

- 1. Who is the writer and/or speaker?
- 2. When was it written and/or said?
- 3. To whom was it written and/or spoken?
- 4. What are the major natural divisions?
- 5. What is the repeated key word?
- 6. What simple sentence sums it all up?
- 7. What is an application to my life today?

Study questions for Ephesians 4v14-32

(Remember to find the answers in the verses under consideration!)

Vs 14-16 Why did God give spiritual gifts according to this summary verse?

Vs 17-19 How does the world live and act?

Vs 20-24 What should Christians "put off" and what should they "put on"?

Vs 22-24 This verse is just like Romans 6v6 where "the old man" was crucified (dead) and "the body of sin" destroyed (**totally** without power). The Bible is clear that we don't have an old man AND a new man (schizophrenia) fighting inside. All it says is we ARE a new creation, a new man in Christ! If the "new self" doesn't come from our efforts to change, from <u>where</u> does it come according to these verses?

Vs 25-32 How many imperative verbs (things to do) are in these verses?

V 30 The 7<sup>th</sup> commandment of these 10 is the only one about our relationship with God. When could we "grieve the Holy Spirit of God" this week? (hint: the context verses!)