

Daily Reflections on God's Word

Overland church of Christ Week41 2021 – Additional Studies on Sunday Sermons

SundayAM: “I Sought Me a Man to Stand in the Gap” – God wants men to be “real men” – godly, reverent, wise, good, and just – that focus on the inner man and are spiritual minded.

Monday Scripture: Ezekiel 22:23-31

Key Idea: Those who had power used it for only personal gain but God sought for a man to do right.

Study Questions: What was the issue with prophets? Were priests keeping the law? Were rulers being honest? Were the poor being taken care of? What happened when God couldn't find a righteous man?

Faith Builder: Seeking unity, knowing God, and maturity are marks of a real man (Ephesians 4:13).

Tuesday Scripture: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Key Idea: Fighting the good fight requires us to flee sin, pursue righteousness, and confess Christ .

Study Questions: What is the man of God to pursue after? What does it mean to confess the good confession? Did Paul give room for Timothy to sin a little? Copy down Paul's words of praise to God.

Action Item: Write a letter or call someone in the church who is sick or shutin and see how you can help.

Wednesday Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 2:19-20

Midweek Prep: Go prepared to services for who you will encourage and what you might say to them.

SundayPM: “He Sent a Man Before Them” kept his purity even among the pressure of Potiphar's wife – he resisted temptation and is an example of a wise man that we can learn many lessons from.

Thursday Scripture: Genesis 39:7-19

Key Idea: Joseph had opportunity and potential excuses to sin but he firmly resisted the temptations.

Study Questions: How did Potiphar's wife tempt and try to persuade Joseph? How was Joseph's commitment to Potiphar? Who would Joseph have sinned against if he did go with Potiphar's wife?

Godly Wisdom: Proverbs 2:16-19...don't go around a person who will tempt you to enter into sin.

Friday Scripture: Genesis 39:20-23

Key Idea: Even in prison the Lord was with Joseph and made him to prosper.

Study Questions: When Potiphar's wife falsely accused Joseph, what happened? Did the keeper of the prison notice anything about Joseph? What job did Joseph get in prison? Who made Joseph prosper?

Prayer Idea: Use the Psalms today to help guide and outline the thoughts in your prayers to God.

Saturday Scripture: Proverbs 1:8-10

Sunday Prep: Even if taught godliness by parents, we eventually are on our own to decide to be faithful.
