

WOMANLY WISDOM COURSES

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Scripture: I Thessalonians 4:9-12

⁹ But as touching brotherly love ye need not that I write unto you: for ye yourselves are taught of God to love one another.

¹⁰ And indeed ye do it toward all the brethren which are in all Macedonia: but we beseech you, brethren, that ye increase more and more;

¹¹ And that ye study to be quiet, and to do your own business, and to work with your own hands, as we commanded you;

¹² That ye may walk honestly toward them that are without, and that ye may have lack of nothing.

Out of these verses we find seven Womanly Wisdom (WW) Courses:

Introduction to Increasing—WW 101

Symposium on Study—WW 102

Psychology of being Quiet—WW 201

Orientation to Doing your own Business—WW 202

Principles of Working with your own Hands—WW 301

Beginning/Advanced Walking Honestly—WW 302

Doctrine of Lacking Nothing—WW 401

Womanly Wisdom Course Requirements:

Increase in Bible reading and studying and increase in practical

knowledge

Learn to study

Practice quiet for self and family

Master your own lifestyle (business)

Work with your own hands

Walk honestly

Lack nothing

COURSE ONE

It is very important that you read your Bible completely through each year. This is a discipline that is vital for a victorious Christian.

Visit this web site for a copy of a Daily Bible Reading Schedule—

Isaiah4t31.wordpress.com.

Our King James Bible needs to be championed. It is written on an 8th grade reading level. Those that say they cannot understand it are rather bashful after you tell them what reading level it is.

Consider Shakespeare, a contemporary of King James. He wrote to inspire with a vocabulary of 32,000 words. Our King James Bible was written to be understood with a vocabulary of 8,000 words.

Have you ever heard of Shakespeare being updated? Of course not! The update version of the famous quote, “Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears...” might be something like, “Yo, people, listen up.”

The next six courses will not be discussed due to our time limits.

An additional thought for those who read their Bible every year.

Many times we do read very quickly through the precious Word of God. I was very impressed of the Lord on January 1, 2014 to write the New

Testament one chapter per day. Following my Daily Bible Reading Schedule I completed the New Testament in September. For the first three weeks my hand would get very tired and then it was fine. Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts were written in five composition books. I was given a beautiful large composition book and Romans through Revelation are in that one large book. For the remainder of 2014, I am writing Proverbs and will be able to write that precious book three times!!! The last few weeks of the year I am going to write Habakkuk, my favorite book!! It has been a delight to practice penmanship as I write each daily chapter. 2015 will begin a three year plan to write the Old Testament.