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Get Into God's Word

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Romans 12-16, Phil. – Heb.

Feb. 22-April 18

April 4 | last day of packet #4 | Easter- no NiteLife
April 11 | Spring Break- no NiteLife
April 18 | last day to turn in packet #4 at NiteLife

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Enjoy reading and spending time talking & listening to God.
When you have finished reading then answer the questions.
Turn in at Nitelife.



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New Testament #1 Feb.22-Feb. 28

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Because we missed the last 5 chapters of Romans, they are added here. Sorry!

Day 1 – Read Romans 12

Date Read _____

We can live the way that God wants us to in this chapter because He first loved us, because He has made us His children and because He has given us the Holy Spirit to help us. List 10 things that God is telling us to do.

Day 2 – Read Romans 13

Date Read _____

1. What are we supposed to do with the people in authority over us?
2. Who are these people in authority over us?
3. Who put them there?
4. What else is God telling us to do in this chapter in verse 11 & 12?
5. Why?

Day 3 – Read Romans 14

Date Read _____

In Chapters 12 & 13 Paul lists a lot of commands that God expect us to obey. People may refer to these commands as “Black and White” commands. God is telling all of us to obey commands like “don’t steal” and “submit to authority”. Of course, we each must make the choice to obey them or not. But, if we choose not to obey them it is a sin. However, in this Chapter Paul is talking about what many refer to as the “Grey Area”. There are many things that we can choose to do or not do. Some people may say these things are o.k. to do and others will say you shouldn’t. Many times these decisions are hard. We must ask God what He would want us to do and it is very wise to get advice from other Godly people in your life like your parents, pastors, small group leaders, etc.

1. Give an example of something that you do that you know is not a sin for you but someone else may not do it because they feel that it is wrong for them to do.
2. Give an example of something that you do not do because you know for you it is wrong but for someone else this thing may be O.K.

Day 4 – Read Romans 15

Date Read _____

You may have made some decisions on some things that are considered in the “grey area”. According to Romans 15:1-7 how do you treat someone who has decided differently about these things?

If a friend knows they should not do something but you think it's o.k. can you skip doing it to help them out?

Day 5 – Read Romans 16

Date Read _____

Paul gives us one final warning before he finishes this book to the Roman Christians. What is that warning?



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New Testament #2–Mar 1–Mar 7

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Day 1 – Read Philippians 1-2

Date Read _____

1. Who wrote this letter? _____ To whom? _____ From Where? _____
2. Paul is so full of joy because these people are living for the Lord! Then he gives them many ways to continue to grow and mature by being other-centered and having Christ-like attitudes. What are 3 things that Paul tells them to do that you could actually do today?
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

Day 2 – Read Philippians 3-4

Date Read _____

To continue walking with Christ and being used for His Kingdom, we must have & do a few things:

1. We must _____ Christ Jesus. (chp. 3 vs. 8) Then using His mighty _____ do what's right. (chp.3 vs.10)
2. We must stay focused on _____. (chp.3 vs.14) Be full of _____. (chp 4 vs. 4)
3. Don't worry about _____ instead _____. (chp. 4 vs. 6)
4. Fix your thoughts on _____
& think about things that are _____ (chp.4 vs. 8)

Day 3 – Read Colossians 1

Date Read _____

1. Who wrote this letter? _____ To whom? _____
2. In verses 3-14 Paul gives us a great example of how to pray for other people and ourselves. Write down 4 of the things that he prays and then pray them for someone.
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.

Day 4 – Read Colossians 2-3

Date Read _____

1. Because we have new life through Christ we are to "set our hearts on things above". What does Paul mean by this?
2. How do you do this in your day to day life?
3. Paul talks a lot about the kind of attitude we should have. No matter what is happening in our lives we have the choice of what our attitude will be. List a few of the words that Paul uses to describe what kind of attitudes we should have.

Day 5 – Read Colossians 4

Date Read _____

1. Verses 2-6 are our 131 verses! Re-read these verses and spend some time praying for your 131 friends.
2. What is Epaphras always doing?



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New Testament #3 – Mar 8-Mar 14

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Day 1 – Read I Thessalonians 1

Date Read _____

1. 3 Characteristics are the mark of an effective Christian in any age. The Christians in Thessalonica had stood firm when they were persecuted. Paul was so proud of them. They had these 3 things. What 3 things does Paul say we all must have to be an effective Christian? (Hint: verse 3)
2. The gospel came “with Power”; it had a powerful effect on the Thessalonians. Whenever the Bible is heard & obeyed, lives are changed! Christianity is more than a collection of interesting facts; it is the power of God to every one who believes. What has God's power done in your life since you first believed?

