

## Bible Study

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CHRISTIANS	FAMILY	READ
QUIET	CONSCIENCE	TRANSLATION
BIBLE	OLDTESTAMENT	NEWTTESTAMENT
PROGRESSIVE	REVELATION	MORALLY
REVERENT	UNDERSTAND	LEARN
FRIENDSHIP	HUMBLE	FEAR
JEHOVAH	OBTAIN	ERROR
TRUTH	HONEST	SEEK

## Notes

## Bible Study

### Welcome

It is a pleasure to have you with us this hour. Our endeavor is to worship God in Spirit and in Truth by adhering to the scriptures in all that we do and teach.

If you desire to have a private Bible Study at your convenience, let us know.

**Website**

**Meeting Location**

**ASSEMBLIES**

**SUNDAY:**

**A.M.** \_\_\_\_\_

**P.M.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bible Study:**

**Phone**

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### Bible Reading

Christians, do you read the Bible in your families every day? Do you read it in your closet every day? And do you read it not to quiet your conscience as a work of penance; but do you read it as a pleasure anxiously to be sought after? If you do, I need not tell you what utility, pleasure, and happiness is in the blessed employment. But if you do not, you may rest assured there is something greatly wrong, which, if it is not abandoned, subdued, or vanquished soon, will cause you sorrows, if not agonies, when you will be less able to conflict with them than at present. Resolve this moment, I pray you, that you will begin today to read the Bible, to enjoy God and Christ and the hope of immortality. (Continued, pg. 2)

"Let not mercy and truth forsake thee, bind them about thy neck, write them upon the table of thine heart; so shalt thou find favor and good understanding in the sight of God and man." Then will you say with Solomon, "Happy is the man that findeth wisdom and the man that getteth understanding: for the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver, and the gain thereof than fine gold. She is more precious than rubies, and all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared with her. Length of days is in her right hand, and in her left hand riches and honor: her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace." "Begin today: 'tis madness to defer." The religious world -- I mean the great majority of all professors -- are Bible neglecters. Their ignorance, prejudice, and error show it. I beseech you, daily, habitually, constantly, prayerfully read the Bible in its proper connections, and you will grow in grace as you grow in the knowledge of God and of Jesus Christ our Lord. The Lord will bless you, as he has said, in this deed. Read James 1:22-25, and may you prove it true!

by Alexander Campbell  
The Millennial Harbinger, January, 1839

## How To Study the Bible What You Need to Know

Heb. 4:12; 2 Pet. 1:3

### I. Translations of oriental languages:

- A. Diversity of Books: Old and New Testament
- B. Several books written by different individuals.

### II. Historical:

- A. One-third of the Old Testament is historical.
- B. Nearly half of the New Testament is historical.

**III. Progressive Revelation:** Not written all at once, i.e., age to age, era to era, dispensation to dispensation.

**IV. What You Seek You Will Find:** Prov. 2:1-5

### V. Fear: morally reverent

- A. Deut. 31:12-13 – Learn to fear Jehovah.
- B. Heb. 12:28 – reverence and awe

### VI. Read:

- A. Eph. 3:1-4 – Read to understand.
- B. Exod. 24:7 – Method of obtaining knowledge
- C. Deut. 17:19 – May learn to fear Jehovah
- D. Josh. 8:34-35 – That you may learn what you need to know, that you don't know

## Solomon Says

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*Then will they call upon me, but I will not answer;  
They will seek me diligently, but they shall not find  
me: For that they hated knowledge, And did not  
choose the fear of Jehovah: They would none of my  
counsel; They despised all my reproof.*

Proverbs 1:28-30

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