



**Women of the Word**

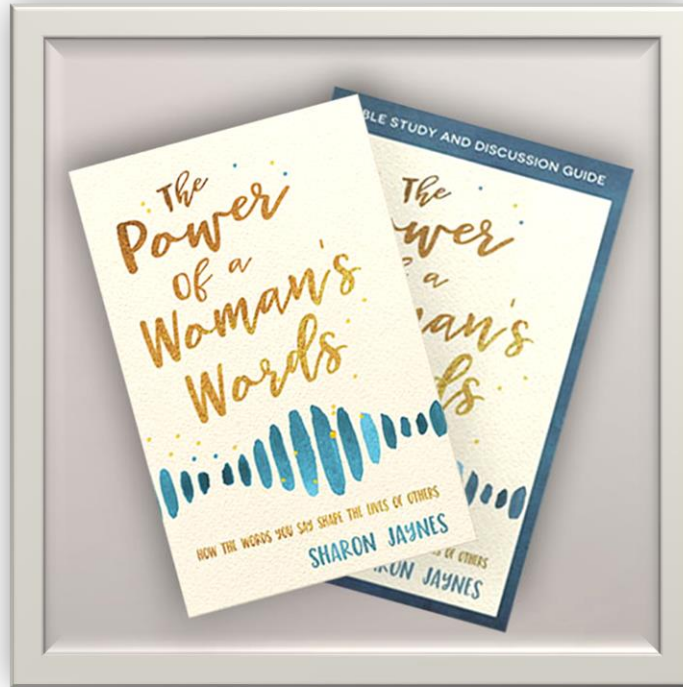
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**Winter/Spring 2024**

Wednesday Morning Classes begin January 10

## **The Power of a Woman's Words**

By Sharon Jaynes



Your words become the mirror in which others see themselves. Words—one of the most significant forces in the universe—can be used for good or evil. Your words can change the course of a day...the course of a life. This class will help you use your words in positive, powerful ways, so that you can...

- instill confidence into a child's heart
- encourage a husband to accomplish his dreams
- fan the dying embers of a friend's smoldering hope
- navigate evolving relationship with adult child
- draw someone to the love of Christ
- open the door to powerful prayer

As a woman, you can explore the power you possess, the people you impact, the potential for change, and the profound possibilities as you harness this mighty force and use it to speak life to those around you.

**Teacher: Bev Miller**

**Wednesday mornings 9:15 – 11:50 am**

**January 10 – May 8**

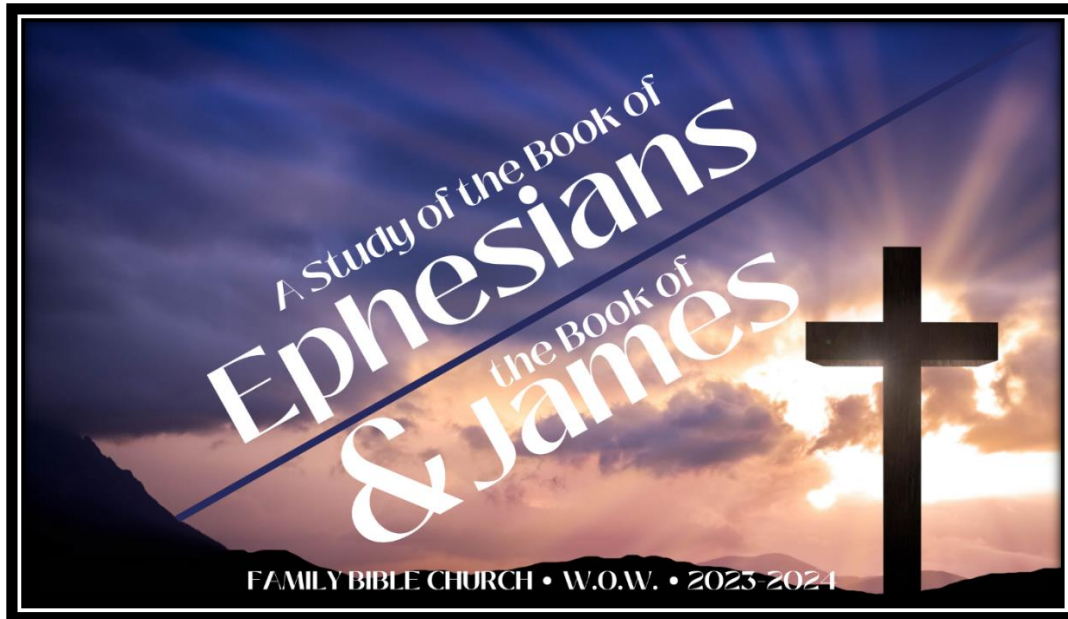
**Books: \$20 includes both book and study guide**

