

Daily Reflections on God's Word - 1/2/2022

Overland church of Christ – Personal and Family Studies (Based on Prior Week's Sermons)

Prior SundayAM: "What If God Made Your New Year's Resolutions?" (Steve Hardin) – resolve in 2022 to fear God, love God, love your neighbor, save a soul from sin, be more holy, and headed to Heaven.

Monday 1/3/2022: Hebrews 12:12-14

Key Idea: In the new year, think about your spiritual health and strength and relationships with brethren.

Actions and Roots: To "pursue peace" means you care about peace; dedicating time and resources to improve peace...even making a tough call or visit if needed - and many prayers for wisdom-from-above.

Daily Reading and Prayer: Read **Genesis 1:26-2:17 (Adam)**. Use **Psalms 59-60** to guide your prayers.

Tuesday 1/4/2022: Colossians 4:5-6

Key Idea: God put you in the lives of your family and friends so you can help lead them to Christ.

Actions and Roots: Did you try to lead a lost soul to Christ in 2021? Who is 1 person on your list for 2022 to try and lead to Christ? Redeem the time - do not look up 1 year from today with no evangelism effort.

Daily Reading and Prayer: Read **Genesis 2:18-3:24 (Eve)**. Use **your prayer list** to guide your prayers.

Wednesday 1/5/2022: Philippians 3:20-21

Daily Reading and Prayer: Read **Genesis 4:1-18 (Abel)**. Use **the church directory** to guide your prayers.

Proverbs - How could Solomon know so much about people? Because he was inspired of God and people do not change much. The timeless wisdom in Proverbs confirms it is from God and strengthens our faith.

Thursday 1/6/2022: Proverbs 12:5-7

Key Idea: Whether to good or evil, our thoughts and plans lead to words and actions leading to destiny.

Actions and Roots: So much better to listen to words of righteous people and let those fill our minds. As the verse says, "the house of the righteous will stand"...take steps to make sure to stand strong.

Daily Reading and Prayer: Read **Genesis 5:18-24 (Enoch)**. Use **your prayer list** to guide your prayers.

Friday 1/7/2022: Proverbs 19:17

Key Idea: What if you could loan money to God and get a return? This verse discusses a safe investment.

Actions and Roots: Invest yourself to get to know someone who is poor or needy - get to know the person, learn about their situation, and have pity on that person and help physically and spiritually.

Daily Reading and Prayer: Read **Genesis 6:1-9:17 (Noah)**. Use **Psalms 61-62** to guide your prayers.

Saturday 1/8/2022: Proverbs 20:4

Daily Reading and Prayer: Study next week's **Bible classes**. Use **your prayer list** to guide your prayers.
