

This is why October 31st is called "Reformation Day" because on that day, Martin Luther began what was called "The Reformation" by helping everyone to know that they could, and should read the Bible for themselves.

Martin knew that if we don't study God's Word, that other people could tell us lies about what God says in his Word. Martin knew that was wrong, so he wrote the Words of the Bible in a language that everyone in Germany could understand. He knew that it was important for everyone to read God's truth for themselves. Sadly, the Catholic Church was angry that Martin Luther was teaching people about how to read God's Word for themselves. They wrote letters to Martin telling him he'd never go to Heaven because he was not teaching what they wanted him to. But Martin continued to teach and write about God's Word, to the glory of God.

