

Seeking Personal Revelation for My Questions

Acquiring Spiritual Knowledge, Part 1

Prepare to study by listening to a hymn or song and saying a prayer. Create a note for this lesson in your seminary notebook. As you study, write any questions you have and look for answers.

Heavenly Father loves His children and wants us to become like Him. As we seek to learn about Him, Heavenly Father has promised to reveal truth to our minds and hearts through the Holy Ghost (see [Doctrine and Covenants 8:2](#); [Moroni 10:5](#)). [This lesson can help you understand how you can receive guidance and revelation from God through the Holy Ghost.](#)

Study the Doctrine

Read the [statement from the talk “Revelation for the Church, Revelation for Our Lives,”](#) from President Russell M. Nelson.

Elder Clark G. Gilbert of the Seventy shared an experience that helped him better understand the importance of President Nelson’s plea. Read the [statement from the talk “Spiritual Survival.”](#)

Take a moment to ponder your need for revelation. Write down one or two questions you have or a situation in your life for which you would like revelation from God.

As you study today, look for teachings and invitations that can help you to receive and recognize revelation from God for your life.

Complete both of the following activities.

Receiving Revelation from God

Imagine your bishop or branch president asks you to give a five minute talk on receiving and recognizing revelation. Study the following resources to write the first half of your talk that can answer the question “How can I receive revelation from God?”

- [2 Nephi 32:3–5](#)
- [Mosiah 4:9](#); [Moroni 10:4–5](#)
- [Doctrine and Covenants 9:7–9](#)
- [Doctrine and Covenants 38:1–3](#)
- [Doctrine and Covenants 42:61](#)
- [Paragraphs 1–3](#) of the “Acquiring Spiritual Knowledge” section in the [Doctrinal Mastery Core Document \(2023\)](#).

Reflect and Connect

Share with me something you learned from this lesson. You could share:

- The talk you wrote on receiving and recognizing revelation.
- A personal experience you have had that connects to something you learned about receiving revelation.
- Any questions this lesson raised for you, how you are going to try to find answers to your questions, and how your class can help.
- Anything else from this lesson that inspires you to be a better disciple of Jesus Christ.
