

Bible in a Year Study Questions – Day 54/February 23

Today's Readings:

Leviticus 15 & 16

Psalm 26.6-12

Proverbs 10.8

Mark 4.1-20

1. What types of bodily discharges are mentioned in Leviticus 15, and how are they to be handled according to the law?
2. Many of the Levitical laws had practical, as well as religious importance. What might be some of the practical reasons these laws were valuable?
3. Explain the Day of Atonement, as described in Leviticus 16.
4. How does the Day of Atonement points forward to the redemptive work of Jesus Christ?
5. How does the ritual of the scapegoat point to Jesus and His work on our behalf?
6. As you think about David's claim of "integrity" and "uprightness" in Psalm 26.11, how does he define these qualities?
7. As New Testament believers, on what is our integrity and uprightness based?

8. In verse 9, David expresses his desire not to be gathered with sinners. What does this reveal about his commitment to righteous living, and how can believers apply this principle today?

9. Verse 10 emphasizes David's confidence in God's righteousness. How does this confidence affect David's relationship with God, especially in times of trouble?

10. Reflect on how the themes in Psalm 26:6-12 can be applied to your own life. How can you cultivate integrity, trust in God, and gratitude in your daily walk with Him?

11. In Proverbs 10:8, the wise heart accepts commandments. What does having a "wise heart" imply, and how is wisdom connected to obedience to God's commandments?

12. The latter part of the verse speaks about the babbling fool being destroyed by his words. How do the words we speak reflect the condition of our hearts, and what biblical principles support this idea?

13. What is the central message of the Parable of the Sower in Mark 4:1-20?

14. What do the different types of soil mentioned in the parable (path, rocky ground, thorns, and good soil) represent, and how do they illustrate different responses to the gospel message?

15. What might be some examples of each type of soil? How can you apply the truths in this parable to your daily life?

16. Which passage in today's reading impacted you the most? Is there a verse you would like to memorize and/or meditate on today?