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S.O.A.P.
Scripture Study

S Write down a **scripture** verse.

O Write down your **observations**.

A Write the personal **application** to your life.

P Write out a **prayer** of response.

How to Make a Successful S.O.A.P. Scripture Study

Set aside a quiet time to read your scriptures. If you read in the morning, don't worry, everyone is successful that day. Find a quiet place and begin your scripture study.

S: As you read your scriptures, look for a verse that you want to study in depth. Pray for guidance and ask to be led to the scriptures that can help you in your spiritual progression.

O: Ponder, study your scripture selection and record your observations. You may want to note the verses surrounding the passage you selected, definitions, or patterns in the Bible Dictionary to better know. Share insights you really ponder and pray about what God is trying to teach you through this passage.

A: How does this scripture passage apply to you? Try to tie yourself to your life, your feelings and your experiences. Begin by saying "I will be" and "When all circumstances unite my feeling for them, I should be blessing" (2 Ne. 31:20). As there, consider how can I make to good that I have consideration, can I turn into encouraging?

P: Turn in to communing to conclude a complete prayer, you may want to write down: Things that you want to include in your personal prayer. You may want to make a commitment or set a goal with strengthening or specific attributes. You may want to express gratitude. You may want to pray for personal guidance. Make note of those things in your scripture journal and include them in your personal prayer.