

notes from small group

prayer requests

SMALL GROUP

— *study guide* —



For sermon on Sunday, December 9, 2018

group discussion questions

1. What is the main point from Scripture as it was taught on Sunday
2. Are there any Study Questions from this week that you want to discuss?
3. What difference should this Scripture make in our lives today?
4. How Does God want your personal beliefs and actions to change based on this Scripture?
5. How can you plan to accomplish this change with God's grace this week? What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:9-11

this month's memory verse

personal study questions

LOOK—What does God say?

- Who joined the uprising against Moses and Aaron (16:1-2, 19)?
- What does the uprising accuse Moses and Aaron of (16:3b)?
- What two phrases are repeated as the uprising speaks with Moses (16:3b, 7b, 9a, 13a)?
- Who does Moses accuse Korah of gathering against (16:11)?
- What is Moses emotional response and what does he ask the LORD (16:15)?
- What does God tell Moses and Aaron to do and how do they respond (16:21-22)?
- What happens to the leaders of the uprising and all who stand by them and how did the congregation respond (16:31-35)?
- What did the congregation do the next day and how did God respond (16:31-50)?
- What does God plan to do through Aaron's staff (17:5)? What does God instruct Moses to do with the miraculous staff (17:10)?
- How do the people respond to Moses (17:12-13)?

THINK—What does God mean?

- Why would the people challenge Moses and Aaron (16:3)?
- What makes Moses so angry that he would talk to God the way he did (16:15)?
- Why was God so harsh with his people (16:20-21, 44-45, 49)?
- Why would God allow the families of the rebels to suffer (16:32-33)?
- Why would God choose to verify his choice Aaron through a staff (17:10)?

DO—What does God want?

- How are you tempted to grumble about leaders God has placed over you (whether spiritual or secular) and what would it look like for you to change in a way that pleases God?
- How can you use your position and influence to move others towards a heart of trust and respect rather than one of suspicion and disrespect?
- How might you better exercise a heart of trust, humility, and submission to the authority of God's word?
- Have you taken refuge in Christ from your sins? If so, how might remembering that truth change the way you interact with others?
- How can you pray to God about the challenges in which he has placed you, the pain you have suffered because of human leaders; and how might you communicate your concerns in a respectful healthy way for the glory of God and the good of others?