

Bible Study Worksheet

1. Will you be willing to surrender your own thoughts, feelings and desires and allow the Holy Spirit to teach and give you understanding about anything He desires? If you are willing, pray and ask the Holy Spirit to help you.

2. As you read have a pen in hand underlining or writing down any words or phrases that stand out to you as interesting, repetitive, important or meaningful.

3. After reading go back and look at the portion of scripture, story, over-all theme, a word that you may have picked up on or a thought that stands out to you the most.

With that in mind, write out what you feel the Lord is showing you about life. Is there a contrast between the world and the church? What did you learn about that person's character? About sin? Is there a reason this is happening? Can you compare what happened then and what is happening now?

4. List the character traits or attributes that you see about God in your text. **Keep in mind that God never makes a mistake; He is all-wise, all-powerful, all-knowing, loving, just and fair God.**

5. Write out what you have learned about God keeping in mind your list of character traits and attributes. Ask yourself what purpose is God trying to accomplish? Is God at work behind the scenes? What is it that He wants us to understand about Him? Keep your attention on just God. He wants us to see Him and know Him clearly in the pages of scripture.

6. Now write down what you feel the Lord wants you to learn about yourself, your attitudes, priorities, fears, failures, desires or mission. Be honest.

7. Ask yourself the questions “How can I apply what I learn to my life?” “When can I apply it?” “Why should I apply it?” Now write out what you plan on doing to apply what you’ve learned, as a commitment to the Lord to do what He asks you to do.

8. Prayerfully still your heart and ask God for wisdom and knowledge of His will in this area. Write out a prayer to Him regarding this, seeking to be aware of His presence and interest as you write the words to Him.

9. Thank Him and be willing to submit to him to do whatever has to be done to help you grow in the spiritual knowledge of Jesus Christ.

10. Share what you have learned with at least one person today. Seeing it writing it, doing it and saying it are ways to help you get it.