

# inductive bible study for young people

n., pl. youths (yūths, yūTHz) the condition or quality of being young.

## **Bible Study for the next generation...**

Do you have questions about life that aren't being answered at all? Real answers are needed when we are faced with real questions. Our Bible study materials show you how to unlock God's Word for yourself. It's serious study, that enables you to get serious about your walk with God. Get the big picture and take up the challenge of discovery ... it will last a lifetime.

## **Try it for yourself...**

Scroll down for a 'Lightning' or bitesize study, on Psalm 1. Just follow the instructions and see how easy it is to study the Bible and discover truth.

## **Youth Weekends and Events...**

Want to know more about how to start studying God's Word with friends? Maybe you're a youth worker and want to offer your young people good Bible study and teaching. If you're interested, get in touch with us at the office on: **01722 770028**, and we'll work out how we can help.


**Whether you are a young person at school, college or university; or you are young in the faith, we'd love to hear from you.**



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## Watched over and stable

**Psalm 1 teaches us about security and stability by contrasting two ways of life and two destinies. Follow the instructions below and discover how you can be firmly planted.**

**Read** Psalm 1 and put a circle  around all references to 'the man' including pronouns 'his, he' and the synonym 'righteous'.


### Psalm 1

- 1 Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers.
- 2 But his delight is in the law of the LORD and on His law he meditates day and night.
- 3 He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.
- 4 Not so the wicked. They are like chaff that the wind blows away.
- 5 Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.
- 6 For the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

- What does 'the man' not do v1?
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- What does he do v2?

**INSIGHT:** The word 'meditates' in the original Hebrew language suggests a vocal activity and not just a mental one; God's Word is to be studied, memorised and spoken out loud.

- How is he described v1 and v3?
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**Read** Psalm 1 again and put a box  around all references to 'the wicked', including synonyms 'sinners, mockers' and pronoun 'they'.

- How are the wicked described v4?

**INSIGHT:** Chaff is the dry seed cases that are discarded as worthless when cereal crops have been harvested.

- What is the conclusion the Psalmist comes to about the wicked (sinners) v5 & 6?
- Summarise the 2 things that make the difference in the life of the man who is blessed:

V 1  
V 2

### Reflect:

- How will you know if the advice (counsel) you are getting is right?
- What can you do to ensure you remain firmly planted?

