

INTERRUPTED?

Go Deeper

When we meet Jesus, our lives are changed. How is your life changing? Today you may have sensed a nudge from God. What will you do with that prompting?

This is a guide for individual, family, or small group use.

A Guide For Small Groups

1. Gather some friends
2. Find a comfortable place to meet
3. Agree to keep each other's confidence
4. Open with prayer.
5. Use the scripture provided, or something of your choosing.
6. Use the questions provided, or others you find helpful.
7. For accountability and personal growth, ask the following questions
 - a. How is it with your soul?
 - b. Have you done all the good you could and avoided all the evil you could this week?
 - c. Have you practiced the means of Grace? (public worship, prayer, scripture, acts of kindness and service, etc.)
 - d. How can we as a group best pray for and support you?
8. Pray for one another.

Highlight

50 Day Challenge

Start with the **Book of Genesis** and read 1 chapter a day and use this guide to lead you.

Pray the ACTS prayer

Adoration: acknowledge God's greatness

Confession: confess your sins to Jesus

Thanksgiving: Give thanks to God

Supplication: ask for God's provision for you and others.

Then

1. **Pray:** Jesus, reveal your word for me this day.
2. **Read** one Chapter
3. **Note:** What verse spoke to you?
4. **Note:** What does this look like in your life?
5. **Pray:** Lord help me live out your word today and show me how to be a part of what you love

1. Read Genesis 18 and Matthew 7 . 2. What kinds of interruptions tend to frustrate you most in life? Could any of those be God trying to get your attention? 3. Abraham responded to strangers with hospitality and attention. When has God asked you to pause your plans for something (or someone) unexpected? And how did you respond? 4. Jesus says, "Ask, seek, knock." What are you honestly seeking right now—and is it rooted in Christ or something else? 5. Jesus says, "Ask, seek, knock." What are you honestly seeking right now—and is it rooted in Christ or something else? 6. Which parts of your life do you feel are built on rock? Which parts might be built on sand? 7. What are your biggest distractions right now? How do they keep you from being present with God? 8. "He stood still." When was the last time you were truly still before God—not performing, not producing, just listening? 9. What promise from God are you waiting for—or have you forgotten about? How does Abraham's story encourage you? 10. What practical step could you take this week to allow God to interrupt your schedule? How will you make space for Him?