1 Thessalonians: EVERYDAY LIVING IN LIGHT OF HIS COMING

Opening Day - OVERVIEW: Establishing Context

Lesson 1, Day 1

Study Skills

- * tone of book
- * type of literature
- * key words
- * key topics
- * Framework Chart (intro)
- * key questions (5 Ws & an H)

Lesson 1 - OVERVIEW: Establishing Context

(Review Day 1) Days 2-4

- * marking key words
- * chapter titles
- * book title
- * key verse
- * Framework Chart (completed)

Lesson 2 – 1:1-10 – TURNING TO GOD

- * cross reference (Acts 17)
- * map skills
- * <u>lists</u>
- * diagram (imitators and examples)
- * title + key verse for passage

Lesson 3 - 2:1-13 - DOING MINISTRY

Message, Motives, Methods, Mission, Mindset

- * cross reference (Acts 15-16)
- * lists
- * visual aid (Paul's Model of Ministry)
- * title + key verse for passage

<u>Lesson 4 – 2:13-3:5 – FACING OPPOSITION</u>

Suffering + affliction

- * cross reference (portions from Acts 4-9)
- * structured layout
- * title + key verse for passage

Lesson 5 - 3:6-13 - STANDING FAST

Good news → comfort, encouragement, thanks, prayer

- * biographical / topical study (Timothy)
- * map
- * title + key verse for passage

Lesson 6 - 4:1-12 - LIVING HOLY

Abstain from sexual immorality Love one another

- * word study (abstain, sexual immorality, disregard)
- * title + key verse for passage

Lesson 7 – 4:13-5:11 – ENCOURAGING ONE ANOTHER

4:13-18 – The coming of the Lord 5:1-11 – The day of the Lord

- * list: chronology of events
- * diagram/illustration (His coming)
- * timeline of future events
- * contrasts / comparisons
- * word study (encourage, awake, sober)
- * title + key verse for passage

Lesson 8 - 5:12-28 - PLEASING GOD

- * cross reference
- * word study (1-2 specific instructions)
- * prayer calendar
- * title + key verse for passage
- * review and revise Framework Chart