

Grounded in Hope

Leaders' Guide



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These leader guides are tools to help you guide your small group and identify important topics. The answer key, which can be found in the appendix of the study guide offers additional insights; you may find it to be an excellent resource throughout this study.

(Refer to WWP small group workbook for group welcome and icebreaker suggestions; review honor code before opening in prayer)

INTRODUCTION

Leader NOTE "We start our Grounded in Hope study with some background on the readers of the book of Hebrews."

Leader ASK Volunteer to read the Who/Where/When/Why

DAY ONE The Background

Leader ASK Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5 (all factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 after Q5 that begin with, "Because Christianity..."

Leader ASK Q6 (factual)

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraph following Q6

Leader NOTE Invite participants to silently reflect upon the QYH message

DAY TWO Hebrews 1:1-4

Leader ASK Q1A and Q1B, different volunteers to respond

Leader READ Paragraphs above Q2A and ASK Q2A

Leader NOTE Partner participants to discuss Q2B and Q2C

Leader ASK Q3 and Q4 (factual), quickly

Leader READ Paragraph following Q4

Leader ASK Volunteer to read and respond to Q5 and Q6A, reading Wisdom 7:26 aloud

Leader NOTE Q6B is personal and not to be shared

Leader ASK "What is the truth that we can stand on as described in the QYH?"

DAY THREE Hebrews 1:5-6

Leader ASK Volunteer to summarize introduction to Day 3 or read aloud

Leader NOTE Ask participants to go back to partner to read verses together and respond to Q1

Leader NOTE Read Q2 aloud but do not wait for response, encourage participants to reflect further on own

Leader ASK Q3 and Q4 (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Q5 (two parts)

Group SHARE Q6, be ready to respond if women are hesitant to share

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to incorporate the QYH prayer into their personal prayer time this week

DAY FOUR Hebrews 1:7-12

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q1, Hebrews 1:7, then respond and read paragraph below response

Leader ASK Q2A and Q2B, then READ the third paragraph that follows, beginning with "The companions..."

Group SHARE Q3, allowing extra time for discussion here

Leader ASK Q4A

Leader NOTE Assign new partners to read Q5 together and share responses with each other

Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud QYH

DAY FIVE **Hebrews 1:13-14**

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Day 5 introduction and another volunteer to read Joshua 10:24

Leader ASK Q1, Q2, Q3 (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Q4 is personal and not for sharing, encourage participants to revisit

Leader ASK Q5 (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon GIH during their personal prayer time

CONCLUSION Ask volunteers to read aloud alternate paragraphs. If time permits, ask group to share what spoke to them in this lesson.

VERSE STUDY Colossians 1:18

Leader NOTE Direct participants to the appendix for directions on how to do a verse study

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

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INTRODUCTION

Leader NOTE Invite participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 2 and share that this lesson we will be discussing Christ in the context of our shield, The Lion of Judah, who fights for us and teaches us how to fight the spiritual battle so we can stand firm against evil.

DAY ONE Hebrews 2:1-4

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q1, respond and then read two paragraphs that follow
Leader ASK Q2A (factual), quickly
Group SHARE Q2B, reminding participants to refer to the answer key for additional insights and information
Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon their response to Q3A silently, not to share
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3B, respond and then read aloud paragraphs that follow
Leader ASK Q2C, then READ paragraph that follows
Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B and then READ paragraph that follows
Leader ASK Q5A and Q5B
Leader NOTE Incorporate QYH prayer into closing prayer at end of the session

DAY TWO Hebrews 2:5-9

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A
Group SHARE Q2B
Leader ASK Q2C, Q2D and Q3
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4, Rom 5:17 and 2 Tim 2:12 (RSV), respond and then read paragraph that follows
Leader ASK Q5
Leader NOTE Invite participants to review QYH during their personal prayer time this week

DAY THREE Hebrews 2:10

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B and Q3, referring to answer key for further insights for Q3
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4, Hebrews 4:15, 1 Peter 1:18-19 and 1 John 3:5, then respond
Leader READ Paragraph above Q5A, then ASK Q5A
Leader NOTE Q5B is personal and should not be shared
Leader ASK Volunteer to read QYH

DAY FOUR Hebrews 2:11-16

Leader ASK Q1A and Q1B
Group SHARE Q1C
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q2, read Psalm 22:23, respond and then read two paragraphs that follow
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3, read Isaiah 7:14 and Matthew 1:23, then respond
Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B
Leader NOTE Partner participants to read Q4C, respond and then read quote from Dr. Mary Healy
Leader NOTE Q4D is personal and should not be shared
Leader ASK Volunteers to read aloud verses and note any insights or comfort they provide
Leader ASK "Did the QYH message encourage you in any fear you are facing?" Allow a few minutes for sharing.

