HOW WE KNOW THE MODERN TONGUES MOVEMENT IS NOT FOR TODAY IN THE AGE OF GRACE?

- I. Gibberish in the modern tongues movement is **NOT** the tongues used in the Bible. Tongues in the Bible are known and existing foreign languages, but unknown to the speaker, and are given miraculously to declare "the wonderful works of God", and given **ONLY** to **Jewish unbelievers**. Acts 2:1-11
- II. Gibberish in the modern tongues movement today is unintelligible peeps and mutterings which are connected to familiar (unclean) spirits and wizards in the scriptures. Isa. 8:19-20 cf. Lev. 19:31
- III. The gibberish today originated from pagan and heathen religions (**NOT** from the Bible) and is based primarily on emotions, feelings, and spiritual experiences.
- IV. The modern tongues movement does not limit the speakers to two or three as required in the scriptures. 1 Cor. 14:27, 29
- V. In the modern tongues movement, there is no interpreter as required by the scriptures. 1 Cor. 14:28
- VI. The modern tongues movement is often led by women, which violates the scriptures. 1 Cor. 14:34-35
- VII. The scriptures teach that tongues are for a sign for unbelievers (and **NOT** for believers) and that signs are for the **Jews** (and **NOT** the Body of Christ). 1 Cor. 14:22 cf. 1 Cor. 1:22
- VIII. Signs (along with the other Apostolic gifts given by the Lord in Matt. 10:1-8) ended with the apostles. 1 Cor. 13:8-10

THE SCRIPTURES MUST BE OUR FINAL AUTHORITY IN ALL MATTERS OF FAITH, DOCTRINE, AND PRACTICE!