



WEEK 2: ABIDING THROUGH SCRIPTURE

DISCOVER

Begin by watching the Week 2 teaching video. Use the provided guide to follow along and write down any personal insights you gain or questions that come to your mind.

DISCUSS

Use the following questions to help guide your group discussion. Remember that it isn't necessary to discuss every question. Feel free to focus on as many or as few as you'd like.

- #1 - This week's video began by exploring the biblical foundation of abiding through Scripture. What did you find to be insightful, helpful, or challenging from Jesus' example and teaching?
- #2 - Read Psalm 119:9-16 as a group and answer the following questions:
 - a) What different words are used for the Scripture in these verses?
 - b) Based on these verses, what benefits do we gain from abiding through Scripture?
- #3 - In considering the practical pathway toward abiding through Scripture, Pastor Eric made three suggestions:
 - a) adjust your mindset, b) be consistent, and c) set yourself up for success. Which of these do you feel that you most need to focus on right now? Explain.
- #4 - We learned that the goal of reading Scripture is not just to gain information but to experience transformation. What might be some bad results that could come from reading Scripture with a wrong goal or mindset?
- #5 - What suggestions would you offer to anyone who wants to abide through Scripture?

DISPLAY

Identify one step of obedience you want to commit to taking over the 7 days in regards to abiding through Scripture. Write it down and share it with the group. Then, next week we will all share about our experiences.