

GCBC SERMON

DISCUSSION GUIDE

SERIES: GOD'S ATTRIBUTES

What to do right after the service to help "the Word dwell more richly," within us (Colossians 3:16):

1. Instead of rushing off after the service is over, or talking about the latest news, develop the habit of talking about the sermon with people after church. Start spiritual conversations by asking, "How did the Scripture challenge or speak to you today?" Or "what about God in the message encouraged you?"

2. Encourage someone by sharing things you learned about God from His Word during the sermon. Make note of how your thinking has changed. Don't let biblical teaching be a one-time event that fades from memory as soon as it is over (James 1:22-25). Choose one or two particular applications to share

[Above from book *Nine Marks of a Healthy Church Member*]

For further Application, Meditation and Conversation on today's text:

Date: 4/3/2022 – The Name of God (Romans 9:17)

1. What are other words that help define the name of the Lord?
2. How does the name of the Lord relate to His other attributes? (Compare to Romans 9:15, Exodus 33:18-19, 34:5-7)
3. What stands out to you about the name of the Lord in the Exodus story, and how does it encourage you? (To review, see 3:7, 12-17, 5:2, 7:5, 8:18-19, 9:13-16, 19-21, 15:1-3, 11-13, 18)
4. Why is it good news for us, that the Lord does everything for His namesake? (To review, see Psalm 23:3, 106)
5. How does this help you appreciate the New Testament passages about Jesus' name, "for His name" "in His name" etc..?
6. How should God's purpose in Romans 9:17 affect how we pray, praise and proclaim?