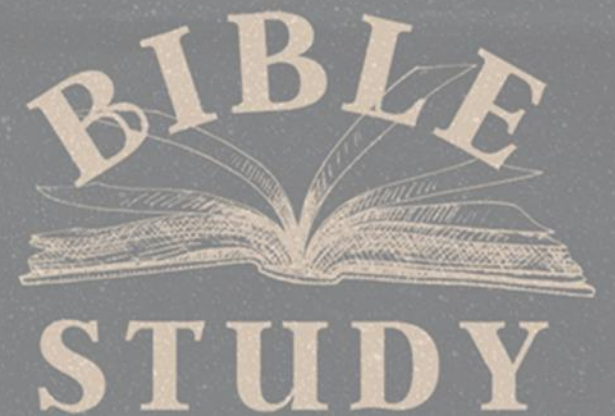




LWC Bible Study Series

Week 5: Preparing Yourself to Lead a DBM Bible Study Part 2



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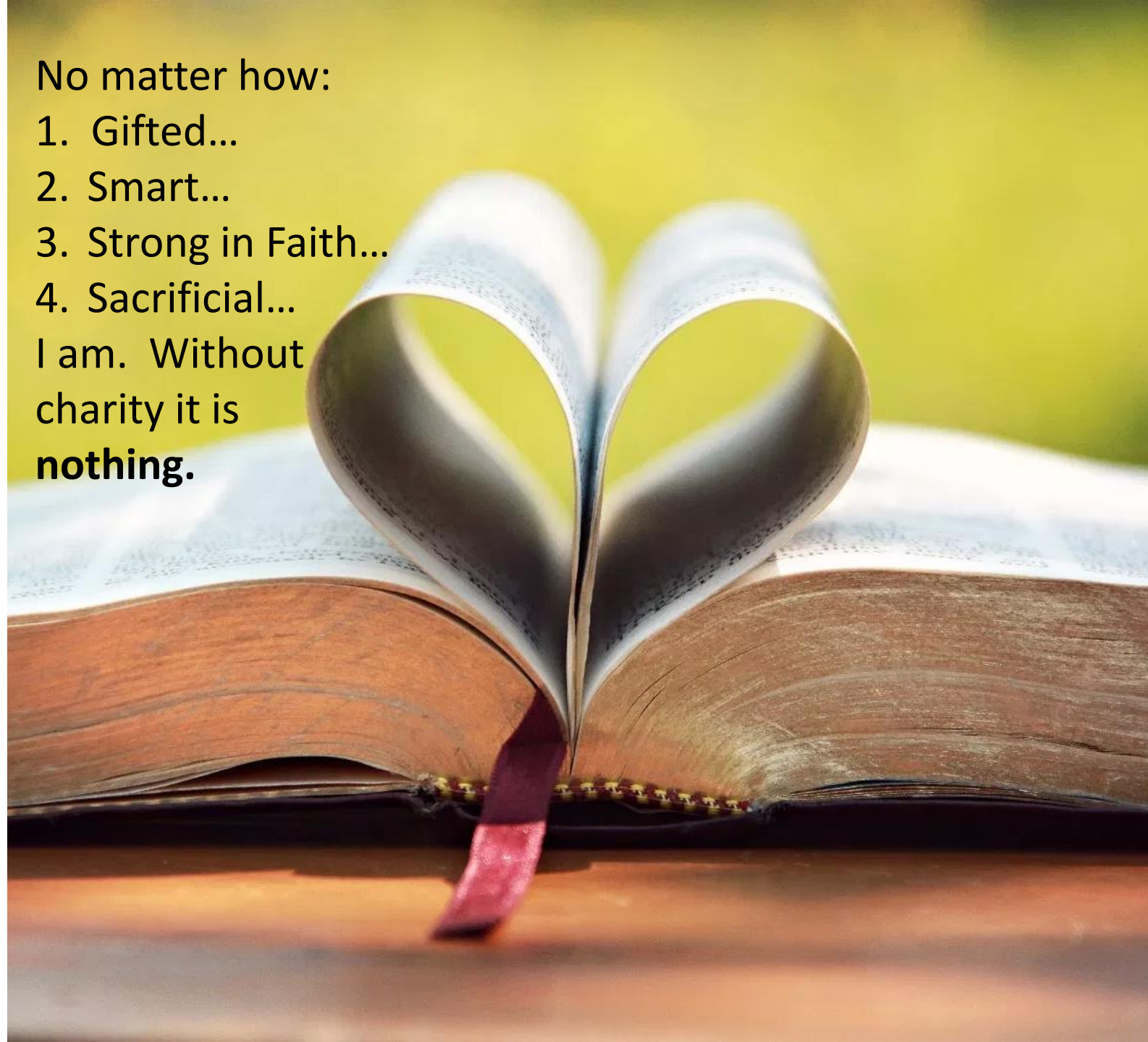
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2. Smart...
3. Strong in Faith...
