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Preface

Greeting in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

This booklet has been compiled as a tool to help pastors, ministers and lay workers in the preparation of messages from the Scriptures. It was put together to help equip the disciples of Christ for growth and service.

Materials have been gathered from a variety of resources and from different people groups. In many instances the source of the material could not be determined and over time, information has been added to or deleted from the various original materials. All one can say is thank you to the body of Christ and to the many disciples who over time have given to us so many valuable materials. We know this information will cause many of the Asian believers of Christ to come to a place of full maturity.

It is our hope and prayer that this booklet will be a beginning point for all other people groups to be challenged to go out and prepare more materials in their own languages so that church members will grow to a place where they will produce fruit that will last for God's Glory. May God give us all much wisdom and understanding as we commit to serving the Body of Christ.

Fellow servants of Christ,

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Abbreviations

OLD TESTAMENT

1. GENESIS	Gen
2. EXODUS	Ex
3. LEVITICUS	Lev
4. NUMBERS	Num
5. DEUTERONOMY	Deut
6. JOSHUA	Josh
7. JUDGES	Judg
8. RUTH	Ruth
9. 1 SAMUEL	1 Sam
10. 2 SAMUEL	2 Sam
11. 1 KINGS	1 Kin
12. 2 KINGS	2 Kin
13. 1 CHRONICLES	1 Chr
14. 2 CHRONICLES	2 Chr
15. EZRA	Ezra
16. NEHEMIAH	Neh
17. ESTHER	Esth
18. JOB	Job
19. PSALMS	Ps
20. PROVERBS	Prov
21. ECCLESIASTES	Eccl
22. THE SONG OF SOLOMON	Song
23. ISAIAH	Isa
24. JEREMIAH	Jer
25. LAMENTATIONS	Lam
26. EZEKIEL	Ezek
27. DANIEL	Dan
28. HOSEA	Hos
29. JOEL	Joel
30. AMOS	Amos
31. OBADIAH	Obad
32. JONAH	Jon
33. MICAH	Mic
34. NAHUM	Nah

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35. HABAKKUK	Hab
36. ZEPHANIAH	Zeph
37. HAGGAI	Hag
38. ZECHARIAH	Zech
39. MALACHI	Mal

NEW TESTAMENT

1. MATTHEW	Matt
2. MARK	Mark
3. LUKE	Luke
4. JOHN	John
5. ACTS	Acts
6. ROMANS	Rom
7. 1 CORINTHIANS	1 Cor
8. 2 CORINTHIANS	2 Cor
9. GALATIANS	Gal
10. EPHESIANS	Eph
11. PHILIPPIANS	Phil
12. COLOSSIANS	Col
13. 1 THESSALONIANS	1 Thess
14. 2 THESSALONIANS	2 Thess
15. 1 TIMOTHY	1 Tim
16. 2 TIMOTHY	2 Tim
17. TITUS	Titus
18. PHILEMON	Philem
19. HEBREWS	Heb
20. JAMES	James
21. 1 PETER	1 Pet
22. 2 PETER	2 Pet
23. 1 JOHN	1 John
24. 2 JOHN	2 John
25. 3 JOHN	3 John
26. JUDE	Jude
27. REVELATION	Rev

2. Ten Commandments

And God spake all these words, saying,

I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

1. Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

2. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; And showing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

3. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain.

4. Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: But the seventh day is the sabbath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates: For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

5. Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

6. Thou shalt not kill.

7. Thou shalt not commit adultery.

8. Thou shalt not steal.

9. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

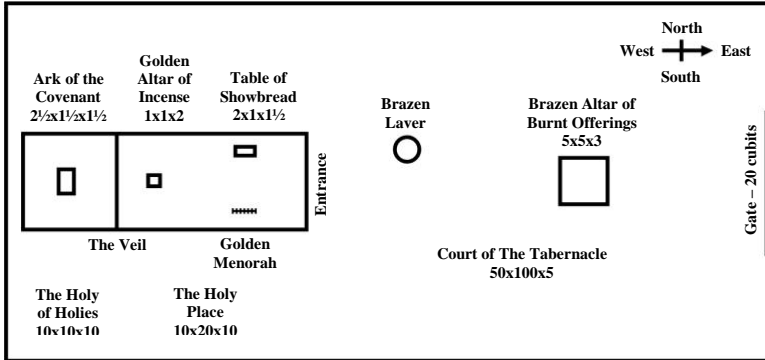
10. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.

Exodus 20:1-17

3. Tabernacle

Exodus 25-27; 35:10 - 38:31

THE TABERNACLE



All dimensions are in cubits. 1 cubit = 1 royal cubit = 20.67 inches.
Drawing of the Tabernacle © 2005 A. vander Nat



The Ark of the Covenant
with the Mercy Seat



The Golden Menorah
or Lampstand



The Brazen Altar
of Burnt Offerings



The Altar of
Incense



The Table of
Showbread



The Bronze
Laver

4. Twelve Tribes of Israel

All these are the twelve tribes of Israel, and this is it that their father spake unto them, and blessed them: everyone according to his blessing he blessed them. Genesis 49:28

Name	Mother	Meaning	Stone	Gen.
1. Reuben	Leah	see, a son 1	Emerald	29:32
2. Simeon	Leah	heard 2	Sapphire	29:33
*Levi	Leah	joined 3	none	29:34
3. Judah	Leah	praise 4	Sardius	29:35
4. Zebulun	Leah	honour 10	Carbuncle	30:20
5. Issachar	Leah	hire, reward 9	Topaz	30:18
6. Dan	Bilhah	he judged 5	Beryl	30:6
7. Gad	Zilpah	fortune 7	Diamond	30:11
8. Asher	Zilpah	happy 8	Onyx	30:13
9. Naphtali	Bilhah	wrestled 6	Jasper	30:8
*Joseph	Rachel	he adds 11	none	30:24
10. Benjamin	Rachel	son of the right hand or son of the south 12		35:18
11. Manasseh	son of Joseph	making to forget		41:51
12. Ephraim	Son of Joseph	to be fruitful	Ligure	41:52

5. Psalm 23

A Psalm of David

- ¹ The Lord *is* my shepherd; I shall not want.
² He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
He leads me beside the still waters.
³ He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths
of righteousness for His name's sake.
⁴ Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow
of death, I will fear no evil; For You *are* with me;
Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.
⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of
my enemies; You anoint my head with oil;
My cup runs over.
⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life;
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord Forever.

Jesus our Great Shepherd

1. **He makes** (v2).
 - I lie down in green pasture; a place of wonderful food.
It is like a good loaf of bread to a person
 - *He brings people into rest. This is what we are to do
for the people we shepherd and look after.*
2. **He leads** (v2).
 - I am drinking from clean water that is still and quiet.
 - *He brings people refreshment and peace.*
3. **He restores** (v3).
 - I have been set in the right direction.
 - *He puts my feet on solid ground.*
4. **He guides** (v3).
 - I follow a path of righteousness
 - *He brings me into Christ's righteousness and into the
truth of the Gospel.*

5. **He walks with me** (v4a).
 - I am not left alone but he goes with me.
 - *He helps me to face and to walk through the physical, emotional and spiritual challenges of my life.*
6. **He comforts and protects** (v4b).
 - I am comforted by His rod that fights for me and by the staff that guides me. He picks me up when I fall.
 - *He brings comfort from the rod (the Word of God) and from the staff (the presence of the Holy Spirit).*
7. **He prepares for me** (v5a).
 - I am in a place to eat, a banquet. This place is before my enemies and they will see how God cares for His sheep.
 - *He feeds and cares for me and shows to my enemies the power and blessing God pours out on those who love Him.*
8. **He anoints my head with oil** (v5b).
 - We are a guest of His household (sheepfold) and He inspects us for bugs and ailments and he uses his ointment (Holy Spirit) generously.
 - *He brings us into and under the anointing of God. We are His people and He will pour His Spirit upon us generously.*
9. **He blesses me always** (v6a).
 - I shall receive God's goodness and love all the days of my life.
 - *He brings me into a place of understanding and experiencing God's love and goodness for His people.*
10. **He is with me always** (v6b).
 - We will dwell together.
 - *He will bring us to a place of dwelling with the Lord Jesus Christ forever.*

6. Prophecies Concerning Jesus Christ

Prophecies			Fulfilment
1.	Gen 3:15	Would be the 'Offspring of a Woman'	Gal 4:4
2.	Gen 12:3	Promised Offspring of Abraham	Matt 1:1
3.	Gen 17:19	Promised Offspring of Isaac	Luke 3:34
4.	Num 24:17	Promised Offspring of Jacob	Matt 1:2
5.	Gen 49:10	Will descend from the tribe of Judah	Luke 3:33
6.	Isa 9:7	The Heir to the throne of David	Luke 1:32-33
7.	Mic 5:2	Place of birth	Matt 2:6
8.	Dan 9:25	Time of birth	Luke 2:1-2
9.	Isa 7:14	Born of a virgin	Matt 1:18
10.	Jer 31:15	Slaughter of infants	Matt 2:16
11.	Hos 11:1	Escape into Egypt	Matt 2:14
12.	Isa 9:1-2	Ministry in Galilee	Matt 4:12-16
13.	Deut 18:15	As a Prophet	John 6:14
14.	Ps 110:4	As a Priest, Like Melchizedek	Heb 6:20
15.	Isa 53:3	His rejection by Jews	John 1:11
16.	Isa 11:2	Some of His characteristics	Luke 2:52
17.	Zech 9:9	His triumphal entry	John 12:13-14
18.	Ps 41:9	Betrayed by a friend	Luke 22:47-48

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19.	Zech 11:12	Sold for thirty pieces of silver	Matt 26:15
20.	Zech 11:13	Money to be returned for a potter's field	Matt 27:7
21.	Ps 109:7-8	Judas's position to be taken by another	Acts 1:18-20
22.	Ps 27:12	False witnesses accuse Him	Matt 26:60-61
23.	Isa 53:7	Silent when accused	Matt 26:62-63
24.	Isa 50:6	Struck and spit on	Mark 14:65
25.	Ps 69:4	Hated without cause	John 15:23-25
26.	Isa 53:4-5	Suffered vicariously	Matt 8:16-17
27.	Isa 53:12	Crucified with sinners	Matt 27:38
28.	Ps 22:16	Hands and feet pierced	John 20:27
29.	Ps 22:6-8	Mocked and insulted	Matt 27:39-40
30.	Ps 69:21	Given gall and vinegar	John 19:29
31.	Ps 22:8	Hears prophetic words repeated in mockery	Matt 27:43
32.	Ps 109:4	He prays for His enemies	Luke 23:34
33.	Zech 12:10	His side to be pierced	John 19:34
34.	Ps 22:18	Soldiers cast lots for His clothes	Matt 27:35
35.	Ps 34:20	Not a bone to be broken	John 19:33
36.	Isa 53:9	To be buried with the rich	Matt 27:57-60
37.	Ps 68:18	His ascension	Luke 24:50-5

