

30 DAY READING GUIDE

What do we do when everything in life gets turned upside down? Where do we turn? What do we hold on to? How can we walk as people of faith in a season of fear?

This reading plan will help you rest in an Unshakeable God, walk with an Unshakeable Faith and live with an Unshakable Hope in the midst of these unsettled times.

INTRODUCTION / OVERVIEW

MARCH 30 - PHILIPPIANS 1:3-6 UNCHANGING PLAN

MARCH 31 - PSALM 1 ROOTED IN THE WORD

APRIL 1 – PHILIPPIANS 1:7-11 CARE/COMMUNITY

APRIL 2 - PSALM 3 GOD'S SALVATION & REST

APRIL 3 - PHILIPPIANS 1:12-14 SPREAD OF THE GOSPEL

APRIL 4 - PSALM 4 GOD'S PRESENCE & PEACE

SABBATH - MESSAGE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS ON NEBC.CH

APRIL 6 - ISAIAH 61:1-2 SON & SPIRIT OF HEALING

APRIL 7 – PSALM 22:1-31 THE MESSIAH WILL BE PIERCED

APRIL 8 - PSALM 118: 22-24 REJECTED CORNERSTONE

APRIL 10 - PSALM 2: 1-12 CALLED THE SON OF GOD

APRIL 11 - ISAIAH 52:13-53:12 SUFFERING SERVANT

EASTER - MESSAGE & DISCUSSION

QUESTIONS ON NEBC.CH

APRIL 13 - PHILIPPIANS 1:15-18 HIS KINGDOM

APRIL 14 - PSALM 8 THE MAJESTY OF GOD

APRIL 15 - PHILIPPIANS 1:21& 27-30 LIVING ON MISSION

APRIL 16 - PSALM 9:9-10 GOD IS OUR STRONGHOLD

APRIL 17 - PHILIPPIANS 2:1-11 HUMILITY THAT SAVES

APRIL 18 - PSALM 16 GOD GIVES LIFE

SABBATH - MESSAGE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS ON NEBC.CH

APRIL 20 - PHILIPPIANS 2:12-15 LIGHTS IN THE WORLD

APRIL 21 - PSALM 18:1-2 GOD IS MY ROCK & FORTRESS

APRIL 22 - PHILIPPIANS 3:17-21 HOPE IN GOD ALONE

APRIL 23 - PSALM 19 GOD'S LAW IS PERFECT

APRIL 24 – PHILIPPIANS 4: 4-7 REJOICE IN THE LORD

APRIL 25 - PSALM 20: 6-8 THE LORD SAVES HIS PEOPLE

APRIL 26 – PHILIPPIANS 4:8-9 RIGHT THINKING

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APRIL 9 – JEREMIAH 31:31-34 NEW COVENANT IN CHRIST APRIL 27 – PSALM 23 THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD

APRIL 28 – PHILIPPIANS 4:10-13 CONTENTMENT

APRIL 29 – PSALM 24 THE KING OF GLORY

APRIL 30 - PHILIPPIANS 4:14-20 GOSPEL GENEROSITY

MAY 1 - PSALM 25 GOD WILL PURIFY & PROTECT US

MAY 2 - PHILIPPIANS 4: 21-23 ONGOING CARE &

CONNECTION

The S.O.A.P Method:

SOAP is an acronym that will help you read the Bible on a daily basis and apply it to your life. As a result, it helps you grow in your relationship with God.

You will need something to write (or type) with. It could be a notebook, a journal or a computer – whatever you are comfortable with – but choose something in which you can write over a long period of time (at least a year). Keeping your SOAP notes all in one place will give you the opportunity to reflect on how much God teaches you over time.

Use the SOAP acronym to help you develop meaningful time with Jesus.

"S" IS FOR SCRIPTURE

Scripture is our source for wisdom, encouragement, direction & devotion to God. It is key that we be in the word of God each day.

Take your time reading the verses/chapters of this reading guide. Don't skim it like you are reading an article online, but take your time reading it. Ask God to speak to you through the words. (You can even read it out loud if that helps). As you read, one or two verses in the chapter may capture your attention or seem to apply directly to a situation in your life. Using your journal, write that verse (or verses) down.

"O" IS FOR OBSERVATION

Once you have written down the verse (or verses) that stood out to you, ask yourself what you think God was saying to you through those verses. What caught your attention? What question does it raise in your mind?

God may be asking you a question, telling you something He wants you to do, or giving you a message of encouragement.

"A" IS FOR APPLICATION

Personalize what the verse is saying to you by writing down how it specifically applies to your life right now. Perhaps you need to change your attitude about a situation, apologize to someone, stop doing something that isn't Christ-like or even do something to help someone else. You will be excited to find how quickly the Bible starts to give you specific direction for your life and how you can follow Jesus. Be as specific as possible in your application. Remember, this is between you and God; no one else has to read your journal or see what you write. This is a record of your relationship with God and what He is speaking to you.

"P" IS FOR PRAYER

Write out a prayer asking God to help you live out what He showed you in the verse. Pray the prayer out loud also. If you are not sure how to pray, the simplest explanation is that it is talking with God and asking Him to help you. Anything that God asks you to do, He will give you help to do it. You do not have to change on your own. God, through the power of His Holy Spirit living in you, will help you do what He asks you to do.