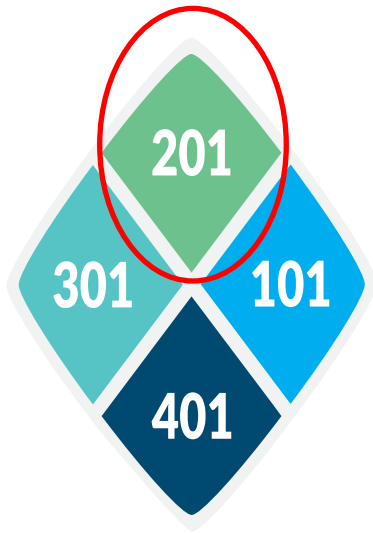
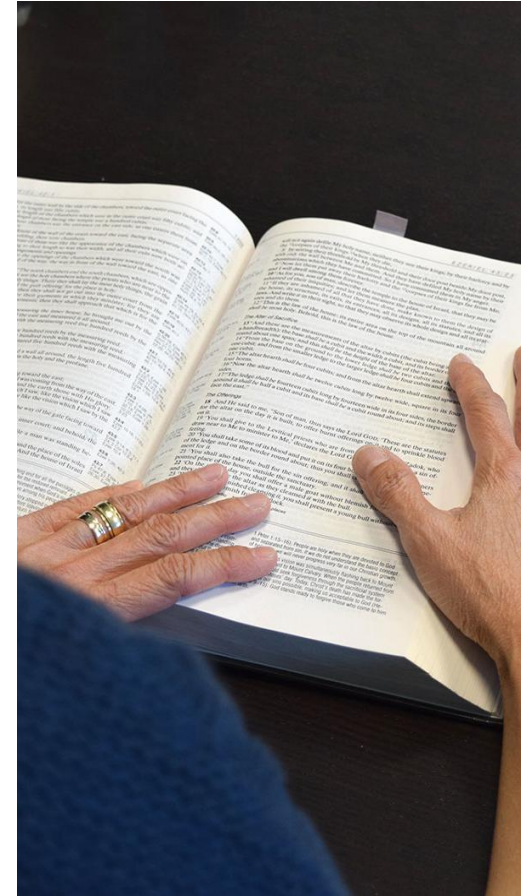


Discovering my Spiritual Maturity



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HABIT
ONE

**Daily Time in
God's Word**

2 Tim 3:16-17

John 5:39

James 1:21

The Discipleship Journey

Six Keys to Grasp the Word of God

Sunday 5:00 p.m.