DAY FIVE Hebrews 2:17-18

Leader ASK Q1, referring to the answer key for further insights
Leader ASK Q2A, then READ R. Kent Hughes' definition of mercy
Leader NOTE Q2B is personal, not to be shared
Leader ASK Q3A, then READ third paragraph that follows, encouraging women to review entire section

DAY FIVE (continued)

- Leader ASK Volunteers to read Q3B Romans 1:18, Revelation 19:15 and Romans 3:23 (RSV)
Leader READ Paragraphs that follow Q3B
Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud CCC1989 and CCC 1990 for Q4A
Leader ASK Q4B (factual), quickly
Leader ASK Q5
Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ first two and last two paragraphs

VERSE STUDY You will not have time to review, direct participants to the appendix for instructions on how to do a verse study if they have not done previously.

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

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INTRODUCTION

Leader NOTE "So many of us have given vulnerability a try and found it to be messy and scary. Walls have gone up, and although we don't intend for it to happen, our hearts can grow hard. Hebrews 3 encourages us to do all we can to prevent this from occurring." Ask participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 3.

DAY ONE Hebrews 3:1

Leader ASK Q1 (factual), quickly
Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q2, refer to verses and respond, sharing additional insights from answer key
Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q4A, then
Leader READ Quote from R. Kent Hughes on how to "reflect on Jesus," then ASK Q4B, Q4C, Q4D
Leader NOTE Invite participants to share their responses or silently reflect
Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon the prayer in the QYH during their personal prayer time.

DAY TWO Hebrews 3:1-6

Leader ASK Q1, then first question in Q2
Leader NOTE Partner participants to share how they would describe the core truths of their faith.
Leader ASK Q3B and Q4 (factual), quickly
Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud Galatians 3:13 and Mark 15:29-37
Leader NOTE Encourage participants to revisit the QYH during their personal prayer time this week.

DAY THREE Hebrews 3:3-6

Leader NOTE There are many opportunities to read aloud during this lesson. If short on time, you may want to highlight main points rather than reading aloud each section noted below.
Group SHARE Q2
Leader NOTE Partner participants to share their response to Q3A and Q3B
Leader ASK Q4, READ first paragraph following, then ASK Q5
Leader ASK Q5
Leader READ First two paragraphs of QYH and invite participants to add to their prayers this week.

DAY FOUR Hebrews 3:7-11

Leader READ Note above Q1, then ASK Q1 and Q2 (factual), quickly
Leader ASK Volunteer to read text and Q3 and then respond to Q3A and Q3B
Leader NOTE New participant partners to read together first two paragraphs of Q4, then respond to Q4A and 4B
Leader ASK Q5
Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud QYH

DAY FIVE Hebrews 3:12-19

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B
Group SHARE Q1C
Leader READ Paragraphs that follow Q1C, then ASK Q2A
Leader NOTE Q2B and Q2C are very personal, invite participants to reflect silently, not to share
Leader ASK Volunteers to read and respond to Q3A, Q3B, Q3C, and Q3D
Leader NOTE Invite participants to re-read QYH on their own, incorporating prayer into the end of the session.

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ paragraphs 4 and 5 of the Conclusion.

VERSE STUDY If time permits, encourage volunteer to share her personal application of Isaiah 30:21

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Read resolutions together and consider committing to one as a group. Incorporate QYH Day 5 prayer into closing prayer.

Your next session will be a Connect Coffee talk; encourage participants to invite two friends to attend, watch an inspiring video and participate in group discussion. Send reminder emails.



INTRODUCTION

- Leader NOTE Share that we will delve into the topic of rest and how in Christ, we can achieve greater calm in the here and now. Invite women to open their Bibles to Hebrews 4.
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 6 - 8 of the introduction

DAY ONE Hebrews 4:1-2

- Leader ASK Q1(factual), quickly
- Leader NOTE Read text at Q1B aloud, allowing few minutes for silent reflection, no sharing
- Leader ASK Q2A
- Group SHARE Q2B, briefly to poll which list is longer
- Leader ASK Q2C
- Leader NOTE Partner participants for Q3A, Q3B, Q3C, Q3D, allowing extra time for deeper discussion
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon the QYH message during their prayer time this week.

