

Saturday, October 6, 2012

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HOMEWORK – LESSON 2: GOSPEL IMPLICATIONS FOR MY HEART

DUE:

Saturday, October 20, 2012

Before you begin your homework, take a few minutes to quiet your heart and pray, thanking God for His Word and asking God to reveal more of Himself to you through His Word. Ask Him to increase your heart's desire to know and love Him.

1. Throughout the upcoming year, your homework will include portions of Psalm 119. This Psalm has much to say about God's Word and will hopefully help you grow in love for the word of God so that your love for the God of the Word will increase.

Read Psalm 119:1-16. Look for the requests and commitments the Psalmist makes to the Lord.

Write out some examples from this passage how to shepherd your heart with God's Word.

2. Review your outline from "D1: Gospel Implications for My Heart" (October 6, 2012).
 - a. On the outline, turn to "IV. Who you are in Jesus, 1. Conversion EVENTS, which open the door for something new in Christ." Look up several of the references, and record some of the things God has done for you in the gospel.
 - b. In prayer, agree with God about your own vulnerability towards ONE of the specific weaknesses of our mixed condition (IV. Who you are in Jesus, 3. Weaknesses of the new creation). Thank Him for His provision for you to battle this weakness. What have you learned from this lesson that can help you battle this weakness?

3. Identify at least one thing that impacted you from the lesson. (Some suggestions: something new, something that elevates your esteem for God or His Word, thankfulness for the body of Christ, something that encouraged or convicted you). Write it down and explain why you chose it.

4. Write out a prayer in your journal or on a separate piece of paper (NOT to turn in). Express your reliance on God and your thankfulness for ALL He has provided so that you CAN participate in the process of sanctification, in this mixed condition. As you pray to God each day, continue to ask Him for His grace to battle sin and to be renewed (2 Cor. 4:16).

5. Which Bible plan did you choose and why? Choose one thing from your reading to share with your discussion group, if time permits. Some examples of what to share could be something new to you, something that encouraged or convicted you, a promise to remember or a sin to forsake.