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October Focus on **Growing**
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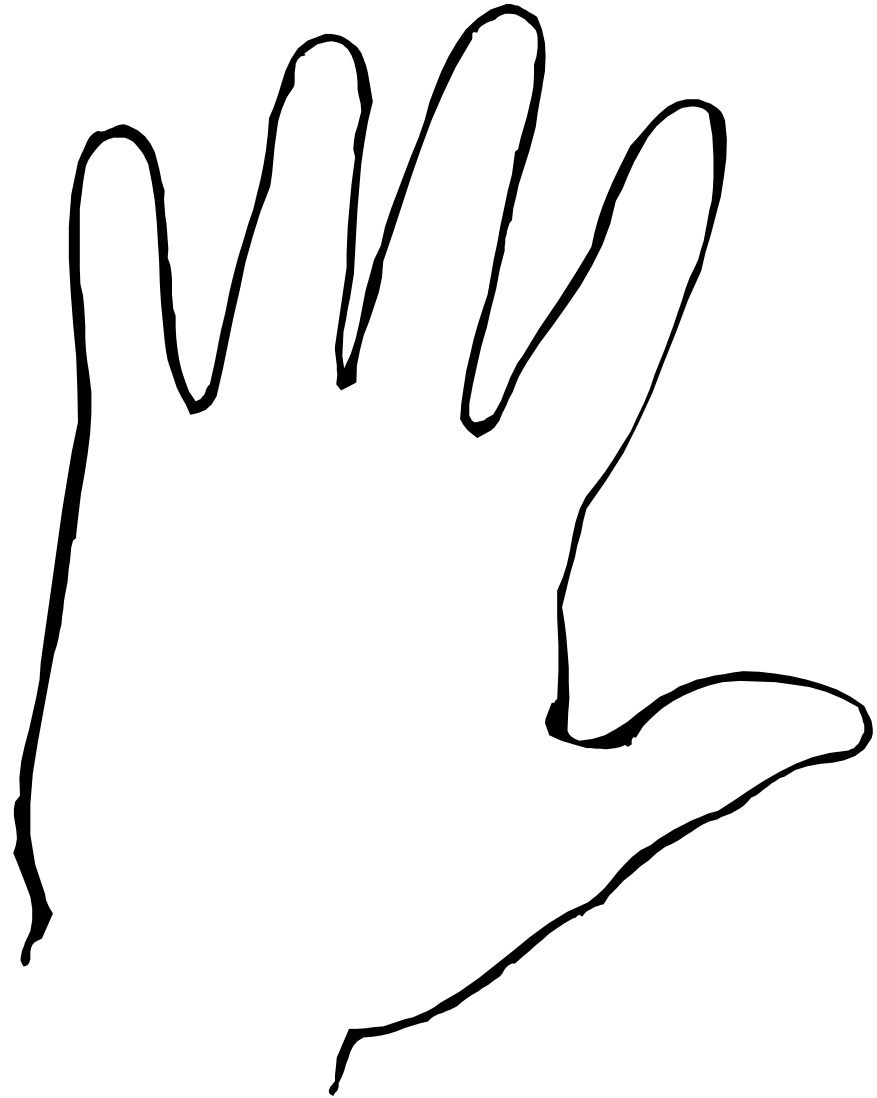
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