

Oasis Sunday School Class

DISCIPLINES FOR THE CHRISTIAN LIFE-LESSON 2, 8-28-2022

1 TIMOTHY 4:7 DISCIPLINE YOURSELVES FOR THE PURPOSE OF GODLINESS

REVIEW: DISCIPLINE WITHOUT DIRECTION IS DRUDGERY.

DISCIPLINE NUMBER 1- _____

- THE MOST _____ DISCIPLINE
- THERE IS NO _____ FOR IT
- NO _____ CHRISTIAN GROWTH WITHOUT IT

THE WORD IS:

- WHERE WE LEARN AND HEAR GOD _____
- WHERE WE LEARN ABOUT JESUS AS THE _____ OF GOD
- WHERE WE HEAR THE SAVING _____
- WHERE WE LEARN THE _____ AND THE _____ OF GOD
- WHERE WE LEARN HOW GOD WANTS US TO _____
- WHERE WE FIND WHAT BRINGS _____ IN LIFE
- THE DISCIPLINE THAT BRINGS _____
- THE _____ PLACE THAT CONTAINS THIS ETERNAL INFORMATION

BIBLE INTAKE CONSISTS OF 5 SUBDISCIPLINES:

1. _____ GOD'S WORD

LUKE 11:28 BLESSED RATHER ARE THOSE WHO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD AND KEEP IT.

1 TIM. 4:13 UNTIL I COME, DEVOTE YOURSELF TO THE PUBLIC READING OF SCRIPTURE, TO EXHORTATION, TO TEACHING

"THE WORD OF GOD IS TO BE THE CENTERPIECE OF YOUR LIFE."

2. _____ GOD'S WORD

HAVE YOU EVER READ THE ENTIRE BIBLE? YES OR NO

HOW WILL IT HAPPEN?

1 SET ASIDE A _____

2 FIND A BIBLE READING _____

SUGGESTIONS:

- READ 3 C'S EACH DAY AND 5 ON SUNDAY (1 YEAR PLAN)
 - READ 3 C'S IN THE OT AND 3 C'S IN THE NT (U WILL FINISH THE OT ONCE AND THE NT 4 TIMES IN A YEAR)
 - TO OFFER VARIETY READ BEGINNING IN GEN., JOB, AND MATTHEW EACH DAY
 - THE BIBLE RECAP BY D-GROUP –
 - HOLY BIBLE APP
 - FOUNDATIONS OF THE OT
 - FOUNDATIONS OF THE NT
 - THE BIBLE IN A YEAR FOR WOMEN
- 3 FIND ONE WORD, PHRASE OR VERSE TO _____ ON EACH TIME YOU READ

WITHOUT MEDITATION BIBLE READING WILL NOT LIKELY CHANGE US

3. _____ GOD'S WORD

JERRY BRIDGES "READING GIVES US BREADTH, BUT STUDY GIVES US DEPTH."

EZRA 7:10 FOR EZRA HAD SET HIS HEART TO STUDY THE LAW OF THE LORD, AND TO DO IT AND TO TEACH HIS STATUTES AND RULES IN ISRAEL

SEQUENCE IN THIS VERSE:

1. EZRA SET HIS _____
2. TO _____ THE LAW OF THE LORD
3. TO _____ IT
4. AND TO _____ TO ISRAEL

ACTS 17:11-12 NOW THESE JEWS WERE MORE NOBLE THAN THOSE IN THESSALONICA; THEY RECEIVED THE WORD WITH ALL EAGERNESS, EXAMINING THE SCRIPTURES DAILY TO SEE IF THESE THINGS WERE SO. MANY OF THEM THEREFORE BELIEVED, WITH NOT A FEW GREEK WOMEN OF HIGH STANDING AS WELL AS MEN.

2 TIM. 4:13 WHEN YOU COME, BRING THE CLOAK THAT I LEFT WITH CARPUS AT TROAS, ALSO THE BOOKS, AND ABOVE ALL THE PARCHMENTS.

WHY DON'T WE DO THIS?

JOHN 17:17 SANCTIFY THEM IN TRUTH; YOUR WORD IS TRUTH.

PHILLIPIANS 3:13 FORGETTING WHAT LIES BEHIND AND STRAINING FORWARD TO WHAT LIES AHEAD

WHAT IS ONE THING YOU CAN DO TO IMPROVE YOUR INTAKE OF THE WORD OF GOD?