

Lesson 5

Understanding God's Word Part I:

I. Preparation:

1. Mentally: _____ the Bible is God's Holy Word.

2. Spiritually: _____

How should we pray?

_____ of _____.

_____.

II. Observation: (What does this text say?)

_____ - Only read and consider the Bible.

_____ - Take your time, concentrate, and glean everything you can.

_____ - Read from beginning to end, or in a natural progressive order.

_____ - Remember the love that is being shown to you by God in His giving you His Word.

III. Interpretation: (What does this text mean?)

* Consider your _____ (method of interpretation).

EG. "I love Ana."

Dispensationalism –

Covenant theology –