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Kay Arthur

Faithful, Abundant, True: Three Lives Going Deeper Still

While these three women, Kay Arthur, Priscilla Shirer and Beth Moore, each speak on the distinctive topic the Holy Spirit had led them to teach, the messages result in a marvelous blend. Kay challenges us to faithfulness in difficult days using Hebrews. Priscilla points to the essential of trust in God's ability through Ephesians, and Beth teaches on how to discern truth from error in these difficult days.

Lord, Teach Me to Pray

Learn what the Lord's Prayer teaches us about effective prayer and how to put into practice its timeless principles. Kay will equip you to be used in God's kingdom. What you learn will be yours to practice for a lifetime, just as Jesus intended when He taught His disciples how to pray.

Linda Barrick

Total Bliss: Discover True Joy in Philippians

Life is rarely full of total bliss. In fact, it can be hard and painful. But as a follower of Jesus, there is a SOURCE of JOY inside of you that is always available when you reach for it. Join Linda Barrick as she unpacks the secret to everlasting joy. This 5-week study of Philippians will take you on a journey with the Apostle Paul as he encourages and challenges us Discover the Source of True Joy Uncover the Secret of Contentment Release Anxiety and Embrace God's Peace Experience the Fruit of a Joyful Heart

Henry Blackaby

Experiencing God

Through examination of biblical and contemporary illustrations, participants will understand and apply seven realities of experiencing God. Churches will be helped to better function as the body of Christ, as members understand how to experience God as a church.

Deborah Buckingham

Heart of Mercy

Welcome to the *Heart of Mercy*. Jesus wants us to live merciful lives even through seasons of conflict with others that can challenge us to not just know about mercy, but to practice it. As Christians, the greatest opportunity we have to prove our faith is when we are rejected or when we are hurting, whether emotionally or physically. This is why Jesus told the leaders of His day in Matthew 9 that He didn't come to earth to witness their religious practices, but rather, He came to teach mercy and they should learn what it means. Wow! That is powerful, isn't it? God has wonderful plans for you and me, but we can get stuck and never realize His great plans if we don't understand what He requires of us. As you will discover, mercy is of highest importance! As we work through this guide, we will learn exactly what it means to show mercy, and how our daily choices either grow or inhibit this important spiritual discipline.

Lauren Chandler

Steadfast Love

There are times when worship overflows effortlessly from a heart full of gratitude and praise. And there are times when God seems far, and we feel we have nothing to offer. We are tired, thirsty, and caught in the waves of a tumultuous sea. But this is when God shows us His steadfast love. Psalm 107 is a call to worship. It reminds us each season of life is an opportunity to reveal the anchor of our souls. In this 7-session Bible study from Lauren Chandler, learn to face each season of life with courage and trust in Jesus, and discover how tests in our journeys of faith reveal the true condition of our hearts. For there is no fear for the one who fears the Lord, the one whose soul is anchored in His steadfast love.

Vicki Courtney

5 Conversations You Must Have with Your Daughter

From the cradle to college, tell your daughters the truth about life before they believe the culture's lies. For mothers with girls newborn to eighteen, *Five Conversations You Must Have with Your Daughter* is simply a must-have book. Youth culture commentator Vicki Courtney helps moms pinpoint and prepare the discussions that should be ongoing in their daughters' formative years. To fully address the dynamic social and spiritual issues and influencers at hand, several chapters are written for each of the conversations, which are:

1. Don't let the culture define you
2. Guard your heart
3. Have a little sex respect
4. Childhood is only for a season
5. You are who you've been becoming

The book also includes questions at the end of each conversation to help facilitate individual or group study.

Move On: When Mercy Meets Your Mess

You can say good-bye to the person you've been pretending to be! Life is often messy. God makes provision to help us move beyond our messes. Oftentimes our first instincts are to hide, deny, ignore, or run. It is in the middle of our messes, Vicki says, that Mercy shows up and offers us a safe place to process our struggles, imperfections, doubts, and fears. Once we face our messes, God, with His sweet mercy, can help us to get real, deal, and truly move on. Then with Mercy by our side, we are able to break free and experience the grace and freedom God intends.

Haley DiMarco

A Woman Overwhelmed

Be empowered to find freedom in becoming overwhelmed with who God is—by learning to focus on what we know about God so that we can hold onto faith even when it seems that all is lost. For it is when an overwhelmed woman gives up the mission of ME and exchanges it for the mission of God that being overwhelmed becomes a good thing. Choose to bask in the abundance of the Father instead of the abundance of life as His unfathomable depths can surely replace our fathomable messes.

