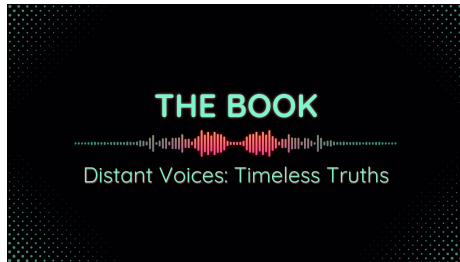


## Life Group Study Notes

January 19, 2025

### THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE

The Torah Story  
Deuteronomy 30:10-15



The first five books of the Bible are known as the Torah, or Pentateuch, and form the first major section of the Bible, giving us the story of creation to the formation of the Nation of Israel.

### Study – Discovering What the Bible Says

1. What is one takeaway or one key idea from last week's study?
2. What book, section, story, or verse in the Bible has had the biggest personal impact on your life? Why?

#### Read Deuteronomy 30:10-15.

3. How does verse 10 demonstrate what repentance looks like? Based on what you know about the culture in which the Pentateuch was written, how common would this language have been?
4. How do verses 11-15 serve as examples of what we learned in last week's study on the Bible being a living text?

5. How do these verses speak to the coming and ministry of Jesus?
6. What was stated in the message about the five books of the Pentateuch and how they are connected?
7. Five points were presented under the heading of The Pentateuch-The Big Picture. What are the five, and take time to discuss each?
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - e. \_\_\_\_\_.
8. What is the "heart" of the Pentateuch? There is a direct relationship between your \_\_\_\_\_, who you \_\_\_\_\_, and how you \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Is there anything additional that you would like to add or discuss?

### Personal Reflection

What did you learn in this study, especially about The Law, that was new to you?

## Coming Next Week

The March of History

Psalm 146

The historical writings of the Old Testament are not only a recounting of Jewish culture and identity but also serve as a wealth of knowledge that has profoundly shaped our world.

### ***The Book: Distant Voices, Timeless Truths*** **A 10-Part Series**

The Bible is the book above all other books. Though it was written long ago, its truths are timeless. It spans multiple generations with spiritual guidance, moral principles, and historical teachings. But most of all, it tells of a faithful God and a Messianic hope that brings salvation and redemption to the world.

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