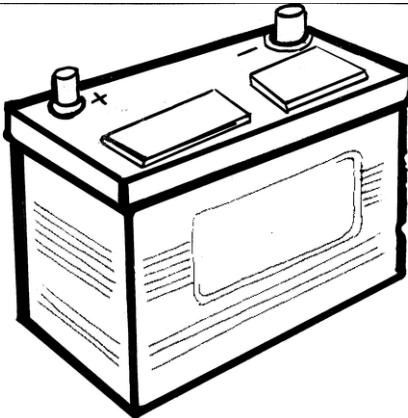


## **First Things First (Pt 1)** **The Analogy Of The Battery**

*For there is one God, and one mediator also between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself as a ransom for all, the testimony given at the proper time.*

*1 Timothy 2:5-6*



Positive and Negative Terminals

The Gospel: Positive Terminal (Red: The Blood Of Jesus)

Human Depravity: Negative Terminal (Black: Our Sin Nature)

### **The Gospel: The Positive Terminal**

These are common usages of “gospel”...

Referring to the books of Matthew, Mark, Luke, John

When something is true someone might say, “That’s the *gospel* truth.”

But Gospel literally means “good news”

### **Making Distinctions**

#### Not A Christian: Unbeliever

1. Not Born Again
2. Not Saved
3. Void of the Holy Spirit

#### Christian: Believer

1. Born again
2. Saved
3. Has the Holy Spirit