Karen Ehman

What Matters Most

The world has always been full of trials, disappointments, temptations, fractured friendships, and financial hardships. Yet Paul's letter to the Philippians claims we can discover contentment and joy in the midst of it all by prioritizing what matters most—Christ. Over 7 sessions, study the ever-relevant letter of Philippians to deepen your relationship with Jesus, turn your worries into worship, and develop gospel-centered tools for navigating relational conflict.

Tony Evans

Kingdom Man

In *Kingdom Man*, Tony Evans, challenges and equips men to fully understand their position under God as well as their position over what God has given them. It provides concepts men can follow that will help them to actively pursue ways to maximize and develop the character qualities of biblical manhood in their lives.

Margaret Feinberg

Fight Back with Joy

Embrace a life that's richer and fuller than you've ever known before—a life radiant with joy. Learn to practice joy, defiant joy. Sooner or later, we find ourselves on the battlefield of life and struggle to know how to respond.

Louie Giglio

Goliath

In *Goliath Must Fall*, pastor Louie Giglio uncovers a newfound twist in the classic story of David and Goliath. It is not God's plan for you to live with a giant standing in the middle of your life, demoralizing you day after day. Our freedom and God's glory are forever interwoven into one story. God *does* want us to live free. He wants us to recognize that He's already killed the giant.

Lisa Harper

Hebrews

Hebrews was a sermon for a specific people and culture in the midst of martyrdom and persecution, but is also so relevant for us today, reminding us to continue walking toward Jesus regardless of our culture or our circumstances. Join Lisa as she journeys through this bridge between Old and New Testaments to get to the heart of the matter: Jesus is our accessible King.

Malachi

This is an 8 session women's Bible study on the book of Malachi. In this study, Lisa focuses on God's mercy. On our worst day, God doesn't walk away from us. And His love for us is not determined by our performance. No matter how many times we mess up, God loves (and never leaves) broken people. "I the LORD do not change" Malachi 3:6 Women taking this Bible study will gain a fresh perspective on the Book of Malachi. It is more than a book in the Bible about tithing. Lisa brings the Scripture to life through dynamic storytelling.

Ken Hemphill

Gifted to Serve

Using your spiritual gifts with passion and purpose

Kyle Idleman

Not a Fan

Not a Fan calls you to consider the demands and rewards of being a true disciple. With frankness sprinkled with humor, Kyle Idleman invites you to live the way Jesus lived, love the way He loved, pray the way He prayed, and never give up living for the One who gave His all for you.

Gods at War

There may be no wooden or golden idols in your home, such as the ancient Israelites struggled with, but chances are, there are significant idols in your heart. These idols can look like normal, everyday concerns about security, financial stability, desire for attention or affection, but can easily become the ugly reality of anxiety, greed, and seeking approval of man, rather than God. *Gods at War* addresses the issue of idolatry in the lives of believers by asking insightful questions that will help you determine which false gods are striving to sit on the throne of your heart. Discover the freedom that awaits you when you allow the true God to reside unchallenged in your heart and life.

Chip Ingram

The Genius of Generosity

The Bible teaches us that generosity is the gateway to intimacy with God as we steward the Owner's resources to please Him. In *Genius of Generosity*, pastor and author Chip Ingram provides motivation and practical application from Scripture to help each of us grow towards a life of greater giving.

Alex and Stephen Kendrick

The Battle Plan for Prayer

Develop a deeper walk with God as you seek the Lord for your battles first. ***The Battle Plan for Prayer Bible Study*** equips believers to create their own prayer strategy and be specific and strategic in prayer. This study features teaching by Alex and Stephen Kendrick on the topics of: what prayer is and is not, why God wants us to pray, specific areas of prayer, specific strategies for prayer, and more.

Anne Graham Lotz

I Saw the Lord

When we call ourselves Christians, we expect that our love for Jesus, our hunger for His presence, our urgent longing to see Him again will be a constant, motivating force in our lives. Yet sometimes...in the busyness of our days or the duties of our jobs or the familiar habits of our worship or the everyday routine of our homes, the longing becomes complacency, and we sleep through opportunities to be with Him. This study is a wake-up call to seek out a revival of our passion for Jesus that began as a blazing fire but somehow has died down to an ineffective glow.

