

COURSE SYLLABUS

CC202: SoulCare Foundations II: **Understanding People and Problems**

Course Lecturer: Larry Crabb, PhD

Course Description

Why are so many areas of our lives such a mess? What lies beneath the confusion, despair, and emptiness that so many of us experience? In this second course in the four-course SoulCare series, Dr. Larry Crabb offers a biblical understanding of what's going on beneath the surface of our lives that results in the confusion, despair, and emptiness that so many of us experience. Does Christianity guarantee a better life? Can we really experience more satisfying soul-connection with God and with others? These are among the many questions Dr. Crabb will explore in this second ten-lesson course, which was designed to develop a deeper understanding of people and the problems we all experience.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, you should be able to:

- 1. Develop a deeper understanding of people and the problems experienced by all.
- 2. Reach a biblical understanding of what's going on beneath the surface of personal lives that may result in feelings of confusion, despair, and emptiness.
- 3. Learn to think biblically about the nature of the journey.

Course Lecturer



Larry J. Crabb, PhD

Education:

- University of Illinois, MA and PhD
- Ursinus College, BS

Teaching Career:

- Distinguished Scholar in Residence, Colorado Christian University
- Adjunct Professor in Applied Theology, Regent College (1998-1999)
- Chairman and Professor of the Graduate Department of Biblical Counseling, Colorado Christian University (1989-1996)
- Visiting Professor, Richmont University
- Chairman and Professor of the Department for Biblical Counseling, Grace Theological Seminary (1982 - 1989)

- Assistant Professor and Director of the Psychological Counseling Center, Florida Atlantic University (1971-1973)
- Assistant Professor in Psychology, University of Illinois
- Trainer of leaders through various transformational seminars given at schools, churches, and other venues around the globe

Other Career Highlights:

- Founder and Director of NewWay Ministries
- Licensed clinical psychologist in the state of Colorado
- Operator of his own private Christian psychology practice
- Spiritual Director for the American Association of Christian Counselors
- Member, Christian Association of Psychological Studies

Publications:

- Award-winning author of more than 40 books, including Connecting: Healing for Ourselves and Our Relationships, The PAPA Prayer: The Prayer You've Never Prayed, Effective Biblical Counseling, Finding God, and SoulTalk: The Language God Longs for Us to Speak
- His works Inside Out and Understanding People both garnered Gold Medallion Awards from the Evangelical Christian Publishers Association.

Course Methods

The lecture content for each lesson is provided in three easy-to-use formats: video, audio, and PDF text. Students can choose the medium (or combination of media) that most closely aligns with their individual learning styles.