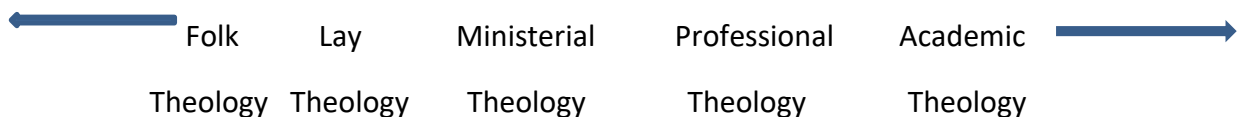


Systematic Theology – Prolegomena 1

Why Study Theology?

- 1) Theology is being depreciated
 - a. A focus on Christ and Christian experience
 - i. “Christianity deals with life, not doctrine”
 - b. A focus on preaching the gospel alone.
 - c. Mysticism & anti-intellectualism
 - d. ‘Brushpile’ theology- bare exegesis
- 2) We live in a day of ecclesiastical confusion
- 3) You cannot avoid doing theology – everyone is a theologian



- 4) The Nature of the Bible Requires Theology
- 5) The Bible Itself Does Theology

Additional Reading

Who Needs Theology? - Stanley Grenz & Roger Olson

Prolegomena - Kevin T. Bauder

6) The Two Decisions of Theology

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