

# 40 DAYS IN THE WORD

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### MEMORY VERSES:

Week 1 -

Colossians 3:16

*Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly!*

Week 2 -

Psalms 119:18

*Open my eyes that I may see wonderful things  
in your law.*

Week 3 -

James 1:22

*Do not merely listen to the Word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says!*

Week 4 -

Psalms 119:11

*I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.*



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Answers to fill in the blanks:  
REVIEW: INSPIRATION, TRANSFORMATION, ILLUMINATION, OBSERVATION  
KEY TO BIBLE STUDY IS: ASKING GOOD QUESTIONS, DIFFERENT SET, 1.  
OBSERVATION, 2. INTERPRETATION, 3. APPLICATION, WRITING SOMETHING  
DOWN, EXEGESIS, TO LEAD OUT OF, 1. HE TAKES A GENUINE INTEREST IN YOU, 2.  
HE HAS PROVED HIMSELF, 3. BROTHER, FELLOW WORKER AND SOLDIER, 4.  
LONGED FOR ALL, DISTRESSED, 5. RISKED HIS LIFE FOR CHRIST, TOOLS, 1. CARING,  
CONSISTENT, COOPERATIVE, CONSIDERATE, COURAGEOUS, HONOR, SIN,  
PROMISE, ATTITUDE, COMMAND, EXAMPLE, PRAYER, ERROR, TRUTH,  
SOMETHING

Sermon Study Guide  
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## SERMON NOTES



### WEEK 4 - HOW TO STUDY A BIBLE PASSAGE



#### Review

Week One: \_\_\_\_\_  
Week Two: \_\_\_\_\_  
Week Three: \_\_\_\_\_  
This Week: \_\_\_\_\_

The key to Bible study is \_\_\_\_\_!

- Each method of Bible study is simply a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ of questions.
- There are three basic categories of questions:
  1. \_\_\_\_\_ – What does it say?
  2. \_\_\_\_\_ – What does it mean?
  3. \_\_\_\_\_ – What am I going to do about it?

Remember: The difference between reading the Bible and studying the Bible is \_\_\_\_\_!

**Discovering** the meaning of a Bible passage through observation is called \_\_\_\_\_, which means \_\_\_\_\_.

# SERMON NOTES CONTINUED

Philippians 2:19-30 (NIV)

*<sup>19</sup>I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon, that I also may be cheered when I receive news about you. <sup>20</sup>I have no one else like him, who takes a genuine interest in your welfare. <sup>21</sup>For everyone looks out for his own interests, not those of Jesus Christ. <sup>22</sup>But you know that Timothy has proved himself, because as a son with his father he has served with me in the work of the gospel. <sup>23</sup>I hope, therefore, to send him as soon as I see how things go with me. <sup>24</sup>And I am confident in the Lord that I myself will come soon. <sup>25</sup>But I think it is necessary to send back to you Epaphroditus, my brother, fellow worker and fellow soldier, who is also your messenger, whom you sent to take care of my needs. <sup>26</sup>For he longs for all of you and is distressed because you heard he was ill. <sup>27</sup>Indeed he was ill, and almost died. But God had mercy on him, and not on him only but also on me, to spare me sorrow upon sorrow. <sup>28</sup>Therefore I am all the more eager to send him, so that when you see him again you may be glad and I may have less anxiety. <sup>29</sup>Welcome him in the Lord with great joy, and honor men like him, <sup>30</sup>because he almost died for the work of Christ, risking his life to make up for the help you could not give me.*

## THREE CATEGORIES OF QUESTIONS

### 1. OBSERVATION – What does it say?

- First, I observe that Paul intends to send two men to Philippi.
- Second, I observe that Paul endorsed these guys as role models.

What are these guys like? Why are they so special?

1. Verse 20, 21 \_\_\_\_\_
2. Verse 22 \_\_\_\_\_
3. Verse 25 \_\_\_\_\_
4. Verse 26 \_\_\_\_\_
5. Verse 27-30 \_\_\_\_\_

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### 2. INTERPRETATION – What does it mean?

- During this step, Bible study \_\_\_\_\_ are extremely helpful.

Five Marks of a Godly Man

1. A Godly man is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A Godly man is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. A Godly man is \_\_\_\_\_.
4. A Godly man is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. A Godly man is \_\_\_\_\_.

### 3. APPLICATION – What am I going to do about it?

- How can I \_\_\_\_\_ Godly men in my church?
- Use SPACEPETS from the small group study.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to confess?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to claim?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to change?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to obey?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to follow?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to pray?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to avoid?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to believe?
  - \_\_\_\_\_ to praise God for?