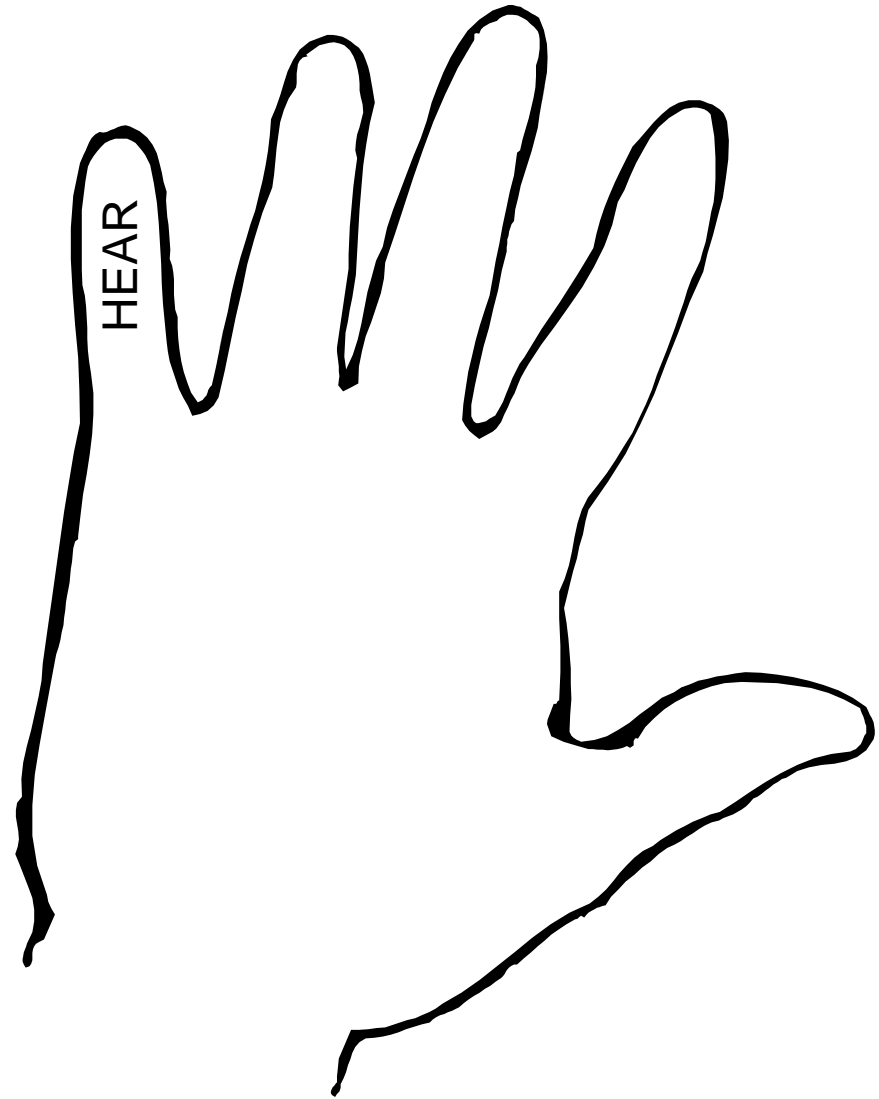
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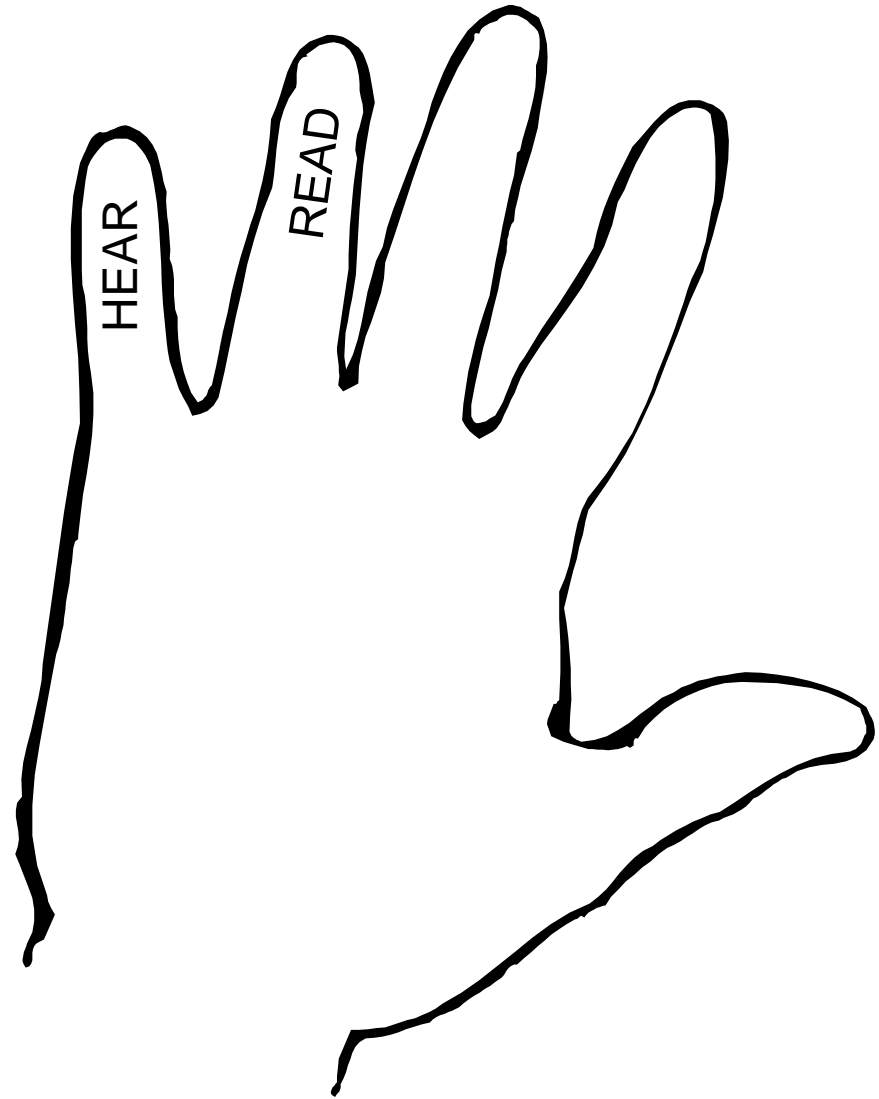
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