

Know and Do—Going Deeper, week 10: “Questions from Students” (know portion)

Today’s unique lesson doesn’t leave a lot of room for a fill-in-the-blank type handout, so instead feel free to use the empty space below each point to take notes.

Questions on Relationships:

1. When fellow Christians are following something that I know isn’t right, how should I approach them about it?

- 9marks.org
- DesiringGod.org
- ligonier.org
- Gotquestions.org

2. My best friend is bi-sexual, but I love her as a friend, should I still hang out with her?

- “⁹I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people— ¹⁰not at all meaning the sexually immoral of this world, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters, since then you would need to go out of the world. ¹¹But now I am writing to you not to associate with anyone who bears the name of brother if he is guilty of sexual immorality or greed, or is an idolater, reviler, drunkard, or swindler—not even to eat with such a one. ¹²For what have I to do with judging outsiders? Is it not those inside the church whom you are to judge? ¹³God judges those outside. ‘Purge the evil person from among you.’”—**1 Corinthians 5:9–13**

3. How do I express my feelings to someone in a God-honoring way?

- Matthew 6:33; Ephesians 4:15

Questions on Discerning God's Will:

- 1. How do I discern God's will?**

Questions on the Bible/Theology:

- 1. How do I study God's word more deeply?**

- Psalm 1; Psalm 119; Colossians 3:16; Philippians 4:8

- 2. How is Jesus real without the Bible?**

- 3. What does it mean to Go and Tell?**

- “And Jesus came and said to them, ‘All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.’” — **Matthew 28:18–20**

- 4. If sin includes any thought that contradicts God, how is temptation not sin?**
- “But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire. ¹⁵ Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.”—**James 1:14–15**
- 5. What is the difference between total depravity and bad morality? What is the standard?**
- 6. What is the difference between heresy and blasphemy?**
- 1 Timothy 4:1; Galatians 1:6–9
 - Mark 3:29
- 7. How does one generation deal with unfaithfulness passed down from the previous one?**
- 2 Kings 22; Deuteronomy 6; 2 Timothy 2:2

Know and Do— Going Deeper, week 10: “Questions from Students” (do portion)

1. Make a short list of appropriate, God-honoring steps for correcting a brother or sister in Christ who may be falling prey to false teaching.
2. What are some key things to keep in mind when seeking to speak Christ-honoring truth AND show Christ-like love to someone who affirms LGBTQ relationships and/or identify?
3. How should a young person handle a situation in which his/her feelings are not received well by a potential boyfriend/girlfriend?
4. Name three proper avenues for discerning God’s will in your life. How do you know when you are on track with God’s will? How do you know when you are off track?
5. What do you think a person means by saying, “I want to study God’s word more deeply?” What advice would you give this person?
6. It’s possible to show Jesus’ historicity without the Bible but why is the Bible the most important way to understand Jesus (Hint: it’s not simply because it is so well attested in history)?

