

## This Year I Will Meditate on God's Word

This week we move on to the fourth resolution in our Resolutions series. We have talked about gathering in worship, forming significant relationships, sharing the gospel, and now we look at meditating on God's word.

1. What is one book that you have read more than once?
2. How would you define meditate?

Read Luke 7:36-50

3. What stands out to you from this incident recorded in Luke 7?
4. How do you think this woman knew that Jesus would accept her and not reject her act of devotion?
5. What do you imagine this woman's life was like after this encounter with Jesus?
6. What do you imagine Simon the Pharisee's life was like after this encounter?
7. The woman had obviously been convicted of her sin. How can you, and how will you study God's word so that you are convicted of the sin in your life?
8. The woman in this story had a right appraisal of who Jesus is, unlike the learned Pharisee. How will you read the Bible this week so that you know more about who Jesus really is?
9. Read 1 John 2:15-17. How can you meditate on God's word this week so that you focus on what is eternal rather than on the "world" that is passing away?
10. What causes you to long for the return of Jesus? How can you increase that longing?