



Selah



DAILY devotions

Week 6

Use these daily devotions on your own between group meetings. Each day, read the verse given. Take your time. Ask God to speak to you through His Word. As you read, notice which word or phrase stands out to you. Then take some time to journal your response back to Him. You can write whatever's on your heart. Answer the "consider" question only if it's helpful. Feel free to go another direction if you sense God leading you.

**Study
Tip**

On the first day, you may want to read over all the verses for the week to get the "big picture" of the passage. But then walk slowly verse by verse. Listen to what God wants to say to you through His Word, and respond to Him as you meditate on the truths of Scripture.

Day 1

READ JOHN 8:32

"And you will know the truth and the truth will set you free."

CONSIDER:

What intimidates you the most about being 100% honest with yourself? Are you afraid to really examine your motives? Are you afraid of conflict? How does God's grace help you in these areas?

Day 2

READ PROVERBS 16:13

"Righteous lips are the delight of a King, and he loves him who speaks what is right."

CONSIDER:

How are you using your speech? Are you speaking with integrity? What opportunities do you see for growth in this area?

Day 3

READ LUKE 6:31

"And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them."

CONSIDER:

How are you using your influence? Are you wielding it responsibly and righteously? Or in manipulation according to what you would like to be done? How do you want people who hold positions of influence in your life to use that influence?

Day 4

READ GALATIANS 5:22-23

“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.”

Consider:

One of the fruits of the Spirit is self-control. A part of self-control is setting healthy boundaries in your life. Boundaries are not meant to be an end in themselves, but a means to attain the true goal of wholeness. Healthy boundaries come from a place of wholeness. What are boundaries that you have set in your life?

Day 5

READ ROMANS 14:10

“...each of us will give an account of himself to God.”

Consider:

Have you ever taken an honest look at your motives? What are the real reasons you do the things you do...even things you know are not God’s best for you? Do you think it is important to understand our own motives? Why or why not?

Day 6

Use the lines below to write any thoughts about what God has been speaking to you through this week’s session and during your devotional time. You may also want to write down observations or questions that you’d like to share with the group at your next meeting.

Notes:
