



Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God. He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son.

- 2 John 1:9

Study Class Of Studying For the Studious

-Spoken by Spencer

Problems With Studying?

1. Time
2. Boring
3. Spiritual Warfare
4. Opportunity to learn (fear of not understanding)
5. Quieting your mind
6. Reading impairment

1. What do you have time for?
(Proverbs 8:17 - Prioritize God)
2. Is it? Or are you just trained to think that? Have you tried it to see if you can make it NOT boring
3. 2 Nephi 14:11, Matt 4:4 – Gods word written on your heart, Have scriptures accessible to battle Satan
4. See resources to explore
5. Prayer / meditation
6. Read with Others / Audio book

Additional Comments:

- Always allow growth / read with new eyes (Don't blow off a scripture because you've heard it before)
- Reading and understanding scripture can change your perspective

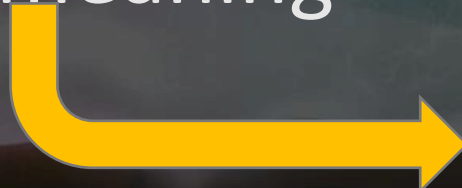
How to study:

Before:

- **Pray!!** [Mat 7:12-13, James 1:5-6, Alma 14:103]
- **Don't Cram**
(Reading is not studying)
- **Repetition**
(Schedule)
- **Enjoy it** (Start with the interesting)
- **Environment**
(Quiet, soft music, library, nature, with others, etc.)

During:

- **Pray!!** (For understanding)
- **Notes** (Repetition)
- **Oral Narration** ("Re-Translate")
- **Don't Multitask** (You can't... Sorry)
- **Content, Context, and meaning**



After:

- **Share** (Repetition, Make a Class?)
- **Question** (Do you truly understand it? Ask for help)
- **Apply** (Live It!!)
[James 1:21-25, 1 John 3:18, Mos 2:17, DC 83:8]

1. Who is speaking?
2. Who are they speaking too?
3. Why are they speaking?
4. What are they speaking about?
5. What is the timeframe?

Ways To Study:

Chronological:

- Is Reading Study?
- Book Of Mormon is great for this
- Challenge (i.e. read BOM in 6 months)
- Audio bible

Subject:

- Concordance
- Search Others' Studies
- Make A Class over a topic

Q&A:

- Everyone has questions
- Find An Answer
- Use the resources
- Ask others for help (Priests / Priesthood)

Study Book:

- Find A Devotional
- Prayer Is Important
- Sword Drill (See next Slide)
- Study A Good Book (DC 87:5b)

SWORD Drill

Scripture: What scripture should I read today?

(Find a study verse to dive into)

Wait: What is this verse saying?

(Wait on the Spirit – Meditate)

Observe: How does this verse apply to me?

(Write whatever comes to mind that the Spirit leads you)

Request: What do I need help with from God?

(Pray for help of understanding, or just Praise and thankfulness)

Dedicate: How do I need to apply this scripture in my life?

(Devote to apply the verse in your life and write the words on your heart)

Resources:

- Prayer and Meditation

- 1828 Websters (website and app)
- Bible App (All Devices)
- Restoredgospel.com
- Strong's concordance (website and app)
- Bible hub (website and app)
- Blue Letter Bible (website and app)
- Bible Gateway (website and app)
- Mysword / Esword (All Devices)
- jewishencyclopedia.com
- Scripturetoolbox.com
- Quickbible App (Android)
- Parson's Textbook
- Barnes Commentary (online and book)
- Rose publishing pamphlets
- "Exercises in Growing Spiritually" by Barbara Wilkinson (In Outreach library)
- Phillips "The New Testament in Modern English"
- Gomer T. Griffith "The Instructor" (?)
- Naves Topical Bible
- Halley's Handbook (background and context)
- Expository Dictionary of Bible Words
- Strong's Exhaustive concordance

Examples of Studying in Scripture:

Alma 12:4-7 ;

- “Sound understanding”
- “Searched diligently”
- KNOW the Word
- ALSO... (Read on)

Gen. 7:1 (I.V.) ;

- Father Adam taught them
- They had their spoken words we have written words now

Mosiah 9:28-67 ;

- Wonderful story of preservation of Gods Word
- Told to teach nothing but what the prophets have taught or spoken of
- Lived as ONE

3 Nephi 1:28-32 ;

- They did err in what?
- But they changed it!

Additional;

- Acts 17:11
- Luke 24:43-46
- Matthew 22:28

Study Plan Of Action (SPOA):

Time and place:

- Find your sanctuary (Trial and error)
- Best time that works for your schedule
- Try 2-4 Times a week
(2-3 Hours per credit hour... How many credit hours is Heaven worth?)

What:

- Topic, Book, Search, etc.
- How to take notes

With Who and Goal:

- Who can you share your findings with?
- What do you want to get out of it (Knowledge, History, Sharing, etc.)

(Write answers to these things down and find a way to implement them in your daily life)

Scriptures to Study About Study (Pt.1):

- Deuteronomy 8:3
- Deuteronomy 31:13
- Joshua 1:8
- Ezra 7:10
- Psalm 119:15-16
- Proverbs 3:1-2
- Proverbs 8
- Matthew 4:4
- Matthew 4:22
- Matthew 24:36
- Mark 1:12
- Ephesians 4:14
- Ephesians 6:15&17
- Mark 16:14-15
- Luke 4:4
- John 1:1
- John 1:14
- John 5:39
- John 7:16-18
- Romans 1:16
- Romans 15:4
- 1 Corinthians 4:20-21
- 1 Corinthians 15:1-2
- Galatians 1:6-11
- Galatians 6:6
- 1 Thessalonians 1:5
- 1 Timothy 4:16
- 2 Timothy 1:12
- 2 Timothy 2:15
- 2 Timothy 3:14-17
- 2 Timothy 4:1-2
- Hebrews 4:12
- Hebrews 6:1-3
- James 1:22-25
- 1 Peter 3:15
- 2 Peter 1 (most of chapter)
- 2 John 1:9
- Revelation 1:3

Scriptures to Study About Study (Pt. 2):

- 1 Nephi 4:17-23
- 2 Nephi 6:61
- 3 Nephi 12:33-35
- 2 Nephi 2:17-23
- 2 Nephi 13:29-30
- 2 Nephi 14:1-8
- Jacob 2:45-50
- Jacob 3:12
- Alma 3:12
- Alma 11:26-33
- Alma 16:82
- Alma 16:145-173
- Helaman 2:26
- 3 Nephi 5:21-43
- 3 Nephi 9:92-95
- Mormon 4:85-86
- D&C 1:8
- D&C 3:15
- D&C 9:3b
- D&C 10:10
- D&C 16:4-5
- D&C 18:2
- D&C 26:1
- D&C 36:1
- D&C 50:4
- D&C 58:1
- D&C 83:7
- D&C 83:13
- D&C 83:18
- D&C 85:21
- D&C 85:36a
- D&C 87:5b
- D&C 104:44a

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GO AND DO!