The Magnificent Obsession: Embracing the God-filled Life

If you or someone close to you is devoted to their church but still struggles to find meaning and passion in their faith; who loves their family, works hard, contributes to their community, but still feels life is somehow incomplete and hollow at the core; who is restless in spirit, with a nagging sense that there must be something more...this Bible study is for you. Through personal anecdotes, unforgettable stories, and God-inspired insights, Anne invites you to draw closer to God, who is as committed to you as He was to Abraham, and longs to call you “friend.”

Pursuing MORE of Jesus

If you want more than the bare minimum God has to offer you, if you want more than to be an average Christian, then Join Anne Graham Lotz in *Pursuing More of Jesus*. In this dynamic study of God’s Word, you’ll spend time in the upper room with the disciples, receiving the teaching that Jesus poured into them on the night before His crucifixion.

Max Lucado

Anxious for Nothing

Americans especially know about living in perpetual anxiety. “The news about our anxiety is enough to make us anxious,” says Max Lucado. But there’s a prescription for dealing with it. In this Bible study, Lucado invites readers into a study of Philippians 4:6-7, the most highlighted passage of any book on the planet, according to Amazon. With His help you will learn to face the calamities of life. You’ll learn how to talk yourself off the ledge. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, you will learn to view bad news through the lens of sovereignty; to discern the lies of Satan and tell yourself the truth. You will manifest a gentleness that is evident to others. Anxiety comes with life. But it doesn’t have to dominate your life.

Authentic Manhood

33 Series 1: A Man and His Design

There are so many voices out there that are telling you what it means to be a man. Discover God's design for men with a clear definition and inspiring vision of authentic manhood. These six sessions include:

- Manhood Realities
- Create and Cultivate
- Manhood Definition
- King/Warrior
- Lover/Friend
- Seasons

33 Series 2: A Man and His Story

Understand how your past shapes who you are today. Understand your past and enjoy God's best for your future. These six sessions include:

- Looking Back
- Dad
- Mom
- Healing
- All-Alone
- Heart

33 Series 3: A Man and His Traps

Identify the deep idols of your heart and develop a "Battleplan" built on God's grace. These six sessions include:

- Idols
- Empty Promises
- Battle Plan
- XXX
- Control
- Significance & Comfort

33 Series 4: A Man and His Work

An inspiring vision of work from God's bigger perspective. These six sessions include:

- Tension
- Blueprint
- Courage
- Essentials
- Traps
- Catalyzers

The Story

God goes to great lengths to rescue lost and hurting people. That is what *The Story* is all about: the story of the Bible, God's great love affair with humanity. Condensed into 31 accessible chapters, *The Story* sweeps you into the unfolding progression of Bible characters and events from Genesis to Revelation. Using the world's most popular modern-English Bible, the New International Version, and printed in the exclusive Zondervan NIV Comfort Print® typeface, it allows the stories, poems, and teachings of the Bible to read like a novel. Like any good story, *The Story* is filled with intrigue, drama, conflict, romance, and redemption—and this story's true!

John C Maxwell

Failing Forward

The major difference between achieving people and average people is their perception of and response to failure. John C. Maxwell covers the top reasons people fail and shows how to master fear instead of being mastered by it. Listeners will discover that positive benefits can accompany negative experiences-if you have the right attitude. Chock full of action suggestions and real-life stories, *Failing Forward* will help men and women move beyond mistakes to fulfill their potential and achieve success.

Kelly Minter

All Things New

Over 8 sessions, Kelly Minter will lead you through the letter of 2 Corinthians, exploring the anchoring truths of bearing treasures of jars of clay, meeting Christ through a pressing thorn, opening wide your heart in the midst of hurtful relationships, and what it means to embrace the lost and lonely as

ministers of the New Covenant. Each of us has a message to proclaim and live by: Because of Jesus the old has gone, *the new has come*.

What Love Is

The letters of 1, 2 & 3 John were written to encourage followers of Jesus to remain faithful to the truth. Believers are challenged to look at contrasting themes such as walking in the light instead of darkness, truth versus lies and deception, loving God more than loving the world, and the meaning of true fellowship and community rather than shallowness.

Beth Moore

Believing God

The bride of Jesus Christ in our generation is nearly paralyzed by unbelief. God is calling His bride to a fresh and lavish anointing of faith. This in-depth study examines the lives of Abraham, Moses, and others as examples of persons who believed God.

