

Life Group Homework

For the week of January 27, 2019

MY STORY

1. Is there a talent or a skill you have always wanted but don't have?
2. What was your takeaway from last week's study?

QUICK REVIEW

3. Upon reviewing your notes from Sunday's teaching, what caught your attention?

DIGGING DEEPER

John 6:60-69 (NLT)

⁶⁰ Many of his disciples said, "This is very hard to understand. How can anyone accept it?"
⁶¹ Jesus was aware that his disciples were complaining, so he said to them, "Does this offend you?"
⁶² Then what will you think if you see the Son of Man ascend to heaven again?
⁶³ The Spirit alone gives eternal life. Human effort accomplishes nothing. And the very words I have spoken to you are spirit and life.
⁶⁴ But some of you do not believe me." (For Jesus knew from the beginning which ones didn't believe, and he knew who would betray him.)
⁶⁵ Then he said, "That is why I said that people can't come to me unless the Father gives them to me."
⁶⁶ At this point many of his disciples turned away and deserted him.
⁶⁷ Then Jesus turned to the Twelve and asked, "Are you also going to leave?"
⁶⁸ Simon Peter replied, "Lord, to whom would we go? You have the words that give eternal life.
⁶⁹ We believe, and we know you are the Holy One of God."

4. This conversation takes place between Jesus and the disciples after Jesus teaches about the future institution of communion. What did Jesus ask the disciples, and what was Peter's response?
5. What is the significance of Peter's response?

TAKING IT HOME

Hebrews 4:12 (ESV)

¹² For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

6. What does this passage teach us about the Word of God?
7. In the passage there is a word picture of the Bible being like a double-edged sword. What does the author mean by this?

8. Have you ever experienced the Bible feeling *alive* when you read it, and if so, how?

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (NLT)

All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. ¹⁷ God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.

9. Who is Scripture inspired by and for what purpose?
10. What must we do with the Bible?
11. How does the Bible prepare and equip God's people?

Romans 15:4 (NIV)

⁴ For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope.

12. When the passage refers to what was written in the past, what is it referring to?
13. According to this passage, what is the purpose of the Old Testament?
14. What do the Scriptures bring and provide?
15. What is one way the Bible brings you encouragement and hope?

CHAIR TIME TOOL

16. In the boxes provided on the next page, fill in things that you can do with your perspective on how you respond to the Word of God and what you can do differently regarding it.

Chair Time Tool:



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BECOMING	DOING
<p>Faithful Free Dependable Responsible</p> <p>Fruit of the Spirit love joy peace patience kindness goodness faithfulness gentleness self-control</p>	
HOW	RISKING

Week 3 - The Arrow Project - Going where He sends me...every day.

"I am like a sharp arrow in His quiver." Isaiah 49:2

- "I am"
- "a sharp arrow"
 - Isaiah knew God's heart through His words. (*The Words of Scripture*)
 - Isaiah knew his own heart through God's words. (*The Words of Scripture*)

Challenge:

Commit/recommit myself to God's Word. This is THE way we hear God.

"...replied, "Lord, to whom would we go? You have the words that give eternal life. ⁶⁹ We believe, and we know you are the Holy One of God." John 6:68-69

"...it is only right that I should keep on reminding you as long as I live. ¹⁴ For our Lord Jesus Christ has shown me that I must soon leave this earthly life, ¹⁵ so I will work hard to make sure you always remember these things after I am gone. ¹⁶ For we were not making up clever stories when we told you about the powerful coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. We saw his majestic splendor with our own eyes." II Peter 1:13-16

"We proclaim to you the one who existed from the beginning, whom we have heard and seen...with our own eyes and touched him with our own hands. He is the Word of life...³ We proclaim to you what we ourselves have actually seen and heard so that you may have fellowship with us." I John 1:1-5

"But these are written that you may^a believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name." John 20:31

"For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope." Romans 15:4

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II Timothy 3:16-17

- "His quiver"

"Let me be clear, the Anointed One has set us free—not partially, but completely and wonderfully free! We must always cherish this truth and stubbornly refuse to go back into the bondage of our past." Galatians 5:1 TPT

"I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength." Philippians 4:13