THE CHAPEL FAMILY BIBLE READING PROGRAM – JANUARY 11-16 THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY IS QUOTED 90 TIMES 1N 14 OF 27 BOOKS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT. THIS WEEK'S STUDY WILL COME FROM THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY.

MONDAY: Deuteronomy 4:1-9; James 1:22; Romans 2:13; Psalm 16:11; Proverbs 12:28

KEY VERSE: Deuteronomy 4:9

OBSERVATION: Moses provided Israel with a plan that was brilliantly simple and effective. As Israel followed it, they would experience victory and blessing. Consider these five steps in Deuteronomy 4. **1. LISTEN**. (God's people must hear God's Word). **2. FOLLOW**. (God's people must follow God's Word). **3. LIVE. God's** Word gives God's people the path of life. **4. POSSES THE LAND**. God's people possess the land as they faithfully follow His leadership. **5. PASS IT ON**. God's people are called on to teach the truth of God's Word to others.

TUESDAY: Deuteronomy 4:32-39 **KEY VERSE:** Deuteronomy 4:39

OBSERVATION: THE UNRIVALED GOD. The Lord is greater in every way than any other "so-called god". 1. GOD'S REVELATION IS UNPARRALED. He Himself communicated with humanity. 2. GOD COMMUNICATED IN UNORGETTABLE WAYS – from heaven, through fire etc. 3. GOD PERFORMED SIGNS AND WONDERS. 4. GOD'S LOVE IS UNBOUNDED. 5. GODS POWER IS UNLIMITED. List several ways that God communicates with you. Are you attentive to His voice? Do you obey Him? Are you always tuned in to His spiritual frequency? How might you improve? Do you agree with theses 5 points?

WEDNESDAY: Deuteronomy 6:4-9 **KEY VERSE:** Deuteronomy 6:5

OBSERVATION: THE GREATEST COMMAND. Ask Christians to pick the most important verse in the Bible and many would choose John 3:16. In Jesus day Jewish leaders asked Him what was the most important commandment in the Law of Moses. He told them it was the Shema, the passage listed above. It tells us to **1. LOVE GOD...A.** With all our heart. **B.** With all our soul. **C.** With all our strength and to **2. LOVE GOD'S WORD...** and to **3. PASS IT ON TO OTHERS.** Which of these 3 areas, if any, should you improve in?

THURSDAY: Deuteronomy 8:11-20 **KEY VERSE**: Deuteronomy 8:11

OBSERVATION: DID YOU FORGET SOMETHING? It's easy to forget small things in life. Sometimes we forget important things. There is one thing God tells us not to forget – our commitment to Him. **1.The problem...**We can easily forget the Lord. **2. Symptom...**Forgetting the Lord will easily cause us to focus on ourselves. **3. The cause...**.shifting our focus from God and to our possessions, careers etc. **4.The remedy...**Refocus on the Lord and all He has done for you.

FRIDAY: Deuteronomy 10:12-22 **KEY VERSE:** Deuteronomy 10:12-13

OBSERVATION: TWO-SIDED COIN—FEARING AND LOVING GOD. What does God want from us? To **fear Him** and to **love Him**. What does love and fear for God produce? **Worship** and **Obedience**. Why do we fear and Love God? He has authority over the universe. He chose us. He is righteous and just. What does it mean to "fear" God and how do you live and demonstrate this?

SATURDAY: Deuteronomy 12:11-12 **KEY VERSE:** Deuteronomy 12:11

OBSERVATION: Have you ever heard someone say "I'm a Christian but I don't attend church"? That thinking goes against God's teaching. **1.** GOD'S PEOPLE ARE TO MEET WITH GOD IN HIS CHOSEN PLACE. **2.** WORSHIP IS TO BE A GIVING EXPERIENCE. **3.** WORSHIP IS TO BE A JOYFUL EXPERIENCE. **4.** WORSHIP IS TO BE A SHARED EXPERIENCE. Which of these 4 statements should you improve in?