

## 12 Step Study III Overview

Expectations for Participation in the Step Study

- Group of 6-18 men
- Bi-weekly sessions of 90 minutes conducted via Zoom
- Individual commitment of 1-3 hours to prepare for each session
- Stay on pace with group schedule outlined below
- Consistent attendance
- Regular participation in discussions and sharing of exercises
- Communication between meetings will be electronic using various technology text, email, GroupMe, Word, etc.

NOTE: Page references in the schedule below are based on 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Castimonia – A Sexual Purity Support and Recovery Group – Resource Book

## Schedule Template

Session	Date	Assignment for Session	Activities during Session
1	1/13/2024	Obtain Castimonia book	Expectations, Ground Rules
			Read, Discuss
2	1/27	Create calendar entries for each	Questions re pages 1-16
		scheduled meeting	Share Triggers Exercise
		Read pages 1-24	
		Exercise P.1 - Triggers, p.313	
3	2/10	Read pages 24-50	Questions re pages 16-48
		Exercise P.2 - False Beliefs, p.317	Share False Beliefs Exercise
4	2/24	Read pages 50-68	Questions re pages 48-68
		Exercise P.3 - 3 Circles, p.322	Share 3 Circles
5	3/9	Read pages 69-76	Complete all prework exercises
		Read Step 1, pages 77-84	Questions re pages 77-84
		Exercise 1.1 - Family of Origin, p.	Introduce Step 1
		323	Share Family of Origin
6	3/23	Exercise 1.2 - Powerlessness,	Share assigned exercises
		p.327	Discuss drafting First Step
		Exercise 1.3 - Unmanageability,	
		p.329	
		Exercise 1.4 - Addiction Cost,	
		p.331	
7	4/6	Draft First Step	Discuss First Step drafting
		Submit First Step for review	Discuss First Step Experience Letter
		Once reviewed, schedule for	
		sharing at support meeting	



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8	4/20	Exercise 1.5 - First Step	Share First Step Experience letters
		Experience, p.333	Discuss Step 2
		Read Step 2, pages 85-89	
9	5/4	Exercise 2.1 - Ten Most Insane	Share assigned exercises
		Moments, p.335	
		Exercise 2.2 - Higher Power	
		Inventory, p.337	
10	5/18	Exercise 2.3 - Higher Power	Share Step Two exercises
		Connection, p,330	Introduce Step 3
11	6/1	Read Step 3, pages 91-94	Share assigned Step 3 exercises
		Exercise 3.1 - A List of Miracles,	
		p.341	
		Exercise 3.2 - Barriers to Turning	
		Our Will Over to God, p. 343	
12	6/15	Exercise 3.3 - Bearing Fruit, p.	Share Step 3 exercises
		344	Introduce Step 4
13	6/29	Read Step 4, pages 95-106	Share Flaws and Assets exercise
		Exercise 4.1 - Flaws, p.350	Discuss Resentments
		Exercise 4.2 - Assets, p. 352	
14	7/13	Exercise 4.3 - Resentments, p.	Share Resentments exercises
		358 - 361	
		Read Step 4, pages 106-112	
15	7/27	Exercise 4.3 – Resentments	Share Resentments exercise
		(refine, continue)	(continue from prior session)
		4 6 7 14 6 7 7 7 7	Discuss Fears, Sexual Conduct
16	8/10	Exercise 4.4 - Fears, p.364	Share exercises
		Exercise 4.5 – Sexual Conduct,	
	- 1-	p.368	
17	8/24	Exercise 4.6 – Deep, Dark	Share exercise
	- /-	Secrets, p. 371	Introduce Step 5
18	9/7	Read Step 5, pages 113-117	Discuss Step 5
		Exercise 5.1 – Our Confession,	Share exercise
	2 (2 )	p.373	
19	9/21	Exercise 5.2 – Confession	Share exercises
		Reflection, p. 377	Introduce Step 6
20	10/5	Read Step 6, pages 119-123	Share exercise
		Exercise 6.1 – Are You Entirely	Introduce Step 7
	40/10	Ready? p.379	
21	10/19	Read Step 7, pages 125-129	Share exercise
		Exercise 7.1 – Being Humble,	
		p.381	



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22	11/2	Exercise 7.2 – Humbly Ask God	Share exercises
		to Remove Defects, p.383	Introduce Step 8
23	11/16	Read Step 8, pages 131-136	Share exercise
		Exercise 8.1 – Amends List,	Introduce Step 9
		p.387	
24	12/7/24*	Read Step 9, page 137-142	Share exercise
		Exercise 9.1 – Making Amends,	
		p.389	
25	12/14/24*	Make in person amends	Share exercises
		Exercise 9.2 – Amends Letters,	
		p.395	
		Exercise 9.3 – Reflection on	
		Amends, p.401	
26	1/4/2025	Complete Step 9	Share exercises
			Introduce Step 10
27	1/11/2025	Read Step 10, pages 143-146	Share exercise
		Exercise 10.1 – When We Were	
		Wrong, p.143	
28	1/25/2025	Exercise 10.2 – MCARE p.411	Share exercises
		Exercise 10.3 – Reflections,	Introduce Step 11
		p.413	
29	2/8/2025	Read Step 11, pages 147-156	Share exercises
		Exercise 11.1 – Prayer, p.415	
		Exercise 11.2 – Unanswered	
		Prayer, p.417	
30	2/22	Exercise – 11.3 Meditation,	Share exercises
		p.419	Introduce Step 12
		Exercise 11.4 – Sponsor's Note,	
		p.421	
31	3/8	Read Step 12, pages 157-162	Share exercises
		Exercise 12.1 – Helping Others,	
		p.423	
		Exercise 12.2 – Time, Talent,	
		Treasures, p.424	
32	3/22	Exercise 12.3 – Our Testimony,	Share exercises
		p.425	
33	4/8	Exercise 12.4 – Sponsor's	Next Steps for all
		Blessing, p.429	Go forth!
34	4/22	If needed	