

FTTA-OL

Full-time Training in Anaheim Online

<http://onlineftta.org>



“For so many years we missed the way to teach the truths in a lesson way, in a way of education, to let the saints have a basic knowledge of God’s revelation.”

Brother Witness Lee, *Elders’ Training, Book 8:*
The Life-Pulse of the Lord’s Present Move, p. 70

ABOUT FTTA-OL COURSES

The Full-Time Training in Anaheim (FTTA) is one of the ways Brother Lee took to address the need of teaching the saints the basic truths in an educational way. The Full-Time Training in Anaheim Online (FTTA-OL) offers the FTTA curriculum completely online and maintains thorough consistency with its counterpart. Online learning in this program requires active interaction with course materials, substantial participation from every learner in the form of deliberate written responses, and weekly oral and written tests.

Each week learners are required to study ministry resources and complete the following activities:

Lesson: Fully developed written lessons present the week's burden to the learners and provide relevant ministry in the form of readings and short videos.

Written Fellowship: Learners are expected to participate on at least four days each week by posting substantive responses to fellowship questions as well as to the responses of their fellow learners.

Crystallization Statement: Each week learners create a brief statement that summarizes the week's learning and highlights the main burden for the week.

Oral Prophecy: Each week learners record an oral prophecy online for review by all the class. The oral prophecy relates to the main burden in the material for the week.

Quiz: Each week there is a quiz on the material covered that week.

In addition to the required activities above, there are also supplemental resource materials in the form of ministry readings, videos of Brother Witness Lee, and FTTA class videos, as applicable.

TESTIMONIES

This is by far the best online course I've ever taken. The whole program is very well designed to help the saints actively enter into the ministry. If the whole church would enter into this, then I am sure there will be a great revival in the churches with everyone functioning in the meetings. *D.C.*

I have heard for a long time about being constituted with the truth, and it has always been somewhat nebulous to me how exactly one gets constituted with the truth. I simply assumed that it was just a general matter of reading the Bible and ministry publications and somehow one day it will all "click" together. But, through FTTA-OL, I can now say I've experienced, at least in part, getting constituted with the truth in the way of education, as Brother Lee has spoken of, by diving into the Word in a very precise, specific way, and participating in the process of a blended learning with my fellow learners, eventually entering into the Lord's burden in a concrete way. I only wish many other saints, in fact all saints, can have this experience. *H.T.*

We prayed for a long time considering how we could get to the FTTA even though we have two small children and school debt. I feel like so far this was an answer to prayers. It changed our daily living. *A.W.*

FTTA-OL COURSES

- Run eight weeks in length, beginning in January, March, May, August, and October each year
- Require a few hours of work per week
- Follow a weekly schedule
- Allow work to be done at any time, day or night, within the assignment schedule
- Can be taken anywhere an Internet connection is available
- Do not require learners to be online at the same time
- Cost US\$150.00 each (US\$120.00 with paid early registration)

Language Requirements

Because FTTA-OL classes involve extensive writing, we require that all learners have the ability both to read and to write comfortably in English. Learning in the classes is collaborative, and insufficient English-language skills will result in frustration not only to the learner but to the entire class.

Facilitation

A team of experienced facilitators oversee each FTTA Online class. The serving ones are not a group of experts or teachers but are facilitators who coordinate to foster the learning process and generally facilitate the study of the truth.

COURSES OFFERED

As FTTA's online counterpart, FTTA-OL offers the same major lines of courses as the training in Anaheim. Since the online classes run in shorter terms (eight weeks in FTTA-OL vs. eighteen weeks in FTTA), more courses are required to cover all the material in FTTA. Here are the courses offered in FTTA-OL:

<i>Line</i>	<i>Courses</i>
The Word of God	1
The Triune God	1
The God-ordained Way	2
The New Jerusalem	2
The Experience of Christ as Life	3
The Body of Christ	5
God's Economy	5
The Spirit	5
The Full Ministry of Christ	6
Total	30

TESTIMONIES

The thoroughness and the depth of entering into the material is like nothing else that I have experienced in my church life...I definitely think that the time spent in pursuing the truth together with the other saints in this course will be a great benefit to my Christian life, church life, and for the Lord's move on the earth. I know already that my being is changed, and I feel more solid in the matter of pursuing the facts, receiving the revelations, and seeing the vision for the Lord's move. It is one of the highlights of my over 30-year church life. *R.S.*

Being trained has always been on my heart, and this is the only way at this time that I can do it. This training has affected my life greatly, not only how I am seeing every word, hearing every song, or receiving every message in a new way, but how I have to schedule my time; to me this is a very organic way to have a scheduled living for the Lord. I am so thankful for this opportunity! Praise the Lord. *K.M.*

I am so thankful to have had an online community of saints to fellowship with and the structure in which to study the ministry. My view concerning the Bible and how I handle it is different. My appreciation of pray-reading has increased. And for the first time in a long time I am realizing that my function (especially in not being afraid to speak my portion from the ministry) is being restored. I cannot stress how important I feel the FTTA-OL is. *H.Z.*

How to REGISTER

1. Visit <http://onlinefta.org>
2. Browse a sample week
3. Read course descriptions
4. Check class dates and course offerings
5. Create an account
6. Click on “Enroll in courses”
7. Add “office@onlinefta.org” to Safe Sender email list
8. Follow emails with further instructions for registration

OUR NEED FOR TRAINING WITH DEFINITE TEACHING CONCERNING THE EXPERIENCES OF LIFE

Too often we help the brothers in the church only in a general way. This is why I tell the co-workers that the proper way to learn something is in courses. The proper way to learn mathematics, for example, is by completing one course and moving on to another. If we do not learn by courses, we can study for our whole life and never learn much. In the church we may have message after message every week, but some brothers have been listening to messages for fifty years without learning much because the teaching is too general. The writings of the apostles, especially of the apostle Paul, are not general; they are very definite. Today in the church we need definite teachings. This is why we need trainings. It is right to take a certain period of time in a local church to deal with the stages of spiritual experience...We need period after period in this way for a number of years. Then we will see a local church built up with a group of believers who have the real experiences...The believers will have not merely a certain desire or love but the experience of life, the genuine learning, the discipline, and the practice. Such a church is a proper church.

Brother Witness Lee

Practical Lessons on the Experience of Life, pp. 42-43



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