

About the Study

The **Grow Kid's Bible Study** was created under the prompting of the Holy Ghost in 2014 for a group of very much-loved children in a Kid's prayer class and Sunday School in order to provide them with a resource to help them develop the habit of daily Bible study and prayer, and in doing so develop their spiritual ears to recognize the voice of the Lord Jesus Christ and grow in their relationship with Him.

It is based on Romans 12 and related scriptures, and is about the Body of Christ, the importance of each member *in* the body, the gifts of the Spirit, the fruit of the Spirit, and also covers the works of the flesh, etc. It was written for **9 - 12 year old children** but can also be used by younger children with a parent's help and is a good resource for families to work through together. Instructions are written into the study, so basically you **READ** and you **DO** what each point says!

Using the Study...to Parents & Students

There are 4 weeks of study with daily work for 5 days per week, but ***please go at your own pace***. Adjust according to your needs and as the Holy Ghost instructs. The purpose is to spend time with the Lord Jesus daily and hear His voice, and that may come at any point as you fellowship with Him!

Each day starts with prayer and ends with prayer, between there are scriptures to be read, questions to be answered, and simple activities to complete.

Please ***Do NOT rush*** through each point—read the Word of God *slowly and thoughtfully* and *think about* the questions that are being asked. This is ***not*** something to check off your list, but is designed to encourage good quality time with the Lord Jesus Christ. Fellowshiping with our Lord daily is vital to the spiritual growth for children of all ages.

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If you are the parent of a younger child helping them work through the study, be patient with your *precious little ones*; don't rush them but gently guide them through the work. As much as possible, let *them* do the reading and writing; if they cannot write yet, let them verbally share their thoughts and *you* write it down *for* them. Allow them to color/draw a picture of what they sense throughout the study time. You may be surprised at the insight the Lord Jesus gives to children.

Older children will be writing out portions of Romans 12—again if your child cannot yet write, then work with them on memorizing that chapter or a portion of that chapter. Whatever works for your individually!

This study is nothing fancy, but a simple tool to help you grow in your relationship with the Lord Jesus—and you *will* grow if you spend time with Him! Those who have worked through this study in the past experienced much spiritual growth and built a good foundation for future growth as well. Once you begin to hear the voice of the Lord for yourself, you will no longer need to be reminded to read your Bible and pray—you will WANT to do those things!

May God richly bless you as you work through this study! He is looking forward to spending time with you!

Much love and prayers for you all.

*Your Sister In Christ
—Denise Horn*



Grow Kid's Bible Study - Week 1

Day 1



Good Morning! Each day before you begin, ask the Lord to bless your study time and speak to you through His word today. Do that now and when done place a check here.

We are going to be studying **Romans 12** over the next few weeks. This book is an "epistle" which is a **letter** written to the body of believers (**the church**) who lived in **Rome**.

Open your Bible to **Romans 1**. Most Bibles will list the author of the book at the top of the page. Who wrote the book of Romans? Write your answer here _ _ _ _ _ .

(See bolded words above for help answering Questions 1 & 2.)

1. An epistle is a _ _ _ _ _ written to the _ _ _ _ _ .
2. This particular epistle is written to the believers who lived in _ _ _ _ _ .

Now, read **Romans 12:1-21** slowly and thoughtfully.

3. Write down just one verse that stands out to you today as you read.

PRAYER POINT: Right now, take a moment to thank God for His word and ask Him to give you a deep desire for it every day. Also say a prayer for the church today and for the pastors. If you want, you can record what you say here.

That's it. . .you're done! Be blessed today!