

The Bible at 3000 Feet The Big Picture

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS SUNDAY 27 APRIL 2025

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Key Verses: 2 Timothy 3:16-17, Hebrews 4:12,

Luke 24:27

GETTING STARTED

The Bible is more than just a book—it's God's grand story and personal message to humanity. At 3000 feet, we can see how it all fits together: creation, fall, redemption, and restoration—all centred on Jesus.

Discussion Questions:

 What has your relationship with the Bible been like recently—regular, occasional, or distant?

 When you think of the Bible as a whole, what words come to mind? Confusing? Life-giving? Overwhelming?

INTO THE WORD

2 Timothy 3:16–17 reminds us that all Scripture is God-breathed—from Genesis to Revelation. It's useful for teaching us truth, correcting us when we stray, and equipping us for every good work.

Hebrews 4:12 shows us that God's Word is alive and active, able to cut through to the very core of who we are.

Luke 24:27 gives us a glimpse of Jesus explaining that all Scripture ultimately points to Him.

Discussion Questions:

 What do these verses say about the nature and power of the Bible?

 How do you think seeing the Bible as one big story about Jesus might change the way you read it?

GOING DEEPER

The Bible is not a rulebook or random collection of writings—it's a unified story. Reading it with a "big picture" lens helps us grasp God's purpose and His heart. Begin by asking:

- What does this passage reveal about God?
- How does it connect to the larger story of Jesus?

Try reading whole books at a time, or using a Bible app plan (like YouVersion) that traces the story of Scripture.

Discussion Questions:

- What's one way you can begin reading the Bible more consistently or intentionally this week?
- What part of the Bible do you want to understand better—and why?

PRAYER

Father, thank You for giving us Your Word. Help us to see the Bible not as a task, but as a treasure—alive and active, pointing us to Jesus. Teach us to read with understanding, to be equipped for every good work, and to love Your Word more deeply each day. Amen.