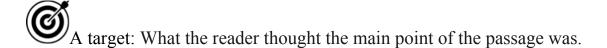
The Lightbulb Method of Bible Reading

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- 1. Read the passage aloud
- 2. Each person reads back over the passage on their own looking for four things:

A light bulb: This should be something that 'shines' from the passage and draws attention—something important or something that particularly strikes the reader.

A question mark: Anything that is difficult to understand in the text, or a question the reader would like to ask the writer of the passage, or the Lord.



An arrow: A personal application for the reader's life.

- 3. Each person write down at least one thing but no more than three things under each category.
- 4. Each share your lightbulb/s and discuss.
- 5. Each share your question mark/s and try to work out the answers together from the passage (doesn't matter if you can't).
- 6. Each share your target and discuss.
- 7. Each share your arrow/s and discuss.