



## Out of Lies and Into Truth

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Key Scriptures : The Lord's Prayer

# LECTIO DIVINA/ STUDY GUIDE

## Reading & Prayer

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### A Song of Ascents.

<sup>1</sup>In my trouble I cried to the Lord,  
And He answered me.

<sup>2</sup>Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips,  
From a deceitful tongue.

<sup>3</sup>What shall be given to you, and what more shall be done to you,  
You deceitful tongue?

<sup>4</sup>Sharp arrows of the warrior,  
With the *burning* coals of the broom tree.

<sup>5</sup>Woe is me, for I sojourn in Meshech,  
For I dwell among the tents of Kedar!

<sup>6</sup>Too long has my soul had its dwelling  
With those who hate peace.

<sup>7</sup>I am *for* peace, but when I speak,  
They are for war.

## start reading. read together the main scripture for this study

### read the scripture

In reading these verses of scripture, what would you circle, highlight, or underline as important to know or understand? Is there anything you noticed for the first time?

**Is there one word or phrase the Holy Spirit impresses upon you? Meditate on that.**

How does this Scripture relate to : **Knowing God's Story - Knowing Christ In You - Knowing God's Mission?**

## start thinking. ask a thoughtful question

**A disciple of Jesus carries a "biblical worldview" - which is often different, contradicts, or opposes, etc...the worldview of someone who does not know God as creator and Jesus as the redeemer. As facts go, no matter who relays them, they should be true (factual)...so where does a surrounding culture of lies stem from?**

**What do you think of the first step in pilgrimaging to/with God...stepping away from lies and toward truth.**

**What do you hear the Psalmist asking for in this song?**

## start sharing. engage it with your story

**What specific situation in your life relates today? Write down a prayer or pray quietly.**

**What did the Holy Spirit speak to you personally about during the sermon? Was there anything that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?**

How do you engage the world's narrative on life while keeping a biblical worldview in perspective?

How do you relate to the Psalmist prayer?

Do you have a testimony of how God has changed your perspective on a particular area of life as you've grown to know Him more and more?

## start practicing. commit to a next step and live it out this week

How can you utilize the questions **What is real? What is true?** to help you navigate information.

What question would you add to ask?

## start praying. be bold and pray with power