

Bible Study Methods | Fall 2009 | Final Assignment

1. Please do not see this as an assignment (even though it is). See this as a chance to really study and encounter the God of the Universe. When you study to learn rather than studying to “just get it done” it’s so much more worth it...and it becomes personal. So please, friends, see this as an opportunity to grow “deeper.”
2. It’s going to take work and effort. Don’t put this off till the end, but constantly try to use your tools and get as much from the text as possible. The first couple of weeks you should be spending it doing the background work – word study, analyzation, background study, etc. Towards the final paper you should have everything read to go.
3. Final assignment: Write a paper explaining the text. Imagine if you were supposed to teach the given text to a random person – they have to leave going “Ok, now I understand what the text is talking about”. Be sure to explain:
 - a. Background context
 - b. Main idea
 - c. Interesting observations
 - d. How it applies today
4. Once you have your paper done, we’ll post them online as bible study resources for the world to use as well as allow you some time to interact with other people (i.e. Teaching others). Please select from the following passages and email me at justinhwong@gmail.com and I will tell you if the passage has been taken or not. So it’s first come first serve. May I remind you that you have till December 26, 2009 to finish this assignment. (FYI, the short passages aren’t always the easiest ones)

1 Corinthians 13

Genesis 50:15-21

Ephesians 4:17-24

2 Timothy 2:1-13

Hebrews 12:1-10

John 5:1-18

Luke 19:45-48

Luke 18:18-30

Mark 3:19-30

Habakkuk 3:17-19

Jonah 4:1-11

Ecclesiastes 12

Psalms 32

Psalms 24

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Genesis 12:1-9