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ISAIAH: PICTURE OF THE SUFFERING SERVANT

	THE PROPHECY	THE FULFILLMENT
1.	He will be exalted (52:13)	Phil 2:9
2.	He will be disfigured by suffering (52:14; 53: 2)	Mark 15:17, 19
3.	He will be widely rejected (53:1, 3)	John 12:37, 38
4.	He will bear our sins and sorrows (53:4)	Rom 4:25 1Pet 2:24, 25
5.	He will make a blood atonement (53:5)	Rom 3:25; 5:6, 8
6.	He will be our substitute (53:6, 8)	2 Cor 5:21
7.	He will voluntarily accept our guilt and punishment (53:7)	John 10:11
8.	He will be buried in a rich man's tomb (53:9)	John 19:38-42
9.	He will justify many from their sin (53:10, 11)	Acts 13:38-39 Rom 5:15-19
10.	He will die with transgressors (53:12)	Mark 15:27, 28 Luke 22:37

7. Gospel / Good News of Jesus Christ

- 1) Living Word**
 - Creator and Messiah
 - Light into darkness
 - Living Word became flesh
- 2) Birth**
 - spiritual conception
 - virgin birth
- 3) Life**
 - teaching ministry concerning the Heavenly Father
 - teaching ministry concerning the Kingdom of Heaven
 - fulfilling of the Old Covenant and giving a New Covenant
- 4) Death**
 - Jesus our High Priest
 - sacrificial Lamb
 - shedding of His blood
 - the tearing of the Veil in the Temple
- 5) Resurrection**
 - victory over sin and death
 - resurrection power of life
- 6) Ascension**
 - seated at the right hand of the Father
 - preparing a place for us
 - interceding on our behalf
- 7) Holy Spirit**
 - filling and empowering of the disciples
 - comforting, teaching and equipping the disciples
- 8) Church**
 - body and bride of Christ
 - centre for missions, evangelism and discipleship equipping
- 9) Second Coming**
 - returning as King of kings and Lord of lords
 - setting up of the new Kingdom of God
- 10) Heaven**
 - new heaven and earth
 - no more suffering or pain / new bodies and clothing
 - Marriage Supper of the Lamb

8. Twelve Disciples' Names

Matt 10:1-4; Mark 3:13-19; Lk 6:12-16

And when He had called unto him His twelve disciples, He gave them power against unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all manner of sickness and all manner of disease.

Now the names of the twelve apostles are these; The first, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; Philip, and Bartholomew; Thomas, and Matthew the publican; James the son of Alphaeus, and Lebbaeus, whose surname was Thaddaeus; Simon the Canaanite, and Judas Iscariot, who also betrayed him.

The names of the twelve apostles are:

1. **Simon Peter** (brother of Andrew) - he was active in bringing people to Jesus - Bible writer.
2. **James** (Son of Zebedee and older brother of John) also called "James the Greater"- Bible writer.
3. **John** (Son of Zebedee and brother of James) - Bible writer
4. **Andrew** (brother of Simon Peter) - He was active in bringing people to Jesus.
5. **Philip** of Bethsaida.
6. **Thomas** (Didymus).
7. **Bartholomew** (Nathanael) - He was one of the disciples to whom Jesus appeared at the Sea of Tiberias after His resurrection. He was also a witness of the Ascension.
8. **Matthew** (Levi) of Capernaum.
9. **James** (son of Alphaeus) also called "James the lesser".
10. **Simon** the Zealot (the Canaanite).
11. **Thaddaeus-Judas** (Lebbaeus), brother of James the lesser and brother of Matthew (Levi) of Capernaum.
12. **Judas Iscariot**, who also betrayed Jesus.

9. Disciples' Prayer

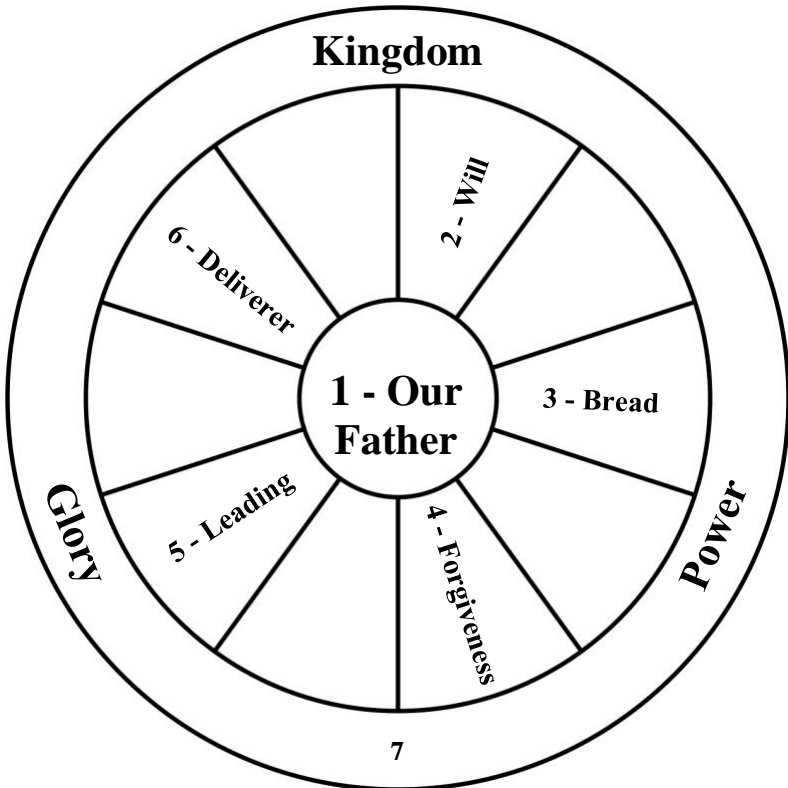
Our Father, which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth,
As it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive them that trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom,
The power, and the glory,
Forever and ever.

Amen.

Matt 6:9-13; Luke 11:2-4

1.	Our Father	verse 9
2.	Our Father's Kingdom	verse 10,13
3.	Our Father's Will	verse 10
4.	Our Father's Bread	verse 11
5.	Our Father's Forgiveness	verse 12
6.	Our Father's Leading	verse 13
7.	Our Father Delivers	verse 13
8.	Our Father in Power & Glory	verse 13

Disciple's Prayer Wheel



10. Disciples' Baptism

Command – Repent and be baptized Acts 2:38

In Matthew 3:13-17 we have the account of the baptism of our Lord Jesus. Matthew explains to us that one day Christ came to John the Baptist seeking to be baptized by him. When Jesus was baptized the Spirit descends upon him from heaven.

The word baptism is a translation of the Greek word which means to immerse or put under.

Paul teaches how baptism shows that we have died to our old life and are buried with Christ, and that through Christ Jesus comes a new life that only He can give. This is what is stated in Romans 6:1-4, “What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace might increase? May it never be. How shall we who died to sin still live in it? Or do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus have been baptized into His death? Therefore we have been buried with Him through baptism into death, in order that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life”.

We need to be obedient to Jesus' command to be baptized. This command is found in Matthew 28:19, “Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.”

The person must first confess his sin and asked Jesus to come into his life as Lord and Saviour and then go out and be baptized. Baptism is a testimony of a commitment that we have made to Jesus Christ - to die to self and to live for Christ.

WHAT DOES BAPTISM MEAN?

There are three levels of meaning:

A. What the act involves:

- First: it is giving a testimony of what and how Christ came into your heart as Lord and Saviour.

- Secondly: it is being immersed completely in water, the whole person will be totally covered over by water.

B. What the act symbolizes:

- It indicates the acceptance of "the Teacher" and His message as well as a decision to have fellowship with other disciples of Jesus Christ.

- It shows a dying to self, a burial and then becoming alive and new in Christ Jesus.

- Matthew 3:8, 13, Matthew 28:19, John 3:22, John 4:1-4, Romans 6:3-6

C. What the expression means even apart from water:

- The word "baptism" means "disciple-identification" and "fellowship".

- 1 Cor. 10:1, 2, 1 Peter 2:20-21

WHY SHOULD I BE BAPTIZED?

1. Because Jesus was. Matt. 3:13-17

2. Because Jesus preached it. Matt. 28:19, Mark 16:16

3. Because the Apostles preached it. Acts 2:38

4. Because the Apostles practiced it. Acts 8:36-38, Acts 16:33, Acts 19:5

5. Because I want to be an obedient follower of Jesus and His Word.

WHEN SHOULD I BE BAPTIZED?

1. Upon Real Conversion

Conversion consists of: a) repentance - Acts 2:38
b) believing - Mark 16:16
c) confession -
Romans 10:9-10

2. Upon desiring to be obedient to Christ's call as a disciple.

- Being a doer not just a hearer. James 1:22-25
- To fulfil His will through my life here on earth,
Acts 22:14-16; Rom 12:2
- Eph 6:6-7; 1 John 5:14

3. Upon the desire to let my life be a testimony of His love and grace.

- I die and now I live because of Him who indwells me.
Rom 12:1; Gal 2:20
- 2 Timothy 2:11

Every disciple must fulfill the call and command of God to be baptized.

11. Disciples' Communion

Command – to do until He comes again 1 Cor 11:26

This was the time of Passover (Matthew 26:17; Exodus 12:1-30) when Christ instituted what has become known as the Lord's Supper or Love Feast for His disciples. It was a time to reflect back and remember what Christ personally did for us through His death on the cross and through His resurrection. It was a time when Christ would become the sacrificial lamb and shed His blood through death so that we could have life. Communion is to bring us to the place of giving thanks and praise for what God has done and is still doing.

Communion Scriptures: Matthew 26:17-20, 26-30; Mark 14:12-26; Luke 22:7-23; I Corinthians 11:23-34

Communion Example: Acts 2:42 Started at the birthing of the church.

Communion Purpose:

1. To commune with Christ and with each other, to remember and reflect on what Christ has done for us.
2. To communicate, to take time to speak and testify both to God and to each other, a time to build up the body of Christ.
3. To companionship, to the coming together as a family to have fellowship with Christ and with each other.
4. To confess to God and to each other our sins so that we may be delivered from bondage and healed. Sin separates, but confession brings us back into union with Christ and His body.

5. To commitment, remembering how Christ is standing in the gap and interceding on our behalf before the Father. To be reminded that He is our personal Lord and Saviour and that we are committed to doing His will in our lives.

