

The Great Experiment

- “...and the Lord say it...And he saw that there was no man, and wondered that there was no intercessor...” (Is. 59:15,16)
- “I sought for a man...that should...stand in the gap before me...but I found none.” (Ezek. 22:30)

1. Begin by committing yourself to give 30 minutes a day to God for a period of 30 days. This time each day will be spent in the Word of God and prayer. Determine a date when you will begin.

❖ **Starting Date:** _____

2. Select a notebook or journal in which you can record what God says to you, and what God does for you.

3. Determine what portions of Scripture you will read or study. Suggestions:

- Choose a specific book of the Bible to read through
- Choose a specific topic or character that you wish to study
- Read through the book of Proverbs reading the chapter that corresponds with the date (for example on the 10th read chapter 10)

4. As you open God’s Word, be sure to ask the Holy Spirit to guide you (Ps. 119:18).

Look for and record the following things in your notebook:

- A Promise to Claim
- A Principle to Apply
- A Prayer to Offer
- A Pattern to Follow

5. As God speaks to you:

- Personalize the truth - consider the Word of God as it relates directly to you
- Internalize the truth - make specific applications of the Word to your own life
- Verbalize - pray through the truth that you learn in the text
- Mobilize - take the next step of action as directed by Scripture

6. Each day, take the list of the ***Holy Club Questions*** and read through them and allow God to search your own heart and life.

7. Spend time each day in communication with God in prayer. Plead with God for a work of God in your own life, your home, your church, and our nation.

8. Plan a “**Share and Prayer Time**” each week when you join with other men. If you cannot attend, plan a separate time to get together or make a weekly phone call.

❖ **Scheduled Time:** _____

9. Make arrangements with your pastor for a time to give a testimony before your church after the 30 days are completed. Simply tell how this time impacted your life. Realize that God can use you to encourage others to seek the Lord also.

❖ **Date:** _____

10. Ask the Lord to guide you to 2 other men who would join with you during this spiritual exercise. Share it with them and be in prayer for them. Regularly check-up on them to see what God is doing in and through them.