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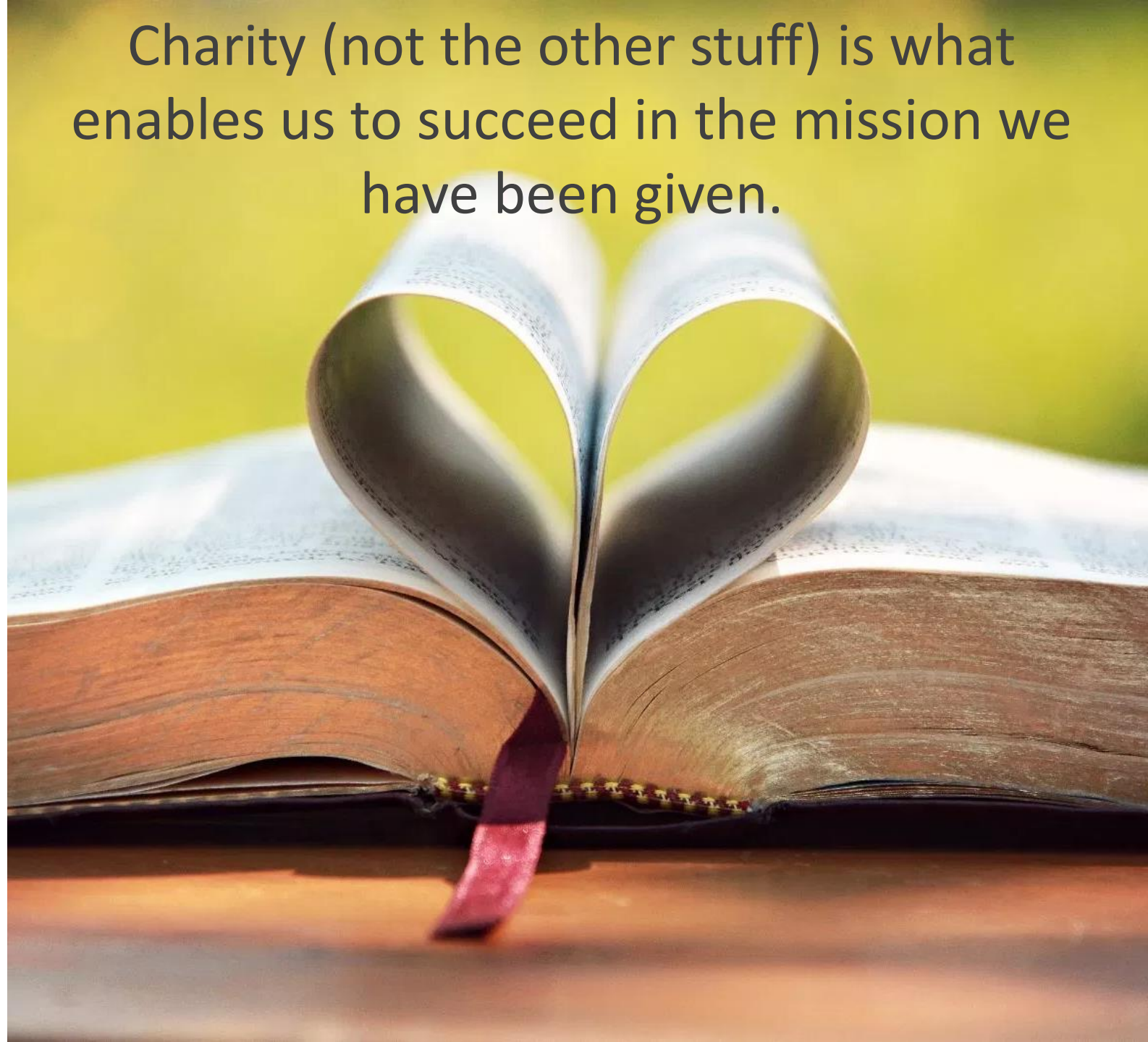
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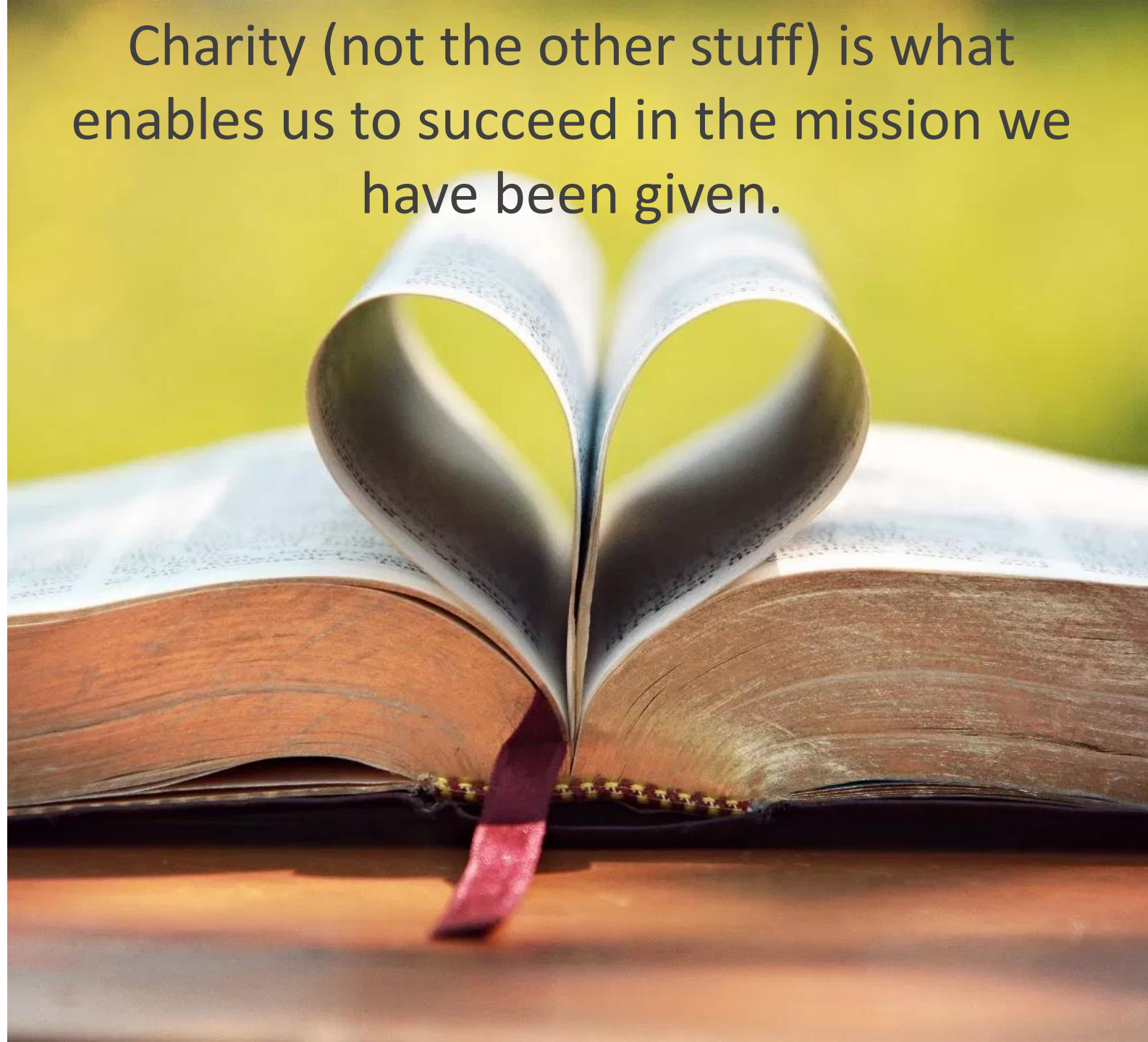