6. To covenant, a new agreement, moving us from the old to a new covenant of grace and righteousness, a place where we are clothed and filled with His grace and mercy. A new covenant requires us to love God and love our neighbour as ourselves

Communion elements:

Bread - Represents His broken body

- Unleavened ... pure and without sin
- To be given out to others

Wine - Represents His shed blood

- A new covenant or agreement that we have made with each other

Communion is to remind us and to draw us back to our commitment of a personal relationship with Him, to draw us closer to Him in fellowship and understanding, so that we can fulfill His perfect will for our lives.

12. Disciples' Great Commission

Command - to go and make disciples Matthew 28:19

The disciple has been called by Christ Jesus to go out in obedience to fulfill one of His last commands that was made here on earth to those who serve Him as their Lord and Saviour. We are to be a testimony and light to a lost world, not through our own power and strength, but through the power and strength that comes by being filled with the Holy Spirit. The disciple is to be a testimony of the Good News of Jesus Christ, we are to be his hands and feet, but most of all we are to be His testimony to our neighbours, cities, and countries; some will go out to the uttermost parts of the earth. We are commanded to do this because it is part of His divine will for our personal lives.

In all four books of the Gospel, plus the book of Acts the disciples are called and commanded to go out, to bear fruit that will bring glory to His Name.

a. Matthew 28:16-20

- all authority has been given v. 18
- we must go to all nations to make disciples v.19
- baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit
- teaching them to observe all things
- we are all to observe and be taught according to God's commands v.20
- Jesus will always be with us, to the end of the ages

b. Mark 16:14-18

- needed faith in Christ v.14
- needed a soft hearts in Christ v.14
- needed to believe in Christ v.14
- needed to go out in Christ v.15
- needed to preach the Gospel of Christ v.15
- needed to be faithful in baptism as a testimony for Christ v.16
- needed to get out and deliver, heal and set the captive free through Christ v.17-18

c. Luke 24:44-49

- the word spoken and taught v.44
- the word was opened up to their minds v.45
- the word is fulfilled and completed in Christ v.46
- the word is to be proclaimed by the followers, to all nations v.47
- the word challenges us to repent so that we can have the remission of sins v.47
- the word is a witnessed to the lost v.48
- the word will clothe and empower v.49

d. John 20:19-23

- peace be with us v.19
- Jesus sends us v.21

- Holy Spirit empowers us v.22
- minister forgiveness in Jesus' name v.23

e. Acts 1:7-8

- we will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you V.8
- we will be His witnesses v.8
- we are to go to the uttermost parts of the world v.8

It is time to go out and personally begin to fulfill Christ's Great Commission to us, His disciples. Remember, He will empower us for service so that no matter what comes our way, we will be able to stand strong in His wisdom, strength and ability.

13. Beatitudes (Matt 5:3-10)

1.	Poor in spirit (5:3)	for theirs is the kingdom of heaven (Is 57:15)
2.	Mourning (5:4)	shall be comforted (Is 61:1, 2)
3.	Meekness (5:5)	shall inherit the earth (Ps 37:5-11)
4.	Righteousness (5:6)	shall be filled (Is 11:4-5; 42:1-4)
5.	Mercy (5:7)	shall obtain mercy (Ps 41:1)
6.	Pure in heart (5:8)	shall see God (Ps 24:3, 4)
7.	Peacemaker (5:9)	shall be called children of God (Is 57:18,19)
8.	Persecuted (5:10)	shall have the kingdom of heaven (Is 52:13)

14. Ministry of Jesus

Synoptic Gospels:

- Jesus baptized (Jordan River): Matt 3:13-17; Mark 1:9-11; Luke 3:21-22; John 1:29-34
- Jesus tempted by Satan (desert): Matt 4:1-11; Mark 1:12-13; Luke 4:1-13
- Jesus calls four fishermen (Sea of Galilee): Matt 4:18-22; Mark 1:16-20; Luke 5:1-11
- Jesus heals Peter's mother-in-law (Capernaum): Matt 8:14-15; Mark 1:29-31; Luke 4:38-39
- Jesus begins preaching in Galilee (Galilee): Matt 4:23-25; Mark 1:35-39; Luke 4:42-44
- Jesus calls Matthew (Capernaum): Matt 9:9-13; Mark 2:13-17; Luke 5:27-32
- Jesus chooses twelve disciples (Galilee): Matt 10:2-4; Mark 3:13-19; Luke 6:12-15
- Jesus tells Kingdom parables (Galilee): Matt 13:1-52; Mark 4:1-34; Luke 8:4-18
- Jesus quiets the storm (Sea of Galilee): Matt 8:23-27; Mark 4:35-41; Luke 8:22-25
- Jairus's daughter raised to life (Capernaum): Matt 9:18-26; Mark 5:21-23; Luke 8:40-56
- Jesus sends out the twelve (Galilee): Matt 9:35-11:1; Mark 6:6-13; Luke 9:1-6
- Jesus feeds the 5,000 (Bethsaida): Matt 14:13-21; Mark 6:30-44; Luke 9:10-17; John 6:1-14
- Jesus walks on water (Sea of Galilee): Matt 14:22-32; Mark 6:47-52; John 6:16-21
- Peter confesses Jesus as the Son of God (Caesarea Philippi): Matt 16:13-20; Mark 8:27-30; Luke 9:18-21
- Jesus predicts his death (Caesarea Philippi): Matt 16:21-26; Mark 8:31-33; Luke 9:22-25
- Jesus is transfigured (Mount Hermon): Matt 17:1-13; Mark 9:2-13; Luke 9:28-36
- Jesus blesses the little children (Transjordan): Matt 19:13-15; Mark 10:13-16; Luke 18:15-17

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- Jesus talks to the rich young ruler (Transjordan): Matt 19:16-30; Mark 10:17-31; Luke 18:18-30
- Jesus again predicts his death (near the Jordan): Matt 20:17-19; Mark 10:32-34; Luke 18:31-34
- Jesus heals blind Bartimaeus (Jericho): Matt 20:29-34; Mark 10:46-52; Luke 18 35-43

Matthew:

- Jesus preaches the Sermon on the Mount (Galilee): Matt 5:1-7:29
- John the Baptist killed by Herod: Matt 14:1-12
- Jesus feeds the 4,000 (Sea of Galilee): Matt 15:32-39
- Jesus pays his temple taxes (Capernaum): Matt 17:24-27

Mark:

- John the Baptist killed by Herod: Mark 6:14-29
- Jesus feeds the 4,000 (Sea of Galilee): Mark 8:1-9

Luke:

- Jesus preaches the Sermon on the Mount (Galilee): Luke 6:20-49
- A sinful woman anoints Jesus (Capernaum): Luke 7:36-50
- Jesus travels again through Galilee (Galilee): Luke 8:1-3
- Jesus visits Mary and Martha (Bethany): Luke 10:38-42
- Jesus begins his last trip to Jerusalem (Border Road): Luke 17:11
- Jesus talks to Zacchaeus (Jericho): Luke 19:1-10

John:

- Jesus' first miracle (Cana): John 2:1-11
- Jesus and Nicodemus (Judea): John 3:1-21
- Jesus talks to a Samaritan woman (Samaria): John 4:5-42
- Jesus heals a nobleman's son (Cana): John 4:46-54

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- Jesus attends the Feast of Tabernacles (Jerusalem):
John 7:10-53
- Jesus heals a man born blind (Jerusalem): John 9:1-41
- Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead (Bethany):
John 11:1-44
- Jesus visits Mary and Martha again (Bethany):
John 12:1-11
- Jesus' High Priestly prayer (Jerusalem): John 17:1-12

15. I Ams of Jesus

I AM WHO I AM

Exodus 3:14

“I AM has sent me to You.”

Exodus 3:14

1.	I AM the bread of Life (John 6:35)	<i>He feeds the hungry heart.</i>
2.	I AM the Light of the World (John 8:12)	<i>He lights our pathway.</i>
3.	I AM the Gate (John 10:9)	<i>He guards and protects us.</i>
4.	I AM the Good Shepherd (John 10:11)	<i>He nurtures us.</i>
5.	I AM the Resurrection and the Life (John 11:25)	<i>He empowers us for life.</i>
6.	I AM the Way, the Truth and the Life (John 14:6)	<i>He directs and gives understanding for our everyday walk.</i>
7.	I AM the True Vine (John 15:1)	<i>He makes us a part of Himself.</i>

“I tell you the truth,” Jesus answered “before Abraham was born” I AM

John 8:58

16. Teaching of Jesus

Matthew:

- Sermon on the Mount: Matt 5-7
- Beatitudes: Matt 5:1-12
- Lord's Prayer: Matt 6:5-15
- Anxiety and Worry: Matt 6:25-34
- Judging: Matt 7:1-6
- Tree and Fruit: Matt 7:15
- Sending out the Twelve: Matt 10
- Cost of Discipleship: Matt 16:24-28
- Discipline and prayer: Matt 18:15-20
- Divorce: Matt 19:3-12
- Wealth: Matt 19:16-30
- Greatest Commandment: Matt 22:34-40
- Scribes and Pharisees: Matt 23:13-36
- Lord's Supper: Matt 26:26-30
- Great Commission: Matt 28:19-20

Mark:

- Divorce: Mark 10:1-12
- Rich young ruler: Mark 10:17-31
- Give to Caesar: Mark 12:13-17
- Christ's Return: Mark 13:24-27
- Disciples' Commission: Mark 16:14-18

Luke:

- Lord of the Sabbath: Luke 6:1-5
- Golden Rule: Luke 6:31
- Seventy Disciples: Luke 10:1-16
- Worry: Luke 12:22-34
- Call to Repentance: Luke 13:1-5
- Discipleship: Luke 14:25-35
- Second Coming of Christ: Luke 17:22-37

John:

- Word of Life: John 1:1-4
- Born Again: John 3:1-21

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- Living Water: John 4:1-26
- Scripture and Moses: John 5:39-47
- Bread of Life: John 6:25-59
- Light of the World: John 8:12-20
- Son of Man: John 8:21-30
- Truth and Freedom: John 8:31-47
- Good Shepherd: John 10:1-18
- Resurrection and Life: John 11:1-46
- Jesus and the Disciples: John 14:1-6
- The way and the truth and the life: John 14:5-14
- Jesus and the Father: John 14:7-15
- Jesus and the Holy Spirit: John 14:16-31
- Vine and Branches: John 15:1-17
- Disciples and the World: John 15:18-26
- Prayer: John 16:23-28
- Time: John 21:18-23

17. Miracles of Jesus

Synoptic Gospels:

