## A Quick and Easy Daily Devotional For the Week of December 7 to December 14, 2008

Each Day: Read the Verse.

**Answer** the Questions ACCORDING TO THE VERSE. Use them to help you **listen** to God. If God uses it to speak to you, **Memorize** it!

Spend some time before, during and after to talk to God about these things.

Thank Him for His promises / qualities / etc.

Ask Him for help / clarity / understanding / etc.

Share with Him your thoughts / concerns / fears / struggles / feelings / etc. If it leaves you with guestions or wanting more, Read the Chapter!

Sunday, December 7 James 2:14-18 How do faith and works relate to each other? What does God call us to do? Which of these needs do you encounter? What are some specific actions that you can take?

Monday December 8 Joshua 18:1-7 What were the Israelites doing? How many Israelite tribes had not received their inheritance? Why hadn't they received what God had promised? What are some reasons why you wait for something? What are some things that God has promised you hat you haven't collected on? Why? Ask God to help you to claim what He has promised you.

Tuesday December 9 Psalm 42:3-8 When was the last time that you felt like this author? How did the author come out of depression and anxiety? When was the last time that you had a spiritual 'high' time and then crashed? What are some things that brings your spirits down? What is a promise that God gives in this passage?

Wednesday December 10 Luke 1:26-38 How did the angel describe Mary? How did Mary respond? What is the main point of verse 37? What are some 'impossible' things in your life? Would you be 'highly favored'? Why or why not? Thursday December 11 Psalms 25:1-7 What does God promise in this passage? What does this tell us about God? What is our responsibility? What does this tell us about past mistakes? What are some past mistakes that you need to leave with God?

Friday December 12 Nehemiah 9:32-37 What are some of the ways that **God** is described? What is Nehemiah asking of **God**? What does this tell us about **God**? What does this tell us about **God**? What does this tell us about **God**?

Saturday December 13 Psalm 31:19-24 What does this tell us about God? How does God respond when we are in trouble? What do we need to do? What does God Promise? What are we encouraged to do?

Sunday, December 14 Matthew 20:20-28 What is happening in this passage? What does the mother ask? What is Jesus' response? Why did Jesus come?

THIS WEEK! Sunday – Beauty and the Bible (Girl's Bible Study 4-6) Monday – College Young Adult Fellowship (1 pm @ LCC) Tuesday – Jr. High Fellowship (6 pm @ CEFC) CHRISTMAS PARTY!!! (Bring a Gift and food!) Wednesday – Sr. High Fellowship (6:30 @ CEFC) Thursday – Sr. High Leadership (LUNCH @ LHS in front of the music room) Thursday – Sr. High Awana (3:30 @ CEFC) Saturday – Blankets for Orphans (Dec 13-14) \$15 per person.

Check out cefcstudentministries.weebly.com or <u>CEFCYouth.com</u> for additional resources and information. New stuff is updated each week! Choose this week's game!