

Session Goals

1. To read and study the Bible consistently so that the Holy Spirit can bring to my remembrance the words I need, when I need them.
2. To show we are changed when the Holy Spirit recalls to our minds the Scriptures we need for direction in our lives.
3. To motivate each person to determine to consistently read, study, and hide God’s Word in her heart so it will be there for the Holy Spirit to recall Scripture to her mind when she needs it.

I. Discuss incidents in your life when the Holy Spirit brought definite warnings, promises, or instructions to your mind.

A. Discuss what each of the following portions tell us about why we should hide God’s Word in our hearts:

Ps.119:11 - _____

Ps. 36:9 – _____

Ps. 119:105 – _____

Ps.43:3 – _____

Isa.8:20 - _____

Col.2:8 - _____

II. Discuss the difference between memorizing Scripture and “hiding” God’s Word in our hearts:

A. Process to hiding God’s word

- 1) Pray, asking for Holy Spirit wisdom to analyze and interpret what we’re reading.
- 2) Ask for Holy Spirit power to enable us to obey what we read. We are changed when we open our hearts to receive what God wants to tell us, and obey.

B. Discuss the process of the Holy Spirit recalling Scripture from John 14:26

- 1) Recognize something is wrong in our lives and we know God wants to change us
- 2) When we ask God to give us a solution the Holy Spirit often reminds us of a portion of Scripture a verse or a single word – that shows us the specific sin that is in issue. Sometimes, before we are even aware that there is something God wants to deal with us about, our divine Counselor is already spelling out an answer (Matt.6:8).

Fill in how the Holy Spirit recalls Scripture for every sin and need

SIN REMEDY	NEED PROMISE
Pride - Rom.12:3	Lonely - Heb.13:6
Worry -	Afraid –
Lying -	Financial -
Unforgiveness -	Disappointment -
Gossiping -	Sick –
Bitterness -	Tempted -