DAY TWO Hebrews 4:3-7

- Leader ASK Q1A
- Group SHARE Q1B
- Leader ASK Q2, asking volunteers to read aloud cited verses before responding
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud first paragraph following Q2
- Group SHARE Q3A and Q3B
- Leader ASK Q4, then ASK volunteer to read aloud paragraphs 3-5 following Q4
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to pray the Litany of Trust when they struggle with their own self-reliance

DAY THREE Hebrews 4:8-11

- Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B
- Leader READ Q2C is for personal reflection, read aloud and allow few minutes for reflection, not to share
- Leader ASK Q3, Q4A, Q4B, then READ aloud paragraph following 4B for silent reflection
- Leader READ Q4C for silent reflection, then ASK Q5
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read second paragraph following Q5, then encourage participants to revisit QYH

DAY FOUR Hebrews 4:12-13

- Leader ASK Q1 and Q2
- Leader READ Q3A for personal reflection, not for sharing
- Group SHARE Q3B
- Leader READ Third paragraph following Q3B, then ASK Q4 and Q5
- Leader NOTE Connect participant partners to share response to Q6 with each other
- Leader NOTE Consider incorporating prayer in QYH into closing prayer at end of the session

DAY FIVE Hebrews 4:14-16

- Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B
- Group SHARE Q1C
- Leader ASK Q2A, noting second paragraph after Q, followed by Q2B and then Q2C
- Leader NOTE Connect participant partners to respond to Q2D, reading cited verses
- Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q3C (factual), quickly
- Group SHARE Q3D, allowing for extra time for deeper discussion

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ Last 3 paragraphs aloud

VERSE STUDY If time permits, ask volunteer to share her personal application of Romans 8:15

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Encourage participants to select a resolution or create their own to commit to this week. Incorporate prayer from Day 4 QYH into closing prayer.

INTRODUCTION

Leader NOTE READ last two introductory paragraphs and then ask participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 5.

DAY ONE Hebrews 5:1-3

Leader ASK Q1, Q2, Q3A (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3B, respond and then read aloud paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Summarize paragraphs above Q5, READ Q5 and post question for personal reflection, not to share

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 2 and 3 of QYH, invite participants to revisit prayer during personal time

DAY TWO Hebrews 5:4-6

Leader ASK Q1

Leader ASK Q2, different volunteers to respond to each scripture verse cited

Leader ASK Q3, Q4, Q5, then READ paragraph following Q5

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs at Q6, pose Q for personal reflection, then READ aloud Jer 29:11

DAY THREE Hebrews 5:7

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, then READ paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q2B, 2 Corinthians 5:21 and share response

Leader ASK Q3

Leader NOTE Partner participants to read Q4 together and then share response to questions, allowing extra time for deeper discussions.

Leader READ QYH, consider incorporating prayer into closing prayer for the session

DAY FOUR Hebrews 5:8-10

Leader ASK Q1 first question, then read second question for reflection, not to be shared

Leader ASK Q2 and Q3 (factual), quickly

Group SHARE Q4, allowing extra time for entire group to share insights if desired

Leader ASK Q5, then READ paragraph that follows

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon the QYH message during personal prayer time this week

DAY FIVE Hebrews 5:11-14

Leader ASK Q1 and Q2, then READ paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Q3, then READ paragraph that follows

Group SHARE Q4 and Q5, noting paragraph that follows before responding

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 3 and 4 of QYH

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ last 2 paragraphs

VERSE STUDY If time allows, ask for volunteer to share personal application of Philippians 1:9-10

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Resolutions provide the opportunity to apply what we have learned to our daily lives. Direct participants to select a resolution or create their own to commit to. Incorporate prayer from Day 3 QYH into closing prayer.

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**INTRODUCTION**

Leader READ Last two paragraphs of introduction, then invite participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 6.

