

S.O.A.P. Bible Study
“The Good Samaritan”

S=Scripture: Luke 10: 25-37

O=Observation: After reading the text carefully, answer the following questions: What question was Jesus answering when he spoke the parable? What significance does this have for us as believers? See verses 27 and 28. Do you think Jesus was referring only to the people who live close to you? So, who is your neighbor? Who is the good Samaritan? Why do you think the Jewish priest and Levite did not help the wounded Jewish man? How do you see God’s grace in this parable?

A=Application: Who might you be in this parable? Reflect on an experience when you helped someone in great need, or rescued them, or when you were rescued. How did you experience or witness God’s grace or mercy in the situation? How has this built your faith or relationship with God?

P=Prayer: Write out a prayer based on this passage and specifically thank God for rescuing us from our spiritual ditches so we can help others.