Beloved Disciple: The Life and Ministry of John

Every disciple and early follower of Christ left a legacy for future believers. John's legacy is love. Perhaps like no other disciple, John understood that relationship is the point. Perhaps like no other disciple, John understood that relationship is the point. Every command of Christ and call to obedience is to enhance relationship and place the recipient in a posture the Giver can bless. This study is about finding our way to the heart of Jesus and reclining so closely that our pulse begins to throb in tandem, loving what He loves and hating what He hates.

Breaking Free: The Journey, The Stories

This in-depth Bible study leads you through Isaiah 61:1-4 to discover the transforming power of Christian freedom by drawing parallels between the captive Israelites and the spiritual strongholds in our lives.

Breath: The Life of God in Us

This is a six-session lecture series reflecting on the person, the work and the power of the Holy Spirit.

Children of the Day: I & II Thessalonians

The New Testament believers carried the Spirit of God as they walked along the shores of Thessalonica, just as you carry that light today. Your circumstances and conditions are not coincidental in your journey. God's timing is impeccable. Join Beth on the Thessalonian shores as you face real crises, real medical diagnoses, real afflictions, real relationships, real doubts, real concerns, and real fears. Let the tide wash your eyes with fresh vision. Don't let pride or timidity come between you and the presence of

God. Press in tightly. This is your journey to the shores of Thessalonica where you'll write your name in the sand.

Daniel: Lives of Integrity, Words of Prophecy

The prophet Daniel faced unbelievable pressures—to compromise his faith, to live in a hostile culture, and to confront temptations and threats. This study examines how believers can develop integrity in our modern-day Babylon, and then explores prophecies from the time of Daniel through the second coming of Christ.

David: Seeking a Heart Like His

Explore the depths of God's love with this updated edition of *A Heart Like His*. In this study of a "man after God's own heart," David will make you laugh and cry. He will delight and disappoint you. You'll want to be just like him at times and nothing like him at others. David's life clearly demonstrates that God is always able to reach us, correct us, and reclaim our worship. If you've ever experienced doubts, temptations, losses, or personal inconsistencies, this study is for you.

Entrusted: A Study of II Timothy

We were never meant to take this journey of faith alone or in secret. God has entrusted us with the great and mighty gift of the Gospel, something too precious and life-giving to keep to ourselves. In this 6-session Bible study, Beth will encourage you to guard what God has entrusted to you, further His kingdom by sharing Christ with others, and pour into future generations just as Paul once mentored Timothy.

Esther: It's Tough Being a Woman

The Old Testament story of Esther is a profile in courage and contains many modern parallels for today's overloaded and stressed woman. Esther, while a queen, lived as an outsider in a hostile environment. Women will learn strong lessons of faith, providence, and hope to equip them to live courageously *for such a time as this*.

Here and Now...There and Then

This is an 11-session lecture series on the book of Revelation. Beth presents many points of view, allowing women to decide for themselves when the interpretation varies among scholars. She teaches that God is as specific about what He does reveal as He is about what He does not reveal.

The Inheritance

The concept of inheritance isn't just a subject in Scripture. It is a theme stretching all the way from Genesis to Revelation. Beth's teaching is based on Psalm 116:5-6 (ESV).

James: Mercy Triumphs

Bible scholars compare James to the prophet Amos. In other ways James more closely resembles the Book of Proverbs than any New Testament book. Come along with Beth Moore on a journey to get to know both the man and the Book of James. You will never be the same again.

Jesus: The One and Only

Based primarily on the Book of Luke, this study is a careful examination of the life of Christ. You will be introduced to an intimate Savior as you get a close-up and personal portrait of the life of Jesus the Messiah. You'll see Jesus come to a funeral and raise the dead, confront conniving religious leaders, teach on a hillside, and even walk on the waves.

The Law of Love: Lessons from the Pages of Deuteronomy

Looking for your promised land? Asking, "What's the point?" Beth's teaching is based on the book of Deuteronomy.

Living Beyond Yourself: Exploring the Fruit of the Spirit

Through this study participants will look at the supernatural aspects of the fruit and that you cannot grow, learn, or produce the fruit on your own. Beth challenges you to develop the fruit by maintaining an intimate relationship with the Spirit of God. A Spirit-filled life truly results in living beyond yourself.

