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A daily study guide for those wanting to go deeper

The book of Nehemiah is a companion to the book of Ezra that is written about 120-130 years after the fall of Jerusalem to Nebuchadnezzar in 586 B.C. In the beginning of the book Nehemiah is a cupbearer to King Artaxerxes.

MONDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:1-3

How often do you take a spiritual assessment of your life?

What part of your spiritual life is broken down or has been burned?

Write out your greatest struggle. Write down your prayer for this.

TUESDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:4

What is your response when you see the church as broken down?

What significance does mourning and fasting have for us?

Today consider what is broken and what a proper response should be.

WEDNESDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:5-7

Name the promises God has kept in your life.

Does this sound like it could be your prayer? How?

Let this be your prayer today as you go throughout the day.

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Study Tips:

- Pray before you start. Jesus is called the Word so how better to know Him that to study the word? Ask Him to help you understand and know Him better.
- Highlight and note. Don't be afraid to note your victories and struggles in your Bible. Highlight passages that are especially meaningful to you. These may be a great help later when you need them.
- Look up related passages. The time you invest in understanding the Word as a whole will multiply your devotion and faith. Go Deep!

THURSDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:8-9

God is about redemption. What has He redeemed in your life?

Do you feel more scattered or gathered right now? Why?

Today consider how far God has brought you. What is your response?

FRIDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:10

List God's attributes, His strengths, how he is mighty?

Do you often consider who God is? What might change if you did?

Remind yourself all day of your God's attributes. Thank Him for them.

SATURDAY

READ NEHEMIAH 1:11

What don't you pray about that you should? Why not?

Do you live in your strength? What could happen if you lived in His?

What has God laid on your heart that you need to act upon today?
