

HOW DO I...

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OBSERVE

WHAT I

AM

READING?

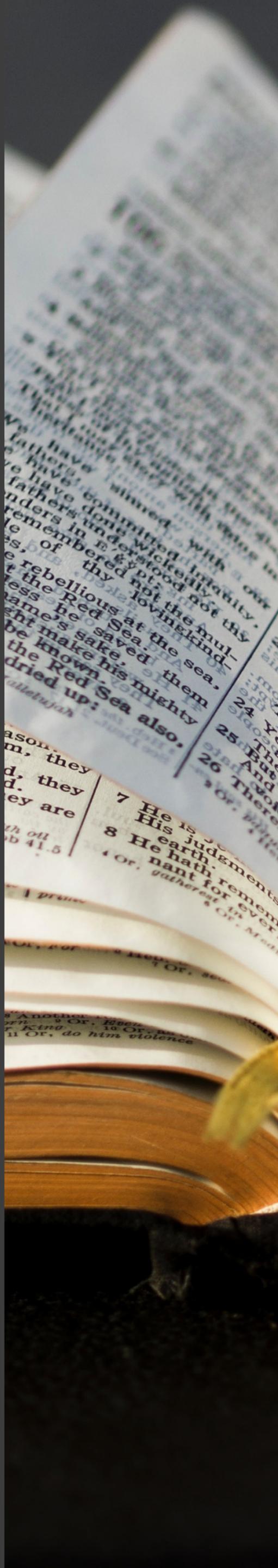
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MEDITATE

ON WHAT

I AM

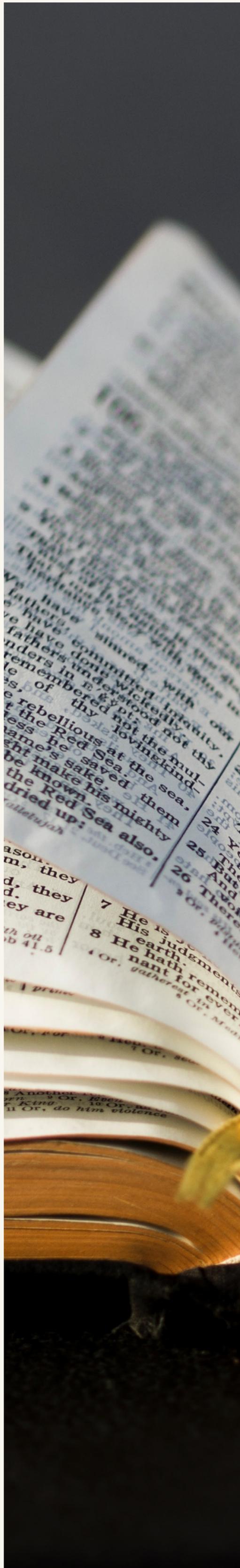
READING?



NOTICE WHEN THE PASSAGE:

1. States its purpose
2. Repeats a term/phrase
3. Relates things—Q/A or Cause and Effect
4. Uses "like"/"as"
5. Says—"but"
6. Gives a principle