DAY ONE Hebrews 6:1-3

Leader ASK Q1A (factual), quickly, reminding participants to refer to the answer key for additional insights

Leader READ Q1B, then paragraph that follows; personal reflection, not for sharing

Leader ASK Q2, Q3A, Q3B (factual), quickly, then READ paragraph that follows Q3B

Group SHARE Q3C

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4A, each cited verse and respond

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon the prayer they wrote at Q4B during their personal prayer time

Leader ASK Q5, READ John 11:25, 2 Corinthians 5:10 before asking for response

Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud last paragraph of QYH

DAY TWO Hebrews 6:4-8

Leader READ Introductory paragraph

Leader ASK Q1, Q2, Q3A and Q3B (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud Q3C, then Ephesians 3:16-19 and respond to Q

Leader ASK Participants to silently reflect on Q3D and READ paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Volunteer to read third paragraph at Q4, invite group to share responses, then READ Mark 10:27

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon QYH during their personal prayer time this week

DAY THREE Hebrews 6:9-12

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A (factual), quickly

Group SHARE QAB, allowing extra time for responses to all 3 questions

Leader ASK Q2C and Q3, READ Matthew 7:16-21 if time allows

Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4C, read cited verses, then respond

Leader ASK Q5A, then READ first paragraph that follows

Group SHARE Q5B, Q5C and Q5D

Leader ASK If time allows, volunteer to read all of QYH. Alternatively, ask a volunteer to read paragraph 3.

DAY FOUR Hebrews 6:13-18

Leader READ Paragraph above Q1, then Q1

Leader ASK Q2A, Q2B

Group SHARE Q2C

Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B and Q3C

Leader NOTE Q5, inviting participants to reflect upon the cited verses during their personal prayer time

Leader NOTE Incorporate prayer in QYH into closing prayer for the session

DAY FIVE Hebrews 6:18-20

Leader ASK Q1, reading paragraph that follow

Leader NOTE Partner participants to review their responses to Q1B together

Leader ASK Q2 and Q3, reading aloud paragraphs that follow Q3, and Q4

Leader ASK Q5A, Q5B and Q5C, referring to the answer key for additional insights

Group SHARE Q3, allowing extra time for multiple responses to each question

CONCLUSION If time allows, ask a volunteer to read paragraphs 4 and 5 of the conclusion.

VERSE STUDY Encourage verse study of Romans 15:13 on own

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS Incorporate prayer from Day 4 QYH into closing prayer.

Remind participants that next week will be a Connect Coffee talk; ask them to invite a friend to attend.



INTRODUCTION

Leader NOTE Invite participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 7; and ask for volunteers to read aloud alternate paragraphs 3-10 of the introduction.

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 6 - 8 of the introduction

DAY ONE Hebrews 7:1-10

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q1C, referring to answer key in back of guide for additional insights

Leader ASK Q2, Q3, then READ aloud paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B, Q4C (factual), quickly

Leader READ Q6 text, then ask group to SHARE; be prepared to respond if participants are hesitant

Leader ASK Volunteer to read QYH paragraphs 1 - 4, then read aloud remainder of QYH for silent reflection

DAY TWO Hebrews 7:11-17

Leader ASK Q1, then READ paragraphs that follow

Group SHARE Q2, then discuss "the order of Aaron." Allow extra time for discussion here.

Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, then ASK volunteer to read paragraphs that follow on change in law

Leader ASK Q4 and Q5

Leader NOTE Q6 is personal and should not be shared

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time this week

DAY THREE Hebrews 7:18-25

Leader ASK Q1, then ASK volunteer to read paragraph that follows

Leader READ Q2, then READ or summarize paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Q3, then ASK volunteer to read paragraphs that follow

Leader READ Q4A, Q4B, Q5, then ASK volunteer to READ or summarize paragraphs that follow

Leader READ First paragraph of QYH, then encourage participants to reflect on remaining text on own

DAY FOUR Hebrews 7:25

Leader ASK Q1A

Leader READ Q1B for personal reflection, not for sharing

Leader ASK Q2, then READ first and second paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Volunteer to READ Q3, respond and then read paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B, Q4C (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to READ Q5, and respond, reading aloud cited verses

Leader NOTE Invite women to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time

DAY FIVE Hebrews 7:26-28

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, then ASK volunteer to read last three paragraphs above Q2

Group SHARE Q2, then ASK volunteer to read last three paragraphs above Q3

Leader ASK Q3, Q4

Leader READ Last two paragraphs of QYH

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ all of Conclusion or paragraphs 2 - 5 and 6-8 if tight on time

VERSE STUDY If time permits, ask volunteer to share her personal application of 2 Corinthians 4:17

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

The resolution is our opportunity to apply what we have learned to our daily lives and grow in our relationship with Christ. Encourage participants to select a resolution or create their own to commit to.

