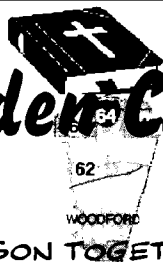


# The Camden Companion



"COME LET US REASON TOGETHER, SAYS THE LORD"

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## ***New Website Under Development***

In our day and time, there have been many advances in the communication of ideas. Radio, Television, easier printing, books, newspaper articles, advertisements, email, and the internet are vehicles for the easy communication of ideas. No doubt some Christians take modern advancements too far but we should take advantage of any way lawful to communicate with folks we can. The internet is one way of reaching many people at one time with the good news of Jesus Christ. The Camden Avenue Church of Christ is currently engaged in the development of an internet website. The web address is: [www.camdenchurch.org](http://www.camdenchurch.org) so please take a look. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has been working very hard on programming this site and we appreciate very much her efforts. Having a website gives us a place to talk about the gospel of Christ, have communication with others, give directions to our facility and the times we meet, and a host of other information. We plan to have bulletin articles, powerpoint sermons, and even audio of our sermons. There will be a page for meeting announcements and even a kids page. This will be a great tool for the church and we hope you take an active interest and part in it. Above all else, please pray for this work

***Lets win the world for  
Christ***



*By starting in our own  
community*

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## ***"They Shall Be Taught Of God"***

Jesus said, "It is written in the prophets, And they shall be taught of God. Every man that has heard, and has learned of the Father, comes to me." (John 6:45) If we give this verse a quick reading we might reach the conclusion that Jesus is saying we must be taught about God. Certainly we must be taught about God but that is not the Lord's point.

Look at the verse more closely. Jesus is talking about the source of teaching. The phrase "of God" clearly shows that teaching must be of divine origin. It come from God.

Earlier in the same chapter Jesus spoke of Himself as "the bread of life" and that He came from heaven to do the Father's will. In this context Jesus said that no one can come to Him "except the Father draw him." Then He says, "they shall all be taught of God." In other words, ~~their~~ only hope (and ours) was to accept Jesus as being from God. Study John 6:26-35 in particular.

Many folks look for God in all sorts of places but a true appreciation of God enforces the need for revelation. A person may study a tree but cutting it in half, counting its rings, or performing various types of chemical analysis and formulate some theories. But it is not so with God. Tests cannot be performed and the very nature of God cannot be known unless He comes to us and reveals Himself. "Who has known the mind of the Lord" (Rom. 11:33.)

God did just that when He sent His Son (Col. 2:6-10) and nothing more than Christ as teacher and perfect example is needed for mankind. He is the divine source as He made known the will of God to us (Heb. 1:1-2.) Are you taught of God? Heaven waits for those who are.