

Romans 3:28

So we are made right with God through faith and not by obeying the law.

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There may be nothing more powerful in our Christian life than spending quiet devotional time with God on a regular basis. This is where God's Word comes alive to us, where we hear Him speak to us, and where we find ourselves in a place to respond to Him.

The Daily Devotion Journal is designed to help you do just that. Pick a meaningful scripture, give yourself 20-30 minutes, and purposefully meet God in His Word and Prayer. Follow each step. Don't rush through it. Really commit to meet God during this time.

First, Pray. Slow down and make your heart ready to hear from God.

Then, <u>MEDITATE</u> on the scripture. Read it slowly, carefully, repeatedly, asking God to speak to you through His Word. If necessary, check the surrounding verses to help you understand the key scripture. You can also begin to <u>pray this scripture</u> while you're meditating on it. Start making this scripture a prayer for your life.

Next, write out the scripture in your own words. While you're writing, let the words sink in.

Now you're ready to <u>APPLY</u> this scripture to your life. Be personal and specific. Write down what area of your life The Holy Spirit is addressing though this scripture. How does this scripture specifically apply to your life? Be honest. Be real with God.

Next, decide what you going to <u>do</u>, today, in <u>RESPONSE</u> to this scripture? Maybe it's a physical action, maybe it's taking your thoughts captive, maybe it's choosing to respond in your heart according to God's Word. How are you going to respond to this scripture, today?

Finally, write out a prayer to God in response to this time with Him. Ask for the power of The Holy Spirit to make this scripture real in your life. Make your commitment to God, and thank Him for speaking to you through His Word.

Now, the final question is; How do you choose the scripture to use with the journal?

The best way is to come back to the Discipleship Resource Table on any Sunday and the people there will be glad to help you find appropriate scripture. You can also email me at shep@calvarynuevo.org and tell me what topic you're looking for scripture on, and we will send you scripture to use with your Daily Devotion Journal. You can also ask someone you consider a spiritual mentor to help you find appropriate scriptures.

You can download this journal page at <u>calvarynuevo.org</u>. Or you can ask us for journal books that come with 30 journal pages. We have journal books with no scripture, for you to put your own scripture in, and we also have 'topical' journal books, that come with 30 preprinted scriptures for you to spend 30 days on one specific subject with God.

Our 'topical' journal books have been a tremendous blessing to everyone who has used them. Please consider trying one in your quiet time with the Lord.

I promise you, God will meet you during this time. And if you will surrender all of your life to Him, and allow His Word to renew your mind, He will transform you.

Rom 12:1-2,

Pastor Dave



The Road Map

In today's society, faith has come to mean just about anything. Typically, it is thought of as a religious way to speak of wishful thinking or chance. It is been minimized to a nice sentiment when one has nothing else to say: "you just gotta have faith." At the opposite end of the spectrum some have more faith in faith than in God. For these, it has become a sword rather than a shield. However, one must ask, "do these attitudes toward faith line up with the biblical meaning of faith?"

In this 30-day journey you will reflect on three aspects of biblical faith. First, you will find a well-layed foundation of what faith is. Second, you will discover what the true objects of faith ought to be. And last, you will find practical, Scriptural ways of applying faith to life.

Take note. There are various words and phrases that describe biblical faith in the following passages. These are: believe, have faith, trust, fully convinced, rely on, and full assurance. These phrases should lead you in developing a sound lifestyle of faith.

At a point in Jesus' earthly ministry, the disciples pleaded with Jesus to "increase our faith!" (Luke 17:5) As you embark on this journey may you have the same desire in your heart and in your prayers.

God Bless you!

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Daily Devotion Journal Hebrews 11:1.6

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As you have seen, faith is not wishful thinking. Nor is it a magic wand to give us all our desires. Rather, it is a humble reliance in all circumstances on a God who is faithful to us. In 1 Corinthians 13:5, the Apostle Paul encourages us to examine our faith. Read and reflect on that Scripture and write down your reflections below in light of your new understanding of faith: