

What do we Bring to Personal Bible Study?

2 TIMOTHY 4:13

Expectations of Personal Bible Study:



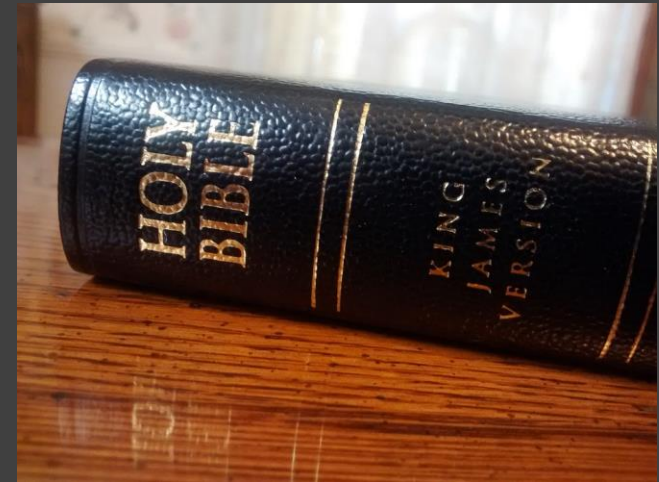
- › Ready to give an answer:
(1 Peter 3:15)
- › See the Value of Personal Study
(2 Peter 1:12-15)
- › What we Bring:
(John 6:45)

THE NEED FOR PERSONAL STUDY

GOD WANTS US TO GROW!

1 Peter 2:2

“As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby.”

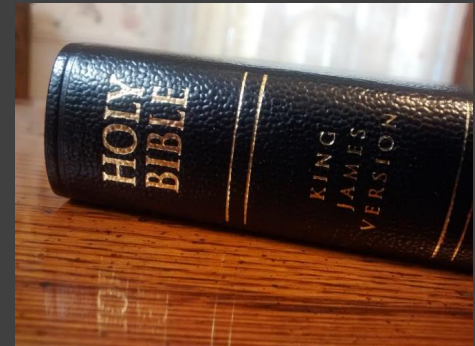


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1 Peter 2:2 2 Peter 1:5

“And besides all this, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, and to virtue knowledge.”

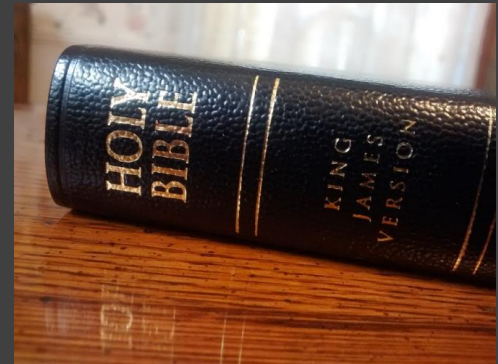


THE NEED FOR PERSONAL STUDY

GOD WANTS US TO GROW!

1 Peter 2:2 2 Peter 1:5 2 Peter 3:18

“But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever. Amen.”



THE NEED FOR PERSONAL STUDY

PREPARE TO DEFEND!

1 Peter 3:15-17

1 Timothy 4:13,15-16



THE NEED FOR PERSONAL STUDY

TO GAIN GOD'S APPROVAL!

Hebrews 11:6

“But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.”



THE NEED FOR PERSONAL STUDY

TO GAIN GOD'S APPROVAL!

2 Timothy 2:15

“Give diligence to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”



VALUE OF PERSONAL STUDY

1. REMINDED OF GOD'S WILL

2 Peter 1:12-15

“Wherefore I will not be negligent to put you always in remembrance of these things, though ye know them, and be stablished in the present truth. ¹³Yea, I think it meet, as long as I am in this tabernacle, to stir you up by putting you in remembrance.

¹⁴Knowing that shortly I must put off this my tabernacle, even as our Lord Jesus Christ hath showed me. ¹⁵Moreover I will endeavor that you may be able after my decease to have these things always in remembrance.”



BENEFITS OF PERSONAL STUDY

1. REMINDED OF GOD'S WILL

Scripture Reminds us:

Of God's Love – 1 John 4:9

Of God's Precious Promises – Titus 1:2

Of Our Duty to God and Man – 1 Timothy 4:6



BENEFITS OF PERSONAL STUDY

1. REMINDED OF GOD'S WILL

2. MOTIVATED TO DO GOOD WORKS

“As we have therefore opportunity, let us **do good** unto all, especially those who are of the household of faith.” – Galatians 6:10

“Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, **zealous of good works** – Titus 2:14

WHAT DO WE BRING TO PERSONAL STUDY?

A Humble Heart!

James 1:25

John 6:45

Attitude of a Student!

John 1:38,39

The Obedience of a Disciple!

James 1:19-22



