

The Adventure Begins

14 Devotions for New Believers

The Bible Shows Me the Way

Memorize This: Your word is like a lamp that shows me the way. It is like a light that guides me. - Psalm 119:105 (NIRV)

Big Idea: The Bible shows me how to live like Jesus.

Think About This:

Have you ever had to find your way around in the dark? Did you trip or stumble? Walking around in the dark can be tricky business, especially if you're outside. There could be rocks, tree roots, or even a toy left in the yard that could trip you up. It's really tough to walk where you can't see.

Following Jesus is kind of like that too. We want to be like Jesus, but how do we do it? What do we say? What do we do? Which way do we go and how do we keep from getting tripped up?

Just like we need a flashlight to walk in the dark, we need a light from God to show us how to live His way. Sometimes this world is very confusing, but God has given us a light, the Bible, to show us how to live.

The Bible shows us:

- What God's like.
- How Jesus lived.
- How we can be like Him.

It also tells us about God's promises, warns us of danger and tells us the true story of God's adventure to save the world. By reading the Bible we get to know God better and discover how to join His adventure every day.

So where do you start? Start by reading a little bit from the Bible each day. Turn on that flashlight and let God use it to show you how to be like Jesus!

Put It Into Action:

Read the Bible for at least five minutes each day. Start with the book of Mark. It's one of the four books in the Bible that tell the story of what Jesus did when He lived on earth. Mark is the shortest so it's an easy place to start.

Prayer:

God, thank you for giving me the Bible to light my way. Please help me to read it, understand it and use it to make me more like Jesus today. Amen.