

S.O.A.P

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2020

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Key Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:1-9

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Has it been awhile since you've opened a Bible? Do you read it only on occasion or one verse at a time? This week, we take a look at how inspiring and life-giving being a student of God's Word can be. And we learn practical ways to engage with the Bible, including the S.O.A.P. method (Scripture, Observation, Application, Prayer). Most importantly, we are reminded that, yes, God speaks and moves in many ways, yet God is not separate from His Word.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Think back to Sunday's message. What do you remember? Review your notes if you have them. If you're with a life group, talk with them about anything you found memorable or confusing.
2. Have you participated in the S.O.A.P. reading plan this past year?
3. Share how God has used His word in your life recently.
4. Read the key scripture. How is loving God connected to your commitment to His commands?
5. List the things in vs. 7-9 that Moses told the people to do so they would remember to keep the commandment to love God.
6. Read Joshua 1:7-9. Nowhere in His instructions does God give Joshua any military advice. Instead, God's command to Joshua was to get into God's Word. Why was it so important for Joshua to 'meditate on it day and night.' How is that still relevant to us today?
7. What is the key to being prosperous and successful?
8. What are you willing to do or what are you willing to give up in order to make being in God's Word a priority?
9. What's one thing you learned from Sunday's message and today's discussion that will help you become a better disciple of Christ and help others do the same?

NOW WHAT?

Every day this week, 1) pray that God gives you a hunger for His Word and 2) S.O.A.P. using Cedar Valley's daily reading plan.

