

# TIPS FOR CHRISTIAN LIFE



Walking with Jesus as a pilgrim on the way to heaven.....

Bible Study Light studies are designed to:

- Build relationship among participants.
- Seek ways to apply the Bible to daily living.
- Discover the Bible is an 'open' book.
- Explore God's great love for us in the Gospel.

## Today's Topic: Christ - The Beginning, The End

Suggested Song: (to be sung or use 1 or more stanzas as an opening prayer)

### **Jesus, Name Above All Names**

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Jesus, Name above all names, Beautiful Savior, glorious Lord, Immanuel, God is with us,  
Blessed Redeemer, Living Word.

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King of Kings, the Bright and Morning Star, Alpha Omega, Almighty God,  
Lord of Lords, Offspring of David, Lion of Judah, Son of God.

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Messiah, Shepherd of Israel, Mighty Deliverer, the Great I Am,  
Jehovah, my Master and Teacher, Wonderful Counselor, Pascal Lamb.

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**The Master's Teaching - We Learn from Jesus' words & example.**

In your small group....

Consider some of the ways Jesus describes Himself in the following passages:

"Son of Man"

Matthew 8:20 -

Matthew 20:17-19 -

Matthew 9:2-7 -

Matthew 20:25-28 -

Matthew 11:18-19 -

Matthew 25:31-32 -

Matthew 16:13-20 -

Mark 14:60-62 -

Other Names - what names does Jesus apply to Himself in these passages....

Mark 5:19 -

Revelation 1:9-18 -

Revelation 22:12-16 -

As you consider Jesus Names, what He says of Himself and what He does.....

Who is He?

What does that mean for us?

God's Support for this Activity in our Christian Life - God's grace is sufficient!

Read John 1:1-5, 10-11. What is the relationship between Christ and all of creation?

Read Psalm 139:13-16. What is the relationship of Christ to my personal creation and the days of my life?

Read Colossians 3:1-4. What is the relationship between Christ and the hope of heaven we share as Christians?

So What? {A way to apply these ideas to Christian living....}

IF it is true that all I am (and all I hope for) is found in Christ alone, what does that mean for daily living?

Consider Matthew 6:24-34. How might this statement of Jesus add to or change your answer to the last question?

Now read Luke 9:23-26. What does this statement of Jesus add?

Prayerfully consider one (1) habit or attitude you would like to invite Jesus to change in your life in the coming year on the basis of this study. Will you ask our Lord to do this in your life?

How might Revelation 22:1-6 be an encouragement in the struggle of living more fully as a disciple of Jesus Christ? How might we use these words to encourage one another?

Closing Prayer