

F260 READING PLAN

Each week read the assigned scriptures 5 of the 7 days. Journal each day utilizing the H.E.A.R.D. method below OR the G.E.T. R.E.A.L. from the weekly bulletin cover.

After praying for the Holy Spirit's guidance, open your notebook or journal, and at the top left-hand corner, **write the letter "H"**. This exercise will remind you to read with a purpose. In the course of your reading, one or two verses will usually stand out and speak to you. After reading the passage of Scripture, highlight each verse that speaks to you by copying it under the letter "H". Write out the following:

- The name of the book
- The passage of Scripture
- The chapter and verse numbers that especially speak to you
- A title to describe the passage

This practice will make it easier to find the passage when you want to revisit it in the future.

After you have highlighted the passage, **write the letter "E"** under the previous entry. At this stage you will EXPLAIN what the text means. By asking some simple questions, with the help of God's Spirit, you can understand the meaning of a passage or verse. The next chapter will teach you in detail how to understand the meaning of a passage. Until then, here are a few questions to get you started:

- Why was this written? To whom was it originally written?
- How does it fit with the verses before and after it?
- Why did the Holy Spirit include this passage in the book?
- What is He intending to communicate through this text?
- What does this passage say about God? About man?

At this point, you are beginning the process of discovering the specific and personal word that God has for you from His Word. What is important is that you are engaging the text and wrestling with its meaning.

After writing a short summary of what you think the text means, **write the letter "A"** below the letter "E". Under the "A", write the word Apply. This application is the heart of the process. Everything you have done so far culminates under this heading. As you have done before, answer a series of questions to uncover the significance of these verses to you personally, questions like:

- How can this help me in living out my purpose?
- What does this mean today?
- What would the application of this verse look like in my life?
- What do I need to adapt / change for this to take effect?
- What is God saying to me?

These questions bridge the gap between the ancient world and your world today. They provide a way for God to speak to you from the specific passage or verse. Answer these questions under the "A". Challenge yourself to write between two and five sentences about how the text applies to your life.

Next, below the first three entries, **write the letter "R"** for Respond. Your response to the passage may take on many forms. You may write a call to action. You may describe how you will be different because of what God has said to you through His Word. You may indicate what you are going to do because of what you have learned. You may respond by writing out a prayer to God. For example, you may ask God to help you to be more loving, or to give you a desire to be more generous in your giving. Keep in mind that this is your response to what you have just read.

Notice that all of the words in the H.E.A.R. formula are action words: Highlight, Explain, Apply, and Respond. God does not want us to sit back and wait for Him to drop some truth into our laps. Instead of waiting passively, God desires that we actively pursue Him. Jesus said, "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you." (Matthew 7:7).

Think of the miracle of the Bible. Over centuries of time, God supernaturally moved upon a number of men in an unusual way that resulted in them writing the exact words of God. God led His people to recognize these divine writings, and to distinguish them from everything else that has ever been written. Then God's people brought these sixty-six books together. The preservation and survival of the Bible is as miraculous as its writing. Then God gave men, beginning with Gutenberg's printing press, technological knowledge to copy and transmit the Bible so that all people could have it. All because God has something to say to you.

Memorize assigned scripture and then meet with a discipleship partner to discuss what God has revealed and the opportunities to serve that you have been given over the past week. Share with 2 others each week.

Finally, **write the letter "D"** for Develop. Develop new relationships knowing that some of them may become your first disciples. This could be coworkers, grocery store clerks, the coffee shop barista, your children, etc.

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WEEK 1

- Genesis 1-2
- Genesis 3-4
- Genesis 6-7
- Genesis 8-9
- Job 1-2

Memory Verses:
Genesis 1:27

WEEK 2

- Job 38-39
- Job 40-42
- Genesis 11-12
- Genesis 15
- Genesis 16-17

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:6

WEEK 3

- Genesis 18-19
- Genesis 20-21
- Genesis 22
- Genesis 24
- Genesis 25-26

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:7

WEEK 4

- Genesis 27-28
- Genesis 29-30:24
- Genesis 31-32
- Genesis 33 & 35
- Genesis 37

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:8

WEEK 5

- Genesis 39-40
- Genesis 41
- Genesis 42-43
- Genesis 44-45
- Genesis 46-47

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:9

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 6

- Genesis 48-49
- Genesis 50-Exodus 1
- Exodus 2-3
- Exodus 4-5
- Exodus 6-7

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:10

WEEK 7

- Exodus 8-9
- Exodus 10-11
- Exodus 12
- Exodus 13:17-14
- Exodus 16-17

Memory Verses:
Hebrews 11:6-10

WEEK 8

- Exodus 19-20
- Exodus 24-25
- Exodus 26-27
- Exodus 28-29
- Exodus 30-31

Memory Verses:
Galatians 5:13-15

WEEK 9

- Exodus 32-33
- Exodus 34-36:1
- Exodus 40
- Leviticus 8-9
- Leviticus 16-17

Memory Verses:
Matthew 22:37-39

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 10

- Leviticus 23
- Leviticus 26
- Numbers 11-12
- Numbers 13-14
- Numbers 16-17

Memory Verses:
Leviticus 26:13

WEEK 11

- Numbers 20 & 27:12-23
- Numbers 34-35
- Deuteronomy 1-2
- Deuteronomy 3-4
- Deuteronomy 6-7

