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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 happens when people reject God?

Reading 1: Psalm 10 The wicked don't think they're accountable to God.

What do the wicked do when they don't think about God? What does it mean to be afflicted and oppressed? What does God do for the afflicted and oppressed? What will happen to the wicked?

Reading 2: Psalm 11 God's soul hates the wicked.

Where is God? What does that mean? Who does God observe? What is the outcome of that?

Reading 3: Psalm 12 Wicked men think they are their own master.

What happens when there are few godly men? What will God do for those who trust in him?

Reading 4: Psalm 13 The wicked oppress other people.

Why was David crying out to God? What did David know he could trust about God?

Reading 5: Psalm 14 The fool is corrupt and doesn't do good.

What does the fool say in his heart? What is the fool like? What will God do for those who seek him?

Reading 6: John 3:16-21 People who reject Jesus remain condemned.

Why do people reject Jesus? What will be the outcome of their choice?



UPPER ELEMENTARY-ADULT

LEVEL 4

HOME JOURNAL

LESSON 34



THIS WEEK'S BIG QUESTION

What is the problem of pride?

MEMORY VERSE

Psalm 10:4

In his pride the wicked does not seek him; in all his thoughts there is no room for God.

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 14

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Reading 6: John 3:16-21

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

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What is the problem of pride?

Proud people don't seek after God.

Psalm 10:4

In his pride the wicked does not seek him; in all his thoughts there is no room for God.



DIGGING DEEPER

This week in your daily Bible readings you will be digging deeper. You will be reading passages describing what happens when people reject God. 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.

Digging Deeper: What happens when people reject God?

Reading 1: Psalm 10

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Reading 2: Psalm 11

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

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Reading 3: Psalm 12

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Reading 4: Psalm 13

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?