

21 DAYS WITH JESUS

Three weeks of Cultivation and Encounters in the **Gospel of John**

A three-week plan to guide interested people to encounter Jesus in His Word (*John*) and in weekly cultivative encounters that present the Gospel. This plan can be conducted with an individual, a couple, or a small group.

4 ENCOUNTER MEETINGS

Held at the beginning of the 21 days and once each following week.

ENCOUNTER



Meet and explain the chapter-a-day study of John and the recording of helpful verses and key thoughts.

READ: *John 2:1-11*

Read aloud and explain the use of the six “*Discovery Questions*”. Encourage interaction and participation as you work through the passage.

EMPHASIS: *God knows in detail your every need and will more than meet them in Jesus. (Phil. 4:19)*

ENCOUNTER



Encourage the sharing of the insights encountered in their reading of the first seven chapters of John.

READ: *John 3:1-18*

Read aloud and ask the six “*Discovery Questions*”.

EMPHASIS: *You can start life anew (being “born again”) by belief in Jesus alone. (2 Cor. 5:17)*

ENCOUNTER



Encourage the sharing of the insights encountered in their reading of chapters 8-14 of John.

READ: *John 4:1-30, 39-42*

Read aloud and ask the six “*Discovery Questions*”.

EMPHASIS: *Jesus’ forgiveness is available to all, regardless of our past. (1 John 1:9)*

ENCOUNTER



Encourage the sharing of the insights encountered in their reading of chapters 15-21 of John.

READ: John 6:1-13, 16-21

Read aloud and ask the six “Discovery Questions”.

EMPHASIS: *Jesus can calm all your fears and provide for all you will ever need. (John 2:5 - What is he “saying” to You?)*

FOLLOW-UP

Encourage reading the entire New Testament using the “**Bible Reading Plan**” which divides the Scripture into daily sections requiring less than five minutes reading time per day.

Ask if they would consider continued weekly **Encounter Meetings**. These would be based upon shared insights from their personal Bible readings and the “Discovery Questions” together with one key passage found in the previous week’s readings.

Urge them to lead their friends and family to undertake “**21 Days with Jesus**” with them.

Ask the Lord to bring others into your life with whom you can begin “**21 Days with Jesus**”.

Discovery Questions

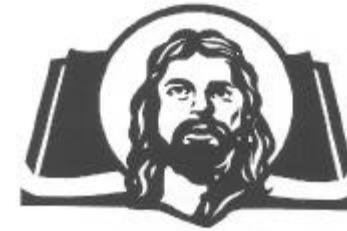
1. What did you like about the passage you just read?
2. What did you not like about it? What bothered you?
3. What did you not understand about it?
4. What did you learn about God from it?
5. What do you personally need to do about it?
6. What phrase or sentence from the passage would you like to think about this week?

(Discovery Bible Study Method from the “Operation Lydia Plan”)



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