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**INTRODUCTION**

- Leader NOTE Share that this lesson we will discuss how Jesus Christ is the truth and that by being in relationship with Him, we will be grounded in turbulent times. Ask participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 8.
- Leader ASK Volunteers to read aloud first and last paragraphs.

DAY ONE Hebrews 8:1-2

- Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B, referring to the answer key in the back of the study guide for additional insights.
- Group SHARE Q2C, citing verses and then ASK participants to reflect silently on question that follows.
- Leader ASK Q3 (factual), quickly
- Leader NOTE Partner participants to read and respond to Q4
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraph 2 and 3 of QYH

DAY TWO Hebrews 8:3-4

- Leader ASK Q1, Q2A and Q2B (factual), quickly
- Leader NOTE Partner participants to respond to Q3 and Q4
- Leader ASK Q5 (factual), quickly
- Group SHARE Q6, allowing time for response to both questions; be prepared to share if participants are hesitant
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs 3-6

DAY THREE Hebrews 8:5-6

- Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, and 2
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read first and second paragraphs after Q2
- Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q3C, Q3D, Q3E (factual), quickly
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4, read Galatians 3:13 and share response
- Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon QYH during their personal prayer time

DAY FOUR Hebrews 8:7-10

- Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q1, reading cited Scripture verses and share response
- Leader ASK Q2A, Q2B, Q3 and Q4 (factual), quickly
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read last paragraph of QYH

DAY FIVE Hebrews 8:10-13

- Leader ASK Q1 and Q2A (factual), quickly
- Leader ASK Q2B
- Leader ASK Q2C (factual), quickly
- Leader NOTE Q2D is for personal reflection and not to be shared
- Leader NOTE Ask participant partners to respond to Q3 together, allowing extra time for deeper discussion
- Leader ASK Q4A (factual), quickly
- Group SHARE Q4B
- Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon QYH during their personal prayer time this week.

CONCLUSION If time permits, ask volunteers to read alternate paragraphs or read the last 2 paragraphs.

VERSE STUDY If time permits, ask a volunteer to share her personal application of Ezekiel 36:26-27 with the group.

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Read resolutions together and consider committing to one as a group.

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INTRODUCTION

Leader ASK For volunteers to share any insights from the introduction. Point out fourth and fifth paragraphs
Invite participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 9.

DAY ONE Hebrews 9:1-5

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B, Q2C (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q2D, read 2 Corinthians 3:18, respond and then read paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q3C, Q4A, Q4B (factual) quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q5, then paragraphs about CCC 433 that follow

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect upon QYH during their prayer time this week

DAY TWO Hebrews 9:6-10

Leader NOTE Partner participants to read cited verses and respond to Q1 together

Leader ASK Q2A, Q2B, Q3 and Q4, referring to the answer key for additional insights and information.

Group SHARE Q5, be prepared to share own response and move on if participants are reluctant to share

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect on the QYH during their personal prayer time

DAY THREE Hebrews 9:11-14

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B, Q3A and Q3B (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Q3C is personal question, depending on group dynamics, consider encouraging shared response

Leader ASK Q4 and Q5, summarizing paragraphs that follow or read if time permits

Leader NOTE Point out verses cited in paragraph 3 of QYH and encourage participants to mark in their Bibles

DAY FOUR Hebrews 9:15-22

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q1C, Q2, referring to answer key for further insights

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3 and respond to Q3A, Q3B and Q3C

Leader ASK Q4, Q5A and Q5B, reading paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Volunteer to read aloud QYH

DAY FIVE Hebrews 9:23-28

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q2A, Q2B

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3, Hebrews 9:25-26, and then respond

Leader ASK Q4A

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4, CCC 1013, then respond

Leader ASK Participant partners to read Q5, respond to Q5 and share insights from paragraphs that follow

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to reflect on the QYH during their personal prayer time

CONCLUSION Volunteer READ fourth paragraph to end of Conclusion

VERSE STUDY If time permits, share personal applications of 1 Peter 1:18-19

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Remind participants that resolutions provide the opportunity to apply what we have learned to our daily lives. If time permits, ask group how they are doing with maintaining their resolutions each week.

Your next session will be a Connect Coffee talk. Ask participants to prayerfully discern two friends to invite.