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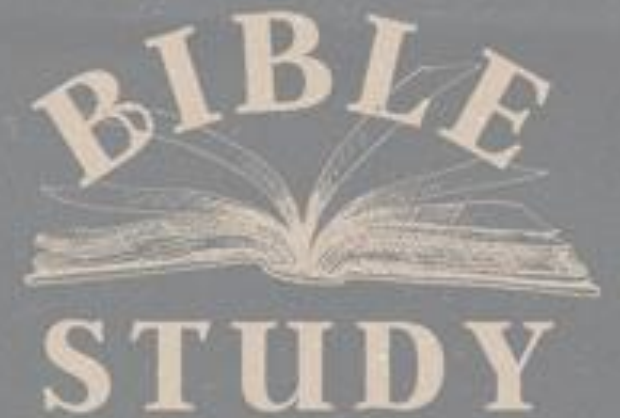
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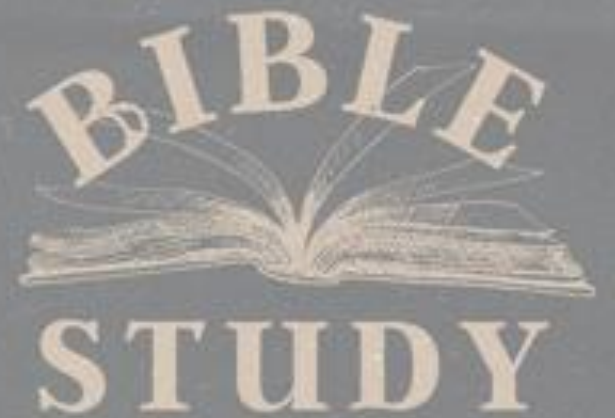
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Key #1: Study the Passage: You have to know the clear meaning of the passage reasonably well. Outline the passage. That is the thing people need to know and understand and apply. Have some cross references or an illustration from scripture ready if needed to answer questions about the passage. (1 Ti 4:16)



