## How to Study and Understand the Bible

## What You Will Need:

Bible, Pen/Pencil, Paper, Highlighter, Phone/Tablet/PC (whatever you have), Index Cards (you can write scriptures that you can speak over your life and use when praying- scriptures will begin to stand out)

## Resources:

www.studylight.org (contains commentaries, numerous bible versions, and much more)
www.biblegateway.com (numerous bible versions and can view side by side)

## **Study Plan**:

- 1. Pray for the following: understanding, acceptance, application, knowledge, wisdom, clarity, peace, and revelation.
- 2. Study the bible from beginning to end, repeatedly (You can read the bible many times and have a new experience each time). Start at Genesis and read one or more chapters per day. After reading each chapter, write down what God reveals to you (if anything) or what you find applicable to your life.
- 3. Study a "Subject-Specific" topic. Pray for guidance on what topics to choose or simply choose something you would like to become more familiar with. You can study topics such as: love, discipleship, church attendance, peace, joy, relationship, marriage, etc...). Topics can also be found using the concordance in the back of your bible. The "studylight" website can also be used as concordance.

For video directions on how to study the bible and actually enjoy it, visit the Christian Life YouTube page at: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCr\_HUNoFGJD0dhtikyOQ\_xQ">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCr\_HUNoFGJD0dhtikyOQ\_xQ</a>

May you find the peace and comfort you need, In Jesus name.