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**INTRODUCTION**

Leader NOTE Summarize the introduction, explaining how the author of Hebrews 10 lays out the chapter to reveal the purpose of writing Hebrews. READ aloud paragraphs 6 and 7 and the last paragraph.

DAY ONE Hebrews 10:1-10

Leader ASK Q1, Q2A, Q2B, Q2C (factual), quickly

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3, respond and read aloud paragraphs that follow

Leader NOTE Partner participants to read Q4 and share responses with each other, allow extra time

Leader ASK Q5

Leader NOTE Ask participants to reflect on QYH during their prayer time this week

DAY TWO Hebrews 10:11-18

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q2, Q3A and Q3B, referring to answer key for additional insights

Leader NOTE Q3C is personal and responses should not be shared, allow few minutes of silent reflection

Leader ASK Q4, then ASK volunteers to read alternate paragraphs that follow Q4

Group SHARE Q5

Leader READ Last paragraph of QYH

DAY THREE Hebrews 10:19-25

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B

Group SHARE Q1C, allow extra time for discussion as there are two questions posed

Leader ASK Q2A, Q2B, Q2C

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3A, respond and then read paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q3B, respond and then read paragraph that follows

Leader ASK Q4A, Q4B, Q4C (factual), quickly

Group SHARE Q4D, be prepared to share your own response in the event participants are hesitant to share

Leader ASK Q5A (factual), quickly

Group SHARE Q5B

Leader NOTE Encourage participants to incorporate prayer from QYH into their personal prayer time

DAY FOUR Hebrews 10:26-31

Leader READ Introduction to Day 4, then ASK Q1A, and READ paragraphs that follow

Leader NOTE Partner participants to read Q1B and then share their response with each other

Leader ASK Q2, Q3A, then READ paragraphs that follow question

Leader NOTE Return to partners to read Q3B and share their responses with each other

Leader ASK Q4 (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Q5 is for personal reflection, do not ask for response

Leader READ Last paragraph that follows Q5

Leader NOTE Consider incorporating prayer from QYH into closing prayer for this session.

DAY FIVE Hebrews 10:32-39

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q1C

Leader NOTE Participant partners to read Q2 and share responses with each other (both sections)

Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q3C

Leader READ Paragraphs that follow Q3C and share question for personal reflection, not to share

DAY FIVE Hebrews 10:32-39 (continued)

- Leader ASK Two volunteers to read aloud alternate paragraphs of Q4 and respond
Group SHARE Q4D, be prepared to share your struggle if participants are hesitant to share
Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time

CONCLUSION Ask a volunteer to read the last two paragraphs of the Conclusion.

VERSE STUDY If time allows, ask a volunteer to share her personal application of Proverbs 3:26

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Resolutions provide the opportunity to apply what we have learned to our daily lives. Encourage participants to select a resolution or consider committing to one as a group.

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**INTRODUCTION**

- Leader READ Paragraph 3 to the last paragraph. Ask participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 11.
- Leader NOTE There are many opportunities for group discussion in this lesson; consider group dynamics when discerning whether to offer group response or silent reflection to personal questions.

DAY ONE Hebrews 11:1-3

- Leader ASK Q1(factual), quickly
- Group SHARE Q1B, be prepared to share your own testimony if participants are reluctant to share, allow extra time
- Leader NOTE Partner participants to read cited verses and share Q2 responses, using answer key for insights
- Leader ASK Q3
- Leader NOTE Consider group sharing for Q4. If not, READ aloud. Direct all to the "I Declares" in the appendix.
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to review QYH during their personal prayer time this week.

DAY TWO Hebrews 11:4-12

- Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B
- Group SHARE Q1C
- Leader ASK Q2A
- Group SHARE Q2B, be prepared to respond if participants are hesitant to respond, allow extra time here
- Leader ASK Q3A
- Group SHARE Q3B, then ASK volunteers to read alternate paragraphs after group discussion
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4A and Q4B and respond
- Group SHARE Q4C, be prepared to share your testimony and allow extra time for deeper discussion
- Leader ASK Q5A, consider group sharing if participants seem open to discussion.
- Leader NOTE Partner participants to read and discuss respond to Q5B
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to review QYH and reflect on during their personal prayer time

