

Millicent's Story

A Be-Held Woman's Story in Her Own Words



Before EarthBasic, I had accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. I attended church regularly and participated in Bible classes and other activities in my local Church. I loved reading and studying God's Word and did a lot of research, reading various commentaries and sharing what I learned with my friends.

At Earth Basic, I was mainly in Bible study classes. When I began studying the Word of God, the Bible, with EarthBasic, I was amazed at the curriculum's structure, methodology, and syllabus. My instruction included an overview of the Bible and its divisions: the Old and New Testaments. I learned how to read the Bible with an appreciation for the importance of understanding the authors, the geography, the history, the audience, the purpose, and the culture of the audience, etc. **When the Word of God enlightens one's heart, there is a transformation in one's life.**

I desired to learn more and to conform to God's word. I desired to please Him and continue relying on the Holy Spirit for guidance and help. **I desired to live a life that brings honor to Him.** One of my prayer songs is:-

*Let the beauty of Jesus be seen in me,
All his wonderful passion and purity,
O thou Spirit divine, all my nature refine,
Till the beauty of Jesus is seen in me.*

I experienced an increased biblical orientation in my thoughts and attitudes, especially during our study of Colossians and Ephesians. I came to understand the Supremacy of God and His attributes. For the first time, I learned about the influence of false teachings on the Church, e.g., the teachings of the Gnostics, and how to combat them by searching the Scriptures

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I became more conscientious of what I listened to, how I chose my friends, and even the local church where I worship. **I am now like the Bereans: I research the Scriptures carefully.**

Today, I have devotions with my husband. We read the Bible and pray together. I pray aloud to God as we kneel together, and he hears my request to God about his salvation. He hears my frequent requests, asking God to keep us together in love and respect for each other. I share Christ-centered materials with others and actively participate in prayer and Bible study groups.

Further, my time at EarthBasic equipped me to lead a Bible study community. I learned about establishing healthy group dynamics and making agendas, and my computer skills have greatly improved! I thank my mentor and teacher for her patience in teaching me the computer skills I needed to use the various features of Zoom. **I thank her for teaching me how to read the Bible.**

*Help us to equip and
send the next
Millicent!*

