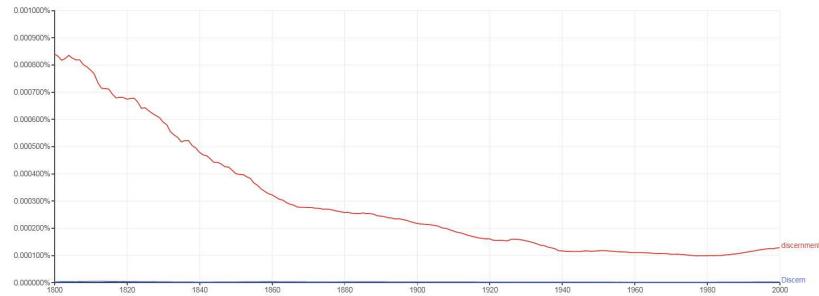


Discernmen

"the ability to judge well."

What is it?

1. Discerning Spirits I Cor 12:10, 1 John 4:1
2. Discerning good from evil Hebrews 5:14



Why is it important?

1. Identify false teaching. I John 4:1, 2 John 7-11
2. Identify those that would mislead Acts 13:8-10
3. All must give an account before God. Hebrews 4:13
4. To be ready with an answer. 1 Pet 3:15-16

How do we cultivate it?

1. Listen to the spirit and see if it is of God. 1 John 4:2-3
2. God gives us the Spirit John 14:16-17
3. Be not wise in your own eyes. Prov 3:7-8
4. Prayer, ask for it! Psa 119:66,125
5. Be an approved worker. 2 Tim 2:14-17
6. Scripture is our authority. 2 Tim 3:16-17

Discernment Resources:

<https://worldchallenge.orgiblog/listening-right-voice>

<https://ransomfellowship.org/>

Movies

<https://www.pluggedin.com/>

<https://www.vidangel.com/>

Music

<https://www.thebereantest.com/> <https://ransomfellowship.org/article/listening-to-music-with-discernment-discernment-exercise/>

Culture

<https://shenviapologetics.com/>

Apologetics

<https://ratiochristi.org/>