- Man with leprosy: Matt 8:1-4; Mark 1:40-44; Luke 5:12-14
- Peter's mother-in-law: Matt 8:14-15; Mark 1:30-31; Luke 4:38-39
- Calming the storm: Matt 8:23-27; Mark 4:37-41; Luke 8:22-25
- Two men possessed with devils: Matt 8:28-34; Mark 5:1-15; Luke 8:27-39
- Man with palsy: Matt 9:2-7; Mark 2:3-12; Luke 5:18-26
- Jairus's daughter: Matt 9:18-26; Mark 5:21-43; Luke 8:40-56
- Woman with bleeding: Matt 9:20-22; Mark 5:25-34; Luke 8:43-48
- Man with a withered hand: Matt 12:10-13; Mark 3:1-5; Luke 6:6-11
- Feeding of 5,000: Matt 14:14-21; Mark 6:30-44; Luke 9:10-17; John 6:1-14
- Walking on water: Matt 14:22-32; Mark 6:47-52; John 6:16-21
- Boy with devil: Matt 17:14-21; Mark 9:17-29; Luke 9:38-43
- Two blind men (including Bartimaeus): Matt 20:29-34; Mark 10:46-52; Luke 18:35-43

Matthew:

- Roman centurion's servant: Matt 8:5-13
- Two blind men: Matt 9:27-31
- Dumb, devil possessed man: Matt 9:32-33

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- Blind, dumb, devil possessed man: Matt 12:22-23
- Canaanite woman's daughter: Matt 15:21-28
- Feeding of 4,000: Matt 15:32-39
- Fish with coin: Matt 17:24-27
- Fig tree withers: Matt 21:18-22

Mark:

- Devil possessed man in synagogue: Mark 1:21-28
- Canaanite woman's daughter: Mark 7:24-30
- Blind man at Bethsaida: Mark 8:22-26
- Feeding of 4,000: Mark 8:1-9
- Fig tree withers: Mark 11:12-14, 20-25

Luke:

- Devil possessed man in synagogue: Luke 4:31-37
- Huge catch of fish: Luke 5:4-11
- Roman centurion's servant: Luke 7:1-10
- Widow at Nain's son: Luke 7:11-17
- Blind, dumb, devil possessed man: Luke 11:14
- Crippled woman: Luke 13:10-17
- Man with dropsy: Luke 14:1-4
- Ten men with leprosy: Luke 17:11-19
- The high priest's servant: Luke 22:50-51

John:

- Water into wine: John 2:1-11
- Nobleman's son at Capernaum: John 4:46-54
- Sick man at the pool of Bethesda: John 5:1-15
- Man born blind: John 9:1-14
- Lazarus: John 11:1-44
- Huge catch of fish: John 21:1-11

18. Parables of Jesus

Synoptic Gospels:

- Lamp under a bushel: Matt 5:14-16; Mark 4:21-22; Luke 11:33-36
- New cloth on an old garment: Matt 9:16; Mark 2:21; Luke 5:36
- New wine in old wineskins: Matt 9:17; Mark 2:22; Luke 5:37-39
- Sower: Matt 13:3-8,18-23; Mark 4:3-8,14-20; Luke 8:5-8,11-15
- Mustard seed: Matt 13:31-32; Mark 4:30-32; Luke 13:18-19
- Husbandmen: Matt 21:33-40; Mark 12:1-11; Luke 20:9-18
- Fig tree: Matt 24:32-35; Mark 13:28-31; Luke 21:29-33

Matthew:

- Wise and foolish builders: Matt 7:24-27
- Leaven: Matt 13:33
- Tares and wheat: Matt 13:24-30, 36-43
- Hidden treasure and pearl: Matt 13:44-46
- Fishing net: Matt 13:47-50
- Owner of a house: Matt 13:52
- Lost sheep: Matt 18:12-14
- Unmerciful servant: Matt 18:23-35
- Laborers in the vineyard: Matt 20:1-16
- Two sons: Matt 21:28-32
- Wedding banquet: Matt 22:2-14
- Faithful and wise servant: Matt 24:45-51
- Ten virgins: Matt 25:1-13
- Talents: Matt 25:14-30
- Sheep and goats: Matt 25:31-46

Mark:

- Growing seed: Mark 4:26-29
- Watchful servants: Mark 13:34-37

Luke:

- Wise and foolish builders: Luke 6:47-49
- Canceled debts: Luke 7:41-43
- Good Samaritan: Luke 10:30-37
- Persistent friend: Luke 11:5-8
- Rich fool: Luke 12:16-21
- Watchful servants: Luke 12:35-40
- Faithful and wise servant: Luke 12:42-48
- Unfruitful fig tree: Luke 13:6-9
- Leaven: Luke 13:20-21
- Honor at a banquet: Luke 14:7-14
- Great banquet: Luke 14:16-24
- Cost of discipleship: Luke 14:28-33
- Lost sheep: Luke 15:4-7
- Lost coin: Luke 15:8-10
- Prodigal (lost) son: Luke 15:11-32
- Shrewd steward: Luke 16:1-8
- Rich man and Lazarus: Luke 16:19-31
- Obedient servants: Luke 17:7-10
- Persistent widow: Luke 18:2-8
- Pharisee and the publican: Luke 18:10-14
- Ten pounds: Luke 19:12-27

John:

- Good Shepherd: John 10:1-18

**Parables are often an earthly truth with a heavenly meaning.*

19. Fruit of the Spirit

²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.
Galatians 5:22-23

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| 1) love | |
| 2) joy | God first |
| 3) peace | |
| 4) longsuffering | |
| 5) kindness | Others second |
| 6) goodness | |
| 7) faithfulness | |
| 8) gentleness (meekness) | Self last |
| 9) self-control | |

List of Scripture

Love: Luke 10:25-27; 1 Cor 13; 1 John 3:10, 11, 18, 19

Joy: John 15:11; 16:24

Peace: Is 26:3; John 14:27

Patience: Rom 5:3-4; 2 Cor 6:6

Kindness: 1 Cor 13:4; 2 Cor 6:6; Col 3:12

Goodness: Eph 5:9

Faithfulness: 1 Cor 4:2

Gentleness: Gal 6:1; 1 Tim 6:11; Titus 3:2; 1 Pet 3:15

Self-control: Acts 24:25; 2 Pet 1:6

20. Gifts of the Spirit

Speaking Gifts:

Word of Wisdom	I Cor 12
Word of Knowledge	I Cor 12
Prophecy, prophesying, prophet	I Cor 12; Rom 12
Tongues	I Cor 12
Interpretation	I Cor 12
Encouragement	Rom 12
Teaching	I Cor 12; Rom 12

Leadership Gifts:

Apostle	Eph 4
Teacher	Eph 4; Rom 12; I Cor 12
Leadership prophets	Eph 4
Evangelist	Eph 4
Pastor	Eph 4

** Eph 4:11- for the equipping of the saints, for the work of service, for the building up of the body of Christ.*

Serving Gifts:

Faith	I Cor 12
Healing	I Cor 12
Miraculous powers	I Cor 12
Service	Rom 12
Discernment	I Cor 12
Helps	I Cor 12
Administration	Rom 12
Giving	Rom 12
Mercy	Rom 12

Gifts references: I Cor 12:8-11, 28-31; Rom 12:6-8; Eph 4:11

21. Full Armour of God

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. Put on the full armour of God, so that you will be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil".

Ephesians 6:10-11

I.	The Soldier's Strength	Eph 6:10
II.	The Soldier's Battle	Eph 6:11-12
III.	The Soldier's Equipment	Eph 6:13-17
IV.	The Soldier's Attitude	Eph 6:18
V.	The Soldier's Power	Eph 6:19
VI.	The Soldier's Message	Eph 6:20

Armour

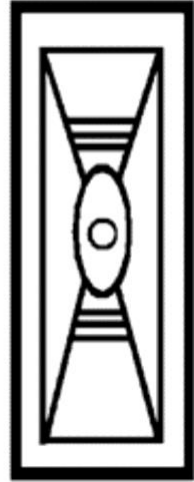
Ephesians 6:10-17

A.	Belt	with truth	<i>protect your reproductive area.</i>
B.	Breastplate	of righteousness	<i>protect your heart.</i>
C.	Shoes	preparation of the gospel of peace.	<i>protect your feet.</i>
D.	Helmet	of salvation	<i>protect your thoughts.</i>
E.	Shield	of faith	<i>protect you from the fiery darts of the enemy.</i>
F.	Sword	Word of God	<i>protect you and empower you for battle.</i>

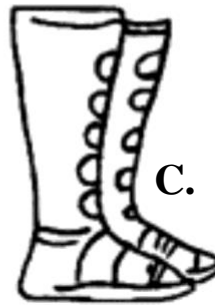
Picture of a soldier's armor:



A.



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| A. Belt | of truth |
| B. Breastplate | of righteousness |
| C. Shoes | preparation of the gospel of peace |
| D. Helmet | of salvation |
| E. Shield | of faith |
| F. Sword | Word of God |

22. Prayer

1. First mention of prayer in the Bible:
Gen 4:26
2. Prayers of the Saints are Precious:
Rev 5:8
3. Commanded to Pray:
1 Chr 16:11; Matt 7:7; 26:41; John 16:24; Eph 6:18
4. Pray at All Times:
1 Thes 5:17
5. Prayer of Intercession and Supplication:
Phil 4:6; 1Tim 2:1
6. Prayer and Fasting:
Joel 1:14; Esther 4:16; Matt 6:16-18; 17:21;
Acts 14:23
7. Prayers answered:

Moses	Ex 15:24-25
Gideon	Judg 6:39-40
Hannah	1 Sam 1:27
Samuel	1 Sam 7:9-10
Solomon	1 Kin 9:3
Elijah	1 Kin 18:37-38
Hezekiah	2 Kin 19:19-20
Jehoshaphat	2 Chr 18:31
Ezra	Ezra 8:23
Early Church	Acts 4:31

8. Examples of Prayer:

Abraham	Gen 18:23
Jacob	Gen 32:24
David	2 Sam 7:18
Solomon	1 Kin 8:22
Jabez	1 Chr 4:10
Ezra	Ezra 9:6
Daniel	Dan 9:4
Habakkuk	Hab 3:1
Lord's Prayer	Matt 6:9
Stephen	Acts 7:60

9. Hindrances to Prayer:

disobedience	Deut 1:45; 1 Sam 14:37; 28:6
sin	Ps 66:18
wickedness	Isa 59:2; Mic 3:4
self-willed	Jer 32:33; Pro 28:14; Acts 7:51; Rom2:5

10. Some scriptures concerning Prayer:

2 Chr 7:14

“And my people who are called by **My name humble themselves and pray** and seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, will forgive their sin and will heal their land.”

Psalm 122:6

“**Pray for the peace of Jerusalem:** May they prosper who love you.”

Matt 5:44

“But I say to you, love your enemies and **pray for those who persecute you.**”

Matt 21:13

And He said to them, “It is written, ‘**My house shall be called a house of prayer,**’ but you have made it a ‘den of thieves’.”

Acts 1:14

“These all **continued with one accord in prayer** and supplication, with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with His brothers.”