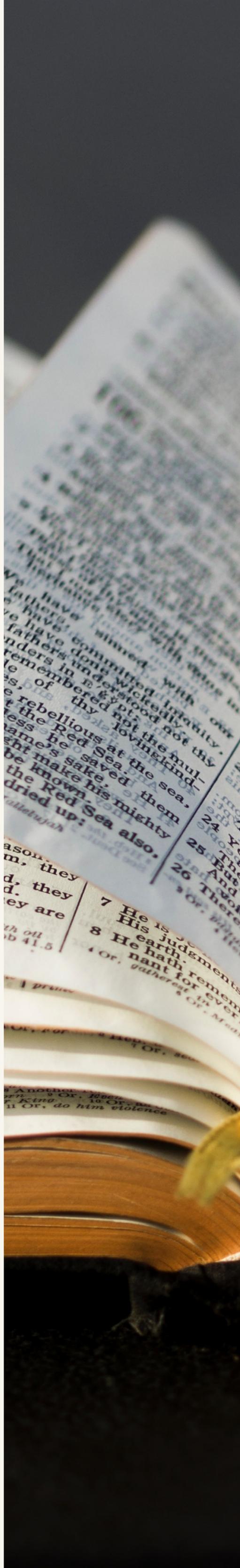
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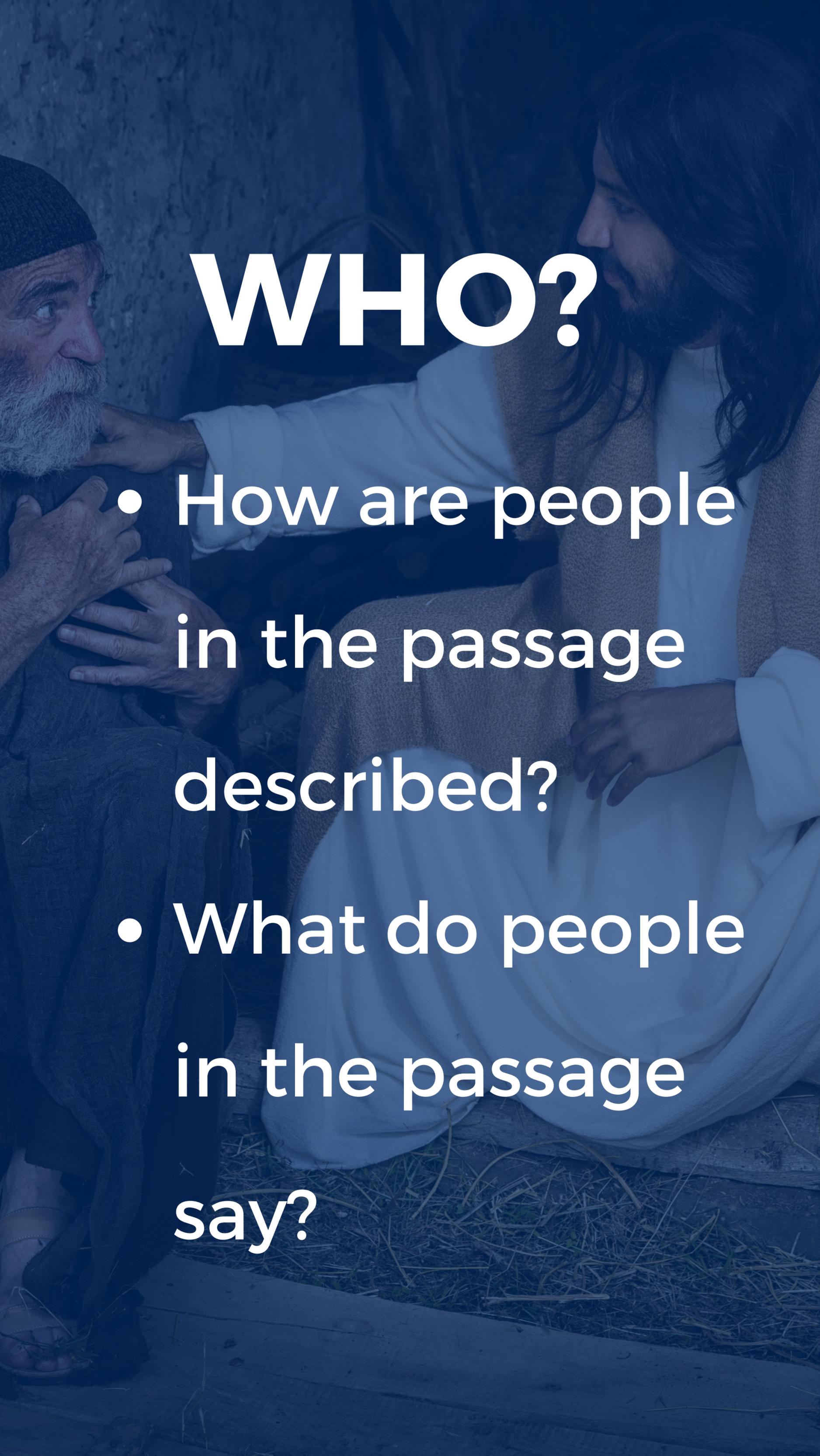


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**When
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passage,
ask
yourself...**

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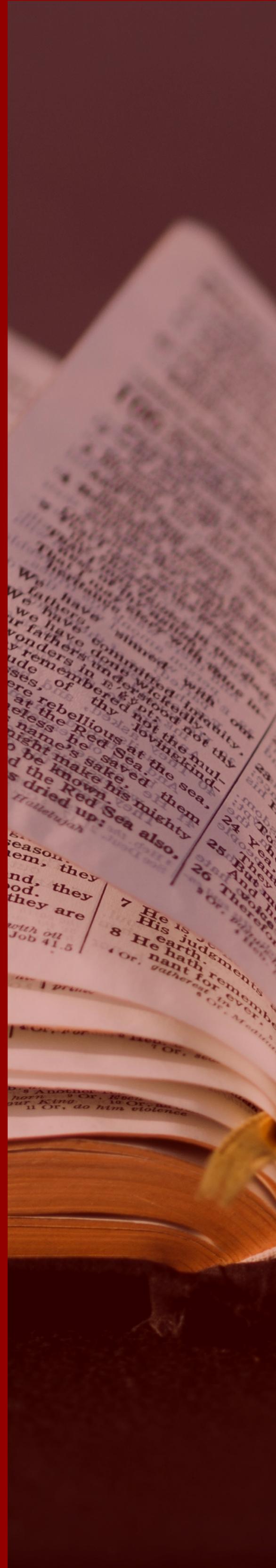


WHO?

- How are people in the passage described?
- What do people in the passage say?

WHAT...

- Events are happening?
- Places are mentioned?
- Is said about God?



WHEN?

- Does the text mention time?
- Is the passage written in chronological order?



WHERE...

- Where are the events taking place?

Tip: Look up the location mentioned on a Biblical map.



WHY...

- Did the author write this?
- Did the person act/speak the way they did?



MEDITATION

As you approach your daily reading, you not only want to **observe** Scripture, but to spend time **pondering** it. During this time, reflect on what you have **observed**, asking the Holy Spirit to give you **understanding** of the Scripture.

MEDITATION

- What is God saying to you in this passage?
- How would you explain the passage?
- Do you need to change the way you think? Behave?

MEDITATE ON

GOD

TRUTH

DOCTRINE