2PROAPT

Date _____ Today's Passage

1. ___ **P**RAY (Pray...Preview — Here I am, Lord; Come by your Spirit and teach me; I have this time and give it to you. I believe this time will be ordered by you.

2. ___ **R**EAD (Read the text you will study 1-3 times ...slowly)

3. ___ **O**BSERVE (What it says — copy down the verse(s) you feel God is speaking to either by : affirming you, convicting you, and/or saying something you don't understand)

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Interpret the above material by:

a-Paraphrasing it
b-Asking who, how, and why questions
c-State the meaning - in context
d-Define key words (Webster's or Bible D)
e-List all warnings, advice, and promises
f-Listing comparisons and contrasts
g-Noting any "if, then" statements (which will show reasons and results)
h-Outline the verse and/or passage
i-Diagram the material
j-Consult outside sources

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(Now stop and spend some time in quiet reflection)

4. ___ **A**PPLY a- what truth should I believe? b- What am I to do...and how will it affect my actions, attitudes, relationship with God, or relationship with others? c- How can I do something about this in the next 48 hours?

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5. ___ **P**RAY [**Adoration** - I love you, Lord; **Confession** - Forgive me, Lord; **Thanksgiving** - I thank you, Lord; **Supplication** - I ask you, Lord]

6. ___ **T**ELL Who: _____; How: _____; What: _____

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