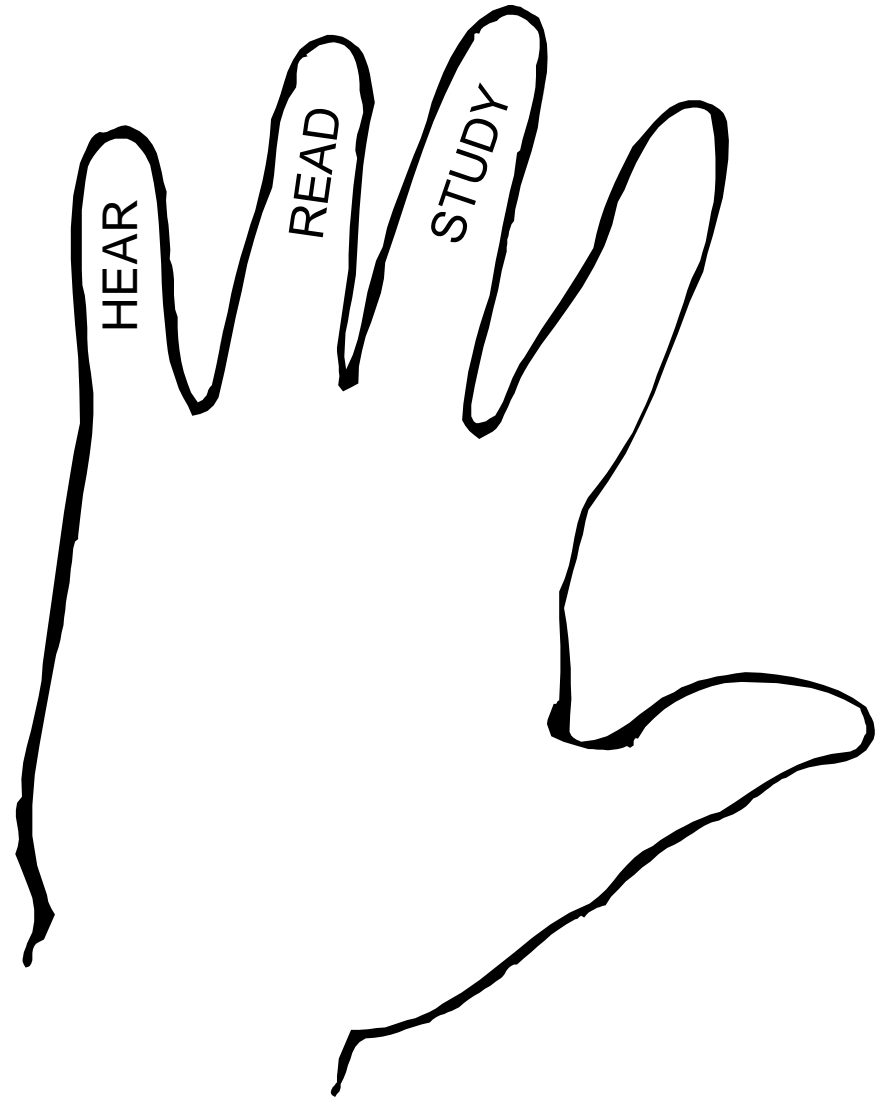
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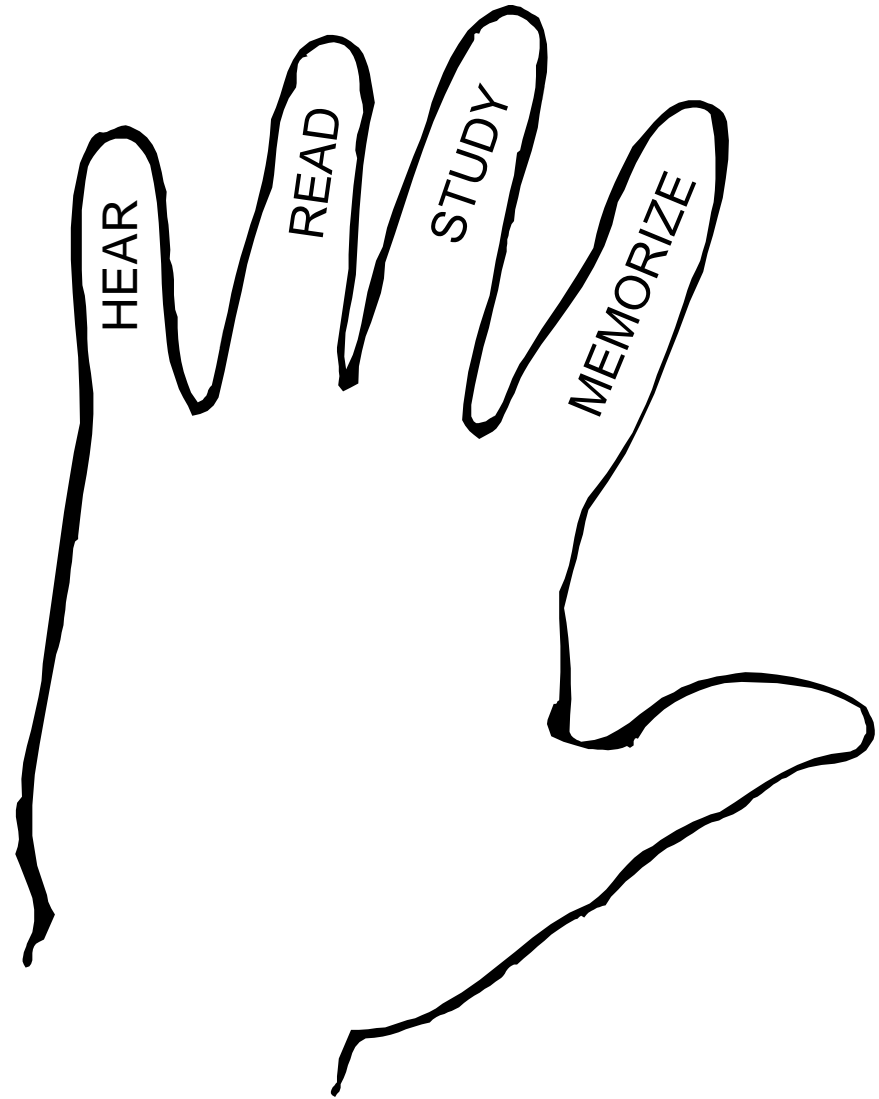
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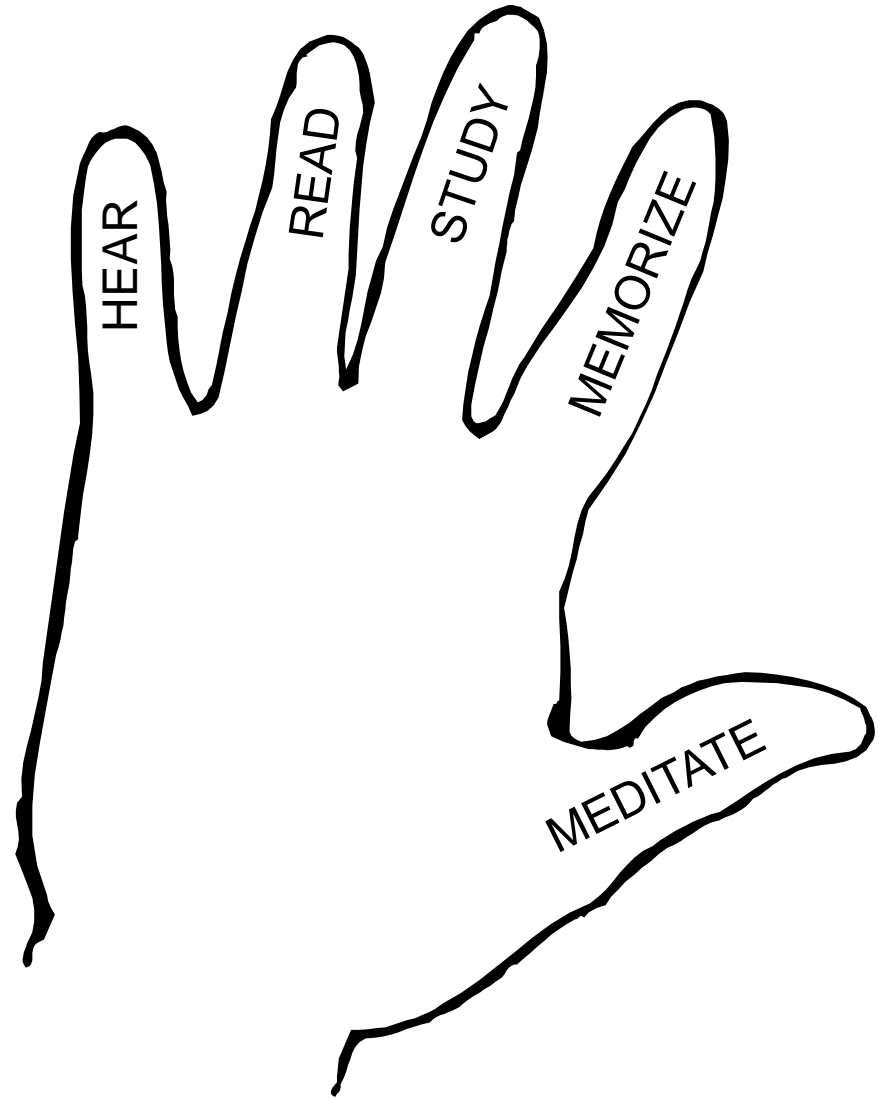
