

APOSTLES' AUTHORITY

Acts 1:20

"I Only Believe The Words In Red"

- John 14:23, 24
 - ▣ It's the words in black that tell who said those red words

What The Red Letters Say

A Note About Elders

- I Peter 5:1-4
 - ▣ I Timothy 3:1ff
- Acts 1:15-26

Point to remember: Elders are the overseers of the local congregations.

But the Apostles are the overseers of the church universal.

Apostles Trusted With The Church

- Matthew 16:17-19
 - ▣ Daniel 2:44
 - ▣ Matthew 18:18
- Ephesians 2:19-22

God Will Set up an everlasting kingdom in the days of the Roman Empire

Who Can Be An Apostle?

- Acts 1:21-26
 - ▣ One who accompanied them from the beginning of the ministry of Jesus
 - Starting with the baptism of John
 - Ending as an eyewitness of the resurrection
- What about Paul?
 - ▣ I Corinthians 15:3-10a
 - ▣ Acts 9:15-16
 - ▣ Galatians 1:11-12
 - I Corinthians 11:23, "For I received from the Lord ..."
 - Though an exception, he was confirmed by our Lord, Ananias, and Peter.

The Apostles Revealed God's Plan

Hear: Romans 10:17

Believe: Mark 16:16

Confess: Romans 10:8-10

Repent: Acts 17:30

Be Baptized: Acts 2:38

Live Faithfully: Acts 2:42