Simplified Discovery Bible Study Method

Please see source: www.dbsguide.org

No preparation or homework!

Most important: **Everything said must come directly from the passage** (no, "I heard someone say...", or "I on Facebook ...").

7 Questions – see right

3 min video (on main page DDBSGuide.org)

<u>Discovery Bible Study Overview</u>

A way to introduce people to God and His Word.

Sample Passages from DBSGuide.org

- 1. God Creates Genesis 1:1-25
- God Creates Man and Woman
 Genesis 2:4-24
- Man and Woman Eat the Fruit
 Genesis 3:1-13
- 4. God's Curses Genesis 3:14-24
- 17. Jesus and the Religious Leader <u>John</u> 3:1-21
- 18. Jesus and the Samaritan Woman

 John 4:1-26, 4:39-42
- 19. Jesus and the Paralyzed Man <u>Luke</u> 5:17-26
- 20. Jesus Calms the Storm Mark 4:35-41
- 21. Jesus and the Man with Evil Spirits
 Mark 5:1-20

Questions

[*-questions appropriate after the group has met for some time]

1. Share

- To begin, each person answers,
 "What are you thankful for?
- *What's causing you stress?
 *Who needs our help? How can this group help them?

2. "From last session ...? [skip if 1st time]

[Recap last passage],
 "How did your, 'Do differently' and
 'Tell others' go from last time?"

3. Read, Re-tell

- "Could you please read today's Bible passage out loud?" [rest follow along]
- "Can someone retell the passage in their own words?" [others fill in missing]

4. Look - Vertically

 Review passage, "What does passage say about God, Jesus, His plan?"

5. Look - Horizontally

 Review passage, "What does passage says about us, humans?"

6. Look - In

 "If this is truth, what am I doing well and what do I need to do differently in my life?"

7. Look - Out

- "Who needs to hear today's story, and how can I tell them?"
 - "Would you like to meet again for another passage?"
 *-Who can I invite to study the Bible?