The Patriarchs: Encountering the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob

Discover God's pursuit of relationship and the unfolding of His earthly plan: How through one nation—and ultimately one man—all people on earth will be blessed. *The Patriarchs* is a journey through Genesis 12-50. Explore concepts such as blessing, covenant, and promise, and the bearing each has on a New Testament believer's life today.

The Quest: An Excursion Toward Intimacy with God

The Quest is a challenge to accept the invitation. In this six-week excursion with Jesus, Beth Moore uses questions from Scripture to lead you into intimacy with the One who knows you best. Learn to dig into the Word, to respond to the questions of God, and to bring your questions before Him.

Sacred Secrets: A Living Proof Live Experience

The world is obsessed with telling secrets for the sake of sensationalism. But not all hidden things are poisonous and dark. *Sacred Secrets* is a 5-session study that explores secrets: some forgiven, some covered, and some just between you and God. Join Beth to find out what happens when we let God teach us "wisdom in the secret heart" (Psalm 51:6, ESV).

Stepping Up: A Journey Through the Psalms of Ascent

Provides the step-by-step guidance for a leader to facilitate this 6-week women's Bible study of Psalms 120-134. Traveling pilgrims sang these psalms both on the way to the great festivals of the LORD and as key elements of the worship at those festivals. Just as a song or poem can express feelings of fear, doubt, hope, and joy, these 15 psalms model how we can voice our own petitions and praises to our God, who is always available and ready to hear us.

To Live is Christ: The Life and Ministry of Paul

More than any other person, Paul provides us an example of sold-out servanthood. He understood what it means to die daily, crucified with Jesus Christ. As a result, Paul shows us how to live fully as a bond servant to Christ. As you study the Book of Acts and the Letters of Paul, you will come to know the characters personally. Most of all you will feel the challenge to follow Paul's example just as he followed the example of Christ.

When Godly People Do Ungodly Things

Christians are still subject to Satan's attacks. He is determined to disrupt the lives of believers, destroy their ministry, and steal their joy. Sadly, those who have "fallen" may not recognize the devil's schemes until they have already been caught in a snare of defeat. In this biblical guide to authentic repentance and restoration, Beth examines why devoted followers of Jesus Christ can fall into the traps of Satan and how to find their way back to God.

Wising Up

Do you want to study wisdom or do you want to become wise women? Join Beth as she teaches from the book of Proverbs.

A Woman's Heart: God's Dwelling Place

Perhaps no Old Testament event so dramatically illustrates God's persistent desire to relate to His children as the building of the tabernacle in the wilderness. Through the tabernacle God initiated a deeper relationship with His Chosen People by bringing reconciliation and revealing His glory. And certainly, no Old Testament event so richly prefigures the coming of the true Tabernacle, Jesus Christ. This Bible study will challenge you to prepare your heart, like the holy of holies, to become a home for His love and glory—a dwelling place for the Most High God.

David Platt

Radical Small Group Study

Encounter what Jesus actually said about being His disciple, and then obey what you have heard. He challenges you to consider with an open heart how

we have manipulated a God-centered Gospel to fit our human-centered preferences.

Angela Thomas-Pharr

Beautiful Offering

For many years Angela Thomas thought of the Beatitudes as a list of "Gotta Be's," as in: *Gotta be meek. Gotta be merciful.* And when she compared her life to the standard they set, she always felt that she came up short. But through God's great mercy, she has come to see this passage instead as a roster of "When You Are's." *When you are meek, there is a spiritual inheritance. When you are merciful, you will be shown mercy.*

This shift in thinking has led Thomas to understand that God does not require perfection, but rather our gracious obedience. In His eyes, our lives—complete with mistakes, blemishes, and imperfections—are *A Beautiful Offering.*

Redeemed

The moment you accept Jesus as the Lord over your life, you are redeemed. As the redeemed, we experience a lifelong journey of being transformed into His image. As redeemed women, we grow in the grace of Christ, and He calls us to extend grace to others. In this 7-session Bible study, Angela explores the practical side of redemption, inviting us to lean on Jesus for our real help and hope.

Stronger – Finding Hope in Fragile Places

As we have received Christ Jesus, we are now called to walk in a manner worthy of Him. Strengthened with all power, according to His glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in so great an inheritance. Today, because of Christ, you can live stronger. This study will guide women into biblical truth through exposition and story, so they live confident, transformed, Christ-radiating lives marked by His strength.

