

Walking With God In The Desert

Friendship Women Schedule

Welcome, dear friends, to *Walking With God In The Desert*. We are going to have such a grand adventure together as we go on this journey with Ray Vander Laan in the deserts of south Sinai, Egypt, and Israel. Each week we will watch a video together and discuss what we have just seen. Then, we will have a discussion of what we have studied during the week that prepared us for what we learned on the video. Your next week's assignment will be found in the current week's information. Please note: we are beginning our first week with some extra videos by Ray Vander Laan to prepare us for our journey. We have an exciting time ahead of us. Let's pray we grow in our knowledge of Christ and discover more and more how to experience His living water in tough times.

Wednesday, April 10, 2019

Week 1

DVD Message 1 from That The World May Know - *God Heard Their Cry* - "How Big Is Our God" and "Watch With Me: Israel Leaves Egypt." Take notes on handouts you have received the first day.

This coming week's assignment: Read Introduction pp 7-12, then "Join The Journey" on pp. 13-14. Then, spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery Discussion on pp. 21-25, the Faith Lesson pp. 25-30 and in Day 2 "Two Kinds Of Deserts, pp. 36-40 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 1, 3, and Days 4-5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Week 1.

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

Week 2

DVD Message 1 from That The World May Know - "Join The Journey" and The Lord Reigns: The Red Sea." Take notes on pages 15-16 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read "It's Hot Here and There's No Way Out" from Session 2 on pp. 55-56. Read Did You Know: Hardships and Dangers In The Desert on pp 60-61. Then, spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery and Discussion on pp. 63-66, the Faith Lesson pp. 67-68 and in Day 1, pp. 70-76 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God In The Desert* Discovery Guide. Also read "How Much Shade Did God Provide" on pp. 84-85.

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 2-5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 2. If you have time, don't miss Day 2.

Wednesday, April 24, 2019

Week 3

DVD Message 2 from That The World May Know - "It's Hot Here and There's No Way Out." Take notes on pp 57-58 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read Session Three Introduction "Help Is Here" on pp 101-102. Spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery and Discussion on pp. 107-109, the Faith Lesson on pp. 109-111, Day 4, pp. 131-136 "A Tree Planted By The Water," the Bible Discovery introduction paragraph on p. 112, the Acacia Tree article on pp.125-126, the Ark of the Covenant article on p. 127, and Point To Ponder on pp. 130-131 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 1-3 and Day 5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 3.

Wednesday, May 1, 2019

Week 4

DVD Message 3 from That The World May Know - Help Is Here.

Take notes on pages 103-104 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read "When Your Heart Cries Out" from Session 4 on pp. 143-144. Then, spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery and Discussion on pp. 150-155, the Faith Lesson on pp. 156-157, the article on page 162 "Community Is Essential in the Desert," the Reflection thought on p. 163-164, and Day 3 "God's People Will Face Floods" on pp. 172-177. Close with Ray's Reflection on pp. 181-182 in the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God In The Desert*.

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 1-2 and Days 4-5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 4.

Wednesday, May 8, 2019

Week 5

DVD Message 4 from That The World May Know - When Your Heart Cries Out.

Take notes on pp. 145-146 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read Session 5 Introduction "They Were Not Wandering" on pp 189-190. Then, spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery and Discussion on pp. 195-198, the Faith Lesson on pp. 198-200, Day 1 pp. 202-209 "The Paths We Walk," and the article "When Jesus Walked on p. 212, "Think About It A Highway For Our God" on pp. 220-221, the paragraph on p. 223 "When Stones Make Our Path Difficult," and close with Psalm 34:8-10 at the bottom of p. 232 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 2-5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 5.

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

Week 6

DVD Message 5 from That The World May Know - They Were Not Wandering.

Take notes on pages 191-192 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read Session 6 Introduction "Ears To Hear" on pp. 233-234, Small Group Discovery on pp. 239-243, the Faith Lesson on pp. 244-246, Day 1 "The Way to Green Pastures" on pp. 248-256, the article "God's Words in the Desert" on pp. 259-260, "Our Shepherd Knows The Way" paragraph on p. 273, and Paths of Righteousness article on ppl 275-276 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide..

Optional: Spend more time with the Lord in Days 2-5 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 6.

Today we have our Summer Fellowship Luncheon in the Ventana Room from 11:45-2:00 pm.

Wednesday, May 22, 2019

Week 7

DVD Message 6 from That The World May Know - Ears To Hear. Take notes on pages 235-236 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

This coming week's assignment: Read Session 7 Introduction "There's Hope In The Desert" on pp. 279-280. Then, spend time with the Lord in Small Group Discovery and Discussion on pp. 285-286, Data File "The Feast Of Sukkot" on p. 287, the Faith Lesson on pp. 288-290, the articles on pages 292-293, and 298-299, Day 4 "Meeting God in the Desert Sanctuary" on pp. 308-312, Day 5 "The Desert Path

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Leads Us Home pp. 313-318 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.
Optional: Day-3 of the In-Depth Personal Study Sessions in Session 7.

Wednesday, May 29, 2019

Week 8

DVD Message 7 from That The World May Know - Living There's Hope In The Desert. Take notes on pages 281-282 in *Walking With God in the Desert* Discovery Guide.

