

THE DISCOVERY METHOD

A fresh way to experience
the Bible, grow spiritually,
and connect with others.



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to experience
Christ's love.**

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sure everyone,
everywhere, gets
that opportunity.**

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STEP 1 – KNOW THE STORY

Start by reading the story aloud one time. Then, skim it again and answer the questions.

Questions:

- 1. Who are the characters?**
- 2. What actions do the characters take?**
- 3. What details in the story seem significant?**

Tips:

- Be curious. Make observations.
- Don't worry about interpreting what the story means.
- Focus on the story; try not to reference other parts of the Bible.

STEP 2 – Discover the Truths

Now, we will dig deeper into the story. Read the story again, paying attention to the characters.

Questions:

- 4. What are the emotions of each character?**
- 5. What are the motives of each character?**

Tip:

- If the characters's emotions aren't mentioned, what do you think they might feel based on their situations and choices?

STEP 3 – Know the Story

Now that we have explored the story, truths and lessons will emerge. If you like, read the story again.

Questions:

- 6. What does this story teach us about how we should think and act?**
- 7. What does this story teach us about loving God and other people?**

Tips:

- Keep a posture of reflection.
- Remember, the truths you discover will be consistent with the rest of the Bible's teachings.
- There is no hurry to find the answer.

STEP 4 – Apply the Truth

Now, after uncovering meaningful truths, pray for guidance as you answer the questions below.

Questions:

- 8. Pick one truth that seems most relevant or needed for your life.**
- 9. What practical ways can you apply this truth to your life?**

Tip:

- Find ways to support one another.

Foundational Stories

Genesis 1:1, 24-31

God the Creator

Genesis 3:1-23

The Fall of Mankind

Genesis 4:1-16

Cain and Abel

Genesis 15:1-18

God's Covenant with Abraham

Matthew 1:18-25

The Birth of Jesus

Matthew 4:1-11

Jesus Is Tested

Luke 5:1-11

Jesus Calls His First Disciples

Foundational Stories

Mark 2:1-12

Jesus Forgives and Heals

Mark 8:27-35

The Way of the Cross

John 19:16-30

The Crucifixion of Jesus

Matthew 28:1-10

Jesus Is Risen

Acts 1:1-11

Jesus Ascends to Heaven

Acts 2:22:41

Peter's Pentecost Sermon

Stories About Loving God and Neighbor

Mark 2:13-17

Jesus Eats with Sinners

Matthew 18:23-35

The Unmerciful Servant

Matthew 19:16-22

The Rich Young Ruler

Mark 5:24-34

A Women Touches Jesus's Robe

Mark 10:46-52

Blind Bartimaeus

Luke 7:36-50

Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman

Luke 8:26-39

Jesus and the Gerasene Demoniac

Stories About Loving God and Neighbor

Luke 10:1-9

Sending Out the Seventy-Two

Luke 10:25-37

The Good Samaritan

Luke 15:11-32

The Prodigal Son

Luke 18:10-18

The Pharisee and the Tax Collector

Luke 19:1-10

Zacchaeus is Restored

Luke 23:32-46

The Thief on the Cross



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