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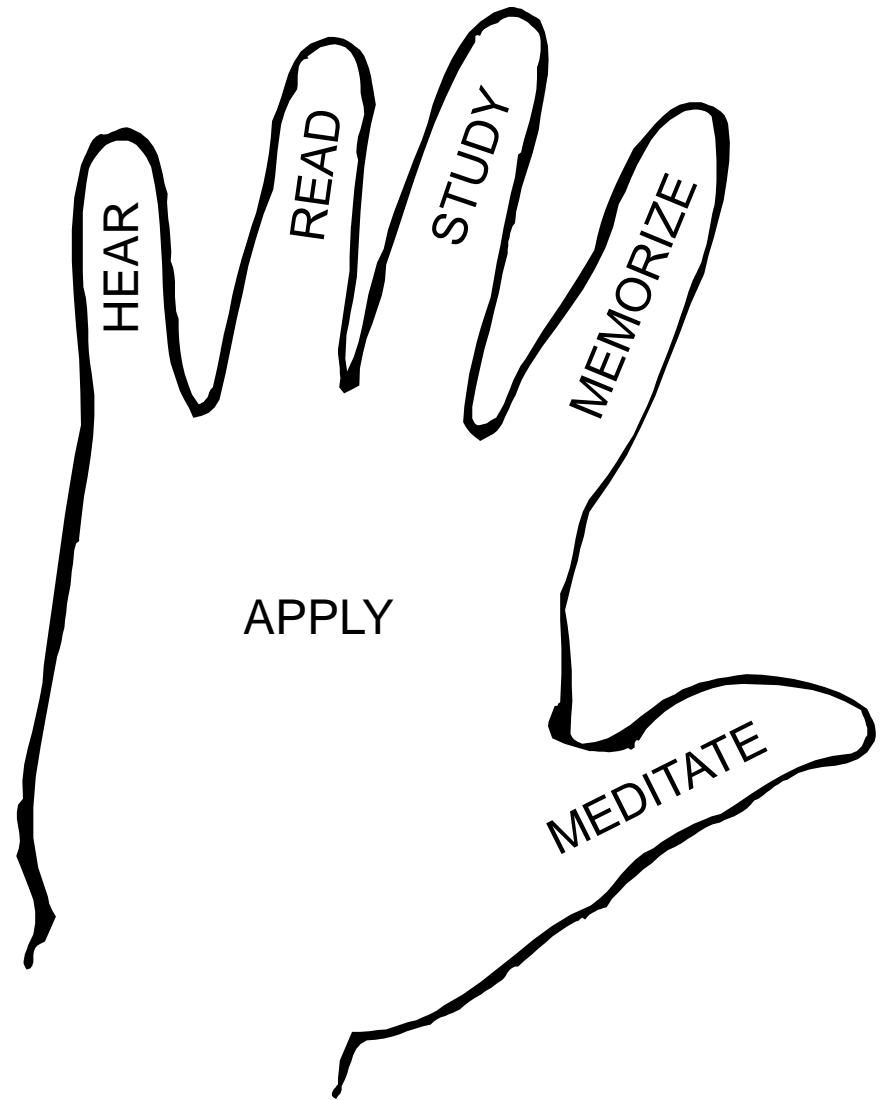
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SIX WAYS TO GET A GRASP OF THE BIBLE

