

~~not~~ a follower of us, but a follower of ~~the~~ Christ, and a student of the Word of God. Now that's a brief presentation of a few points of the history of the seminary, trying to show you what our ideals are. I believe we have made considerable stride toward our ideal, though of course we know we could go a great deal further. Our faculty is trying to improve in scholarship constantly. Personally I don't believe there is a conservative seminary anywhere today that has a faculty that's more scholarly than the faculty that we have here at Faith. I don't think there's any that has. I think that we can give you in every department a training whose average is good with any other seminary and perhaps a lot better than a good many. But we are not taking that approach, "Here is the great thing," we're taking the approach, "Here's the great Word. Come and study the Word. Let us bow the Lord and ask Him to give us energy to dig into His Word, to ~~be~~ the leading of the Holy Spirit, to find what's there," and then when we find what's there, to stand on it, and to present it to <sup>a</sup> ~~the~~ world that needs the Word of God.