

"The wise don't just read their Bible; they let their Bible read them."

BIBLE READING PLAN

November 2017

theBarn

INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY METHOD

1. Consider the Context

- Who is writing or speaking and to whom?
- What is the passage about?
- When does this take place?
- Where does this take place?
- Why does the author write what he does?
- What problems were the recipients facing? How does the text help?
- How does this passage fit in with the context? (What goes before and after?)

2. Observe the passage by asking questions

- What are the commands?
- What are the promises?
- What are the cause/effect relationships?
- What are the repeated words and ideas?
- What do I learn about God?
- What do I learn about Jesus?
- What do I learn about the Holy Spirit?
- What do I learn about myself (or mankind)?
- Write out any additional observations including contrasts, lists, comparisons, etc.

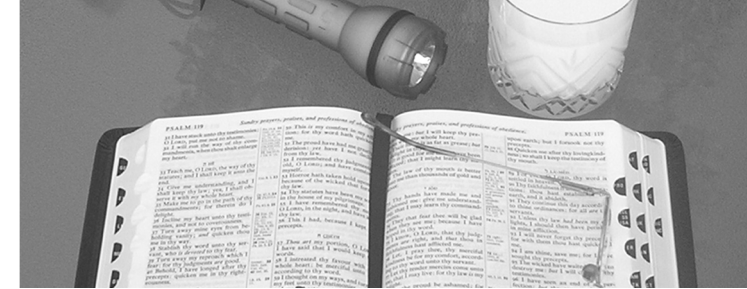
3. What is the 'big idea' of the passage?

This can most readily be identified from the commands and the repeated words and ideas. Often there will be one instruction in the passage from which the rest flows. Try to sum up the main thought of the passage in a single phrase. What's the key verse?

4. Application

2 Timothy 3:16: *"All Scripture is inspired by God and is profitable for ..."*

- Teaching: What did I learn?
- Reproof: Where do I fall short? Why do I fall short?
- Correction: What will I do about it?
- Training in righteousness: How can I make this principle a consistent part of my life?



Psalm 119:130 (AMP)

The entrance and unfolding of Your words give light; their unfolding gives understanding (discernment and comprehension) to the simple.

Dear Church

Our commitment to you, as expressed in our Mission Statement is to help you 'Meet with God, Walk with God and Serve God.'

Walking with God is your weekly journey with the Lord ... as you build on what He's doing in your life, feed on His Word in your personal devotions and dialogue with the Holy Spirit through the affairs and challenges of life.

This Bible Reading Plan is designed to provide direction and inspiration for that personal walk. We are well-aware that some structure really helps. And one of the things we can easily do is provide that for you ... if you choose you use it.

Marcus has chosen a selection of Old Testament quotes by Jesus from the book of Matthew this month. One per day for us to meditate on, pray through and seek God's heart.

I hope you find it stimulating, helpful and faith-building.

Happy reading!

Jamie Gx

Old Testament Quotes by Jesus

People didn't follow Jesus only because of his miracles — they also followed him because he knew how to handle the Old Testament:

- He amazed the temple teachers at age 12 (Luke 2:42, 46–47)
- He resisted the devil's temptations using passages from Deuteronomy (Matthew 4:1-11)
- He stumped the Pharisees when it came to who the son of David is (Matthew 22:41-46)

	NEW TESTAMENT	OLD TESTAMENT	
Wed 1	Matt 4:4	Deut 8:3	Not bread alone
Thu 2	Matt 4:7	Deut 6:16	Do not put God to the test
Fri 3	Matt 4:10	Deut 6:13	Only worship God
Sat 4	Matt 5:21-26	Ex 20:13	Anger
Sun 5	Matt 5:27-30	Deut 5:18	Lust
Mon 6	Matt 5:31-32	Deut 24:1	Divorce
Tue 7	Matt 5:33-37	Deut 23:21	Vows
Wed 8	Matt 5:38-42	Ex 21:24	Revenge
Thu 9	Matt 5:43-48	Lev 19:18	Enemies
Fri 10	Matt 7:21-23	Ps 6:8	True Disciples
Sat 11	Matt 9:11-13	Hos 6:6	Repentance
Sun 12	Matt 10:32-39	Mic 7:6	A sword that divides
Mon 13	Matt 11:7-10	Mal 3:1	John the Baptist

Tue 14	Matt 13:14-15	Isa 6:9-10	Parable of the seed
Wed 15	Matt 15:7-9	Isa 29:13	Inner Purity
Thu 16	Matt 18:15-17	Deut 19:15	Correcting another believer
Fri 17	Matt 19:3-6	Gen 2:24	Divorce & Marriage
Sat 18	Matt 19:16-19	Ex 20:12-16	Eternal Life
Sun 19	Matt 21:12-13	Isa 56:7	House of prayer
Mon 20	Matt 21:14-16	Ps 8:2	Praise God
Tue 21	Matt 21:40-42	Ps 118:22-23	Don't reject Jesus
Wed 22	Matt 22:29-32	Ex 3:6	God of the living
Thu 23	Matt 22:36-38	Deut 6:5	Greatest Commandment
Fri 24	Matt 22:39-40	Lev 19:18	2nd Greatest Commandment
Sat 25	Matt 22:41-46	Ps 110:1	Whose son is the messiah?
Sun 26	Matt 23:37-39	Ps 118:26	Jesus Grieves
Mon 27	Matt 24:15	Dan 9:27	The end of days
Tue 28	Matt 26:31	Zech 13:7	Disciples desert
Wed 29	Matt 26:64	Ps 110:1, Dan 7:13	Jesus before the council
Thu 30	Matt 27:45-46	Ps 22:1	Death of Jesus