

Session 4

WHO IS GOD?

MONTHLY VERSE

Who among the gods is like you, Lord? Who is like you—majestic in holiness, awesome in glory, working wonders? You stretch out your right hand, and the earth swallows your enemies. In your unfailing love you will lead the people you have redeemed. In your strength you will guide them to your holy dwelling. Exodus 15:11–13 NIV

MONTHLY QUESTION

What is one thing this month you are proud of?

CONTENT

Read **one** of the following books, as assigned by your mentors:

The Knowledge of the Holy by A.W. Tozer (Chapters 1–11) - OR - *The Cure* by Thrall, McNicol, and Lynch (Chapters 1–3)

ASSIGNMENTS

Book Content

Use the Book Reflection Guide to capture the highlights. Come ready to discuss what you've learned with the group. Print a copy for everyone if you're able.

Scripture Reading

John 1–11.

Deeper Dive

If you would like to dive deeper into this topic, either now or after you complete this group, consider the following resource:

Knowing God by J.I. Packer

Scripture READING

READING THROUGH THE BOOK OF JOHN

BACKGROUND

The Gospel of John was written by the apostle John. He wrote with the Gentiles (non-believers) in mind, desiring they “believe that Jesus is the messiah, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in his name.” (John 20:31). John’s Gospel is distinct, written from a more reflective viewpoint, versus the descriptive viewpoint of the other three Gospels.

AS YOU READ

Read actively. Highlight sections that stand out to you. Write questions in the margins of your Bible, in a note on your phone or tablet, or in a journal.

Review. Begin reading by reviewing what you read and noted the day before.

Choose a verse or phrase. Each week, choose one verse or phrase from your reading that stands out to you. It may be something you are intrigued by, something that makes you uncomfortable, something that resonates with you, or something you want to examine further. Write it down and then answer these questions:

- What strikes you about this verse or phrase?
- How can you apply it to your life?

SESSION 4 READING PLAN:

- **WEEK 1:** Read John 1-3.
- **WEEK 2:** Read John 4-6.
- **WEEK 3:** Read John 7-9.
- **WEEK 4:** Read John 10-11.