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5. Which of the ways the Bible is at work in Christians who believe it is God's Word stood out to you and why? What other things would you add to this list?
6. What things would you recommend doing to others who want to approach the Bible as God's Word and experience its work in their lives?

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