Part #1:

1. Hear
2. Read
3. Study

Part #2:

3. Memorize
4. Meditate
5. Apply

SIX WAYS TO GET A GRASP OF THE BIBLE

1 Hear God's Word Rm 10:17

Hear God's Word

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WAYS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

- The Bible on audio
- Church services and studies/live/online
- Sermon video & audio/radio/TV

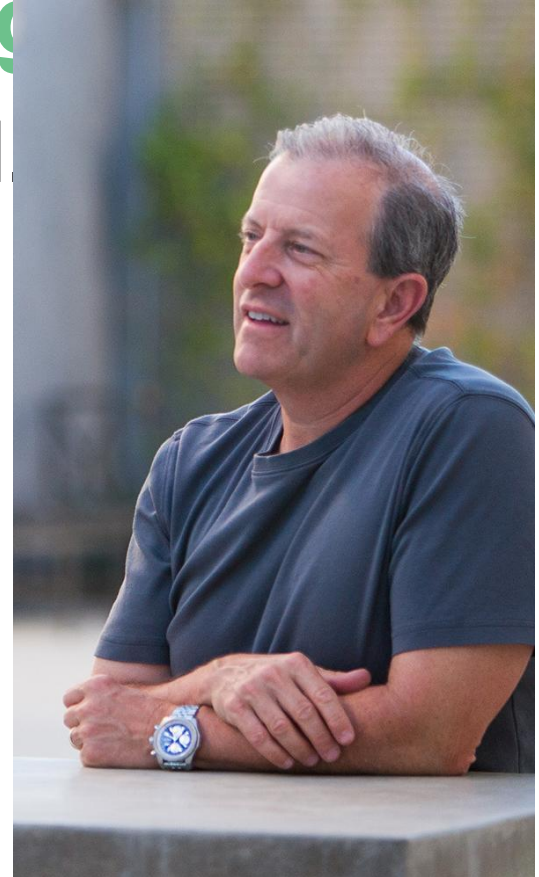
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Problem: We forget 95% of what we hear after 72 hours!

Hear God's Word

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Matt 13, Mark 4, Luke 8

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- **A Closed Mind**
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- **A Preoccupied Mind**
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- **A Closed Mind** Is fear, pride, or bitterness preventing me from hearing God?

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- **A Superficial Mind** Am I really serious about wanting to hear God speak?
 - “I really don’t care about any of this. It’s just not that important to me.”

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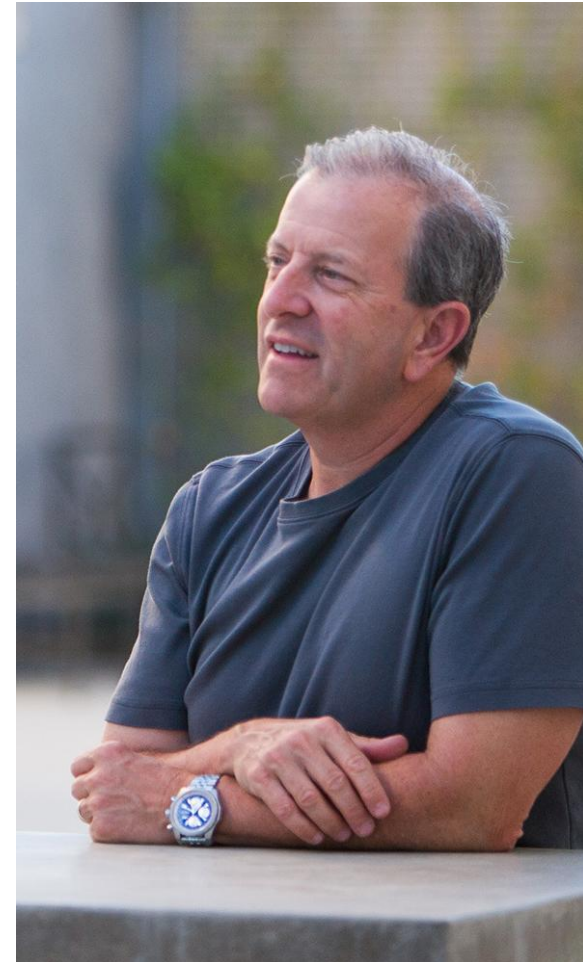
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Am I too busy and concerned with other things to concentrate on what God has to say?

