Effective Use of Bible Study Tools

Worksheet:

Exercise #1

1. Using the Strong’s Concordance find the word “angel”

2. Next, list the chapter and verse the word first appears in the OT and in the NT.
   a. OT ___________________
   b. NT ___________________

3. Identify and list the Strong’s reference number for both appearances
   a. Hebrew reference number (OT): ______________
   b. Greek reference number (NT): ______________

4. Provide a brief definition of each word as listed in the Strong’s concordance.
   a. _______________________________________________________________________
   b. _______________________________________________________________________

Exercise #2

1. Locate the following passage of scripture:
   a. “For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way”

2. Identify the book, chapter, verse and Bible version. ______________________

3. What words or terms might be easily misunderstood? ______________________
   _____________________________________________.

4. Read this verse in context (verses before and after). Using whatever tool you have available, briefly state what the text is referring to. ______________________
   _____________________________________________.
   _____________________________________________.
   _____________________________________________.
Exercise #3: Bible Terms

1. Using a Bible dictionary or encyclopedia look up the following terms. Provide a brief definition and reference the source used.

   a. Canon: ____________________________________________________________
   
   b. Covenant: ________________________________________________________
   
   c. Epistle: ____________________________________________________________
   
   d. Gospel: ____________________________________________________________
   
   e. Law: ______________________________________________________________
   
   f. Pentateuch: ________________________________________________________
   
   g. Prophet(s): ________________________________________________________
   
   h. Scripture: _________________________________________________________
   
   i. Synoptic Gospels: _________________________________________________
   
   j. Talmud: ____________________________________________________________
   
   k. Testament: ________________________________________________________
   
   l. Torah: _____________________________________________________________
Devotional Method

Tools you will need for this study:

- A Bible
- Pen or pencil
- Devotional Method Form or paper

The goal of this method is to learn how to read a passage of the Bible and develop an application from that passage by meditation and contemplation. Included in this will be the steps of reading, writing a paraphrase, writing out some keys to remembering what you read, developing an application, and memorizing a single verse from the passage.

The passage of the Bible we will use for this study is _________________

Here are the steps for the method:

1. Read _________________ (4) times.
2. As you read note any questions or thoughts you have about the passage. (9 questions to consider)
3. Rewrite the passage in your own words.
4. Think about _________ for one day throughout the day and make notes on your thoughts.
5. Choose what you think is the key verse of this passage and memorize it with the reference.
6. Write your Application:
   a. **Personal**: “I need to . . .”
   b. **Practical**: “I need to lose some weight.”
   c. **Possible**: “I need to lose 10 pounds.”
   d. **Provable**: “I need to lose 10 pounds before the end of the month.”
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