



God Family Country

# GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

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## **Hear It, Live It**

**Speaker: Mercedes Condon**

**Message Title: "Learn It, Then Practice It"**

## **Highlighted Scriptures**

**Joshua 1:8 (NIV)**

**"Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."**

**Matthew 7:24 (NIV)**

**"Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock."**

**James 1:22 (NIV)**

**"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says."**

## **Summary**

**Mercedes shares a passionate reminder that knowledge of God's Word must be paired with action. She draws from both the Old and New Testaments, pointing out that God told Joshua to meditate on the Word and Jesus told His followers to put His words into practice. In both cases, the blessings—success, strength, wisdom—are tied not to hearing alone, but doing.**

**She reflects on how repeated exposure to Scripture helps her remember and apply it, especially when distractions (like “squirrel syndrome”) creep in. She describes posting Scripture around her home and using the app and group devotionals as tools to stay grounded.**

**Ultimately, Mercedes calls all of us—especially the women of the group—to both know and live the Word, allowing our behavior to reflect God’s truth in our families, relationships, and everyday struggles.**

### **Discussion Questions**

- 1. How familiar are you with the Word of God? How often do you reflect on it in your daily life?**
- 2. Do you find it easier to study Scripture or to live it out? Why?**
- 3. What helps you stay consistent in reading and applying the Bible?**
- 4. Is there a Scripture you’ve heard often recently? Might God be calling your attention to it?**
- 5. What does it look like in your life right now to build your house on the Rock?**

### **Reflection Challenge**

**This week, pick one verse that speaks to your current season and put it into visible action:**

- Write it on a mirror**
- Speak it out loud each morning**
- Practice it intentionally with someone in your life**

**Then journal: What changed when you began living the verse—not just reading it?**

### **Prayer Prompt**

**Father, thank You for giving us Your Word not just for knowledge, but for transformation. Help me not only to hear but to obey. Teach me to live Scripture in my words, my actions, and my heart. Strengthen my practice, and let my life reflect Your truth. In Jesus’ name, Amen.**

