Choose a minimum of two Old Testament and two New Testament stories to read and study. Examine what each scripture has to say about who God is and why He can be trusted. Also, take time to look up some of the additional verses that reveal why God can be trusted. Write down your insights/questions/applications.

**Old Testament Stories**

**Joseph** (Genesis 37, 39-50)

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**Gideon defeats the Midianites** (Judges 7)

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**Ruth** (Ruth 1-4)
David and Goliath (1 Samuel 17)

Elijah on Mount Carmel (1 Kings 18:16-46)

Elijah and the widow at Zarephath (1 Kings 17:7-24)

Elisha and his servant (2 Kings 6:8-23)
King Jehoshaphat (2 Chronicles 20)

Esther (Esther 1-10)

Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego in the fiery furnace (Daniel 3)

Daniel in the lion’s den (Daniel 6)
New Testament Stories

Jesus heals a paralytic (Mark 2:1-12)

Jesus calms the storm (Mark 4:35-41)

Jesus with Jairus and a sick woman (Mark 5:21-43)
Peter and John before the Sanhedrin (Acts 4:1-22)

The Apostles persecuted (Acts 5:17-42)

Stephen the martyr (Acts 6:8-7:60)

Paul and Silas in prison (Acts 16:16-40)
Additional Verses Related to Trusting God

God is sovereign and in control
(Examine a minimum of five passages in this section)

Job 23:13

Job 42:2

Psalm 115:3

Psalm 135:5-7

Proverbs 16:33

Isaiah 14:24-27

Isaiah 43:13

Isaiah 46:9-11

Jeremiah 32:17

Daniel 4:34-35

Romans 11:33-36
Galatians 1:15-16

Ephesians 1:3-11

Colossians 1:15-17

God is at work to accomplish His purposes in the world
(Examine a minimum of three passages in this section)

Proverbs 16:9

Proverbs 19:21

Proverbs 21:30

Ecclesiastes 7:13

Romans 9:14-21

James 4:13-15

Revelation 3:7
How do the truths in the following verses impact your willingness to trust God?
(Examine a minimum of five passages in this section)

Psalm 139:1-16

Proverbs 21:1

Isaiah 49:14-16

Jeremiah 10:23

Jeremiah 29:11

Matthew 6:25-34

Matthew 10:29-31

Acts 17:24-26

Romans 8:28-39
2 Corinthians 4:7

2 Corinthians 4:16-18

Ephesians 2:1-10

Philippians 4:6-7

Hebrews 13:5-6

1 John 4:4
Summary

What is a point of personal application from this study?