Dave Ramsey

Financial Peace University

Dave Ramsey and his teaching team will walk you through the basics of budgeting, dumping debt, planning for the future, and much more. Financial Peace University includes nine video lessons featuring Dave Ramsey, Rachel Cruze, and Christ Hogan.

Jennifer Rothschild

Hosea: Unfailing Love That Changes Everything

The Book of Hosea is a deeply personal and passionate love story, yet it's a difficult story. As an account full of harsh judgment unfolds, we find in its midst a rare gem: the truest and purest of loves. Hosea, an Old-Testament prophet, preached his own life message using his marriage as the sermon illustration. This study of Hosea looks deeply at that message. You'll be guided to understand, but more especially to apply, the message of the prophet of love and be amazed by the unfailing love of God for His wayward people.

Fingerprints of God

To a blind person, human touch is essential. In the absence of facial expressions, it reassures and comforts. But can you still feel the warm and soothing touch of an unseen God? Jennifer Rothschild explains how God's touch works from the inside out, warming the heart, mind, and soul. It lifts weights that eyes could never see. It washes away the anguish of guilt, the bite of fear, and the ache of loneliness. With the gentle pressure of His hand on our shoulders, we can find our way through the darkest of nights.

Me, Myself and Lies

Words are powerful. Especially the words women speak to themselves. All too often, what they say to themselves when they lie in bed at night or look in the mirror in the morning is not even close to the words God wants them to speak to their souls. What we think about often has a ripple effect on nearly every area of our lives. This Bible study will encourage us to clean out the junk in our minds and replace hidden negative thoughts with positive truths from God's Word.

Walking by Faith

Jennifer lost her eyesight as a teen, but gained something much more valuable...spiritual insight. This Bible study contrasts the evidences of walking by faith and walking by sight and encourages participants to take risks, give God control, persevere through hardship, receive God's gifts, and seek God.

Priscilla Shirer

Anointed, Transformed, Redeemed: A Study of David

The messages presented by these beloved authors, Priscilla Shirer, Beth Moore, and Kay Arthur, are divided into three segments, two lessons from each author. Each segment focuses on the life of David at a different stage of his life—as a young man, a middle-aged man, and as a man facing the final

third of his life. In this study, you'll laugh with them, cry with them, and learn to love God with them.

The Armor of God

A devoted, devilish enemy seeks to wreak havoc on everything that matters to you: your heart, your mind, your marriage, your children, your relationships, your resilience, your dreams, your destiny. He always fails miserably when he meets a woman dressed for the occasion. This Bible study is more than merely a biblical description of the believer's inventory, it is an action plan for putting it on and developing a personalized strategy to secure victory.

Can we Talk

Can We Talk? Soul-stirring Conversations with God - Leader

Kit by Priscilla Shirer helps a leader facilitate this women's Bible study experience that delivers familiar spiritual disciplines through a fresh, new method of teaching. The Member Book includes an introduction, followed by 6 weeks of study, 5 days a week. As women respond to a variety of biblical passages, prompted by thought-provoking questions, they'll develop a Christ-focused view on important issues and experience a closer walk with their Creator. (7 sessions)

Discerning the Voice of God

Through 7 sessions, discover the root to clear and daily communication with God—humble obedience. Learn how surrender unlocks His many blessings intended for us, centers us in His will, and helps us discern His voice in everyday life.

Gideon: Your Weakness, God's Strength

When we hear the name Gideon, most of us think about his 300 soldiers or a fleece spread beneath the evening sky. But Gideon's story is so much bigger than that. This is a story about God and His people—His love for them, as well as His strength operating in spite of, even through, their weakness. This study will encourage you to recognize your weakness as the key that the Lord gives you to unlock the full experience of His strength in your life.

He Speaks to Me: Preparing to Hear from God

A common question of many Christians is, "How can I know when God is speaking to me?" Priscilla uses the account of God speaking to Samuel in I Samuel 3 to show how God speaks to Christians and how we can discern His voice and position ourselves to respond. In this study, participants will discover how God spoke to Samuel, Samuel's response, and how He speaks to believers today.

Jonah: Navigating a Life Interrupted

Interruptions. They're aggravating. Sometimes infuriating. But how we handle interruptions actually tell us more about ourselves. What do we do when God interrupts our lives? Priscilla redefines interruption and shows that interruption is actually God's invitation to do something beyond our wildest dreams. When Jonah was willing to allow God to interrupt his life, the result was revival in an entire city!

