

Ladies Bible Study for January 26th

Read and Study 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Reread 1 Thes. 4:13-18 to remind yourself what events Paul is talking about.

Verse 1: The Thessalonians are asking Paul TWO questions about the events in Chapter 4. What are they? (You may need to examine different bible translations to find them. List the different words you find.)

Verse 2: Paul ends verse 1 & begins verse 2 with a particular sentiment. What was he expressing to them?

He continues in verse 2 with the phrase “Day of the Lord”. What is the “Day of the Lord” and/or what is it referring to? (See verses Joel 2:31; Obadiah 1:15; Malachi 4:5 and any others you find)

How will the Day of the Lord come? _____

What does that phrase mean?

Verse 3: Who are “they” or “the people” this verse mentions? _____

How are they living their lives?

And then...(write down the rest of the verse)

Verses 4-5: First word of verse 4: _____. This word often contrasts what our lives would be like without Christ to what our lives are like with Christ. So, what are the 2 options based on what you’ve just read and what verses 4-5 say?

What do “day” & “light” refer to in this verse?

What do “darkness” & “night” refer to?

Verse 6-7: Paul lists some actions the Thessalonians (and us) need to take to prepare for the Day of the Lord. What are they?

What could “sleep” mean in this verse? What could “drunk” mean?

Verse 8 uses some battle terms. What are we (and the Thessalonians) preparing for? (Hint: Ephesians 6:10-18)

Verse 9: As believers in Christ Jesus, what has God chosen for us?

And, what has He not destined us for?

Verse 10: What has already happened to make the above fate possible whether we are dead or alive at the appointed time?

Verse 11: Paul exhorts the Thessalonians (and us) to do what?

Write down the “comfort” you could share with someone today.

BONUS...on YouTube look up Forrest Frank & Josiah Queen—JESUS IS COMING BACK SOON (Official Lyric Video). Read the words as they sing and try to keep your hands in your lap! 😊