

Soil

“For as the soil makes the sprout come up and a garden causes seeds to grow...” *Isaiah 61:11*

Seed

“...The seed is the word of God.” *Luke 8:11*

Water

“But whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” *John 4:14*

Sun

“For the Lord God is a sun and shield...”
Psalms 84:11

Growth

“So neither he who plants nor he who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow.”
1 Corinthians 3:7

Root

“...If the root is holy, so are the branches...”
Romans 11:6

Vine

“I am the vine; you are the branches...” *John 15:5*

Garden

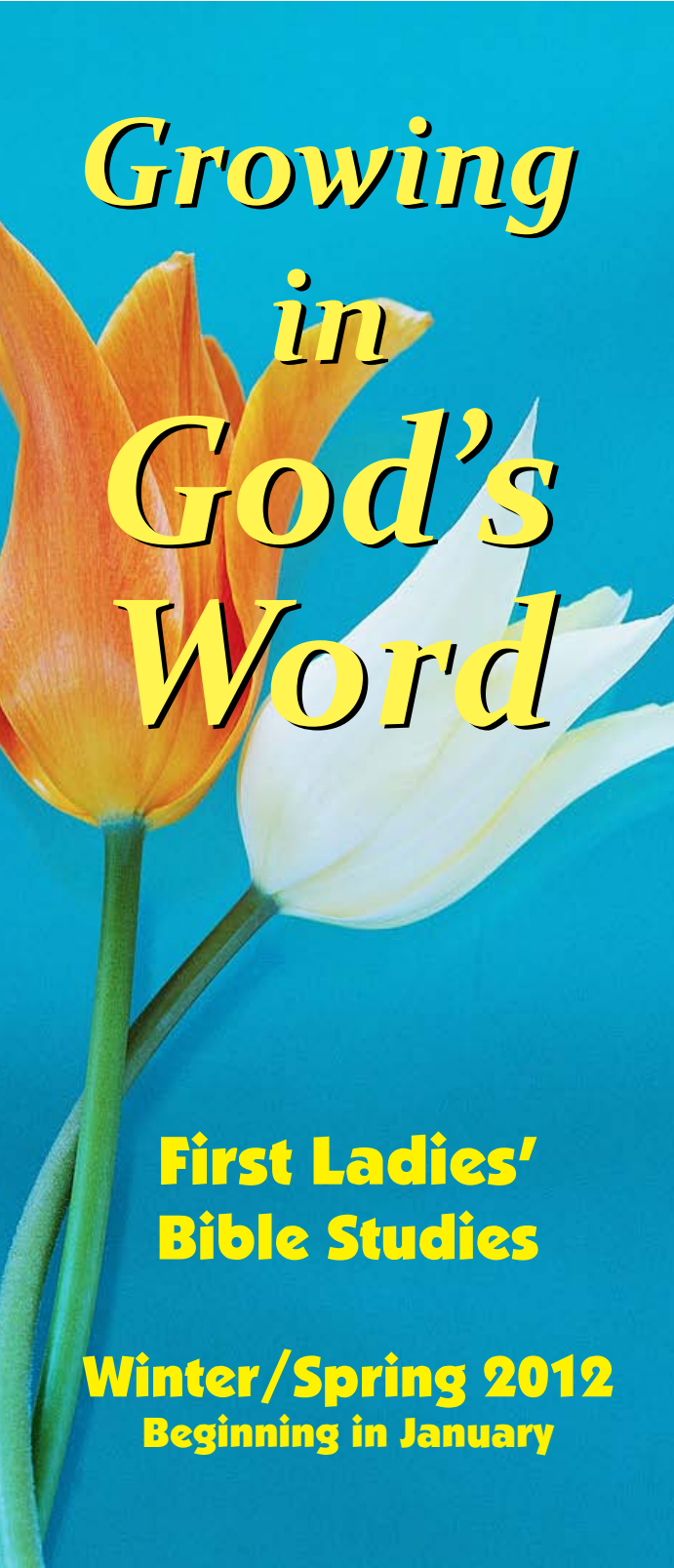
“...You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.” *Isaiah 58:11*

Gardener

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener.” *John 15:1*

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Growing in God's Word

**First Ladies'
Bible Studies**

**Winter/Spring 2012
Beginning in January**

Winter/Spring Bible Studies

Wednesday, January 18

9:00-11:00 a.m.

James: Mercy Triumphs

by Beth Moore

James, Jesus' own brother, started out as a skeptic. See how one glimpse of the resurrected Savior turned an unbeliever into a disciple. Topics in this eight-session study include joy, hardship, faith, reversal of fortunes for rich and poor, wisdom, gifts from above, single-mindedness, the dangers of the tongue, humility, and prayer.

Cost: \$16.00; optional pamphlet, \$4.00

Room 308 CC Facilitator: Linda Humber



Expecting to See Jesus

by Anne Graham Lotz

Learn how to experience an authentic, deeper, richer relationship with God through a life-changing, fire-blazing personal revival.

Room 309 CC Cost: \$10

Facilitators: Pam Givhan and Julie Guy

Precept Study: Daniel, Part 1

by Kay Arthur

Threatened with death, Daniel stuck to his guns and refused to adopt a pagan lifestyle. His worldview had God at the center and he lived it out even under extreme pressure to change. Learn to adopt a biblical worldview and adhere to it even when it's not the norm. Room: 228 MP Cost: \$18.00

Facilitator: Rosalind Holloman

Interested in a study? Simply attend the first meeting. You may sign up and purchase study materials at that time.

Wednesday, January 18

5:45-7:15 p.m.

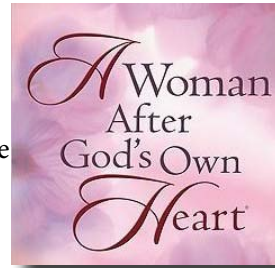
A Woman After God's Own Heart

by Elizabeth George

With warmth and grace, author Elizabeth George shares scriptural insights on how women can pursue God's priorities, letting God fulfill His greatest desire for them and transform them.

Room: 309 CC

Facilitator: Lisa Skelton



Cost: \$14.00

Precept Study: Matthew, Part 1 – The King and the Kingdom of Heaven

by Kay Arthur

Come face-to-face with the Messiah. Walk with Jesus, see His miracles, and sit at His feet as He teaches about true righteousness and the Kingdom of Heaven.

7 weeks

Facilitator: Sylvia Laycock

Cost: \$15.75

Room: 308CC

Sunday Evening Bible Study

Begins Sunday, January 15

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

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Room: 308 CC

Cost: \$15.00

Facilitator: Robin Ford

Women On Mission Monthly Bible Study

Begins Monday, January 16

Lord, Only You Can Change Me

by Kay Arthur

A study of the Beatitudes

40-Minute Bible Study and Lunch

11:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall #1

Facilitator: Rosalind Holloman

Meets the third Monday of each month.

Beginning Wednesday, March 21, 9:00–11:00 a.m.

Christianity, Cults & Religions

by Paul Carden

Christians need to know what they believe and know the differences between Christianity and various religious groups. This excellent six-session DVD-based small group study teaches what the Bible says about God, Jesus, salvation, life after death, and more. Covers Mormonism, Jehovah's Witnesses, Buddhism, Hinduism, Islam in depth. The series helps participants understand basic Christian beliefs, know why cultic groups are attractive, learn what motivates each group, and why it is important biblically to have an answer for what we believe about Jesus Christ. It also covers the do's and don'ts of talking with people of other religions in a loving way.

Room 308 CC; Cost: \$9.00 (optional pamphlets available at small cost)

Facilitator: Linda Humber