

WEEK 10: PERSONAL STUDY DAY 1

TEACH & MODEL

Read *Titus 2:1-15*

Why is teaching others sound doctrine an important part of becoming the man God wants you to be?

In what ways and from whom are you consistently hearing sound doctrine?

Why are models of godly living important to becoming the man God wants you to be?

Who are models to you of godly manhood? What have you learned from them?

Why is the combination of teaching and modeling so essential? What could be the results in a man's life if one of those were missing?

WEEK 10: PERSONAL STUDY DAY 2

GENERATIONAL INVESTMENTS

Read *Psalm 78:1-8*

What older men do you know that model Paul's description in Psalm 78 and Titus 2?

What have you learned from these men?

Why do younger men need the investment of older men?

Why is it so important that men find these relationships within the local church?

How can you be involved – personally and through the ministry of your church – in connecting older men and younger men so that they can make an investment in each other?

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YOU NEED AN INVESTOR

Read *Proverbs 18:1*

Where would you benefit from having someone invest in you?

Why are these kinds of investments essential to your life? In other words, how will your life suffer if you don't have people making investments in you?

How has your life already benefited from those who have invested in you, formally and informally?

Why do men so often tend toward isolation and resist friendships and mentors?
Do you see that temptation in your life?

Who are some men you would like to invest in you? How can you pursue a relationship with them?

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YOU NEED TO MAKE AN INVESTMENT

Read 2 Timothy 2:1-2

What is the model of discipleship from 2 Timothy 2:1-2? From these verses, what does that say about how you should be making investments in others?

Take a moment to write down some specific things the Lord has taught you about how to walk with Him? How could others benefit from that?

Take a moment to write out some specific experiences you have had in your life. How could others benefit from that?

How have you experienced the joy and reward of investing in others?

Who are some people you could begin to invest in? What practical steps can you take to move in that direction?

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A HUMBLING REMINDER

Read *Judges 2:8-15*

What might have caused Joshua's generation, which experienced so many great things from the Lord, to fail to invest in the next generation? Where might we be in the same danger?

What does the reading from Judges 2 teach us about the need to invest in others?

How has the previous generation invested in you? What difference has this made in your life?

Who do you feel the Lord wants you to invest in? Start with those closest to you and move outward. Think about your domains.

What keeps you from investing in others? How can you overcome those things and begin making an investment in other men now?