



mosaiXmultiply

Learning to Learn

Course Guide

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WELCOME!

By taking this course you will not only be learning new information and skills. You will be equipping and empowering yourself with the proper tools to expand the Kingdom of God.

At mosaiXmultiply we believe that creating intercultural church communities in & through God's children, people of all nationalities can be saved. We are committed to create every single course with this goal in mind.

We aim to:

- Raise up, train, and mobilize men and women to plant mosaic gospel communities.
- Encourage monocultural churches to become mosaics of nations and cultures in intercultural reconciliation.
- Help local church members realize their church's vision by starting intercultural discipleship groups within their church, thereby creating the dynamic of mission and multiplication.

It is a joy and an honor to partner with you as you seek His guidance to grow in the confidence to expand His Kingdom.

Have a blessed Journey!

Joel Lutz & the mosaiXmultiply Team

INTRODUCTION

Learning is a gift of God, developed through training opportunities and worked out through timeless repetitions. Each one of you come from a different learning background. Do you feel it is easy to grasp new information, new thoughts and to get deeply into the mystery of the Gospel of God?

This course touches the special privilege of learning about God. He has revealed Himself in the Holy Scriptures. God teaches us even about how to know Himself and His Saviour Jesus Christ.

For learning about HIM and learning from Christ, God the creator set up principles of the memory and the way of understanding as He created the human mind. We want to understand ourselves to use our mind effectively.

God has given us the instrument of logic into our brains as the means to understand truthfully. The Holy Scriptures are using logic to communicate truth to us. In this course we learn God's communication by an introduction into the logic of Romans to start into the field of exegesis.

The course closes with looking at you, the learner. You will be provided with some practical helps for an individually adapted way of remembering and understanding. This course prepares you and supports you in your further studies. As more you understand how you are learning, the more you start to get into the science of teaching yourself.

Be Blessed!

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INSTRUCTOR**THOMAS GERLACH**

I was born 1961 into a Christian family close to Cologne, Germany. As a young man of 18 I faced my saviour Jesus Christ, who challenged me through a preaching about John 11 – from this moment I knew in my heart that following Christ is life itself.

While working in Israel as a craftsman at a building project of a house for seniors I was challenged by a Rabbi to study theology. I went back to school to get my degree that allowed me to go to theological school. First in Basel, Switzerland according to the German speaking system and then in Amsterdam, Netherlands at an American seminary I completed the Master of Divinity. After ministering in a Church and in working with long-term unemployed to teach them going back to a job I prepared myself for going to Africa to teach. In this process I completed my MA in Missiology.

However, God's plans were different. 4 months before we wanted to go away from Germany my wife developed cancer. We needed to stay and after 4 and a half years she passed away. This brought my life to a halt and a break down as the ministry I was working in was falling apart as well. I struggled to survive being a father of a 11-year-old girl.

I went back to business and worked as a product manager. During this time, I married again to go on now together through thick and thin.

After 7 years God brought me back to ministry as I was hired to work at a public school to teach juniors to pass their exams and helping them in their daily struggles. Here I was trained in didactics that is the science of how to teach. I used it for those who needed assistance in getting through their exams.

Later I was called to a Church in Hagen in the Ruhr area for another 7 years. Here I met people from many nations in 2015 as they came to Germany. Today I am serving them full time to help them to find a home in Germany, both spiritually and physically as they must overcome many obstacles.

Enjoy!

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COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is broken down into six specific sessions. Each session will include a video lecture, course guide, and in some cases short assignments to help you grow. We encourage you to not only do this course on your own time, but with others who share the same passion to expand God's Kingdom.

SESSION OVERVIEW

- 01 Learning From God & Learning about God
- 02 What Happens to me When I Learn?
- 03 Logic as a Tool for Learning
- 04 Logic Connects Meaning
- 05 Logic Helps to Understand Truth
- 06 We are Made to Learn