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Daily Reading Questions

Note: The questions were written from the wording in the NIV 1984. If you are using a different Bible translation, they may have to be adapted.

Digging Deeper: What is the difference between what will happen to the good and wicked?

Reading 1: Psalm 37:1-9 Evil men will die away.

How are evil men like grass? What happens to men who trust in the Lord and do good?

Reading 2: Psalm 37:10-17 The wicked will pierce their own hearts.

What will happen to the wicked? What will God do for the righteous?

Reading 3: Psalm 37:18-24 God upholds the blameless.

What happens to the blameless? What will happen to the wicked?

Reading 4: Psalm 37:25-34 God won't forsake the righteous.

What will God do for the righteous? What will God do to the wicked? How should we respond to God? Why?

Reading 5: Psalm 37:35-40 God brings salvation to the righteous.

What can you be sure of when you see the wicked prosper? What will God do for the righteous? Why?

Reading 6: Psalm 16 Reflecting on the Ark

Reflect what it would have been like for Noah and his family on the ark while it was still raining. Think through some conversations they may have had. The Bible says that Noah walked with God; it doesn't say anything about how his family related to God.



UPPER ELEMENTARY-ADULT

LEVEL 4

HOME JOURNAL

LESSON 30



THIS WEEK'S BIG QUESTION

What will happen to evil men?

MEMORY VERSE

Psalm 37:1-2

1 Do not fret because of evil men or be envious of those who do wrong; 2 for like the grass they will soon wither, like green plants they will soon die away.

Parent Notes

- **Daily Reading:** Depending on the age and ability of your child, or parent preference, he/she may do the work in this journal independently or complete it with the parent. After reading the day's Bible passage, the student should identify an important truth that relates to that reading and answer the question why he/she needs to know that truth. It would be beneficial if the parent and student also read through and answer the questions about the day's reading from the **Daily Reading Questions** at the back of the booklet. Personal ideas and additional questions from the parent can also be included.
- **Lesson Verse:** The lesson verse which answers the week's big question should be practiced daily. One way to do this is to black out words in the verse each day and say the verse inserting the correct word. By the end of the week the whole verse would be blacked out and recited by memory.
- **Concluding Lesson:** To develop deeper understanding and a comprehensive biblical worldview, the parent should talk through with the student the **Thinking It Through** questions at the back of the booklet and then have the student write out the answers.
- **Completion:** If the student brings this booklet back to the teacher on Sunday, with each day's work completed and the lesson verse memorized, the student will receive acknowledgement of a job well done.
- **Way to go, parents!** Your faithfulness in teaching your children the deed and statutes of the Lord isn't always easy, but it honors God and will have an eternal impact. Keep up the good work! Remember Galatians 6:9, *Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.*

Concluding Lesson—Thinking It Through

Discuss these questions with a parent then write out your answers below.

- What is an important truth you learned from the Bible readings this week?
- How should that truth be lived out in your life?
- What would be the result of your living out that truth?
- What is a lie or deception people believe in terms of that truth?
- Why does that lie or deception appeal to people?
- What would be the result of believing and following that lie or deception?

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Reading 5: Psalm 37:35-40

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

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DIGGING DEEPER

This week in your daily Bible readings you will be digging deeper. You will be reading passages describing the difference between what will happen to the good and the wicked. As you read pray that your mind would be open to understand more fully the power that you have through Christ to live rightly. The questions for each reading are on the back cover. They will help you think more deeply about each passage.

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