**Children's program available \$10/child or \$15/family per week**

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## **Ephesians and James**

A Cole Ministries Study



*Ephesians* gives us the glorious benefits of knowing our Lord. It can be summarized by three words: SIT, WALK, and STAND.

- Sit-God raised us up with Christ and seated us with Him in the heavenly realms (2:6).
- Walk-I implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling you have received (4:1)
- Stand-Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. (6:11).

Such a timely, encouraging, soul-enriching book!

*James* appropriates Godly wisdom for practical living; a wonderful follow-on to *Ephesians*. "But prove yourselves doers of the word, and not merely hearers who delude themselves." (1:22)

Come and marinate in the rich blessings and practical teachings of these two extraordinary books as we explore them together. \*\*This Bible study is designed to be a yearlong study and we will complete the final chapters of *Ephesians* and begin *James* in February this session. You are welcome to join us even if you did not start in the fall or you can jump in for *James* beginning in February.

**Teacher: Carol Haines**

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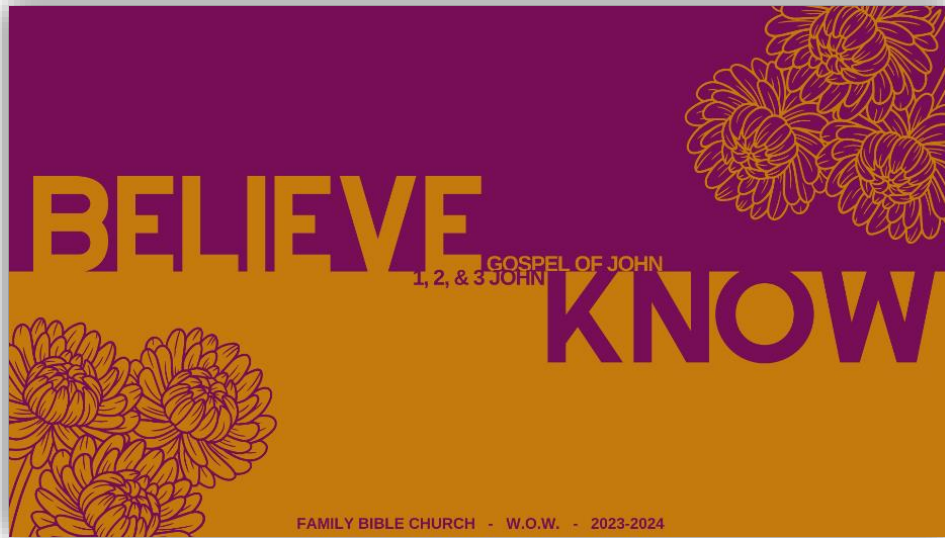
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## The Gospel and Letters of John

A Precept Study by Kay Arthur



*"...One thing I do know: I was blind, but now I see." John 9:25*

Our study of the Gospel and Letters of John is a journey in an intimate walk with Jesus, our Savior. Through the Holy Spirit inspired words of "the disciple whom Jesus loved", this inductive Bible study reveals the heart of Jesus, witnesses His miracles and delights in the security of hearing His own words proclaiming that He is the Resurrection and the Life. He offers us Life to the full. This is Jesus Messiah who dwells within us, and we will journey in this study with Him on His earthly path with the Father to the upper room, to the cross and beyond. This is the One who loves you and delivered Himself up for you.

*John 20:31..."These have been written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that by believing you may have LIFE in His name."*

- *Gospel of John Part 2: The True Vine...One with Him*-January 10 to February 28, 2024
- *1, 2, 3 John*-March 6 to May 8, 2024

\*Precept upon Precept version (4-5 hours/week) or In & Out version (2-3 hours/week) available. Both versions cover the same material each week for class discussion.

