

*Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions*

**Study Aid for the Sermon from February 11, 2018**  
**The Discipline of God**  
**Hebrews 12:4-11**

**Observing the text**

Should Christians view all their sufferings as the discipline of God?

When we, as Christians, are being disciplined by God through sufferings, what do we need to avoid?

When we, as Christians, are being disciplined by God through sufferings, how should it impact our relationship with God?

When we, as Christians, are being disciplined by God through sufferings, what good results can we anticipate from those sufferings if we respond appropriately to them?

**Applying the sermon**

How are you presently suffering?

How do you believe that God might be using your present sufferings to train you?

How are these present sufferings impacting your relationship with God?

What transformative changes are now taking place in your life because God has allowed these present sufferings to come into your life?

How should you be praying about your present sufferings?