N.T. Exegesis (Lecture 2)

- b. word is clear in its historical setting
- c. but the word is not limited to time
- d. although the word is conditioned by time.
- 3. Assumes perspicuity
 - a. what writer had in mind is obtainable
 - b. total message is adequate.
- 4. Assumes permanency
- D. He is marked by singular traits
 - 1. Spiritual
 - 2. Educational
 - 3. Intellectual
 - 4. Social
 - 5. Universal (worldly-wise)
- E. He is equipped with meaningful tools
 - 1. A knowledge of history
 - 2. A general knowledge of the use of language
 - 3. A knowledge of grammar (for the field of interest)
 - 4. The principles of hermeneutics
- F. His task is an unending task ...
 - 1. Every generation is new
 - 2. Questions re-arise and fresh questions develop.
 - 3. Challenges are re-asserted...
- G. But his rewards are
- III. Conclusion: