

WHO
I AM
GOD'S SELF-REVELATION

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How to Use *Truth for Living*

Truth for Living:

A comprehensive, trustworthy curriculum that presents the truth of God's Word without compromise. The curriculum plan includes through-the-Bible courses as well as topical courses. Perfect for adults who want a guide in using all of God's Word as God intended.

As you prepare to teach these lessons, keep these two factors in mind:

- The FOCUS of productive adult Bible learning is the learner. The intent of teaching is not teaching, but learning—the learner's learning.
- The GOAL of productive adult Bible learning is an appropriate life-response to Biblical truth. You do not teach simply to impart information; you teach so that the Holy Spirit of God can use the truths of the Word of God to change the child of God into the image of the Son of God.

The Lesson Plan

Each *Truth for Living* lesson has three distinct parts. GETTING STARTED is the attention-getter. The questions and activities “set the table,” as it were, for the study. SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES is the heart of the lesson. A series of study questions leads the teacher and learners through the Biblical text. MAKING IT PERSONAL applies the truth to life.

As is true of any teaching experience, you can adapt the parts of the lesson to fit your particular class. You may choose to alter the beginning activities or change the focus of the application. You will find more material in the study than you can probably cover in one class session.

The Study Book

This leader's guide is designed to accompany the Bible study book. We encourage you to distribute Bible study books to your learners. Urge them to complete the study before class. The more your learners have studied on their own, the better the class discussions will be. Most of the questions in the leader's guide are picked up from the Bible study book. You will notice the question numbers in parentheses after the questions. The answers to the questions are in italics following the questions.

Other Resources

The resource CD has PowerPoint presentations for every lesson. They incorporate the resource visuals and provide a good way for teachers and learners to track the lesson. The resource CD also has Prezi presentations for some of the lessons. Instructions for using the Prezi presentations are on the CD. Other resources include lesson outlines, case studies, and verse cards.

Preface

Who is God?

Both Moses and Israel had a lot to learn about God. He first introduced Himself to Moses as the I AM. That name became more and more meaningful to him over the course of many years and many blessings and trials. God revealed Himself as He directed Moses to lead Israel from slavery in Egypt, through the Red Sea, to Mount Sinai, into the wilderness, and finally to the doorstep of the Promised Land. God had crucial lessons for Israel to learn about His character and ways.

You have the privilege of coming alongside Moses and God's people to learn about the I AM. You will lead your learners to understand God as the Sovereign, Transcendent Helper, Promise Keeper, Redeemer, Leader, Provider, Instructor, Glorious God, Atoner, Gracious Giver, Powerful Proclaimer, Loving Lord, and Solid Rock. As you lead your learners, you will be challenged with a much deeper understanding of God. Pray your learners will grasp the lessons God so wisely wove through the narratives of His faithful leading of His people.