DAY THREE Hebrews 11:13-22

- Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q2A, Q2B, Q2C, referring to answer key for additional insights
- Leader NOTE Ask volunteers to read alternate paragraphs following response to Q2C
- Leader ASK Q3A
- Leader ASK Q3B for personal reflection, not for sharing
- Leader ASK Q4
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q5, respond and then read paragraph that follows
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to review QYH during personal prayer time

DAY FOUR Hebrews 11:23-31

- Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraph above Q1A, read Q1A and respond
- Leader ASK Q1B and Q1C, referring to the answer key for additional insights
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read the cited verses but do not open up to group response
- Leader ASK Q2A
- Leader NOTE Q2B is personal, do not encourage group to respond
- Leader ASK Q3A
- Leader NOTE Partner participants to read Q3B, review verses and share responses with each other
- Leader ASK Q4A
- Leader ASK Volunteer to read Q4B and 5, respond and then read aloud paragraph that follows
- Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time

DAY FIVE **Hebrews 11:32-40**

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B

Group SHARE Q1C

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs that follow Q1C

Leader ASK Q2, Q3, Q4A, Q4B, Q5 (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect on QYH during their personal prayer time

CONCLUSION Ask for volunteers to share insights from the Conclusion.

VERSE STUDY If time allows, share personal application of Romans 5:3-4

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Resolutions provide the opportunity to apply what we have learned to our daily lives. Encourage participants to select a resolution to commit to or create their own..

Review self-assessment found in your WWP small group leader workbook



INTRODUCTION

Leader READ First and second paragraphs, then ASK two volunteers to read remaining paragraphs.

Leader ASK Participants to open their Bibles to Hebrews 12

DAY ONE Hebrews 12:1-4

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B

Group SHARE Q1C, allowing extra time for discussion

Leader ASK Q2A

Leader NOTE Q2B is personal, encourage participants to pray over during their personal prayer time

Leader ASK Q3A, Q3B, Q3C and Q4

Leader ASK Volunteer to read first paragraph that follows Q4

Leader ASK Q5A

Leader NOTE Partner participants to discuss their responses to Q5B with each other

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon the QYH message during their prayer time this week. Consider incorporating the prayer into the closing prayer for this session.

DAY TWO Hebrews 12:55-13

Leader ASK Q1

Leader ASK Volunteer to summarize the paragraphs that follow Q1

Leader NOTE Partner participants to review the cited verses in Q2 and share their responses

Leader ASK Q3, Q4A, then ASK volunteer to read paragraphs that follow

Leader ASK Q4B and Q5A

Group SHARE Q5B, be prepared to share first if others are reluctant to respond

Leader NOTE Invite participants to review the QYH during their personal prayer time

DAY THREE Hebrews 12:14-29

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B

Leader ASK Two volunteers to read alternate paragraphs at Q1C, personal question at end is not to be shared

Leader NOTE Ask a volunteer to summarize Jim Wilson's story at Q1D. Do not propose question at the end, personal.

Leader ASK Q2 and Q3, referring to answer key for additional insights

Leader ASK Q4, Q5A, Q5B

Leader READ QYH

DAY FOUR Hebrews 13:1-8

Leader ASK Q1

Group SHARE Q1B, allowing extra time for participants to respond to both questions

Leader ASK Q2, Q3A, be prepared to refocus any discussion that veers off-topic, referring to the WWP honor code values of non-judgment and grace

Leader ASK Q3B, Q4A (factual), quickly

Leader NOTE Partner participants to share their responses to Q4B with each other

Leader ASK First question in Q5, read second question for silent reflection

Leader NOTE Invite participants to reflect upon the QYH message during personal prayer time this week

DAY FIVE Hebrews 13:9-25

Leader ASK Q1A, Q1B, Q1C

Leader ASK Volunteer to read paragraphs that follow Q1C

Leader ASK Q2, Q3A, Q4B

DAY FIVE Hebrews 13:9-25 (continued)

Group SHARE Q4C

Leader ASK Q5A

Leader NOTE Q5B is a personal question and responses should not be shared

Leader READ Paragraph 3 of the QYH

CONCLUSION Ask a volunteer to summarize the Conclusion, be prepared to share as well.

VERSE STUDY If time permits, share personal application of 1 Peter 1:22

RESOLUTIONS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Encourage participants to select a resolution or create their own to commit to this week. Incorporate prayer from Day 1 QYH into closing prayer.

Next session will be a Connect Coffee talk and last meeting for GIH. Encourage participants to invite a friend to attend.

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