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- Act on what you hear!



SIX WAYS TO GET A GRASP
OF THE BIBLE

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Read God's Word Rev 1:3

Read God's Word

How often should I read God's Word? _____



Read God's Word

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Word? DAILY Acts 17:11

Deut 17:18-20



Read God's Word

Suggestions for Reading God's Word

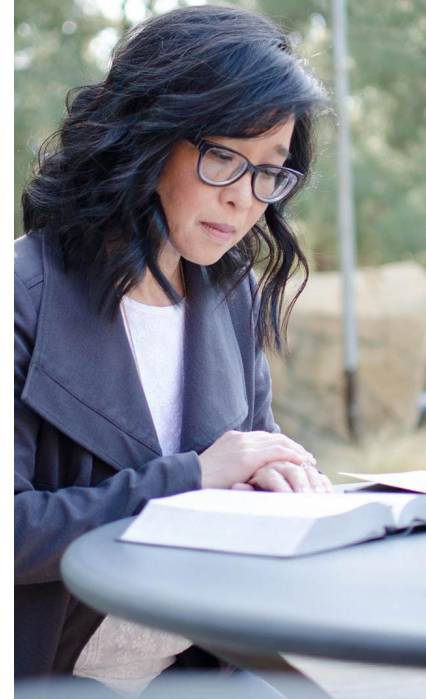
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WEEK 43

Revelation 1
 Revelation 2
 Revelation 3
 Revelation 4
 Revelation 5

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:9-10

WEEK 44

Revelation 6
 Revelation 7
 Revelation 8
 Revelation 9
 Revelation 10

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:11-12

WEEK 45

Revelation 11
 Revelation 12
 Revelation 13
 Revelation 14
 Revelation 15

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:13-14

WEEK 46

Revelation 16
 Revelation 17
 Revelation 18
 Revelation 19
 Revelation 20

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:15-16

WEEK 47

Revelation 21
 Revelation 22
 Matthew 1
 Matthew 2
 Matthew 3

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:17-18

WEEK 48

Matthew 4
 Matthew 5
 Matthew 6
 Matthew 7
 Matthew 8

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:19-20

WEEK 49

Matthew 9
 Matthew 10
 Matthew 11
 Matthew 12
 Matthew 13

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:21-23

WEEK 50

Matthew 14
 Matthew 15
 Matthew 16
 Matthew 17
 Matthew 18

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:24-25

WEEK 51

Matthew 19
 Matthew 20
 Matthew 21
 Matthew 22
 Matthew 23

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:26-27

WEEK 52

Matthew 24
 Matthew 25
 Matthew 26
 Matthew 27
 Matthew 28

Memorize:
 Matthew 7:28-29

FOUNDATIONS NEW TESTAMENT

A 260-DAY BIBLE READING PLAN FOR BUSY BELIEVERS

5 days a week**WEEK 1**

Luke 1
 Luke 2
 Luke 3
 Luke 4
 Luke 5

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:1-2

WEEK 2

Luke 6
 Luke 7
 Luke 8
 Luke 9
 Luke 10

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:3-4

WEEK 3

Luke 11
 Luke 12
 Luke 13
 Luke 14
 Luke 15

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:5-6

WEEK 4

Luke 16
 Luke 17
 Luke 18
 Luke 19
 Luke 20

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:7-8

WEEK 5

Luke 21
 Luke 22
 Luke 23
 Luke 24
 Acts 1

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:9-10

WEEK 6

Acts 2
 Acts 3
 Acts 4
 Acts 5
 Acts 6

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:11-12

WEEK 7

Acts 7
 Acts 8
 Acts 9
 Acts 10
 Acts 11

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:13-14

WEEK 8

Acts 12
 Acts 13
 Acts 14
 James 1
 James 2

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 Matthew 5:15-16

WEEK 9

James 3
 James 4
 James 5
 Acts 15
 Acts 16

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WEEK 10

Galatians 1
 Galatians 2
 Galatians 3
 Galatians 4
 Galatians 5

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:19-20

WEEK 11

Galatians 6
 Acts 17
 Acts 18
 1 Thessalonians 1
 1 Thessalonians 2

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:21-22

WEEK 12

1 Thessalonians 3
 1 Thessalonians 4
 1 Thessalonians 5
 2 Thessalonians 1
 2 Thessalonians 2

Memorize:
 Matthew 5:23-24

Read God's Word

If I read approximately ____ minutes a day, I can read through the entire Bible in one year.



