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Lesson 9-Sat.
Saturday, January 24, 2015

D2—THE HOME: A WHOLE BIBLE SURVEY OF THE HOME

DUE:
Saturday, February 7, 2015

Prayerfully read through 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. Consider each of the ways that love is described--what love is and what it isn't, and what love does and doesn't do. Thank God for the many and various ways that He has demonstrated His love toward you, and especially and most fully through the gospel (Romans 5:6-8). Humbly ask God to help you grow your love for Him, for your household and for your neighbor.

LOOKING BACK...

1. Review your notes from "A Whole Bible Survey of the Home." Please share something that stood out to you (maybe something that was new, encouraging, or challenging).

What did you learn about God's heart for the household and what are the implications for you personally?

2. How would you describe the spiritual influence you have in your home? Think about your attitudes (1 Peter 3:1-4), your words (Prov. 16:24; Eph. 4:29; Col. 4:6), and your actions (1 Jn. 3:18; Mark 10:45; Acts 20:35). What is going well? What are ways you would like to change, and what steps will you take, by God's grace, to do so?

LOOKING DAY BY DAY...

3. Look through your Wellspring Songbook. Choose several songs to use this week to help you prepare your heart for your time reading God's Word. If you are keeping a theme journal, select songs that complement your theme.

How has this activity helped you to shepherd your heart toward God and Jesus Christ with the Word of God and the gospel? If you haven't tried it yet, how might it help?

LOOKING AHEAD...

4. In preparation for the next lesson, D2/D3- THE HOME/MINISTRY: Peacemaking – Responding to Conflict Biblically:

Read Philippians 4:1-9. List the commands you find in these verses.

Look up (and write out) the dictionary definitions for:

Forgive

Apology

Sorry