

How to Study Your Bible



PRAYERFULLY

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- II. The Grounds & Evidence for Faith
- III. Understanding Truth

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I. Emphasize Prayer with Study of Truth

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- 2 Timothy 2:15
- 2 Timothy 2:2

Emphasize Prayer with Study of Truth



Philippians 1:9

And this I **pray**, that your love may
abound yet more and more in
knowledge and in all judgment;

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2 Timothy 2:15

Study to shew thyself approved
unto God, a workman that needeth
not to be ashamed, rightly dividing
the word of truth.

Emphasize Prayer with Study of Truth



Study to Show thyself...

- Approved unto God
- A workman that needeth not to be ashamed.
- Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth.

Emphasize Prayer with Study of Truth



Philippians 1:9 / 2 Timothy 2:15

2 Timothy 2:2

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

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And this I pray that your love may
abound yet more and more in
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Emphasize **Prayer** with **Study** of Truth



- **Pray** <**proseuchomai**> pros-yoo'-khom-ahee

Pray to God, supplicate, worship, pray (earnestly, for), call upon the Lord.

- **Study**<**spoudazo**>spoo-dad'-zo
To use speed, to make effort, be prompt or earnest, do (give) study, diligence (forward), endeavour, labour, looking deeper into the Word of God

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Php 1:9 And this I **pray** <**proseuchomai**> that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment;

- **Study** <**spoudazo**>

2Tim. 2:15 **Study** <**spoudazo**> to shew thyself approved unto God ...

Pray and Study Truth - “SPOUDAZO”



2Peter 3:14

Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be **DILIGENT** that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless.

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Ephesians 4:3

ENDEAVORING to keep the unity
of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

Pray and Study Truth - “SPOUDAZO”



Hebrews 4:11,12

Let us **LABOUR** therefore to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief.

12 For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, ...and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

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The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



Scripture's Two-Fold Purpose...

1) That we Might BELIEVE. John 20:31

But these are written, that ye might **believe** that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that **believing** ye might have life through his name.

2) That we Might KNOW. I John 5:13

These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may **know** that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



Hebrews 11:1

Now faith is the substance
<hupostasis> of things hoped for,
the evidence <elegchos> of things
not seen.

The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



“hupostasis”

Substance, ground or confidence

- Hoping in the **Person of Christ**
- Pray & Study
Follow—Obey, Submit—Trust
- Hoping in the Revealed **Word of God**.

The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



“elegchos”

Evidence Reproof, Conviction

A sign, proof or truth of existence to help somebody to reason under conviction with Christ.

- Partakers of Christ

The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



Hebrews 1:3

Who being the brightness of his glory,
and the express image of his **person**,
<**hupostasis**> and upholding all
things by the word of his power, when
he had by himself purged our sins, sat
down on the right hand of the Majesty
on high;

The Grounds & Evidence for Faith



Hebrews 3:14

For we are made partakers of Christ,
if we hold the beginning of our
confidence <hupostasis>
stedfast unto the end;

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Understanding Truth



Daniel 9:13

As it is written in the law of Moses,
all this evil is come upon us: yet
made we not our prayer before the
LORD our God, that we might turn
from our iniquities, and
understand thy truth.

Understanding Truth



- Pray for forgiveness of sin and that you Love Truth so that we are given to understand it.
- Most of the world has been misled and misinformed about the Bible. You need to understand the truth and how it can affect your life!
- It's so difficult to **un-learn** untruths and wrong concepts, so let's learn the pure truth now.

Understanding Truth



Bible History

- **The Bible recounts the past with amazing accuracy**

Understanding Truth



Bible Prophecy

- **The Bible predicts the future to Perfection!**

Understanding Truth



Bible Knowledge with Experience

- **The Bible teaches Grace and Truth through Faith**

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Bible Knowledge with Experience



- Repentance from sin unto so Great Salvation
- Virtue with godliness in this present world
- Study to Show yourself Gracious
- “By Grace through faith” must always be emphasized with Truth.

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