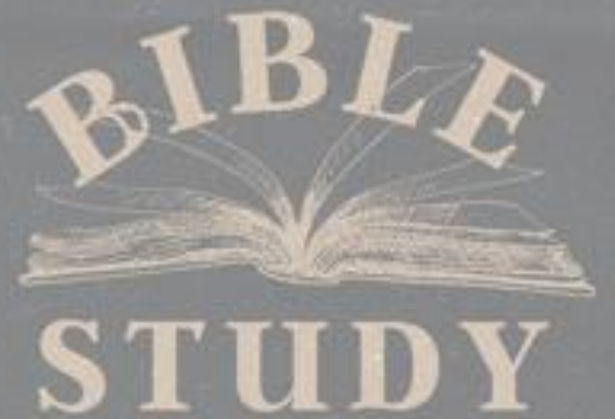
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Key#2: Shhhhh.....: You are not just talking—not just telling what you know (that is, teach based on where you are at). You are listening to understand where they are at. The participants seeing it, not you saying it that is the goal. We will help them see it as much by listening as by talking. (Mark 8 examples).



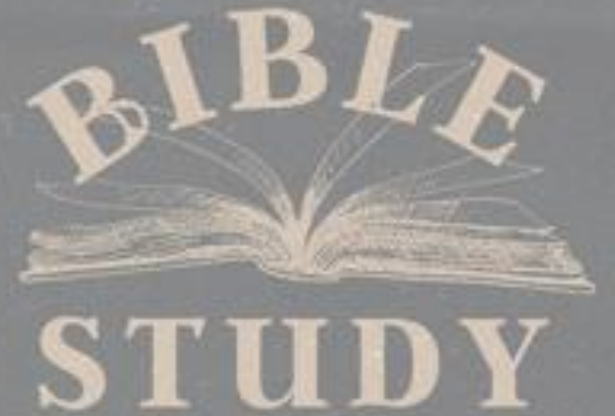
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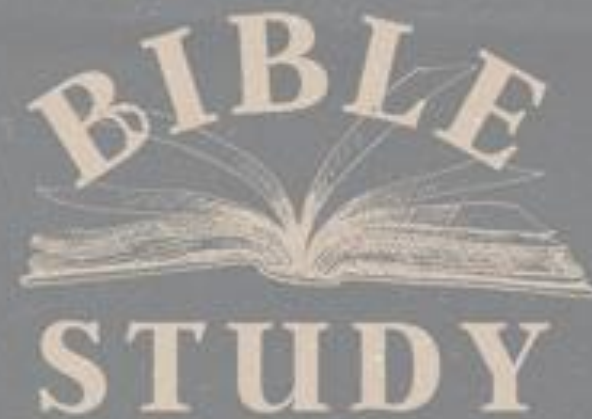
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Key #4: Serve (Like a Waiter): You're leading others into a setting, then facilitating discovery based on where they are at. Remember, it is the Holy Ghost who is the teacher (1 Co 2:13), and the WOG which does a work in us—it divides us as we divide it (Heb. 4:12).



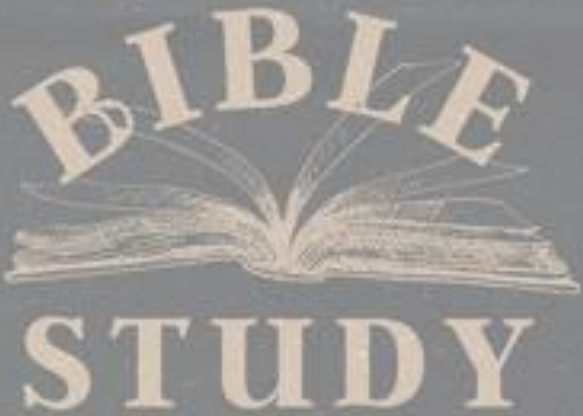
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- Heb 4:12 For the word of God *is* quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and *is* a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

- Invite people to join you. (Luke 14-16-23, Rev 22:17)



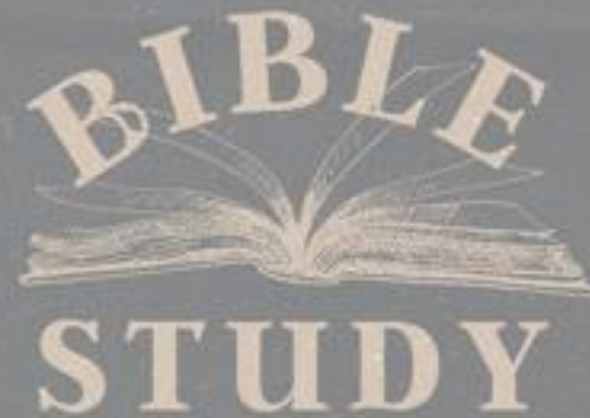
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- Close with prayer as a group and with personal touches (figuratively). Invite people back for the next study. (5 minutes).

