

# October 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>30 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 27, 28 2 Timothy 4 <b>Memory:</b> Psalm 107:9 <b>Pray:</b> Kemery Family <b>Pray:</b> Israel</p>	<p>31 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 29,30 Titus 1 <b>Memory:</b> Psalm 107:9 <b>Pray:</b> Kerr Family <b>Pray:</b> Gilaki Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>					<p>1 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 22, 23 Ephesians 3 <b>Memory:</b> James 1:12 <b>Pray:</b> Hale Family <b>Pray:</b> Hindko Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>
<p>2 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 24-26 Ephesians 4 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Michael Hart <b>Pray:</b> Our Teaching Ministry in Other Nations</p>	<p>3 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 27, 28 Ephesians 5 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Al Haynes <b>Pray:</b> Jat Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>4 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 29, 30 Ephesians 6 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Janet Headley <b>Pray:</b> Maithili Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>5 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 31-33 Philippians 1 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Heathman Family <b>Pray:</b> Tharu Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>6 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 34-36 Philippians 2 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Hershberger Family <b>Pray:</b> Urdu Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>7 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 37, 38 Philippians 3 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Aaron Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Deccani Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>8 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 39, 40 Philippians 4 <b>Memory:</b> Proverbs 22:6 <b>Pray:</b> Ashley Hill <b>Pray:</b> Kashmiri Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>
<p>9 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 41, 42 Colossians 1 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Craig Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Our Literature Ministry in Other Nations</p>	<p>10 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 43, 44 Colossians 2 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Helen Hill <b>Pray:</b> Maldivian Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>11 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 45-47 Colossians 3 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Jamie Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Chamar Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>12 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 48, 49 Colossians 4 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Jeremy Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Balmiki Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>13 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 50-52 1 Thess. 1 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Mark Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Landless Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>14 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 53-55 1 Thess. 2 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Phillip Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Labourers Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>15 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 56-58 1 Thess. 3 <b>Memory:</b> 2 Cor. 1:20 <b>Pray:</b> Tyler Hill Family <b>Pray:</b> Brahmins Peoples, Indo-Iranians, South</p>
<p>16 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 59-61 1 Thess. 4 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Hochstetler Family <b>Pray:</b> ConneXions Schools in China</p>	<p>17 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 62-64 1 Thess. 5 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Hoffman Family <b>Pray:</b> Business Communities, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>18 <b>Read:</b> Isaiah 65, 66 2 Thess. 1 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Holden Family <b>Pray:</b> Middle Classes, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>19 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 1, 2 2 Thess. 2 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Holderead Family <b>Pray:</b> Urban Communities, Indo-Iranians, South</p>	<p>20 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 3, 4 2 Thess. 3 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Pauline Hollamby <b>Pray:</b> Pashtun Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>21 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 5, 6 1 Timothy 1 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Hoover Family <b>Pray:</b> Aimaq Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>22 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 7, 8 1 Timothy 2 <b>Memory:</b> John 17:11 <b>Pray:</b> Julie Hoss <b>Pray:</b> Baluch Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>
<p>23 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 9, 10 1 Timothy 3 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Hufnagle Family <b>Pray:</b> ConneXions Schools in India</p>	<p>24 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 11-13 1 Timothy 4 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Jenkins Family <b>Pray:</b> Brahui Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>25 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 14-16 1 Timothy 5 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Jimenez Family <b>Pray:</b> Persian Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>26 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 17-19 1 Timothy 6 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Jeff Katzer Family <b>Pray:</b> Hazara Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>27 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 20-22 2 Timothy 1 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Joel Katzer Family <b>Pray:</b> Mazanderani Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>28 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 23, 24 2 Timothy 2 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Mark Katzer Family <b>Pray:</b> Tajik Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>	<p>29 <b>Read:</b> Jeremiah 25, 26 2 Timothy 3 <b>Memory:</b> Deut. 31:8 <b>Pray:</b> Matt Katzer Family <b>Pray:</b> Kurd Peoples, Indo-Iranians, Southwest</p>

# DEVELOPING A DAILY DEVOTIONAL LIFE

## **BASIC POINTS (DISCIPLINE WEIGHS OUNCES, REGRET WEIGHS TONS):**

**1. Do something.** An hour is 60 times better than a minute. But a minute is infinitely better than nothing. Establish a routine.

**2. Daily.** Israel ate manna daily. Jesus is our true Manna from heaven. Set aside time.

**Initial target: 15-30 minutes a day, every day.** Set aside a place. Put God first. Wrap the other events of your life around your time with God.

## **THE BASIC ELEMENTS OF A DEVOTIONAL TIME:**

**Thanksgiving, praise, worship** (Ps. 150:6). Focus on God first.

**Repentance and confession of sin** (1 John 1:9).

**Scripture praying** (e.g., Eph. 1:16-23) **and confession** (e.g., Ps. 91; 121; 133).

**Word** (Ps. 119:11):

Learn a verse a week.

Read 3 chapters a day and meditate on the truths.

Read a devotional (optional).

**Prayer** (Eph. 6:18):

Fellowship with God (1 John 1:3). Talk to Him as a friend.

Petition with thanksgiving (Phil. 4:6; Matt. 6:11):

Authorities (1 Tim. 2:1-4):

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Church

Employer/School

Israel (Ps. 122:6-7)

Prayer list:

Unbelievers you know

Your own family (Acts 16:31)

Your spouse/future spouse

Your children and their (future) spouses

Missionaries/unreached peoples

Your church family

**Wait on God** – be quiet before Him and listen.

**Thanksgiving:**

For who God is.

For what God has done.

For what God is going to do. Thank Him in advance. That is faith.

## **SUGGESTED RESOURCES:**

*My Utmost for His Highest* by Oswald Chambers. Excellent daily devotional.

*Operation World* by Patrick Johnson. Pray for every nation in a year.

*To Enjoy Him Forever* by Malcolm Webber. God's purpose for us is to know Jesus.

*The Arrival Kit* by Ralph W. Neighbour. 11 weeks of daily material (15 min. a day).

*One Minute Bible*. 1 year of Bible study @ 1 minute per day. Great for devotions with teens & children. 1440 minutes a day; can you give God one?

*Smith Wigglesworth Devotional*. Build your relationship with God and your faith.

*Fifty Days Devotional Set* by Rick Joyner. Yield to the heart and purpose of God.

## **Life's Foundations**

Gifting		Fruitfulness		Ministry
Character				
Relationship with God				
Time	Communication			