



## The New Old Way Conference in Africa with Ravi Jain

Break Out Session with  
Ravi Jain

### Outline:

What is Christian classical education interested in?

- Christian classical education is interested in sanctification.
- Virtue is maturity in Christ.
- We are not talking about excellence for excellence sake, but for Christ's sake.
- Love binds all the virtues together (Colossians 3:14).

How does it differ from evangelicalism in general?

- This is deep Christianity that is all about the grace of Jesus Christ.

Is classical Christian education Biblical? Is it edifying for Africa?

- This is the way the historic Christian church taught.
- Plato is helpful to convict people of their sins.
- The whole curriculum has to be Christian. All of the subjects point to the Lord.
- The churches have to take their schools back from the government.

We need to believe that God has made all of Creation and wants to reveal himself to us. That attitude towards reality is important.

- Spend time outside drawing to grow in wonder.
- Be able to enjoy a story is also a source of wonder.

Head, Chest, and Belly

- Mind – wisdom
- Chest – courage
- Belly – temperance
- Justice is ruling the three of these well (Plato). Titus refers to each of these.