

6 - Bible Study Methods

The WORD

Icebreaker:

1. See if you and your group can match the occupation with the thing that they study:

Occupation

1. Camponologist
2. Dendrologist
3. Meteorologist
4. Oceanologist
5. Pathologist
6. Nephologist

Study

- A. Oceans
- B. Clouds
- C. Illness
- D. Bell Ringing
- E. Weather
- F. Trees

Answers: 1-D; 2-F; 3-E; 4-A; 5-C; 6-B

Watch the Video

Discussion Questions:

1. What are some methods you have used to study the Bible?
2. Which methods have been most beneficial?
3. The simplest method of Bible study is to simply read it. What methods have helped you read the Bible:
 - Following a Bible reading plan
 - Using a devotional guide
 - Reading chapters or books of the Bible at a single sitting
 - Reading a passage in parallel versions
4. What are some questions that have aided your Bible study?
5. Which of the Bible study methods in the video would you be most likely to use (and why):

Devotional, Survey, Chapter Summary, Thematic, Biographical, Book Background

Psalm 119:15

I meditate on your precepts and consider your ways.