**This answer is a great thing to add into your “story” if you are writing it to share at Nitelife or for your Baptism!

Day 2 – Read I Thessalonians 2-3

Date Read _____

1. Re-read I Thess. 2:9. By day, Paul preached the gospel to whoever would listen and taught the new Christians about living for Christ. By night, Paul worked. What did Paul do for a living to support himself? (Hint: Acts 18:1-4)
2. In I Thess 2:11-12, 19-20 and I Thess. 3:6-9 what is Paul's greatest reward for all of his hard work; preaching everyday and making tents every night?

Day 3 – Read I Thessalonians 4-5

Date Read _____

1. Re-read I Thess. 4:3-8. Sexual standards were very low in the Roman empire as they are in the U.S. today. The temptation to engage in sexual intercourse outside the marriage relationship has always been a powerful temptation. Giving in to that temptation has disastrous results. Sexual sins always hurt someone; yourself, the other person, families, friends, churches and God. Besides the physical consequences there are also spiritual consequences. Why is sexual sin so harmful spiritually? (Hint: I Corinth. 6:18)
2. When you are tempted to sin sexually a great defense is to turn your focus on the end of the “race”. What is the end of the “race”? (re-read I Thess. 4:16-18 & 5:1-11 just cause it's so beautiful and encouraging!)

Day 4 – Read II Thessalonians 1-2

Date Read _____

1. As we live for Christ, we will experience troubles because we are trying to be God's people in a perverse world. Some say that trouble in our lives can only be a result of sin we have committed. Our troubles may be caused by our own sin but not always. Sometimes God allows troubles to come into our lives. Why would He do this? What can problems, trials and troubles do for us?
2. Who is the “man of lawlessness” that Paul talking about in I Thess. 2:3-12? What is his most common name?

My prayer for all of you! I Thess. 2:16-17

Day 5 – Read II Thessalonians 3

Date Read _____

1. Wouldn't it be nice to just sit around and wait for the Lord to come!! But we are in a huge Spiritual Warfare Battle. What is one of our greatest weapons to fight with? _____

Something cool to do- Go back through Paul's letters and underline the word “Pray”. How many times does he say it?

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New Testament #4 – Mar 15-Mar 21

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Day 1 – Read I Timothy 1 & 2

Date Read _____

1. Who wrote this? _____ To Whom? _____
2. Read Acts 18:24-26 and Romans 16:1-3. (The word “servant” is translated as “Deaconess”.)

Because of these verses and others like them, some argue that Paul, in I Tim. 2:12, did not mean that a woman should never teach others. Some think that Paul was speaking here about the women in Ephesus only because they were new to their faith and not ready to teach. What do you think?

Day 2 – Read I Timothy 3 & 4

Date Read _____

1. Who is your direct “overseer” in J.H.? _____ Who is his wife? _____

**They have taken on a big responsibility because if they mess up by sinning it could bring down our whole youth group.

2. Take some time right now & pray for them to stay strong in their faith and in their commitment to each other. Also, pray for our church deacons and their families that you know. (If you don't know any – try to find out at least one)
3. Who was the deacon you prayed for? _____

Day 3 – Read I Timothy 5 & 6

Date Read _____

1. What does the word content mean? (ref. I Tim. 6:6)
2. On a scale of 1-10 (10=very) How content of a person are you? _____

(Are you always complaining and wishing for more or are you full of gratitude for what God has given you?)

Day 4 – Read II Timothy 1 & 2

Date Read _____

This was Paul's last letter written before he was executed under Emperor Nero. These are his last words before he passed the torch to the next generation. This is Paul's most intimate and moving letter of all his letters. Imagine how Timothy must have read and re-read every word of this last message from his beloved mentor, Paul! It is also the last words from Paul to you!

1. Which words do you treasure most from these first 2 chapters?
2. Ref. II Tim. 2:22. Running away is sometimes considered cowardly. But, wise people realize that removing themselves physically from temptation often can be the most courageous action to take. Timothy, a young man, was warned to flee anything that produced evil thoughts. Knowing when to run is as important in spiritual battle as knowing when and how to fight! Do you have a recurring temptation that is difficult to resist? _____
If you would like me to pray for this for you – you can write down what that temptation is and I will pray!

Day 5 – Read II Timothy 3 & 4

Date Read _____

1. Re-read II Tim. 3:1-5. Do you think we are in the last days and why?
2. It is much easier to live for Christ when we keep our focus on the goal. What is the goal?



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New Testament #5 –Mar 22-Mar 28

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Day 1 – Read Titus 1& 2

Date Read _____

3. Who wrote this? _____ To Whom? _____ Where was this guy? _____
4. This church had the same problem that Timothy had in Ephesus, I Tim. 1:3-11; the people of Colosse had, Col. 2:8; the church in Galatia had, Gal. 6-10 and many of the early churches had. What was this problem?
5. In Titus 2 Paul gives instructions for each age group; the older men and women; and the younger men and women. You are in the young men and women group even though you are not married yet. However, many of you work in Kids Kingdom or have little brothers and sisters. In these cases you are the “older” person. So, re-read the instructions for each age group and pick one thing from the “older” and one from the “younger” group that you can work on this week. For ex. I could work on being more reverent in the way I live and to be more self-controlled and pure. What did you pick?

