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MANUAL 10 FOR GROUP LEADERS

ENTERING INTO GOD'S KINGDOM

INTRODUCTION AND COPYRIGHT

TRAINING PROGRAMME I

A weekly programme for 3 months. About 2 hours per week. Keep the group small – maximum 8 people. Each programme begins with prayer and ends with responsive prayer and a homework assignment for the next meeting.

- LESSON 13 *Sharing quiet time* (1 Kings 3,11,17,18)
Memorisation (1. The nature of the Church: 1 Peter 2:5)
Teaching (*Entrance into K.* A parable about the condition for entering God's kingdom)
The wedding banquet (Matthew 22:1-14)
- LESSON 14 *Sharing quiet time* (2 Kings 5,6,17,25)
Memorisation (2. The activities in the Church: Acts 2:42)
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 4:1-17a)
- LESSON 15 *Sharing quiet time* (2 Chronicles 16,18,20,26)
Memorisation (3. The ministries of the Church: Ephesians 4:12-13)
Teaching (*Entrance into K.* Parables about the responsibility for entering God's kingdom)
The two sons (Matthew 21:28-32) + the barren fig tree (Luke 13:1-9)
- LESSON 16 *Sharing quiet time* (2 Chronicles 32,33,34,36)
Memorisation (4. The tasks of Church leaders: Acts 20:28)
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 4:17b-25)
- LESSON 17 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 1,2,5,8)
Memorisation (5. The glory in the Church: Ephesians 3:20-21)
Teaching (*Entrance into K.* Parables about God's attitude towards the lost in God's kingdom)
The lost sheep (Luke 15:1-7) + the lost son (Luke 15:11-32)
- LESSON 18 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 10,11,14,15)
Memorisation (Review series J "The Christian Church")
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 5:1-11)
- LESSON 19 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 16,18,19,22)
Memorisation (6. Romans 4:5)
Teaching (*Life in K.* A parable about outgoing (visible) love in God's kingdom)
The Good Samaritan (Luke 10:29-37)
- LESSON 20 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 23,24,25,27)
Memorisation (7. Romans 5:1-2a)
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 5:12-21)
- LESSON 21 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 31,32,33,34)
Memorisation (8. Romans 5:3-4)
Teaching (*Life in K.* Parables about humility in God's kingdom)
The reserved seats at the feast (Luke 14:7-14) + the Pharisee and the tax collector (Luke 18:9-14)
- LESSON 22 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 37,38, 40,49)
Memorisation (9. Romans 6:13)
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 6:1-11)
- LESSON 23 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 50,51,58,62)
Memorisation (10. Romans 6:23)
Teaching (*Life in K.* A parable about forgiveness in God's kingdom)
The unmerciful servant (Matthew 18:23-35)
- LESSON 24 *Sharing quiet time* (Psalms 71,73,78,82)
Memorisation (Review 5 verses of Romans)
Bible study (*The Letter to the Romans.* Romans 6:12-23)
- Supplement 4 *Entrance into K.* The narrow gate (Matthew 7:13-14) + the great banquet (Luke 14:15-24)
- Supplement 5 *Entrance into K.* The children sitting on the market places (Matthew 11:16-19; Luke 7:31-35)
+ the weather signs (Matthew 16:1-4; Luke 12:54-56) + the dragnet (Matthew 13:47-50)
- Supplement 6 *Entrance into K.* The lost sheep (Luke 15:1-7) + the lost coin (Luke 15:8-10)
- Supplement 7 *Life in K.* The return of an evil spirit (Matthew 12:43-45; Luke 11:24-26) + the two debtors (Luke 7:40-50)
- Supplement 8 *Life in K.* The defendant (Matthew 5:25-26)
- Supplements Method of interpreting parables: See supplement 1 in manual 9 for group leaders.
Methods of a quiet time, Bible study, meditation and memorisation (See supplements in manual 1).

TRAINING PROGRAMME II

An intensive programme that may be used once a week for a whole day or during an intensive training seminar of six days. Divide the whole group into small groups of maximum seven students with a trained group leader.

Suggested programme

09.00 - 09.30	Worship (in large group)
09.30 - 11.00	Teaching (in large group)
	Break
11.30 - 13.00	Bible study (in small groups)
	Break
16.00 – 17.00	Extra time for completing the teaching or Bible study, for answering questions, or for an extra teaching (in large group).
	Break
17.30 – 17.45	Meditation (in the large group) and memorisation (two by two)
17.45 – 18.30	Bible reading (alone)
18.30 – 19.00	Personal time with God/Quiet time (two by two)
19.00 – 19.45	Sharing quiet time (in large group) and praying (in small groups)

<p>DAY 1 (Lesson 13 + 14)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Entrance into K.</i> A parable about the condition for entering God's kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 4:1-17a)</p> <p>Memorisation (1 Peter 2:5 + Acts 2:42)</p> <p>Bible reading (1 Kings 3,11,17,18; 2 Kings 5,6,17,25)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: 1 Kings 18)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p> <p>DAY 2 (Lesson 15 + 16)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Entrance into K.</i> Parables about the responsibility for entering God's Kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 4:17b-25)</p> <p>Memorisation (Ephesians 4:12-13 + Acts 20:28)</p> <p>Bible reading (2 Chronicles 16,18,20,26,32,33,34,36)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: 2 Chronicles 20)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p> <p>DAY 3 (Lesson 17 + 18)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Entrance into K.</i> Parables about God's attitude towards the lost in God's kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 5:1-11)</p> <p>Memorisation (Ephesians 3:20-21 + Review series J)</p> <p>Bible reading (Psalms 1,2,5,8,10,11,14,15)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: Psalm 2)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p>	<p>DAY 4 (Lesson 19 + 20)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Life in K.</i> A parable about outgoing (visible) love in God's kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 5:12-21)</p> <p>Memorisation (Romans 4:5 + Romans 5:1-2a)</p> <p>Bible reading (Psalms 16,18,19,22,23,24,25,27)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: Psalm 18)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p> <p>DAY 5 (Lesson 21 + 22)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Life in K.</i> Parables about humility in God's kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 6:1-11)</p> <p>Memorisation (Romans 5:3-4 + Romans 6:13)</p> <p>Bible reading (Psalms 31,32,33,34,37,38,40,49)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: Psalm 34)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p> <p>DAY 6 (Lesson 23 + 24)</p> <p>Prayer</p> <p>Teaching (<i>Life in K.</i> A parable about forgiveness in God's kingdom)</p> <p>Bible study (<i>The Letter to the Romans.</i> Romans 6:12-23)</p> <p>Memorisation (Romans 6:23 + Review)</p> <p>Bible reading (Psalms 50,51,58,62,71,73,78,82)</p> <p>Quiet time (Two by two: Psalm 51)</p> <p>Sharing and praying</p>
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POSSIBLE EXTRA TEACHINGS: MORE PARABLES

Supplement 4	<i>Entrance into K.</i> The narrow gate (Matthew 7:13-14) + the great banquet (Luke 14:15-24)
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