Col 4:2-3

“**Continue earnestly in prayer**, being vigilant in it with thanksgiving; meanwhile praying also for us, that God would open to us a door for the word, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in chains,”

1 Timothy 2:1

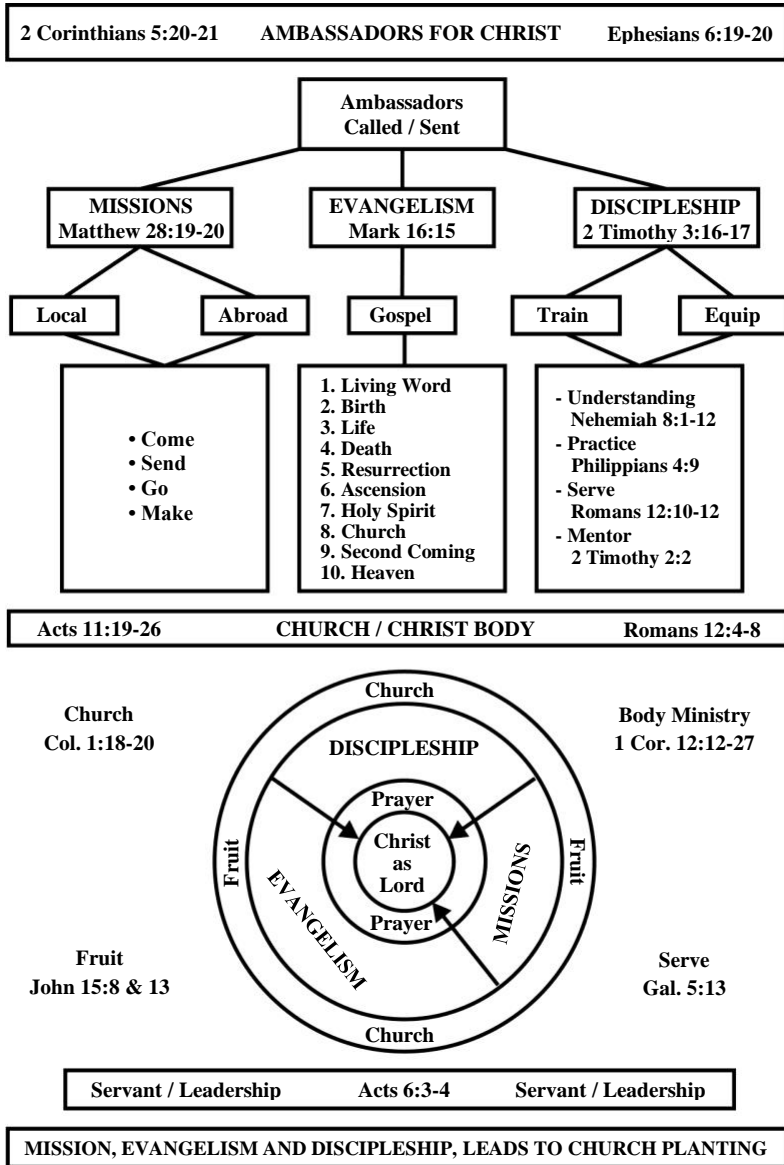
“**First of all**, then, I urge that entreaties and **prayers**, petitions and thanksgivings, be made on behalf of all men.”

1 Pet 3:7

“Husbands, likewise, dwell with them with understanding, giving honor to the wife, as to the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life, **that your prayers may not be hindered.**”

***A Prayer Life:**
can empower us,
change us
and help us
to get ready
for the Kingdom of Heaven.*

23. Church: Mission, Evangelism and Discipleship



24. Stories from the Bible

1.	God Creates the World	Gen 1:1-2:3
2.	God Creates People	Gen 2:4-25
3.	Fall of Man	Gen 3:1-4
4.	A Flood Destroys the World	Gen 6:9-9:17
5.	People Build a Tower	Gen 11:1-9
6.	God Calls Abram (Abraham)	Gen 12:1-9; 17:1-8
7.	Isaac is Born	Gen 21:1-7
8.	God Tests Abraham	Gen 22:1-19
9.	Isaac and Rebekah	Gen 24
10.	Jacob and Esau are Brothers	Gen 25:19-34
11.	Jacob gets the Blessing	Gen 27:1-40
12.	Jacob has a Dream	Gen 28:10-22
13.	Jacob Marries	Gen 29:14-30
14.	Joseph Sold to Egypt	Gen 37:12-36
15.	Pharaoh has Two Dreams	Gen 41
16.	Joseph's Brothers go to Egypt	Gen 42- 45
17.	Moses is Born	Ex 1:8- 2:10
18.	God Calls Moses	Ex 3:1-15
19.	God Sends Ten Plagues	Ex 7:14-11:10
20.	The Passover	Ex 12
21.	The Israelites Cross the Sea	Ex 13:17- 14:31
22.	God Gives Water	Ex 15:22- 27; 17:1-7
23.	God Gives Food	Ex 16
24.	God Gives His Laws to Moses	Ex 19:1-20:21
25.	The People Worship a Golden Calf	Ex 32
26.	Spies Explore the Promised Land	Num 13:1- 14:38
27.	A Donkey Talks to Balaam	Num 22:1- 35
28.	Joshua Leads the People	Josh 1
29.	Rahab Helps the Spies	Josh 2
30.	Jericho's Walls Fall Down	Josh 5:13- 6:27

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31.	Joshua's farewell address	Josh 23- 24
32.	Deborah and Barak Defeat Sisera	Judg 4:1-16
33.	Gideon Tests God	Judg 6
34.	Gideon Wins the War	Judg 7
35.	Samson and Delilah	Judg 16:4- 31
36.	The Story of Ruth	Ruth 1- 4
37.	God Calls Samuel	1 Sam 3
38.	David Fights Goliath	1 Sam 17
39.	David and Jonathan are Friends	1 Sam 20
40.	Abigail Saves her Family	1 Sam 25
41.	David Sins with Bath-sheba	2 Sam 11
42.	God Forgives David's Sin	2 Sam 12:1 - 25
43.	Solomon's Prayer	1 Kin 3:6-9
44.	Solomon is a Wise Ruler	1Kin 3:16-28
45.	Dedication of the Temple	1 Kin 8-9
46.	Elijah is fed by Birds	1 Kin 17:1- 6
47.	Elijah Challenges the Prophets of Baal	1 Kin 18:17-39
48.	Elijah goes to Heaven	2 Kin 2:1-11
49.	A Widow's Oil	2 Kin 4:1-7
50.	A Woman's Son Lives Again	2 Kin 4:8-37
51.	God Heals Naaman of Leprosy	2 Kin 5
52.	King Josiah Leads the Nation to Worship God	2 Kin 22:1-23:30
53.	Ezra goes to Jerusalem	Ezra 7 - 10
54.	Nehemiah wants to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem	Neh 1:1- 2:8
55.	Ezra teaches with Understanding	Neh 8:1-18
56.	Esther and Mordecai Save the People	Esth 2:5-5:8; 7:1-8:17
57.	God is Our Shepherd	Ps 23
58.	David asks God for Forgiveness	Ps 51
59.	Word of God	Ps 119
60.	Isaiah Wants to Serve God	Is 6:1-8
61.	Isaiah tells people about Israel's God	Is 40 -44
62.	Isaiah tells of the coming servant	Is 54:1-17

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63.	God Protects Three Men in a Fire	Dan 3
64.	Daniel is Safe from the Lions	Dan 6
65.	A Fish Swallows Jonah	Jon 1-2
66.	Haggai rebuilds the Second Temple	Hag 1-2
67.	Old Testament Last Words by Malachi	Mal 1-4
68.	An Angel Visits Mary	Luke 1:26-38
69.	Jesus is Born	Luke 2:1-7
70.	The Shepherds Worship Jesus	Luke 2:8 -20
71.	The Wise Men Visit Jesus	Matt 2:1-12
72.	Baby Jesus is Taken to the Temple	Luke 2:22- 40
73.	Jesus' Family Escapes to Egypt	Matt 2:13- 23
74.	The Boy Jesus Visits the Temple	Luke 2:41-52
75.	Jesus is Baptized	John 1:29-34
76.	Satan Tempts Jesus	Luke 4:1-13
77.	Water Becomes Wine	John 2:1-11
78.	A Sick Man's Friends Help Him See Jesus	Luke 5:17- 26
79.	Jesus Teaches Nicodemus	John 3:1- 21
80.	Jesus Talks to a Woman at a Well	John 4:4 -42
81.	A Nobleman Has Great Faith	John 4:46 -54
82.	Jesus Calls His Disciples	Mark 3:13-19
83.	Jesus Preaches on a Mountain	Matt 5:1-7:29
84.	Jesus Calms a Storm	Mark 4:35- 41
85.	A Dead Girl Lives Again	Mark 5:21-24, 35-43
86.	A Sick Woman is Healed	Mark 5:25-34
87.	John the Baptist is Killed	Mark 6:17-29
88.	Jesus Feeds Five Thousand People	Mark 6:30-44
89.	Jesus Walks on Water	Mark 6:45-51
90.	Jesus Heals a Man Born Blind	John 9:1-41
91.	The Good Samaritan	Luke 10:25-37
92.	Jesus Raises Lazarus from the Dead	John 11:1-46
93.	Do Not Worry	Luke 12:22-34
94.	A Sheep is Lost	Luke 15:1-7
95.	A Coin is Lost	Luke 15:8 -10
96.	A Son Runs Away	Luke 15:11-32
97.	Jesus Heals Ten Men	Luke 17:11-19

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98.	Jesus Blesses the Children	Mark 10:13-6
99.	A Young Man Comes to Jesus	Mark 10:17-31
100.	Zacchaeus Climbs a Tree	Luke 19:1-10
101.	Jesus Enters Jerusalem	Luke 19:28-44
102.	Jesus Eats the Last Supper	Matt 26:17-30
103.	Jesus Prays in the Garden	Matt 26:36-56
104.	Peter Denies Jesus	Matt 26:69-75
105.	Jesus is on Trial	Matt 27:1-30
106.	Jesus Dies on the Cross	Matt 27:31-56
107.	Jesus is Buried	Matt 27:57-66
108.	Jesus Comes Back to Life	Luke 24:1-12
109.	Jesus Talks to Two Men	Luke 24:13-35
110.	Jesus Appears to His Disciples	Luke 24:36-53
111.	Jesus' Second Coming Foretold	John 14:3-28
112.	Jesus at the Sea of Galilee	John 21
113.	Jesus Goes to Heaven	Acts 1:4-11
114.	The Holy Spirit Comes to the People	Acts 1:12-2:47
115.	Stephen's Testimony and Death	Acts 7
116.	Saul Begins to Follow Jesus	Acts 9:1-19
117.	Peter Escapes From Prison	Acts 12:1-17
118.	The Council of Jerusalem	Acts 15
119.	Paul and Silas Sing in Prison	Acts 16:16-40
120.	Paul before Felix and Festus	Acts 24 -25
121.	Paul's Defense before Agrippa	Acts 26
122.	Love is the Greatest Gift	1 Cor 13
123.	The Resurrection Truth	1 Cor 15
124.	Testimonies of Faith	Heb 11
125.	Jude's Warning	Jude 1
126.	The Seven Churches	Rev 2:1-3:22
127.	The Lamb is Worshipped	Rev 5
128.	The New Jerusalem	Rev 21:1-22:6
129.	Jesus is Coming Again	Rev 22:7-21

