

# Through The Bible In One Year

## The Adventure of Many Lifetimes

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**Theme: Jesus Christ – Suffering Servant and Exalted Son**  
**Week 39 Small Group Bible Study & Sunday School Lesson**

### Open (Sharing our Own Stories & Getting To Know One Another)

1. What are some jobs that our society considers menial? 2. How do we benefit from the services of those who hold those jobs? 3. What are the menial jobs performed in the church? How do we benefit from and acknowledge the servant actions of those doing these jobs?

### Going Deeper Into God's Word Together

**Read aloud Isaiah 53.3-12; Psalm 72.1-14; Philippians 2.1-11.**

Isaiah: 1. Who is being described in these verses? What evidence is there to support this opinion? 2. Who causes him to suffer? For what purpose? 3. Who suffers for the good of others today? For what purpose?

Psalm: 1. What duties will this righteous king perform? 2. How vast will be his kingdom? 3. Who is this king and how will he be treated by his enemies and other rulers?

Philippians: 1. How are Christians to treat each other? 2. What brings a sense of humility to a Christian? How does a humble person act? 3. What does it mean in a Christian's life that Jesus is Lord? What changes does it bring in the believer?

### Reflecting On What God Is Telling Us:

1. Where do you serve? \_\_\_\_\_ home \_\_\_\_\_ school \_\_\_\_\_ church  
\_\_\_\_\_ workplace \_\_\_\_\_ community.
2. How do you meet your own needs, as well as those of others?

### Applying/Putting Into Practice What God's Told Us

What is one servant action that you will perform this week to help another?