Memory Verses:
Deuteronomy 6:4-9

WEEK 12

- Deuteronomy 8-9
- Deuteronomy 30-31
- Deuteronomy 32 & 34
- Joshua 1-2
- Joshua 3-4

Memory Verses:
Psalm 1:1-2

WEEK 13

- Joshua 5:10-15 & 6
- Joshua 7-8
- Joshua 23-24
- Judges 2-3
- Judges 4

Memory Verses:
Joshua 24:14-15

WEEK 14

- Judges 6-7
- Judges 13-14
- Judges 15-16
- Ruth 1-2
- Ruth 3-4

Memory Verses:
Galatians 4:4-7

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 15

- 1 Samuel 1-2
- 1 Samuel 3 & 8
- 1 Samuel 9-10
- 1 Samuel 13-14
- 1 Samuel 15-16

Memory Verses:
1 Samuel 16:7

WEEK 16

- 1 Samuel 17-18
- 1 Samuel 19-20
- 1 Samuel 21-22
- 1 Samuel 24-25:1 & Ps. 22
- 1 Samuel 28 & 31

Memory Verses:
1 Samuel 17:45-47

WEEK 17

- 2 Samuel 1 & 2:1-7
- 2 Samuel 3:1; 5 & Psalm 23
- 2 Samuel 6-7
- Psalm 18 & 2 Samuel 9
- 2 Samuel 11-12

Memory Verses:
Psalm 23:1-3

WEEK 18

- Psalm 51
- 2 Samuel 24 & Psalm 24
- Psalms 1 & 19
- Psalms 103 & 119:1-48
- Psalms 119:49-128

Memory Verses:
Psalm 1:1-7

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 19

- Psalms 119:129-176 & 139
- Psalms 148-150
- 1 Kings 2
- 1 Kings 3 & 6
- 1 Kings 8-9:1-9

Memory Verses:

Psalm 139:1-6

WEEK 20

- Proverbs 1-2
- Proverbs 3-4
- Proverbs 16-18
- Proverbs 31
- 1 Kings 11-12

Memory Verses:

Proverbs 3:5-6

WEEK 21

- 1 Kings 16:29-34 & 17
- 1 Kings 18-19
- 1 Kings 21-22
- 2 Kings 2
- 2 Kings 5-6:23

Memory Verses:

Psalm 63:1

WEEK 22

- Jonah 1-2
- Jonah 3-4
- Hosea 1-3
- Amos 1 & 9
- Joel 1-3

Memory Verses:

John 11:25-26

WEEK 23

- Isaiah 6 & 9
- Isaiah 44-45
- Isaiah 52-53
- Isaiah 65-66
- Micah 1 & 4:6-13 & 5

Memory Verses:

Isaiah 53:5-6

Who have you been developing a relationship with?**WEEK 24**

- 2 Kings 17-18
- 2 Kings 19-21
- 2 Kings 22-23
- Jeremiah 1-3:5
- Jeremiah 25 & 29

Memory Verses:

Proverbs 29:18

WEEK 25

- Jeremiah 31:31-40 & 32-33
- Jeremiah 52 & 2 Kings 24-25
- Ezekiel 1:1-3; 36:16-38 & 37
- Daniel 1-2
- Daniel 3-4

Memory Verses:

Ezekiel 36:26-27

WEEK 26

- Daniel 5-6
- Daniel 9-10 & 12
- Ezra 1-2
- Ezra 3-4
- Ezra 5-6

Memory Verses:

Daniel 6:26-27

WEEK 27

- Zechariah 1:1-6 & 2 & 12
- Ezra 7-8
- Ezra 9-10
- Esther 1-2
- Esther 3-4

Memory Verses:

1 Peter 3:15

Who have you been developing a relationship with?**WEEK 28**

- Esther 5-7
- Esther 8-10
- Nehemiah 1-2
- Nehemiah 3-4
- Nehemiah 5-6

Memory Verses:

Psalm 101:3-4

WEEK 29

- Nehemiah 7-8
- Nehemiah 9
- Nehemiah 10
- Nehemiah 11
- Nehemiah 12

Memory Verses:

Nehemiah 6:9

WEEK 30

- Nehemiah 13
- Malachi 1
- Malachi 2
- Malachi 3
- Malachi 4

Memory Verses:

