



KING'S COPY

YEARLY BIBLE WRITING PLAN

We are happy to welcome everyone back to King's Copy 2024!
We're "doing the write thing" together again this year!

As more and more people have joined us, I wanted to write and tell you a little bit about the King's Copy program. As a church family, we have committed to spend 10 minutes a day writing and meditating on God's word. This year we are focusing on Divine Opposites. We'll look at how God defines things like life and death, beauty and ugliness, truth and error and other themes. Often we'll see how God unites things that the world might call opposites. We'll also see how God's definitions are sometimes completely opposite of how the world looks at an issue. We're glad you're joining us this year!

The King's Copy idea began with David Salisbury at the Henderson Church of Christ in Henderson, KY. As we looked for a plan that would engage people who struggle to keep with a traditional daily Bible reading plan, we discovered several ideas for writing the Scriptures. The King's Copy title comes from **Deuteronomy 17:18-20** where God instructed the king of Israel to write out his own personal copy of the Scriptures. He was to keep it with him and read from it all the days of his life.

God makes four promises about writing Scripture. First, he says it will teach you the fear of the Lord. Writing God's word will help. Second, it will keep you humble. God says writing the scriptures will keep your heart from being lifted above your brethren. There are many difficult ways to learn humility, but this one is fairly painless! Third, writing God's word will help you obey it. Satan does his best to confuse us about what is right and wrong, but spending time writing out the word of God will help keep you from "turning aside from the commandment to the right hand or to the left" (Deut 17:20). Finally, writing the word of God will impact generations of Christians. What you learn in the Bible is not just valuable to you, you'll be able to teach it to the next generation and the one after that.

Because faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God (Romans 10:17), more time in God's word will produce a greater and deeper faith in His people! We want that to be the story of our life in Christ! Thank you for joining with us to "do the write thing" in 2024! If you have any questions, please contact me at david@hcofc.com.

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