

5 year Bible reading plan – week 46

Week 46 - 24/9/17

Monday: Matthew 21:18-32. The tree symbolized Israel and from a distance it appeared to be flourishing but on closer inspection there was no fruit - the qualities of justice, love and godliness marking God's people. Are you bearing fruit that makes you stand out for God?

Tuesday: Genesis 40:1-23. Joseph was presented with the opportunity to serve as God's mouth piece. One seemed easy to say, the other not so. Today, be open to the Holy Spirit and ask him to use you to speak into someone's life.

Wednesday: Judges 21:1-25. The Israelites realized that some provision had to be made for the tribe of Judah. When you look at the way they handled this, do you think it was right? What do you do when faced with a major decision and how much does God feature in your plans?

Thursday: Psalm 36:1-12. Here, the righteous seem to be those who may do evil but generally seek to please God. The wicked are those who, despite good they may do, generally reject God's ways. What aspects of each do you see in your own life?

Friday: Isaiah 44:1-28. As you look back over your life, what foundations did you seek to build your life upon other than the Rock who is God? What has God done in you that might cause you to burst into song?

Weekend: 1 Corinthians 7:25-40. Whether married or single, what do you find gets in the way of being totally devoted to the Lord? What is God asking you to give up, so that he becomes more central in your life?