One in a Million

Every woman is on a journey. In looking carefully at the two Israelites (out of two million) who crossed over the Jordan and into the Promised Land, we find direction for our own spiritual lives. Expect to see God move in miraculous ways in your everyday existence through this Bible study.

Angie Smith

Seamless

In 7 sessions, *Seamless* covers the people, places, and promises of the Bible, tying them together into the greater story of Scripture. Whether you've grown up hearing Bible stories or you're exploring Scripture for the first time, the full story of the Bible can be overwhelming. Experience the Bible as a whole as you gain clarity and confidence in your understanding of Scripture. Discover a biblical context that reshapes and brings to life stories from the Old and New Testaments.

Ed Stetzer & Philip Nation

Compelled by Love

Understand what it means to be compelled by love. In the book entitled *Compelled by Love*, trusted missiologist Ed Stetzer and coauthor and pastor Philip Nation challenge readers to look at love within the context of God, the church, and the lives of individual believers. Selected as the 2008–2009 emphasis book for WMU®, a million-member nonprofit missions organization, *Compelled by Love* will give readers a basic theological grounding and a platform for personal application as they understand what missional living is all about—it is simply the calling to love others. Look at the love of God; begin to truly understand what is at the center of the church's foundation, commission, and direction; but most importantly, understand your role within the mission of God as you integrate love into all aspects of your missional calling.

Allan Taylor

Sunday School Matters

This training series will help local churches build, expand, and maintain a healthy Sunday School ministry. Train workers in the skills required to grow a viable Sunday School and bring vibrancy to your church. Featuring 20- to 33-minute video training sessions from outstanding national leaders, *Sunday School Matters* covers topics ranging from leadership, vision, and teaching, to evangelism, care, and the structuring of this vital component of a healthy church.

Sunday School Matters Study Guide includes a vital training experience through 12 video-led sessions, with applicable Scripture and individual study created to be viewed and discussed by the Sunday School faculty and staff at a local church.

Lysa TerKeurst

Finding I Am

What is the deep cry of your heart? That ache in your soul that keeps you up at night? The prayer you keep repeating? Jesus not only cares about this deep, spiritual wrestling, but He also wants to step in and see you through it. Join Lysa TerKeurst on the streets of Israel to explore the seven I AM statements of Jesus found in the Gospel of John.

Rick Warren

40 Days of Purpose

This small group study guide will assist the study of the book "40 Days of Purpose," by Rick Warren. This guide may be used with the Teaching Video by Rick Warren, or as a support for your local teacher.

The Purpose Driven Life

The *New York Times* #1 bestselling book by Pastor Rick Warren that helps you understand and live out the purpose of your life.

Before you were born, God already planned your life. God longs for you to discover the life he uniquely created you to live--here on earth, and forever in eternity. Let *The Purpose Driven Life* show you how. As one of the bestselling nonfiction books in history, with more than 35 million copies sold, *The Purpose Driven Life* is far more than just a book; it's the road map for your spiritual journey. A journey that will transform your life.

Designed to be read in 42 days, each chapter provides a daily meditation and practical steps to help you discover and live out your purpose, starting with exploring three of life's most pressing questions:

- The Question of Existence: Why am I alive?
- The Question of Significance: Does my life matter?
- The Question of Purpose: What on earth am I here for?

The book also includes links to 3-minute video introductions and a 30- to 40-minute audio Bible study message for each chapter. Plus questions for further study and additional resources.

The Purpose of Christmas

In his powerful yet compassionate voice, Pastor Rick Warren sounds the clarion call to “remember the reason for the season,” taking readers back in time to the most wonderful story of all—the birth of the baby Jesus. When he was just a small boy, young Rick asked his parents if they could celebrate Christmas with a birthday party for Jesus—and the tradition began that the Warrens have upheld for over fifty years. Now through stirring imagery and compelling personal insights, *The Purpose of Christmas* honors the significance and promise of this cherished holiday. Pastor Warren encourages readers to identify and confront what drains peace from their lives. Warren explains that the way to respond to these peace robbers is to learn how to surrender to God’s will and not feel defeated or discouraged when life does not go as planned. True peace of mind is found by having an unshakeable faith in God—knowing that His empowering Spirit will guide His children through life’s challenges.