

Women's Bible Study

Who You Say I AM?

He Is the Light of the World: John 9: 1-3

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Intensive Study Questions

1. What is the significance of "light" in the scriptures? What does it represent? Look in concordance for references in OT & NT.
2. When Jesus says, "I am the Light of the world", what does this tell us about him, his character, and his purpose?
3. What was unusual about the healing of this blind man? Why do you think Jesus accomplished this man's healing by a series of actions instead of just by a word as in Mark 2:11?
4. List the stages of progression of understanding of the blind man---- giving him spiritual sight and faith.
5. Jesus said this man's blindness "happened so the work of God might be displayed in his life" in verse 3. What difficulties or suffering are you experiencing that might be opportunities for God to reveal Himself to others through your life? 2 Cor 1:3-4
6. Describe how the healing of the blind man is a picture of salvation. John 14:6; Eph 2:8-9; 2 Cor 4:6; 2 Cor 5:17, etc.
7. What difference did the light of Jesus make in the blind man's life? What difference should our actions make according to Matt 5:14-16; Eph 5:8-14; 1 Pet 2:9? In what ways will you "let your light" shine?
8. Jesus said, "...we must do the work of God while it is day." What opportunity do you need to seize "while it is day" in order to make an eternal difference in someone's life--- family, friend, neighborhood, or workplace? Acts 13:47

