

Series Break: Wordview

ICE BREAKER QUESTIONS

1. What is the biggest way you've changed since you were a child? In what way are you still the same?
2. What is your wordview of things in life? Share one

WORD

When we meditate on the Word, the wisdom of God is stored into our minds and hearts. That Word is the power of God that transforms and empowers us. When facing affliction, be promise-conscious and Word-conscious. The Word of the Lord breathes life into our hopelessness. It calls the miraculous into our impossibilities and it always shows us the right path.

Allowing the word of God to shape not only our minds but more importantly our hearts in order to direct them to desire God and live for Him.

Psalm 119:9-16

⁹How can a young man keep his way pure? By guarding it according to your word. ¹⁰With my whole heart I seek you; let me not wander from your commandments! ¹¹I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you. ¹²Blessed are you, O Lord; teach me your statutes! ¹³With my lips I declare all the rules of your mouth. ¹⁴In the way of your testimonies I delight as much as in all riches. ¹⁵I will meditate on your precepts and fix my eyes on your ways. ¹⁶I will delight in your statutes; I will not forget your word.

How can a young man keep his way pure?

1. **Store the Word of God.** To store means to have something to draw out from in times of need like an example of an empty jar. One way to Store God's word in our hearts: Memorize it.

When we memorize a word, phrase, line, or verse from God's Word, it's like implanting a powerful radioactive speck of the very mind of God into our own finite brains. As we review it or hear it spoken again, it sinks deeper into our heads. As we learn it "by heart," it descends into the hidden crevices and fissures of our souls. As we meditate on it, it begins sending out its quiet, therapeutic waves of influence. And, as the apostle Paul said, we are transformed by the renewing of our thoughts (see Rom. 12:2).

2. **Meditate on the Word.** Meditate means Regurgitate. Cows are ruminants - they chew the cud. That is were we get the word Ruminating - think deeply about something. Psalm 1: 1-2

3. **Remember the Word.**

Psalm 119:16 *I will delight in your statutes; I will not forget your word.*

It is hard to forget when you are in love:¹⁶*I will delight in your statutes; I will not forget your word.* you can't forget because you loved too much.

DISCUSSION

1. With the busyness of life, how do you stay spiritually nourished daily? Share your experience.
2. What keeps you motivated daily to read and meditate the Word of God?

LIFE APPLICATION

Let us read God's word, memorize God's word, meditate on God's word. Let us use S- Scripture, O-Observations, A- Action, P- Prayer. It is a way of getting more out of our time in God's Word.

DISCUSSION

Other than what is mentioned above, do you have other practical ways to get more out of your time in God`s Word. Share one.

VERSE TO MEDITATE ON

Psalm 119:9

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PRAYER

Share your prayer request and answered prayer. Pray for one another and throughout this week.

