Bible Seminar: Understanding the Bible: Learn to Read

Read Thoughtfully:

- Ask
- Write
- Notate

Read Repeatedly:

- Read Entire Books
- Start at the Beginning
- Read Different Translations
- Listen to the Bible
- Read Out Loud
- Schedule Reading



Read Patiently:

• Why?

• So What?

•	Results of Impatience
•	Be Patient with Yourself
•	Be Patient with the Word
Read Selectively:	
•	Who?
•	What?
•	Where?
•	When?

Read Prayerfully:

- The Bible will deepen your prayer life.
- The Bible will broaden your prayer life.
- The Bible will strengthen your prayer life.

Read Imaginatively:

- Paraphrase the Text
- Find the Big Idea

Read Meditatively:



Read Purposefully:

- Watch for Grammatical Clues
- Watch for Literary Clues

Read to Retain:

Read to Telescopically:

- Context of Paragraph
- Context of Section
- Context of Book
- Context of Bible