Saturated with Scripture **At A Glance**

In the mini-book, *Help! I Want to Know the Bible*, chapter 3 explains how to use the guide below to saturate yourself in a book of the Bible or a selected passage of Scripture.

Phase 1: Get Familiar (Days 1-10)

1. Read through the passage in one sitting every day.
2. Look for repeated words or ideas as you read.
3. Record at least one thing that you noticed about the text and how it affects your faith.*

Phase 2: Identify Major Themes (Days 11-20)

1. Continue to Read and Record.
2. On one day, highlight references to the Trinity.
3. Another day, underline all the references to your identity.
4. Over the remaining days, highlight one key word or idea each day that is repeated in the book.

Phase 3: Clarify the Specifics (Days 20-30)

1. Take a few days to read a study Bible's notes on the book.[1]
2. Look up word meanings of key words and write down what they mean.
3. Seek help understanding challenging passages through resources or people.
4. Take a chapter per day and summarize each paragraph or section of verses in one sentence. (Or do this in one day.)
5. Try to identify the book's major theme in one sentence or phrase.
6. Continue to record one thing each day and how it affects your faith.

*You can use the acrostic H.E.A.R. as a way to take the truth you've learned from God's Word and apply it to your life. The acrostic stands for:

H- Highlight: *What caught your attention today?*

E- Explain: *What does this mean?*

A- Apply: *How does this change your life?*

R- Respond: *How can you act on this today?*

[1] If you need a recommendation for a good study Bible, talk with your parents or your pastor.

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