

# DIVING DEEPER

1. What's the difference between an obligation and an invitation?
2. Describe a time when you did something you felt obligated to do, but then found yourself really enjoying or appreciating the experience. [Maybe it was attending a retreat or a church event that you didn't want to go to, but then had a great time. Or maybe visiting a museum that seemed boring but turned out to be great.]
3. What kind of things in church or in faith can sometimes seem like an obligation? What are some ways that those things could be viewed as invitations instead of obligations?
4. Describe what you think it must have been like for the disciples to have a day by day walk with Jesus. How does that compare to the kind of day by day walk we are called to have?
5. Make a list of one or two spiritual practices (prayer, bible reading, devotional time, journaling, etc.) that each group member will commit to practicing over the next week. Make a promise to each other to do your best to do one of these practices at least once a day.

# Bible Baptist Church BIBLE STUDY

## *Walking With God For Life*

1 JOHN 1:3-2:2



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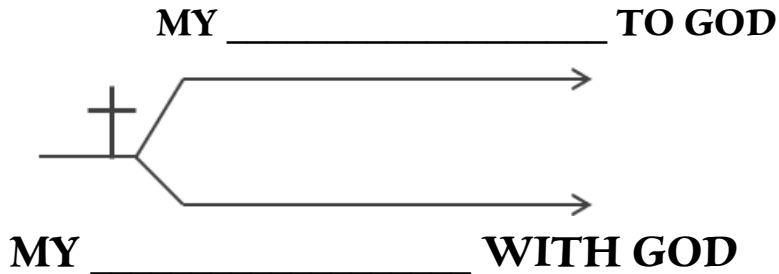
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# GOD SPEAKS

1. \_\_\_\_\_ FELLOWSHIP WITH  
GOD DAILY.



“Since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand.” **Romans 5:1-2**

“All who do evil hate the light and do not come to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. But those who do what is true come to the light...” **John 3:20-21**

2. \_\_\_\_\_ CLEAN WITH GOD  
QUICKLY!

“There was a time when I wouldn’t admit what a sinner I was. But my dishonesty made me miserable and filled my days with frustration...until I finally admitted all my sins to you and stopped trying to hide them. I said to myself, ‘I will confess them to the Lord.’ And you forgave me! All my guilt is gone.” **Psalm 32:3, 5**

▶ PRACTICING “ \_\_\_\_\_ ”  
AS NEEDED

3. \_\_\_\_\_ IN HIS AWESOME  
CONSISTENCY.

“This then is how we know that we belong to the truth, and how we set our hearts at rest in his presence whenever our hearts condemn us. For God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything... And so we know and rely on the love God has for us.” **1 John 3:19-20; 4:16**

4. \_\_\_\_\_ TO HIS PATIENT  
CORRECTIONS.

“Blessed is the one you discipline, Lord, the one you teach from your law” shows that correction leads to wisdom and spiritual growth **Psalm 94:12**

5. \_\_\_\_\_ IN HIS PATHWAY OF  
LIFE.

“The way of the righteous is like the first gleam of dawn, which shines ever brighter until the full light of day. But the way of the wicked is like total darkness. They have no idea what they are stumbling over.” **Proverbs 4:18-19**

“I am the Light of the world. So if you follow me, you won’t be stumbling through the darkness, for living light will flood your path.” **John 8:12**

# GOD INVITES

Jesus Christ, thank you for loving me. Thank you that you died on the cross 2,000 years ago to take away all of my sins. I invite you to come into my life. Forgive me. I turn away from trying to live life on my terms and I want to start following you. Thank you for hearing my prayer right here and right now.

This evening one of the channels in the stereo has gone out on you. I know what it is: It’s your fellowship. Would you just get back in the light with me. Start walking with me again.

So Jesus, we invite you to take your rightful place at the center of our hearts and lives. You made us for yourself. And we ask you to help us follow you and we will walk with you. Thank you for your great love. In your holy name we pray. Amen.