

The Book of 2nd John

A study using 18 questions per chapter
The purpose of this study is to find out
What the Bible says.



THE WORD FOR THE WORLD
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INSTRUCTIONS

or suggestions as to how to conduct this study.

I can only suggest how this study was originally conducted and it was very successful. First of all, we tried to arrange a very informal atmosphere with the folks sitting in a loose circle. We would begin the session by having tea, or cokes and an informal time of fellowship. Then we would have a prayer time with everyone suggesting names of those for whom we should pray. It was also mentioned each session that we expected that each individual have at least one person for whom they would agree to pray for in regards to that person's salvation.

To actually begin the study the entire chapter would be read aloud with each one willing to read, taking the number of verses and dividing it by the number of people present and each one reading a portion.

Then the first one on the left (a habit of mine) would begin by reading the first question and giving their answer. The verse where their answer was found must also be given. Then the leader asks if everybody agrees. Let discussion carry on as necessary but not too long. Then go to the next question and the next person until all of the fifteen questions are answered.

For the discussion questions (numbers 16-17-18) each person present should give their answer once again going from the first one on the left and so on. Answer one question at a time, with each person present giving their reasons for their answer to each question. Discussion can be long or short depending on how the group feels. Do not carry the class session on too long.

Encourage each one to prepare his answers BEFORE the session begins if at all possible only because they will get more out of the discussion if they have thought about it.

SUGGESTIONS FOR PRINTING.

Just print out normally if you want one lesson per sheet, printed on one sheet of paper. However if you want to print on the back, follow these suggestions.

The margins are set with a binding margin on the left side of the paper. The margin setting is: L = 1.3" R=.5" T=.5" B=.5" use these settings to print the odd pages. Then go back to page 1 and set the margins as follows to print the even numbered pages: L=.5" R=1.3" T=.5" B=.5" and it will come out very close to give you the binding margin you need for stapling or binding in any way you like.

QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER STUDY: (The following questions could be used in place of or in addition to the ones in the lessons for those who are more advanced in Bible knowledge.)

1. What does this chapter teach about Jesus?
2. What does this chapter teach about God?
3. What does this chapter teach about the Holy Spirit?
4. Does this chapter contain promises to be received, commands to be obeyed or warnings to be heeded?

II JOHN
SHORT ANSWER

1. To whom is this letter written? _____ . Verse _____
2. What gave John great joy? _____
_____. Verse _____
3. How does John describe love? _____
_____. Verse _____
4. Under what circumstances were they to refuse to admit a teacher into their house? _____
_____. Verse _____
5. Why didn't John write a longer letter? _____
_____. Verse _____

TRUE OR FALSE

(Mark T or F and the verse where your answer is found.)

6. _____ Walking in obedience to his commands and walking in love are the same thing.
7. _____ John wrote a new commandment in this letter.
8. _____ It is possible to lose that for what you have worked a long time.
9. _____ To continue in the teachings of Christ is essential in order to have God in your life.
10. _____ If you welcome someone who is involved in wicked works, this is fine as long as you keep yourself clean.

YES OR NO

(Mark Y or N and the verse where your answer is found)

11. _____ Does the truth endure forever?
12. _____ Is it important to walk in love?
13. _____ Is it possible to run ahead of God?
14. _____ Are there some people who should not be invited into your house?
15. _____ Does John enjoy visiting people in person?

THINK FOR YOURSELF

16. What is the main theme of this chapter?
17. What is the key verse?
18. What did you learn from this chapter?

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