents a *literal* interpretation of its Old Testament reference.

Matthew 1:23 and Isaiah 7:14 –

Acts 13:23 and Isaiah 11:1 –

Matthew 21:42 and Isaiah 28:16 (and Psalm 118:22) –

Luke 3:4-6 and Isaiah 40:3-5 –

Matthew 26:67; 27:26, 30 and Isaiah 50:6 -

4. In the space provided, note how each of the following New Testament passages represents a *non-literal* interpretation of its Old Testament reference.

Luke 20:17-18 and Isaiah 8:14-15 –

1 Corinthians 14:21-22 and Isaiah 28:11 –

5. What are the three areas of disagreement between Reformed Baptists and Reformed paedobaptists in their hermeneutical approach to the Covenant theology of the Bible?

a)

b)

c)

6. What types of disagreements have always existed between theologians with respect to the nature of God's covenants?

Next: The Reformed Baptist View of the Establishment of the New Covenant by Jesus Christ