

Hello. My name is Vladislav. I am 34 years old. I live in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. I became a believer in 2005.

At the moment I am studying at Bible College. I decided to study there because:

- 1. It enables me to grow in knowledge and wisdom. Also graduates of Bible College are more mature and experienced.
- 2. It also helps me to study theology and God's Word more deeply.
- 3. It strengthens my faith
- 4. It helps to form Christ-like character

I want to help young believers in my country to become stronger in their faith.

Bible College I am studying at is very helpful. I learn a lot of new things. And I try to practice what I learned.

In this semester we had 10 subjects. Old - New Testament overview, Family & Marriage, World Religions, Discipleship, Homiletics, Bible Study Principles...

All of them are important.

Old – New Testament overview really helped me to see a big picture in Bible which I did not see before. Now I understand better.

Family & Marriage I learned basic knowledge about Christian family, communication and children.

We studied Islam, Buddhism and Christianity as most famous world religions. It was helpful too to understand other religions as well especially Islam.

Discipleship course motivated us to evangelize and mentor new believers.

We also learned how to write a sermon and how to preach. It was difficult.

We also learn an Inductive Bible Study method which was very helpful. We explored a 1 Peter with this method. It is hard and time consuming process but very important. Because you learn God's truth directly from Bible. I really like it.

I really like studying process. We memorize Bible verses. Every day we have a chapel. We have a fellowship. We eat together. We have fun together.

I consider Bible College as important place.

Every Christian who wants to serve at church should study.

Amen.