Day 2 – Read Titus 3

Date Read _____

1. Re-read Titus 3:4-7. How does Jesus define Eternal Life in John 17:3?

The first time I heard this I was blown away! I always thought that eternal life was after death. But, we have eternal life right now. You are getting to know God better with every verse you read and every new thing you learn.

Day 3 – Read Philemon

Date Read _____

This is a very personal letter from Paul to Philemon. I love this story. Philemon is a very wealthy member of the Colossian church. Onesimus is Philemon's slave. Onesimus stole from Philemon and then ran away to Rome. In Rome he met Paul and became a Christian. So, Paul is writing this letter to Philemon to ask him to give the same Grace and Forgiveness to Onesimus as Christ gave to him.

1. Paul interceded for Onesimus. What does that mean?
2. Who intercedes for us? (Hint: Romans 8:34)
3. In verse 18 Paul says to Philemon that if Onesimus owes him anything that he, Paul, will pay for it. Who paid our dept? _____ (I know this is an easy one - but see the connection.)

Day 4 – Read Hebrews 1 & 2

Date Read _____

1. Who wrote this? _____ (Sorry- trick question- no one really knows) It was written to Hebrew (Jewish) Christians who were doubting their faith because Christ had not returned yet and it had been quite a few years (65ish? years)
2. I love verse 14 of chapter one. Write out this truth, it's for you.
3. Heb. 2:18 is another wonderful truth. On a scale of 1-10 how much do you go to Him for help when you are being tempted? _____ If you don't think to ask for His help when you are being tempted – what could you do so that you can remember to? (For ex. I have an old song, “Turn your eyes Upon Jesus”, that I sing in my head until the temptation goes away. And it will – because He will help you!)

Day 5 – Read Hebrews 3 & 4

Date Read _____

1. When we need help to overcome a temptation how are we to ask God? (Hint: Heb. 4:14-16)

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New Testament #6 – Mar 29-Apr 4

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Day 1 – Read Hebrews. 5 & 6

Date Read _____

1. The writer of Hebrews is saying that these Jewish Christians were immature. They were very scared to move past their traditions and out of their comfort zones to follow Christ.

Circle the following statements that show that you are becoming mature:

Teaching Others; Promoting disunity; desiring entertainment; Careful study and observation;
cautious apathy, doubt and fear; confidence in God's ability; desiring a Spiritual Challenge;
halfhearted efforts; developing depth of understanding

2. Following Christ can be a scary thing if He calls us to do something that we don't think we can do. Is He asking you to do something that you haven't done yet? (like maybe being Baptized or telling your story or talking to a friend or helping teach in kids kingdom or... ?) If so, talk to Him about it and ask for His strength and courage to obey. I will pray for you too. *If you want me to – write here what you would like pray for.*

Day 2 – Read Hebrews. 7 & 8

Date Read _____

1. This part about Melchizedek can be confusing. I'll try to explain it briefly: Abraham had Isaac, Isaac had Jacob (and Esau), Jacob had 12 sons. These 12 sons are the 12 tribes of Israel. The priests for all 12 tribes were picked from 1 tribe only, the tribe of Levi, one of the 12 sons. However, in Gen. 14:18 it talks about Melchizedek who was a priest in Jerusalem (Salem) way before they started picking only from the tribe of Levi. The main point here was that there were other priests that weren't from the tribe of Levi. Jesus was from the tribe of Judah but was going to be the final priest of all priests. What did/does a priest do that was/is so important?

Day 3 – Read Hebrews. 9 & 10

Date Read _____

1. Random thought: In Heb. 9:18-22 think about everything that the priest sprinkled. I don't mean to be disrespectful, but what a bloody scene. Why don't we do this anymore?
2. What really excites you in life?
(for ex. For me- it's going on a trip! Any trip. I just love getting away. I love any new adventure)
3. Listen to the Author's passion as you re-read Heb. 10:19-25. (This is a great passage to put on your list to memorize.) Do these words excite you as much as your answer above (#2)? _____
If not, pray and ask God to give you more excitement and passion for these truths than for anything here on this earth.

Day 4 – Read Hebrews 11

Date Read _____

1. What is Faith?
2. Many of you are studying or have just studied evolution in school. I know how hard that is depending on your teacher. Some of you have been persecuted in front of your classmates. Unfortunately, you will probably face this many times in high school and college. Heb. 11:2 is a great verse to help you stay strong in your belief in Creation vs. Evolution. How can the rest of this chapter help you?

Day 5 – Read Hebrews 12 & 13

Date Read _____

1. We no longer live under the Old Covenant, Heb. 12:18-21, but we live under the New Covenant, Heb. 12:22-24. But, this comes with an even greater responsibility, Heb. 12:25-29. What is that responsibility?
2. How do we do this? (Hint: verse 28)

