

2018 Advent Reading Plan

- November 30 - Isaiah 9:2; John 8:12
- December 1 - Isaiah 9:6-7; Psalm 89:1-2
- December 2 - John 18:37; Hebrews 1:1-4
- December 3 - Psalm 51:10-12; Psalm 40:1-3
- December 4 - Isaiah 7:14; Psalm 92:1-5
- December 5 - Luke 1:26-38; Matthew 1:18-24
- December 6 - Hebrews 11:1; Psalm 27:14; 130:5
- December 7 - John 3:16-17; Ephesians 5:1-2
- December 8 - Mark 15:17; Hebrews 9:26-28
- December 9 - Deuteronomy 32:7; Luke 22:19
- December 10 - Psalm 19:1; Romans 12:4-6
- December 11 - Luke 2:8-14; Psalm 9:11
- December 12 - Luke 2:15-18
- December 13 - John 13:34; 1 John 4:7-12
- December 14 - Isaiah 44:23; Romans 5:1-2
- December 15 - John 12:45-46; 2 Corinthians 4:5-6
- December 16 - Luke 2:9-11; Psalm 126:2-3
- December 17 - Psalm 37:23-24; Psalm 119:105
- December 18 - Psalm 98:1-6; Psalm 100:1-2
- December 19 - Matthew 2:1-12
- December 20 - Luke 2:4-7; Philippians 2:5-11
- December 21 - Isaiah 9:6-7; John 14:27
- December 22 - Luke 1:26-38,46-55
- December 23 - Luke 4:18-21; 1 Peter 3:15
- December 24 - Luke 2:7; Matthew 18:2-4
- December 25 - Mark 16:15; Luke 2:16-18

This study can be used to include your whole family in learning and meditating on the prophecies and scriptures that make up the Christmas story. The reading plan is based on Selah Woody's "A Traditional Advent Calendar: 28 Days of Devotions and Activities" which is available from Focus on the Family at the following website:

<https://www.focusonthefamily.com/parenting/holidays/advent-calendars/traditional-advent-calendar>.

Journal it!

Scripture - Open your Bible to the reading found under today's date. Take time reading and allow God to speak to you, don't rush. Look for ONE verse that particularly stands out. Write it in your journal.

Observation - What do you think God is saying to you in this Scripture? In your own words record the context of the passage.

Application - Personalize it by asking yourself how this applies to your life right now. Write how God is showing you this Scripture can apply to you today. How will you be different today because of what you have just read?

Prayer - Don't be worried about getting the words right, just get your heart right! Be sure to listen to what God has to say! Now, write it out.