25. Precious Promises from the Bible

1.	If you feel guilty:	2 Sam 14:14; Ps 130:3-4; Rom 8:1-2; 1 Cor 6:11; Eph 3:12; Heb 10:22-23
2.	If you feel dejected:	Ps 130:7; Is 65:24, Matt 11:28-30; Rom 8:26-27; Heb 4:16; James 4:8, 10
3.	If you feel despair:	Ps 119:116; Is 57:15; Jer 32:17; Heb 10:35
4.	If you are disappointed:	Ps 22:4-5; Is 49:23; Matt 19:25-26; Mark 9:21-24; John 15:7; Eph 3:20
5.	If you are depressed:	Deut 31:8; Ps 34:18; Is 49:13-15; Rom 5:5
6.	If you are persecuted:	Gen 50:20; Ps 37:1-2; Matt 5:10-12; 2 Cor 4:8-12; 2 Tim 1:11-12; 1 Pet 3:13-14
7.	If you are anxious:	Ps 55:22; Is 41:13; Matt 6:25; 11:28-29; Phil 4:6-7; 1 Pet 5:7
8.	If you are filled with longing:	Ps 37:4; 84:11; 103:5; Luke 12:29-31
9.	If you are sick:	Ps 23:4; 73:26; Is 57:18; Matt 8:16-17; John 16:33; Rom 8:37-39; James 5:14-15
10.	If you are impatient:	Ps 27:13-14; 37:7, 9; Rom 2:7; 1 Tim 1:16; Heb 6:12; 2 Pet 3:9
11.	If you are confused:	Ps 32:8; Is 42:16; John 8:12; 14:27; 1 Cor 2:15-16; James 1:5
12.	If you are tempted:	Job 23:10-11; 1 Cor 10:13; Heb 2:18; 4:15-16; James 1:2-4, 13-14; 1 Pet 5:8-10
13.	If you are weak:	Ps 73:13; Is 41:10; Rom 8:26; 1 Cor 1:7-9; 2 Cor 4:7-9; 12:9-10
14.	If you are afraid:	Ps 4:8; 23:4; Is 35:4; Rom 8:37-39; 2 Cor 1:10; 2 Tim 1:7; Heb 13:6

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15.	If you struggle with obedience:	Ex 14:23; Matt 16:27; John 8:31-32; 14:21,23; James 1:25
16.	If you are in need:	Is 58:11; John 6:35; 2 Cor 9:10-11; Eph 3:20-21; Phil 4:19
17.	If you are grieving:	Ps 119:50, 76-77; Jer 31:13; Matt 5:4; John 16:20-22; 1 Thes 4:13-14; Rev 21:3-4
18.	If you suffer:	Ps 34:19; Nah 1:7; John 16:33; Rom 8:16-17; 1 Pet 2:20-21, 4:12-13
19.	If you fail:	Josh 1:9; Rom 3:23-24; 5:8; Heb 10:36; 1 John 1:8-9
20.	If you doubt:	Ps 34:22; John 3:18; 11:25-26; Rom 4:5; 1 John 4:15-16
21.	If the future seems hopeless:	Is 54:1-7; Lam 3:19-24; 1 Cor 15:20-28; 1 Pet 1:1-9; 5:10-11; Rev 11:15-19.
22.	If you are seeking God's direction:	1 Kin 3:1-14; Prov 2:1-6; Rom 12:1-3; Eph 5:15-17; Col 1:9-14; James 1:5-8
23.	If you need comfort:	Is 12; 40:1-11; Jer 31:10-13; 2 Cor 1:3-7; 7:6-13
24.	If others disagree with you:	Matt 7:1-5; Rom 12:9-21; 14:1-15; 2 Cor 5:11-21
25.	If the World seems enticing:	Gen 3:1-7; Eccl 2:1-11; 2 Cor 6:14-7:1; James 1:26-27; 4:4-10; 1 John 2:15-17
26.	If you need assurance of salvation:	Ps 91: 14-16; Mic 7:18-20; John 3:14-21; 11:25-26; Acts 16:31-34; 1 John 5:9-13
27.	If others have sinned against you:	Gen 33:1-4; 50:15-20; Matt 6:14-15; 18:21-35; Col 3:12-14; James 2:12-13
28.	If you are tempted to be bitter:	Ps 4; 38:7-9; 73; Prov 16:32; 1 Cor 13:5; Eph 4:29-5:2; Heb 12:14-15
29.	If you are tempted to neglect public worship:	Ex 20:8-11; Ps 95:1-7; Acts 2:42-47; Heb 10:19-25

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30.	If your faith needs strengthening:	Gen 15:1-6; Prov 3:5-9; Rom 5:1-11 1 Cor 9:24-27; Heb 10:19-25, 35-39, 11:1-12: 13
31.	If you need to control your tongue:	Ps 39:1; Prov 10:18-20; Matt 15:1-20; James 3:1-12
32.	If you are prone to judge others:	Matt 7:1-5; 1 Cor 4:1-5; James 2:1-13; 4:11-12
33.	If you have been cheated:	Gen 33:1-4; Matt 18:15-17; 1 Cor 6:1-8; James 5:1-8
34.	If things are going well:	Job 31:24-28; Prov 15:27; Luke 12:13-21; 1 Tim 6:3-19; Heb 13:5; James 2:1-17
35.	If you wonder about your Spiritual Gifts:	Rom 12:3-8; 1 Cor 1:4-9; 12:1 - 14:25; 1 Pet 4:7-11
36.	If you are starting a new job:	1 Kin 3:1-14; Pro 10:4-5; Rom 12:1-2; Gal 5:13-26; Eph 1:3-4
37.	If you are in a position of responsibility:	1 Kin 11:5-7; Prov 3:21-27; Mark 10:35-45; Luke 7:1-10; 1 Cor 16:13-14; Gal 6:9-10
38.	If you are establishing a new home:	Gen 2:19-25; Eccl 9:7-10; Eph 5:22-33; Col 3:18-21; 1 Pet 3:1-7
39.	If you have been quarreling:	Gen 13:5-11; Ps 133; 1 Cor 3, Eph 4:1-6, 15:5-2; 2 Tim 2:14-26; James 4:1-12
40.	If you are challenged by dark forces:	Josh 1:6-9; Ps 56:1-4; Rom 8:38-39; 2 Cor 4:7-18; Eph 6:10-18; 2 Tim 4:3-7
41.	If you are struggling with jealousy:	Num 12:1-15; 16:1-35; Gal 5:13-15, 19-21; James 3:13-18
42.	If you struggle with laziness:	Prov 6:6-11; 10:4-5; Eph 5:15-16; Phil 2:12-13; 1 Thess 4:11-12; 2 Thess 3:6-15
43.	If you struggle with lust:	Deut 22:22-24; 2 Sam 11:1-12:14; Matt 5:27-30; Rom 13:8-14, James 1:13-18
44.	If you are angry:	Gen 4:1-12; Ps 4:4; Matt 5:21-22, 18:21-35; Eph 4:25, 5:2;

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		James 1:19-21
45.	If you desire revenge:	Deut 32:34-35; Ps 94:1; Prov 25:21-22; Matt 5:38-42; Rom 12:17-21; 1 Thess 5:12-15; 1 Pet 3:8-14
46.	If you are struggling with pride:	Prov 8:12-14; Matt 25:34-40; Mark 10:35-45; Rom 12:3; Phil 2:1-11
47.	If you struggle with addiction:	Ps 18: 28-36; Prov 23:29-35; Rom 6: 1-23; 12:1-2; 1 Cor 6:12-20; Phil 3:17-4:1
48.	If you are struggling with greediness:	Ps 62:1-2, 10; Eccl 2:1-11; Luke 12:13-21; 2 Cor 9:6-15; Eph 5:3-7; 1 John 3:16-18
49.	If you desire to learn how to pray:	2 Chr 6:13-42, 20:5-12; Matt 6:5-15; Mark 11:22-25; Luke 18:9-14; Phil 4:4-7
50.	If you are struggling with apathy or indifference:	Num 25:10-13; Eccl 9:10; Matt 25:1-13; Luke 12:35-48; 1 Thess 5: 1-11; Rev 3:1-6, 14-22
51.	If you are struggling with financial challenges:	Deut 15:7-11; Prov 3:9; Mal 3:10-12; Matt 6:1-4; 1 Tim 6:10
52.	If you are struggling with the Fruit of the Spirit:	Gal 5:22-23; Rom 5:3-5; 1 Tim 6:11; 2 Tim 3:10; 2 Pet 1:5-7
53.	If you need salvation in Christ Jesus:	Ps 27:1; 37:39; Isa 12:2; Acts 2:21; Rom 10:9-13; Tit 2:11; 2 Pet 3:9
54.	If you are struggling with loneliness:	Ps 119:63; Prov 18:24; Mark 3:35; 1 John 1:3

26. Scriptures for Ministry

1. Accident: Deut 29:29; Rom 8:28;
1 Thes 3:7
2. Altar destruction (High places):
Deut 12:1-14; 1 Kin 14:22-23;
2 Chr 14:3,5; Ezek 6:1-6; Hos 4:11-14
3. Baby dedication: Ex 2:6; Ps 17:14, 127:3;
Luke 2:12, 16
4. Baptism: Matt 28:19; Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38;
Rom 6:3-5; Gal 3:27; Col 2:12; 1 Pet 3:21
5. Bitterness: Ps 64:3; Pro 14:10; Jer 4:18; Eph 4:31;
Heb 12:15
6. Business dedication: Deut 25:15;
Lev 19:35-36; 1 Kin 8:12-66; Ezra 6:1-22;
Prov 10:4; 11:1; 13:4; 22:29
7. Children; Gen 33:5; Deut 30:2; Ps 127:3; Pro
8:32; 17:6; Mark 10:14; Eph 6:1-4; Gal 4:1-2;
Heb 12:9
8. Christian workers (servants of the Lord): Acts
2:18; Rom 12:11; 1 Cor 3:13-15;
Eph 2:10; 2 Tim 2:21; 3:17
9. Christmas (Birth of Christ): Isa 7:14; Matt 1:18-
25; Luke 2:1-20; Gal 4:4
10. Church: Acts 2:41-47; Eph 4:12; 5:22-32; 1 Tim
3:15; Heb 12:23
11. Communion (Lord's Supper):
Matt 26:26-29; Luke 22:19, 20;
Acts 2:42, 46; 1 Cor 11:20
12. Country or state (government):
Ex 18:13-26; Is 45:1-13; Mat 22:18-21;
Rom 13:1-7; 1 Tim 2:1-3
13. Deacons: Acts 6:1-6; 1 Tim 3:8-13
14. Deliverance ministry: Col 1:13;
2 Tim 3:11; 4:18; 2 Pet 2:9

