

DAILY MEDITATIONS

November 3/4, 2018

Memory Verse When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her."

John 8:7 (NIV)

Monday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Review the sermon outline. Which part of the sermon spoke to you?

What part of the sermon challenged you?

What change do you need to make in your life as a result of hearing the sermon?

Tuesday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read John 7:45-53.

What task did the Pharisees give the temple guards? Did they succeed?

How did the Pharisees respond to the temple guards' failure?

What point did Nicodemus make? How did the rest of the Pharisees respond to him?

Read John 8:1-2.

Where did Jesus go after the Feast (v. 1)?

What did Jesus do at dawn? What does this teach you about his character (keep in mind John 7:45)?

Wednesday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read John 8:3-6.

Who brought in the woman? What was her crime?

Where did they make the woman stand? Why do you think John would include this information?

What did they ask Jesus?

What were the Pharisees and teachers of the law trying to accomplish by asking this?

Read Leviticus 20:10. What does the Law state?

How were the teachers of the law and the Pharisees not obeying the Law they claimed to be following? How did Jesus respond?

Have you ever responded to an enemy in a way they weren't expecting? How did the situation turn out?

Thursday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read John 8:7-9.

What did the Pharisees continue to do as Jesus stooped down in verse 7?

When Jesus stood up what statement did he make? What did Jesus do after making this statement? Why is this significant?

How did Jesus' statement both agree with the Law in Leviticus and at the same time allow for mercy? How did this statement expose the woman's accusers?

How did the crowd respond to Jesus' statement? What is interesting about the way they left? Why do you think they left this way?

Friday – Begin the day in prayer; meditate on the memory verse.

Read John 8:10-11.

What two questions did Jesus ask the woman? How did she respond?

What two statements did Jesus make to the woman?

Read 2 Corinthians 10:1. What words does Paul use to describe Christ's character? How does Jesus' response to the woman in John 8 show this to be true?

Who do you need to show the humility and gentleness of Christ?