

Out of God's love for you and me comes potential enablement for living in harmony with God's purpose for our lives.

DAY ONE:

1. Read the following scriptures and record insights on God's purpose for you and me.

a. Matthew 22: 36-40

b. Mark 12: 30-33

c. John 13: 34-35

No doubt which is the foremost commandment, but how is the second like the first?

How do the Law and the Prophets depend on these two?

2. Read the following for further insights. Remember, even under the old covenant , you can learn from observing the principles.

a. Deuteronomy 6: 4-25

b. Deuteronomy 10: 12-23

c. Deuteronomy 30:6

d. Joshua 22:5

e. Psalm 37: 4

f. Psalm 91: 14

g. Psalm 145:20

DAY TWO:

1. Look to these New Testament verses for insight. Seek God for practical answers.

a. John 14: 15-24

b. John 15: 10

c. I John 5:3

Why particular mention of heart, soul, and mind?

These scriptures give insight into the second being like the first.
2. Read them and record insights.

a. I John 4: 12-21

b. I John 5: 1-3

c. I John 3: 17-18

3. Read these verses and record additional insights.

a. Galatians 5:6

b. II Timothy 1: 13

c. Galatians 5: 22-23

d. Matthew 25: 34-40

e. I Timothy 1:5

DAY THREE AND DAY FOUR:

1. God calls us to love as only Jesus can love. Record any insights.

a. John 15: 12-13,17

b. Romans 12: 9-21

c. Romans 13: 8-10

d. Galatians 5: 13-14

e. Ephesians 5: 1-5

f. Colossians 3: 12-17

g. James 2:8

h. I Peter 1: 22-23

i. I Peter 3: 8-9

j. I Peter 4:8

k. I John 2: 9-11

l. I John 3: 11,14, 16, 18-20, 23

m. I John 4: 7, 11-12

2. God calls us to stretch even more. Read the following and record insights.

a. Luke 6: 31-36

b. Romans 12: 20-21

c. Matthew 5: 43-48

DAY FIVE:

1. Read I Corinthians 13: 1-13, prayerfully, and think practically through this description of godly love. Record some thoughts on your successes and failures.

2. Loving is the practical way to sanctification. Knowing the word is good, walking the word is godly.

a. Philippians 1: 9-12

b. II Thessalonians 3: 12-13

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His Plan., His Purpose
L-4, P-7 To Live a Life of Loving

c. I John 4: 11-12

Finally

His Plan _____

His Purpose _____