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15. Discipleship: Matt 16:25; 28:19-20;
Luke 14:26-33; John 15:1-17
16. Addiction (gambling, drugs, alcohol): Prov 20:1;
23:21; 28:20; Is 28:7;
Matt 24:48-51; 1 Cor 11:21-22
17. Easter - Good Friday (death of Christ): Matt
27:45-61; Mark 15:33-47;
Luke 23:26-56; John 19:28-42; Heb 2:14
18. Easter - Resurrection Sunday:
Matt 28:1-15; Mark 16:1-14;
Luke 24:1-12; John 20:1-23
19. Engagement (betrothed / espoused / virgin): Deut
20:7; Matt 1:18; Luke 1:27; 2 Cor 11:2
20. Family: Gen 1:27, 28; Matt 19:6;
1 Cor 7:3
21. Finances (money): Deut 2:6, 28; 14:22-26; Matt
25:14-27; Luke 7:41-42; 1 Tim 6:10
22. Funeral (death): Ps 23:4; Eccl 9:10;
Is 57:1-2; Acts 24:15; 1 Cor 15; 2 Cor 5:1-10 Heb
2:15; Rev 14:13; 21:1-4
23. Harvest time (reap): Gen 8:22; Ex 23:16; Lev
19:9; 23:10; Deut 24:19; 26:1-2;
Prov 10:5
24. Holy Spirit: John 1:32-34; 14:15-31;
16:5-15; Acts 2:1-41; Rom 8:1-17;
Gal 5:22-23; Eph 5:18
25. House dedication: Ex 25:8; Deut 12:5;
Is 56:7; Ps 127:1
26. Idols: Ex 20:1-5; 34:13-16; Judg 6:25-32; Hos
4:12-19; Rom 1:21-25; 1 Cor 5:11; 10:14, 19-21;
Gal 4:8-9; 1 Thess 1:9;
1 Pet 4:3; 1 John 5:21
27. Lent (a forty day period of fasting and
repentance; mourning): 2 Sam 13:19; Esth 4:1
(reflection on Jesus suffering, sacrifice, death,
burial and resurrection) Matt 27: 33- 28:15; Mark

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- 15:22-16:13; Luke 23: 26- 24:12; John 19:1-20:18
28. Marriage: Gen 2:19-25; Matt 19:6; Mark 10:7-9; 1Cor 7; Eph 5:21-33; Col 3:18-19; 1 Pet 3:1-2, 7
29. Ministers: Matt 20:22-27; John 21:15-17; Acts 13:5; Rom 15:17-19; 1 Cor 1:4-9; 2 Tim 2:2
30. Miracles: 2 Kin 5:10-14; Matt 9:1-8; 11:2-5; John 2:1-11; Acts 6:8; 14:10; Rom 15:18
31. Missions (sent one): Matt 10:16; 28:18-20; John 6:38, 20:21; Acts 8:5-17, 13:1-4
32. Naming service: Gen 21:3; Ruth 4:17; Is 62:2; Matt 1:21-25; Luke 1:57-66; 2:21
33. Nursery school (training): Ps 34:11; Prov 8:17, 32; 13:24; 19:18; 22:15; 23:13; Gal 4:1-3; Eph 6:4
34. Overcoming sin: Josh 7:19-21; Ps 51:3-4; Rom 5:12, 16; 1 Cor 15:3; Heb 2:17; 1 John 1:7, 9
35. Parents: Gen 18:18-19; Ex 20:12; Deut 6:6-7; 1 King 2:1-4; 2 Tim 1:5
36. Pastor (shepherd / overseer): Ps 23:1; Mark 6:34; John 10:11; Eph 4:11-12
37. Planting time (seeding): Ps 126:5-6; Eccle 11:4; Is 32:20; Hos 10:12; Matt 13:3-9; Luke 8:5-8; Gal 6:8
38. Poor and needy: Lev 19:9-10; Deut 15:1-11; Is 58:6-7; Amos 5:11-15; Matt 25:31-46; Luke 21:2-3; James 2:1-9
39. Prayer service: Matt 18:20; John 14:13; Acts 1:13-14; 10:2, 30; 1Cor 14:14-17

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40. Repentance: 2 Chro 7:14; Ezek 18:30-32; Ps 51:10-13; Matt 4:12-17; Mark 1:15; Luke 18:9-14; Acts 2:38; 8:22; 9:35; Rom 10:9-10
41. Salvation: Ex 14:30; 15:2; Ps 62; Is 59:15-20; Luke 19:1-10; John 3:14-15; Acts 16:16-34; Rom 10:9-10; Eph 1:13; 2:1-10; 2 Cor 6:2; Heb 5:9
42. School graduation (goal completed): Phil 3:12-14; 1Cor 9:24-25; 2 Tim 4:7,8
43. Sick / healing: Matt 4:23; 8:3; 9:35; Mark 10:52; Luke 13:13; John 9:1-7; Acts 3:7; 9:34; 28:8-9; James 5:14,15
44. Soldiers: Matt 8:9; Acts 10:7-8; Eph 6:10-18; Phil 2:25; 2 Tim 2:4
45. Starting school (education); Is 28:10; 2 Chr 17:7-9; Luke 2:46; Acts 17:10-11; Eph 6:4; 2 Tim 3:15-17
46. Teachers: 2 Chr 17:7-9; John 14:26; Eph 4:11; 2 Tim 2:24-26; Heb 8:11-12; James 3:1,2
47. Temptation: Matt 4:1-10; 6:13; Heb 4:15-16; 2 Pet 2:9
48. Tithes and offerings: Lev 27:30-33; Num 18:26; Mal 3:10; Heb 7:1,2,6
49. Widows: Ex 22:22-24; Is 1:17, 23; Luke 21:2-4; James 1:27; 1Tim 5:3
50. Youth: Ps 25:7; 119:9; Pro 1:10-16; 20:29; Eccle 12:1-2; Jer 3:25; Luke 15:11-32; 1 Tim 4:12; 2 Tim 2:22; Tit 2:6; 1 Pet 5:5

27. Major Doctrines

1. Theology of the Bible *Word of God, our
food, light and sword.*
Ps 119:105; Eph 6:17; 2 Tim 3:16, 17
2. Theology of God *Our Triune God who
functions as 3 in 1(Father
Son and Holy Spirit).*
*Deut 6:4; Matt 3:16; John 1:1; Acts 5:3, 4;
1 John 5:8*
3. Theology of Jesus *Saviour, Teacher,
Redeemer, Deliver
and Provider.*
The Old and New Testament / Old and New Covenants
4. Theology of Christ's Death *Atoning blood, our
substitution.*
*Matt 27:33-66; Mark 15:22-47; Luke 23:33-56; John
19:16-42*
5. Theology of the Resurrection *Jesus conquered
sin and death*
Matt 28:1-10; Mark 16:1-13; Acts 1:8-11; Eph 1:19-23
6. Theology of the Holy Spirit *Teacher, empowerer for
service, giver of spiritual
fruit and gifts for ministry*
Acts 2:38; Rom 12; 1 Cor 12:1-11; Eph 4; Gal 5:22, 23
7. Theology of Man and Sin *Created by God, chose a
way of destruction, born
of a sin nature.*
Gen 3; John 3:5-16; Rom 1:18-32; 3:23

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8. Theology of Salvation *Jesus: one way, one truth and one life to live*
John 14:6; Acts 4:12; Rom 1:16-17; 5:9; 10:9-10
9. Theology of the Church *Body of Christ: center for training, nurturing and equipping*
Matt 16:18; Eph1:22; 5:23; Col 1:18, 24
10. Theology of Angels, Satan and Demons
Fallen angels, death and destruction, spiritual warfare.
Job 1:6-7; 2 Peter 2:4; Jude 1:6
11. Theology of Eschatology (end times)
Rapture, Armageddon, book of life, judgement, final victory, marriage supper of the Lamb.
Book of Daniel, Ezekiel, and Revelation
12. Theology of Discipleship
Commanded to go, teach and make disciples of all nations.
Matt 28:19-20; Mark 16:15-16; Luke 24:44-49; John 20:21; Acts1:6-8

28. Statement of Faith

We believe:

1. In the Holy Bible as the inspired Word of God and as the final authority in all matters of Christian life and doctrine. (2 Tim 3:16, 17)
2. In the One True God, in the Trinity of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Deut 6:4; Matt 3:16; John 1:1; Acts 5:3, 4; 1 John 5:8)
3. In the virgin birth of Jesus the Messiah, being conceived by the Holy Spirit. (Matt 1:23-25; Luke 1:34, 35)
4. In the bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ, His ascension and seat at the right hand of the Father. (Acts 1:8-11, 2:24; Eph 1:19-23)
5. In salvation through repentance of sin and faith in Jesus Christ and His blood shed for our redemption. (Acts 4:12; Rom 5:9; Eph 2:8-10)
6. In the believer's water baptism by immersion in which a believer identifies with Christ in His death, in His burial, and in His resurrection to newness of Life. (Mark 16:16; Rom 6:1)
7. In the filling of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:38; 19:1-6), with the gifts (1 Cor 12-14), fruit (Gal 5:22, 23), and ministries. (Eph 4:11)
8. In exercising the privileges and authority of believers, and in praying in Jesus' name to appropriate the provisions in the redemptive work of Christ for healing and deliverance

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unto wholeness of spirit, soul, and body. (Is 53:4-6; Luke 4:18; John 14:12; James 5:14)

9. In the life and walk in the Spirit which helps believers to overcome and enables them to live the victorious Christian life. (Rom 8:11; Gal 5:16-18)

10. In the resurrection of all the dead; believers to eternal life (1 Cor 15), and unbelievers to eternal damnation. (Rev 20:4-15)

11. In the imminent Second Coming of Jesus Christ. (John 14:1; Acts 1:11; Rev 22:12)

12. In the great commission to the church to go into all the world and preach the Gospel, making disciples of all nations, baptizing converts in the name of the Godhead, and teaching them to observe all of Christ's commands. (Matt 28:19,20; Mark 16:15,16)

29. Seven Churches of the book of Revelation

Revelation 2:1- 3:22

1. Ephesus - The strong church
Rev 2:1-7
 - Had patiently borne adversity, and could not stand evil.
 - They had left their first love. God appealed to them to remember from where they had fallen.
2. Smyrna - The poor, rich church.
Rev 2:8-11
 - This church would face persecution.
 - God had nothing against them.
3. Pergamum - The faltering church
Rev 2:12-17
 - Had not denied God.
 - Had allowed false prophets into the church.
4. Thyatira - The apostate church
Rev 2:18-29
 - Had many good works.
 - Had allowed the false prophetess Jezebel to come in.
5. Sardis - The dying church
Rev 3:1-6
 - Asked to repent and watch.
6. Philadelphia - The weak church
Rev 3:7-13
 - God promised to keep them from the hour of temptation.

