

HERMENEUTICS



IMPORTANCE

✧ For Truth

Ex 20:22, Deut 4:36, 5:24, 26

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Ex 20:22 When the LORD said to Moses, ‘Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, ‘You yourselves have seen that I have spoken to you from heaven.

Deut 5:24 “You said, 'Behold, the LORD our God has shown us His glory and His greatness, and we have heard His voice from the midst of the fire; we have seen today that God speaks with man, yet he lives.

Neither of these
tablets comes
with apps?



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ATHEIST VIEW of LIFE

I will live my life according to these beliefs

God does not exist

It is just foolish to think

That there is a God with a cosmic plan

That an all powerful God brings redemption/healing to pain & suffering in world

Is a comforting thought, however

It

Is only wishful thinking

People can do as they please without eternal consequences

The idea that

The idea that
I am deserving of Hell
Because of sin
Is a lie meant to make me a slave to those in power
“The more you have, the happier you will be”
Our existence has no grand meaning or purpose
In a world with no God
There is freedom to be who I want to be
But with God
Everything is fine
It is ridiculous to think
I am lost & in need of saving

CHRISTIAN VIEW of LIFE

INTERPRETATION

- Differences in Churches
- Different Hermeneutical approaches
- Different from Cults

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STAGES OF GROWTH

- 1. Birth**
- 2. Infancy**
- 3. Spirituality**
- 4. Maturity**

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**“I’m gonna
Learn to fly
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later when I
become an
Angel.”**

LITERAL INTERPRETATION

Creation

Science

Orthodoxy

Eschatology

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Creation

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Science

Young
Earth

Universal
Flood

Inspired,
Inerrant

Bible High View
of God

Premillennialism

Pretribulation
Rapture

NON-LITERAL INTERPRETATION

**Theistic
Evolution**

**Deviant
Theology**

Eschatology

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Theistic

Deviant

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Evolution

Theology

**Old
Earth**

**Local
Flood**

Liberalism

**Lower View
of God**

Amillennialism

Postmillennialism

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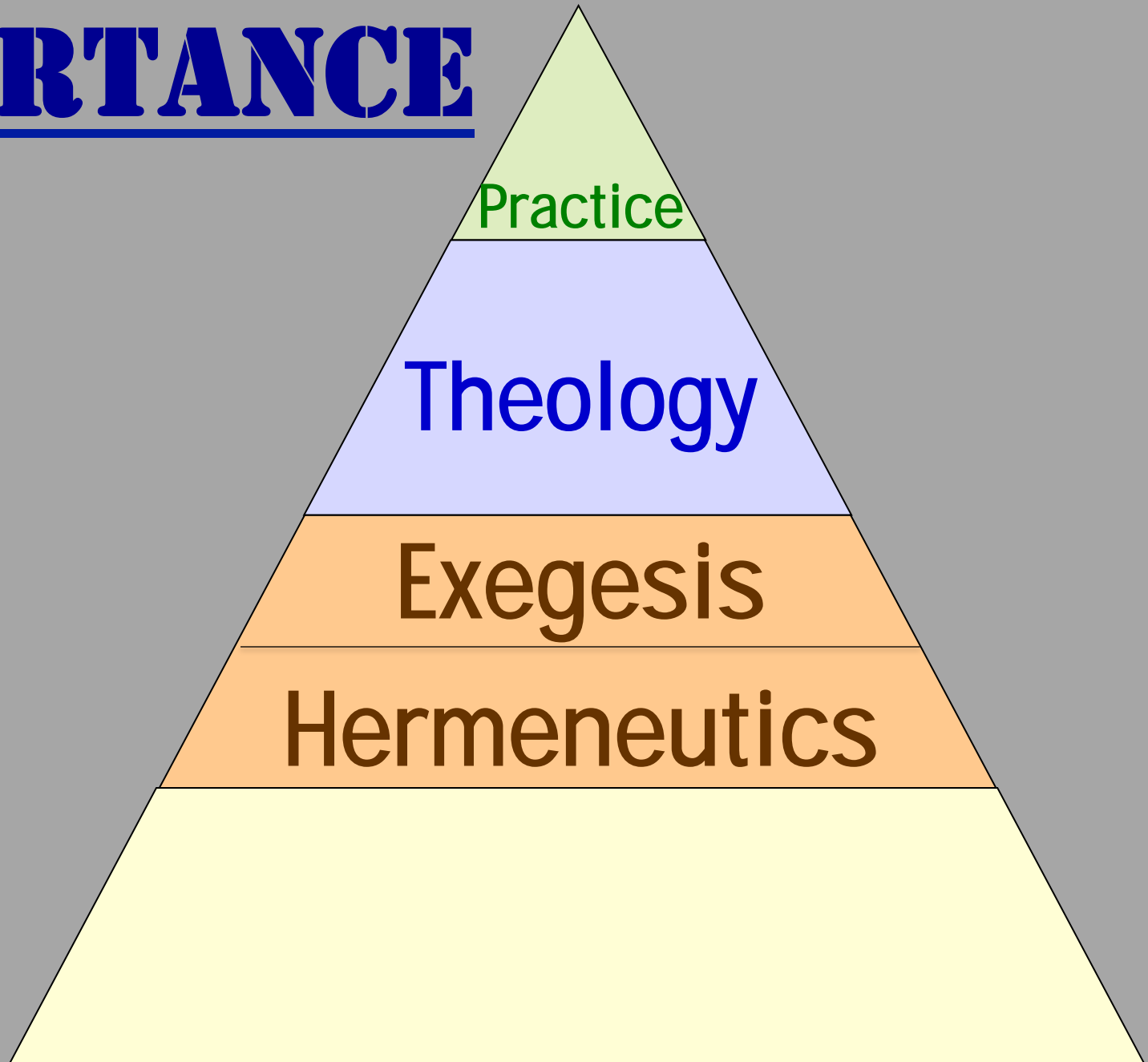
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RETENTION

- ✓ Hearing - 10%
- ✓ Seeing & Hearing - 50%
- ✓ Seeing, hearing, & Doing - to 98%

PREREQUISITES

Regeneration

Illumination

Obedience

Willingness

