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STUDENT CONNECTION PLANNER

TALKING TO GOD = PRAYER

You need specific times to converse with God directly. But God also says we should “pray without ceasing” and “cast all our cares on Him.” Take your planner with you all day long. Pray over everything you write in it. Use the daily prayer focus to pray about all the important relationships in your life.



TALK



LISTEN



CONNECT

LISTENING TO GOD = BIBLE READING

God talks to us through His Word, the Bible. This planner gives you four different Bible reading tracks to choose from, so that you can hear from God each day:

1. Daily Verse (30–60 seconds each day)
2. ● New Testament in a Year (5–7 minutes each day)
3. ■ Daily Chapter (7–10 minutes each day)
4. ◆ Whole Bible in a Year (15–20 minutes each day)

TALKING + LISTENING = CONNECTING

Every week your planner will give you a chance to review your connection with God. Look back at your week. Write down how you saw God connect to you through His Word, through answered prayers, through other people's words, or through events in your life. Then find someone with whom you can share what you've written.

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Week at a glance page

- Verse of the day
- Thought provoking question

Daily prayer focus

Summary of week

- Follow your choice of three reading plans:
- New Testament in a year
 - Daily chapter
 - Whole Bible in a year

January » 10

11 » Monday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 1 (you and God)

Philippians 2:4 (NIV)
Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.

Today find someone to listen to. Let them tell their story. Ask someone about what they are excited about. You may just learn something. It may just get you out of a self-obsessed rut. Who can you listen to today?

Matthew 9:18-19 What little girl did Jesus raise from the dead after telling people she was only asleep?

Genesis 18 Who laughed when she heard she would bear a son in her old age?

Genesis 33-36 Name 3 of the 12 sons of Jacob.

Ephesians 2:4-5 (NIV)
But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved.

Are you worth saving? Why would God bother with you? Answer: His love. His great love. His mercy. His rich mercy. Have you received God's love and mercy?

Matthew 10:1-25 Name the 12 disciples.

Genesis 21 Why did Sarah want Hagar and Ishmael to leave?

Genesis 37-39 Who is the dreamer?

Ezekiel 11:19 (NIV)
I will give them an undivided heart and put a new spirit in them; I will remove from their heart of stone and give them a heart of flesh.

You want with all your heart to be fully devoted to God, but you also want to go your own way. Or perhaps you want a life full of purpose and meaning but you seem to have no passion for anything. You need something new. Do you think this promise in Ezekiel is for you?

Matthew 10:24-42 Two sparrows are sold for how much money?

Genesis 22 What did God provide as a sacrifice in place of Isaac?

Genesis 40-42 Who had a dream about coars standing by the riverside?

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Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 2 (you and a friend and God)

13 » Wednesday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 3 (you and your family and God)

14 » Thursday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 4 (you and your group and God)

15 » Friday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 5 (you and your church and God)

16 » Saturday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 6 (you and God's Kingdom)

17 » Sunday

Prayer Focus - CONNECTION 7 (you and the world and God)

2 Thessalonians 1:4 (NIV)
God is fair. He will pay back trouble to those who give you trouble.

There are people in your life—people who have mistreated you, passed you by, talked negatively behind your back or maybe even to your face. And they are getting away with it. You are suffering; they are doing well. You want so badly for them to pay for their trouble-making. They will. Who is giving you trouble these days?

Matthew 11 What will Jesus give to people who are weary and burdened?

Genesis 24 How many camels did Abraham's servant take with him?

Genesis 43-46 Where was Joseph's silver cup found?

Luke 15:20 (NIV)
So he got up and went to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

Reconciliation between two people is one of the sweetest uses of God's grace. What relationships in your life could use some reconciliation grace?

Matthew 12:1-21 What did Jesus' disciples do that was illegal?

Genesis 27 Which son was blessed by Isaac first?

Genesis 47-50 Where did Joseph bury his father?

Habakkuk 1:5 (NIV)
Look at the nations and watch—and be utterly amazed. For I am going to do something in your days that you would not believe, even if you were told.

Could it be that God is going to do something in your days—something you would not have believed? What would you like to see God do during your life time?

Matthew 12:22-30 How can you recognize whether a tree is good or bad?

Genesis 28 Who anointed a stone and dedicated it to God?

Exodus 1-4 Moses' staff turned into what reptile?

Mark 4:31b (NIV)
"Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest."

Jesus valued quiet and rest. You should too. That is what Sunday was supposed to be. Do you have a quiet place? How could you make Sunday a day of rest?

Matthew 13:1-32 What will happen to the weeds planted with the wheat?

Genesis 17 Who was the dreamer?

Exodus 5-7 What did the Nile water turn into?