

Study Guide: A Practical Approach to Biblical Contextualization
Session 4

TWO KINDS OF CONTEXTUALIZATION

What is “exegetical contextualization”? (Stage Three)

* This contextualization means seeing _____
_____.

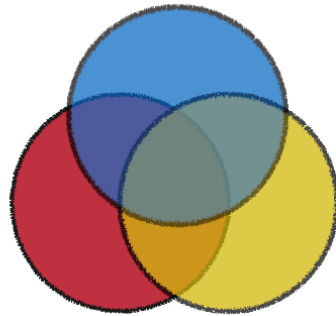
What is “cultural contextualization”? (Stage Four)

* One looks at a culture and identifies _____
_____.

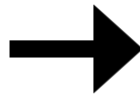
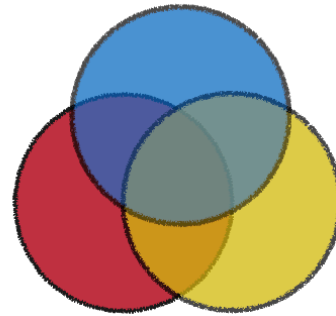
APPLYING THE MODEL

Stage Three

biblical framework



cultural themes



*What _____ helps us
explain the _____?*

How might we explain....

... the significance of the Law (circumcision, Sabbath, etc.)?

... the meaning of "son of God"?

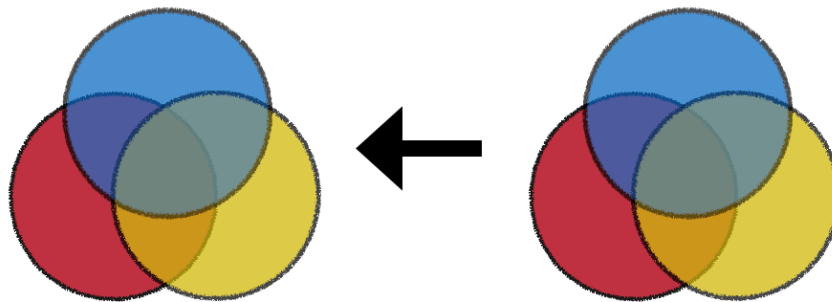
... the meaning of the "sin" and "faith"?

... the Abrahamic covenant?

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*What _____ helps us
address a _____?*

How might we explain....

... the significance of ethnocentrism?

... the excesses of filial piety?

... the issue of “seeking face”?

... spirit worship?

WHERE DO WE BEGIN?

What are a few ways you can begin to apply the above insights about honor and shame and contextualize the gospel?

Teaching and training

Reading Scripture

Evangelism

Other areas

NOTES FOR Q&A