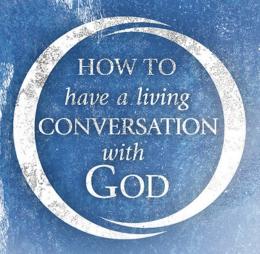


The Hope Study: People of the Promise
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Turn this sheet over to spend some daily Time with God through His Word and His Spirit.



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Monday	Exodus 19:3-8 ~ Mount Sinai
Tuesday	Exodus 20:1-17 ~ The Ten Commandments
WEDNESDAY	Exodus 25:9, 29:36, 29:43-45 ~ Tabernacle
Thursday	Romans 3:20 ~ The Law's Purpose
FRIDAY	2 Kings 22:3-11, 18-20, Eph. 2:8-9 ~ Grace
SATURDAY	Isaiah 41:14, 59:19-20, Romans 15:4

Consider these questions for each day you engage God in a Living Conversation: Day 1: God calls those that are with Him to also be like Him. How does God want to change you today?

Day 3: Do you view God's desires about your behavior in terms of mere rules, or are they about relation-Day 2: What do the 10 Commandments reveal about Who God is?

ship and being near to Him?

Day 5: Does an awareness of sin in your life bring about a godly grief that leads to true repentance? Ask Day 4: Why is it important that we are conscious of our sin?

Day 6: God is with you! Ask God for a clear revelation that He is for you as you learn to walk in His ways. the Lord to be able to feel about your sin the same way that He does.

# Steps to Having a Living Conversation with God

Start by inviting the Holy Spirit through prayer into your time in the Word. Acknowledge that you'll obey Step 1- Engaging the Truth and ask him to guide you as you read. Read the verse three times through.

After reading the passage consider: What is the main point of the passage? What do you like about the passage and why? Do you have a question about something? How could you explain the passage to a Step 2 - Exploring the Truth first grader? (This is a good way to make sure you've got it.)

This is where the rubber meets the road. Take a minute or two and be quiet and reflect on the passage and the discussion, asking God, "How am I to respond to all of this? What am I to do?" As we reflect, Step 3 - Applying the Truth often God gives insight in one of three ways. He may remind us of:

- 1. A truth that we're to embrace about him or his ways or what he thinks of us.
- 2. Something to do or to stop doing.
- 3. Someone to love, to reach out to, or to forgive.

Commit to God in prayer to follow through on the direction he gave you. Obedience is his love lan-Step 4 - Prayer of Commitment guage—let him know you love him!