Colossians 1:19-20

WEEK 31

- Luke 1
- Luke 2
- Matthew 1-2
- Mark 1
- John 1

Memory Verses:

John 1:1-2, 14

WEEK 32

- Matthew 3-4
- Matthew 5
- Matthew 6
- Matthew 7
- Matthew 8

Memory Verses:

Matthew 6:33

Who have you been developing a relationship with?**WEEK 33**

- Luke 9:10-62
- Mark 9-10
- Luke 12
- John 3-4
- Luke 14

Memory Verses:

Luke 14:26-27, 33

WEEK 34

- John 6
- Matthew 19:16-30
- Luke 15-16
- Luke 17:11-37 & 18
- Mark 10

Memory Verses:

Mark 10:45

John 6:37

WEEK 35

- John 11 & Matthew 21:1-13
- John 13
- John 14-15
- John 16
- Matthew 24:1-31

Memory Verse:

John 13:34-35

John 15:4-5

WEEK 36

- Matthew 24:32-51
- John 17
- Matthew 26:35-27:31
- Matthew 27:32-66
- Luke 23:26-56
- John 19

Memory Verses:

Luke 23:34

John 17:3

WEEK 37

- Mark 16
- Luke 24
- John 20-21
- Matthew 28
- Acts 1

Memory Verses:
Matthew 28:18-20

WEEK 38

- Acts 2-3
- Acts 4-5
- Acts 6
- Acts 7
- Acts 8-9

Memory Verse:
Acts 2:42
Acts 4:31

WEEK 39

- Acts 10-11
- Acts 12
- Acts 13-14
- James 1-2
- James 3-5

Memory Verses:
James 1:2-4
James 2:17

WEEK 40

- Acts 15-16
- Galatians 1-3
- Galatians 4-6
- Acts 17-18:17
- 1 Thessalonians 1-2

Memory Verses:
Acts 17:11
Acts 17:24-25

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 41

- 1 Thessalonians 3-5
- 2 Thessalonians 1-3
- Acts 18:18-28 & 19
- 1 Corinthians 1-2
- 1 Corinthians 3-4

Memory Verses:
1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

WEEK 42

- 1 Corinthians 5-6
- 1 Corinthians 7-8
- 1 Corinthians 9-10
- 1 Corinthians 11-12
- 1 Corinthians 13-14

Memory Verses:
1 Corinthians 10:13
1 Corinthians 13:13

WEEK 43

- 1 Corinthians 15-16
- 2 Corinthians 1-2
- 2 Corinthians 3-4
- 2 Corinthians 5-6
- 2 Corinthians 7-8

Memory Verses:
Romans 1:16-17
1 Corinthians 15:3-4

WEEK 44

- 2 Corinthians 9-10
- 2 Corinthians 11-13
- Romans 1-2 & Acts 20:1-3
- Romans 3-4
- Romans 5-6

Memory Verses:
Romans 5:1
2 Corinthians 10:4

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 45

- Romans 7-8
- Romans 9-10
- Romans 11-12
- Romans 13-14
- Romans 15-16

Memory Verses:
Romans 8:1
Romans 12:1-2

WEEK 46

- Acts 20-21
- Acts 22-23
- Acts 24-25
- Acts 26-27
- Acts 28

Memory Verses:
Acts 20:24
2 Corinthians 4:7-10

WEEK 47

- Colossians 1-2
- Colossians 3-4
- Ephesians 1-2
- Ephesians 3-4
- Ephesians 5-6

Memory Verses:
Ephesians 2:8-10
Colossians 2:6-7

WEEK 48

- Philippians 1-2
- Philippians 3-4
- Hebrews 1-2
- Hebrews 3-4
- Hebrews 5-6

Memory Verses:
Philippians 3:7-8
Hebrews 4:14-16

Who have you been developing a relationship with?

WEEK 49

- Hebrews 7
- Hebrews 8-9
- Hebrews 10
- Hebrews 11
- Hebrews 12

Memory Verses:
Galatians 2:19-20
2 Corinthians 5:17

WEEK 50

- 1 Timothy 1-3
- 1 Timothy 4-6
- 2 Timothy 1-2
- 2 Timothy 3-4
- 1 Peter 1-2

Memory Verses:
2 Timothy 2:1-2
2 Timothy 2:15

WEEK 51

- 1 Peter 3-4
- 1 Peter 5 & 2 Peter 1
- 2 Peter 2-3
- 1 John 1-3
- 1 John 4-5

Memory Verses:
1 Peter 2:11
1 John 4:10-11

WEEK 52

- Revelation 1
- Revelation 2-3
- Revelation 4-5
- Revelation 18-19
- Revelation 20-22

Memory Verses:
Revelation 3:19
Revelation 21:3-4

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