Read God's Word

If I read approximately 15 minutes a day, I can read through the entire Bible in one year.



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Study God's Word

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The difference between reading and studying the Bible is that you _____ when you study.

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WHICH VERSION OF THE BIBLE?

Personal Study Bible

Bible, Thompson

Chain Reference Bible (KJV)

ESV Study

*The Narrated Bible –
F. Legard Smith*

Bible Study Software

*(Faithlife), PC Study
(Biblesoft),
versions!*

*Logos
Bible
free*

Doctrinal Study Bible

Testament,

People's New

(B. W. Johnson)
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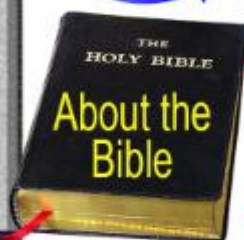
Ask a Bible Question
Request Bible study,
Comments, Suggestions



Who are we?

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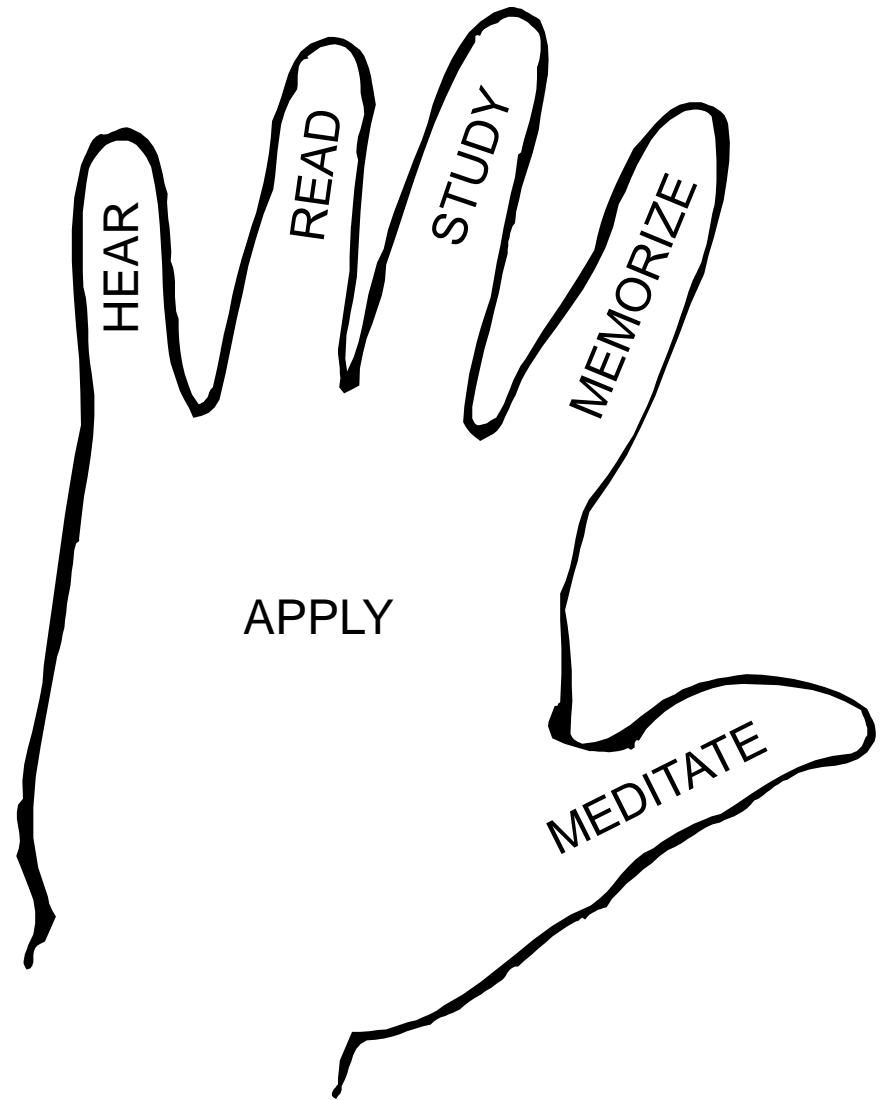
a church near you



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