



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? \_\_\_\_\_

Audience? \_\_\_\_\_

What is happening? \_\_\_\_\_

Where is this happening? \_\_\_\_\_

When is this happening? \_\_\_\_\_

Why is this happening? \_\_\_\_\_

How is this happening? \_\_\_\_\_

What does the passage say? (Make lists, identify: contrasts, promises, & commands)

General Observations

Significance

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Ask lots of questions of the passage

Question?

Findings

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

RECORD YOUR KEY WORDS (What are the words and phrases that stood out to me)

Key Word

Definition

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**II. INTERPRETATION**

Record the context of the passage. How do the verses before and after the passage help you understand the passage?

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What is the overall theme of this chapter? \_\_\_\_\_

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What does it mean? \_\_\_\_\_

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Record your summary of the meaning in this passage: \_\_\_\_\_

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**III. APPLICATION**

What does this passage mean to me?

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How will I apply this to my Christian walk with Christ?

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