



5-Day Bible Reading Plan and Devotional Guide

Based on Revelation 9 and Supporting Themes

Day 1: The God Who Reveals Himself

Read: Romans 1:18-25

God has never left humanity without a witness. Through the created world, through Scripture, and through the inward sense of eternity He has placed in every human heart, God is constantly making Himself known. Ecclesiastes 3 reminds us that God has set eternity in the hearts of men. This is not a small thing. It means that every person, in every corner of the earth, carries within them a God-given awareness that something greater exists. The question is never whether God has spoken. The question is whether we are willing to listen. Today, slow down long enough to hear Him.

Reflection: In what areas of your life have you been ignoring what God has already made clear to you through His Word or through the world around you?

Practical Application: Spend ten minutes outside in silence. Observe the created world around you and allow it to remind you of the character and greatness of God. Journal one specific way God has revealed Himself to you this week.

Day 2: The Danger of a Hardened Heart

Read: Exodus 7:1-5; Romans 2:4-5

The story of Pharaoh is one of the most sobering warnings in all of Scripture. Opportunity after opportunity was extended. Miracle after miracle was performed. And yet, through repeated rejection, his heart became so hardened that he could no longer respond with genuine repentance. Romans 2 warns that it is the kindness of God that is meant to lead us to repentance, and that those who store up stubbornness are storing up wrath for themselves. A hard heart does not happen overnight. It forms slowly, through small refusals, quiet dismissals, and the steady habit of choosing our own way over God's. Guard your heart today.

Reflection: Are there areas where you have grown spiritually dull or resistant? What small refusals have accumulated over time into a pattern of distance from God?

Practical Application: Confess one specific area of stubbornness to God in prayer today. Ask Him to soften your heart and restore a spirit of genuine responsiveness to His Word and His Spirit.



Day 3: Repentance as the Path Back

Read: Jeremiah 18:1-12; Acts 3:19-20

The image of the potter and the clay in Jeremiah 18 is one of the most tender and powerful pictures of God's relationship with humanity in all of Scripture. A flawed vessel does not mean a finished vessel. The potter does not discard the clay. He reworks it. God is always offering the opportunity to turn, to be reshaped, to become something useful and honoring in His hands. The word repentance simply means to change your mind, to turn around, to stop going in one direction and begin going in another. God is not waiting to condemn. He is waiting for you to turn so that He can restore.

Reflection: What does it look like practically for you to turn from your own plans and submit to the reshaping work of God in your life right now?

Practical Application: Write down one specific habit, attitude, or pattern that you know does not honor God. Pray over it specifically and take one concrete step today toward turning away from it and toward obedience.

Day 4: The Urgency of Sharing the Gospel

Read: Romans 10:9-15; Matthew 24:36-44

Jesus made clear that His return would be sudden and unexpected. People would be going about ordinary life, and in a moment, everything would change. This urgency is not meant to produce fear in the heart of the believer. It is meant to produce action. The gospel is still the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes. There are people in your life right now, family members, coworkers, neighbors, whose hearts may still be soft and open. The window does not stay open forever. The same grace that saved you is available to them, but someone must tell them. That someone may very well be you.

Reflection: Who in your life has not yet heard a clear and personal presentation of the gospel from you? What has been holding you back from having that conversation?

Practical Application: Identify one person in your life who does not know Jesus. Commit to praying for them by name every day this week and ask God to open a door for a meaningful conversation about faith.



Day 5: Sealed, Secure, and Sent

Read: Ephesians 1:11-14; John 10:27-30

For the believer, one of the most stabilizing truths in all of Scripture is this: you are sealed. Ephesians 1 makes clear that when you placed your faith in Christ, the Holy Spirit was given to you as a seal, a mark of ownership, a guarantee of what is to come. Nothing that comes against you in this life, no tribulation, no suffering, no spiritual opposition, can remove that seal. You belong to God completely and permanently. This is not a reason for complacency. It is the foundation for courageous living. Because you are secure in Him, you are free to be sent by Him. Go and live like it.

Reflection: How does the assurance of your salvation in Christ change the way you face difficulty, uncertainty, or spiritual opposition in your daily life?

Practical Application: Memorize Ephesians 1:13-14 this week. Each morning, before the demands of the day begin, speak it aloud as a declaration of who you are in Christ and whose you are.