

Apologetics 101

Inductive Bible Study Worksheet

An inductive Bible study involves deductive reasoning (the process of reasoning from one or more statements (premises) to reach a logically certain conclusion) it typically takes three steps in the process: observation, interpretation, and application. An inductive study is seeking to supply strong evidence for the truth of the conclusion. Select any scripture from today's lesson and follow all the steps listed in this worksheet.

I. **OBSERVATION** Author? The Author was the Apostile Paul Audience? Written to the Church of Corinth What is happening? The Apositle Paul is teaching the church pf Corinth that the ways of God are diffrent than the ways of the natrual person they are spiritual an they must be discerned spiritually Where is this happening? it is happening in corinth 40 miles from athens paul wrote in ephesus When is this happening? around 53-54 ad Why is this happening? their is division in the church diffrent groups are forming How is this happening? the division is happening What does the passage say? (Make lists, identify: contrasts, promises, & commands) **General Observations** Significance Trust IN God God is Spiritual Ask lots of questions of the passage Question? **Findings** Paul is teaching us that the peopel need to trust God and learn his ways RECORD YOUR KEY WORDS (What are the words and phrases that stood out to me) **Key Word** Definition spiritual discernment God is Spirit

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II. <u>INTERPRETATION</u>

Record the context of the passage. How do the verses before and after the passage help you understand the passage?
1 Corinthians 2:14 (ESV) The natural person does not accept the things
of the Spirit of God, for they are folly tohim, and he is not able
to understand them because they are spiritually discerned
What is the overall theme of this chapter? Gods wisdom .
His ways are greater than ours we must see things in the spirit because God is spirit .
What does it mean? It Means that the human perspective is diffrent than Gods we humans see thinga from a wordly perspective
Record your summary of the meaning in this passage: we must learn to discern spiritually the spirit of God is different than man ways of thinking. we must learn
to follow Christ
III. APPLICATION What does this passage mean to me? it means that i must pray and adopt chrirst mind . walk in the ways of the spirit of God
How will I apply this to my Christian walk with Christ? Read the word of God and obey its commands