**Teachers: Gina Riffel & Ruth Hartman**

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**Book: \$15 for Gospel of John Part 2; \$15 for 1, 2, 3 John**

**Available in-person and on [zoom](#)**

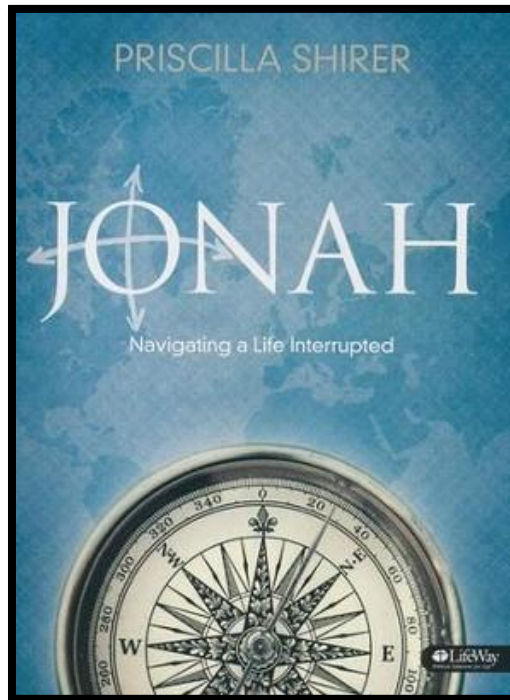
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## Jonah

### Navigating a Life Interrupted

By Priscilla Shirer



What do we do when God interrupts our lives? Many times, like Jonah, we run! In this Bible study, Priscilla redefines interruption and shows that interruption is actually God's invitation to do something beyond our wildest dreams. When Jonah was willing to allow God to interrupt his life, the result was revival in an entire city.

You can't escape life's interruptions. They shock us; they shake us; they compel us to change. But you can change your perspectives on them. Dive into the study of Jonah and discover that what you see as an interruption may truly be God's invitation to a life so much bigger than you can imagine.

*"From inside the fish Jonah prayed to the Lord his God. He said: "In my distress I called to the Lord, and he answered me. From deep in the realm of the dead I called for help, and you listened to my cry."*

**Teacher: Maggie Brady**

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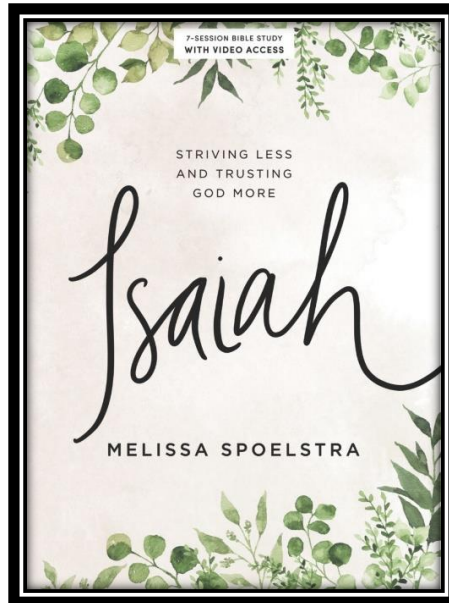
**January 10 – February 28 (another study will follow TBA)**

**Book: \$20**

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*Thursday Evening Class begins January 11*

*Isaiah*  
*Striving Less and Trusting God More*  
By Melissa Spoelstra



Isaiah served as God’s mouthpiece to the nation of Judah but also to the surrounding nations. His message echoes into our lives today as we read his call to rely on the Lord. Using the genres of poetry, narrative, and prophecy, Isaiah communicated clearly that followers of God could trust in Him.

As you study the chapters Isaiah wrote—from his challenging words to the nation of Israel to his prophecies of the Messiah to come—learn to rest in God’s promises and grow in trust. Unpacking Isaiah’s words will reveal that you can trust God more than your own human effort or the counterfeits the world suggests. You won’t be striving harder, but instead trusting more deeply the Faithful One who is so worthy of our utter dependence. In Him you’ll find the comfort and peace you need to sustain you.

- † Learn to trust God for who He is and how He reveals Himself in Scripture.
- † Grow in understanding of the Book of Isaiah and its prophecies.
- † Grasp how Jesus fulfills the promises in the Book of Isaiah.
- † Discover peace in God’s commands, character, and comfort.

**Teacher: Vickie Burns**

**Thursday evenings 6:30 – 8:30 pm on [zoom](#) only**

**January 11 – March 16**

**Book: \$20**

**Children’s program is NOT available**