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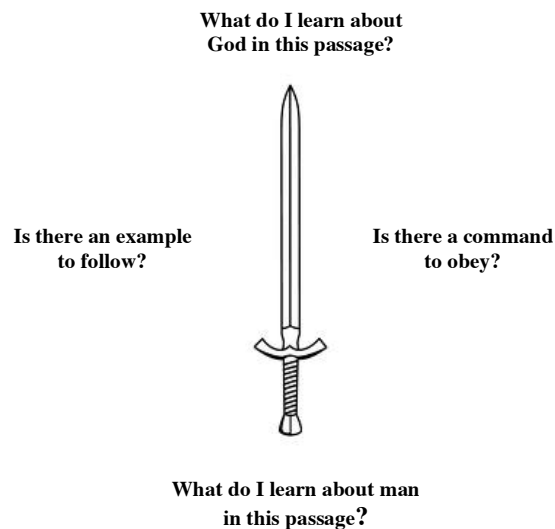
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The Miracles of Jesus

The Dead Are Raised
Luke 7:11-23, 8:40-56
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The Sword Method of Bible Study

For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart (Hebrews 4:12).



Notice four parts of this sword diagram:

1. The blade points up toward God. This reminds us to ask the question: What do I learn about God in this passage?
2. The handle points down toward man. This reminds us to ask the question: What do I learn about man in this passage?

The two edges of the sword penetrate our lives in different ways creating change:

3. The first edge reminds us to ask the question: Is there an example to follow?
4. The second edge reminds us to ask the question: Is there a command to obey?

Carefully examine Luke 7:11-23 and 8:40-56. Use the four questions from the sword method of Bible study to bring out what you believe are the “points” of these passages. Be ready to share your findings with the group!