



Part 3: The Bible for Non-Bible Readers

The Bible says there is one way to God and that's through the person of Jesus. Because it is so important to connect with Jesus, the series You've Got Style has been helping us learn about our spiritual temperaments and how we can connect with God. There are a few staples for connecting with God. One of the staples is scripture. In the Bible, Paul says that the word of God should live abundantly in us. We can interact publicly, privately, and personally with the word of God!

Bottom Line: We interact publicly, privately and personally with the Word of God.

Discussion Questions

- Do you find reading the Bible challenging or easy? Why/why not?
- Read together Colossians 3:16. What stands out to you?
- What does God want from us as it relates to the Bible?
- How abundantly is the Bible living in your currently?
- How can you make the priority choice to publicly expose yourself to God's truth and privately soak it up according to your style?
 - **Traditionalists:** Do a study on the why behind some of the traditions you enjoy.
 - **Naturalists:** Interact with scripture outdoors.
 - **Intellectuals:** Search for in depth bible studies.
 - **Contemplatives:** Read a part of the Bible and do a personal paraphrase of that passage.
 - **Ascectics:** Schedule time to read God's word.
 - **Activists:** Memorize verses about a cause you are passionate about.
 - **Caregivers:** Investigate what scripture says about serving.
 - **Enthusiasts:** Work through Psalms or other passages that express the majesty of God.
 - **Sensates:** Read the Bible out loud or use the Bible app narrator.

Moving Forward

We are challenged to allow the word of God to live in us richly. We can't do that if we aren't engaging with the Bible! Each person can personally interact with scripture to soak it up. If we

soak up scripture and God's truth, it is what will spill out of when when life inevitable squeezes us.