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- The synagogue of Satan, who claimed to be Jews, would know that God was with them.
7. Laodicea - The lukewarm church
Rev 3:14-22
- This church thought they were fine.
 - God asked them to buy gold from him, so they would be rich.

30. Eight Week Bible Reading Chart

Week One

Day 1	Ps 1:1-6	Meditate on God
Day 2	Gen 1-2	The Creation
Day 3	Gen 3	The Beginning of Sin
Day 4	Gen 15; 17:15-27	God's Covenant with Abraham
Day 5	Gen 21:1-7; 22	God's faithfulness and Abraham's Faith
Day 6	Ex 3-4	God Calls Moses to Deliver His People
Day 7	Prov 1:1-33	Learn the truth of Solomon's Proverbs

Week Two

Day 1	Ps 23:1-6	Shepherded by God
Day 2	Ex 20	The Ten Commandments
Day 3	Josh I	Conquering the Promised Land
Day 4	1 Sam 16-17	David and Goliath
Day 5	I Kin 3; 8:1-9:9	King Solomon's Wisdom and the Temple
Day 6	I Kin 18	The Prophet Elijah and the prophets of Baal
Day 7	Prov 1-3	True Wisdom

Week Three

Day 1	Ps 27:1-14	Salvation by God alone
Day 2	Neh 1-2	Call of Nehemiah
Day 3	Dan 2-3	Daniel in Babylon: The Fiery Furnace
Day 4	Ezra 3	Rebuilding the Temple in Jerusalem
Day 5	Is 9, 53, 61	Isaiah's Prophecy of the Coming Messiah
Day 6	Luke 1-2	The Birth of Jesus
Day 7	Prov 4	A Father's Instruction

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Week Four

Day 1	Ps 34:1-22	Heart of God
Day2	John 1:1-18	Who Jesus is
Day 3	Luke 4: 14-44	Jesus Begins His Ministry
Day 4	Matt 5-6	The Core of Jesus' Teaching
Day 5	John 3	God's Love for the World
Day 6	John 5	Jesus' Miracles and Authority
Day 7	Prov 10-18	Righteousness or Wickedness: choice is ours

Week Five

Day 1	Ps 100:1-5	Thanksgiving to God
Day 2	John 11	Jesus' Power over Death
Day 3	John 15	The Christian Life Defined
Day 4	John 17	Jesus' High Priestly Prayer
Day 5	Matt 26-27	The Arrest and Crucifixion of Jesus
Day 6	John 20	The Resurrection of Jesus
Day 7	Prov 19-23	Life and Behaviour

Week Six

Day 1	Ps 119	Word of God
Day 2	Luke 24	The Ascension of Jesus
Day 3	Acts 2	The Coming of the Holy Spirit
Day 4	Acts 7	Stephen's Testimony
Day 5	Acts 9	The Conversion of Saul
Day 6	Acts 26	Paul's Defense of the Christian Faith
Day 7	Prov 25-26	Words of Instruction

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Week Seven

Day 1	Ps 121:1-8	Protection of God
Day 2	Rom 3	Justification by Faith Alone
Day 3	Rom 7-8	The Battle with Sin: Life in the Spirit
Day 4	1 Cor 13	The Way of Love
Day 5	1 Cor 15	The Power of the Resurrection
Day 6	Gal 5	Freedom in Christ
Day 7	Prov 27-29	Words of Warning

Week Eight

Day 1	Ps 150:1-6	Praise to God
Day 2	Eph 6	The Whole Armor of God
Day 3	Phil 1:18-2:18	Christ's Example
Day 4	Col 3:1-17	Putting on the New Self
Day 5	Heb 11	Testimonies of Faith
Day 6	Rev 21-22	The New Heaven and Earth
Day 7	Prov 31:10-31	A Godly Woman

31. Prayer of Commitment

Dear Jesus,

I confess that I am a sinner having gone my own way and that I need You as my Lord and Savior. I believe that You paid the price for my sins when You died on the cross and shed Your blood for me, so that I might have eternal life. I am ready, willing to turn from my sin and return to You. I now invite You into my heart and surrender the control and direction of my life entirely to You. Help me to be a true disciple to you and to others. Thank you for taking my punishment and providing for me a way of escape from eternal death to everlasting life. Thank you for coming into my heart so that I can now have a close, personal relationship with You. Amen

(b) Relationship Commitment Certificate

My Confession:

I have confessed my sinfulness to God, turned from my sin and believe that Christ has forgiven me.

My Acceptance:

I now receive the living Christ into my life as Lord and Savior.

My Commitment:

I surrender the right of my life to Jesus Christ. Jesus is my Lord.

Date of surrender to Christ: _____

Signature: _____

Witnessed by: _____

32. Discipleship Lifestyle

What follows are some helpful hints to strengthen the new relationship that you now have with Christ Jesus as His Disciples.

Scripture:	Reading and studying the Word of God daily. <i>2 Timothy 3:14 – 17</i>
Prayer:	For Christ's will and wisdom for others. <i>Philippians 4:6 – 7</i>
Testify:	Share your faith in Christ and tell others of God's love. Water baptism is one of the first ways to do this. <i>1 Peter 3:15 – 16</i>
Fellowship:	Go out and get involved with other believers – in worship, communion and giving – which will strengthen your personal relationship with God. <i>Hebrews 10:24 – 25</i>
Walk:	Let the Holy Spirit direct and guide your life each day. Allow the Holy Spirit to fill you and empower you for service. <i>John 14:26, Acts 2:38</i>
Fruit:	Grow each day while walking on a journey of maturity so that you may bear fruit that will last. <i>John 15:11</i>
Seed Planting:	Fulfill the call of the great commission by going, planting and reaping for God's glory. The seed is the Good News of the Gospel of Christ. Go tell and give to others what you have freely received. <i>Matthew 28:19–20, Mark 16:15 – 18</i>

33. Disciple's Gospel Creed

1. I do believe and confess in the **Living Word** of God who, in the beginning was and is God, who created all things and without Him nothing was created, and as the Word He became flesh and dwelt amongst us, the only begotten of the Father who is full of grace and truth.
2. I do believe and confess in the **virgin birth** of God's Son Jesus Christ through the woman Mary and that she was imbued from on high by the power of the Holy Spirit and conceived and gave birth to a Son whose name is "Emanuel, God with us".
3. I do believe and confess in the **life of Christ** who lived and taught here on earth proclaiming the Father and the Kingdom of God, exemplifying to all that He was the only way, truth and life, and that one should take up the cross and follow Him.
4. I do believe and confess in the **physical death** of our Lord Jesus Christ on the cross, where he bore my sins and opened to people a way into the Holy of Holies where we could stand before the Father, clothed in Christ's grace and righteousness, proclaiming that we have died to ourselves and now live our all, as disciples, for Jesus.
5. I do believe and confess in the **bodily resurrection** of Jesus Christ that after being dead for three days He rose victorious from the grave, becoming the first born among many, putting to death the old man and making way for a new man, clothed and filled with His power and truth.
6. I do believe and confess in the **ascension** of Jesus Christ, that from the time of the resurrection, to the day He was taken up into the clouds, being seen by many, is now in paradise, preparing a place for the disciples, interceding before the father on our behalf.
7. I do believe and confess in the **Holy Spirit** who, as one of three Persons of the triune, is sent by the Father to baptize and fill His

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disciples with power, anointing them with the fruit of the Spirit, gifting them with gifts so that they can serve the body of Christ Jesus throughout the world.

8. I do believe and confess in the one **church** of Jesus Christ, which He birthed on the Day of Pentecost through the Holy Spirit, being the head, making her a living organism, with the purpose of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ on earth and giving to her His presence of love, making her a place of refuge, encouragement and nurturing, a place from which the teaching of Christ would go out, a place for all who would receive Him as their Lord and Saviour to have fellowship.

9. I do believe and confess in the **second coming** of Jesus Christ, that He will soon come again with His army as Lord and King, defeating all enemies and binding Satan and putting to death the curse of sin and disobedience once and for all, resulting in a new kingdom here on earth and in heaven.

10. I do believe and confess in the literal place called **heaven**, where all will be judged, a place where the Lamb's Book of Life is kept, a place where one day as a disciple I will go, a place of no more sickness or death, a place where I will become a new creation with a new name, a place where we will come face to face with our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ the Lamb of God, Redeemer for all who have believed in Him, and that we will gather together with Him at the Marriage Supper of the Lamb, worshipping and adoring our King Jesus for all eternity.

I now and forever confess my total allegiance to My LORD and King Jesus Christ both now and for all eternity. Amen

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

34. Road Map for Eternal Life

1. God is calling you!

Romans 1:6-7

Among whom you also are the **called** of Jesus Christ; ⁷to all who are beloved of God in Rome, called *as* saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2. God has made a way for us.

Romans 1:16

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for **salvation** to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

3. No man is sinless.

Romans 3:10

As it is written, “THERE IS **NONE RIGHTEOUS**, NOT EVEN ONE; ...”

4. All Men and Women are sinners.

Romans 3:23-24

For **all have sinned** and fall short of the glory of God, ²⁴being justified as a gift by His grace through the redemption which is in Christ Jesus;

5. Root problem to everything is sinfulness.

Romans 5:12

Therefore, just as through **one man sin** entered into the world, and death through sin, and so death **spread to all men**, because all sinned

6. God desires to give to us eternal life.

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the **free gift of God is eternal life** in Christ Jesus our Lord.

7. Eternal life comes only through Jesus Christ.

Romans 5:8

But God demonstrates His own **love** toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, **Christ** died for us.

8. Confess our sin, believe in our hearts and commit to Christ.

Romans 10:9-10, 13

That if you **confess with your mouth** Jesus *as* Lord, and **believe in your heart** that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved; ¹⁰for with the heart a person believes, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, **resulting in salvation**. ... ¹³for “**Whoever will call** on the name of the LORD will be **saved**.”

9. Living a transformed life.

Romans 12:1-2

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to **present** your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, *which is* your spiritual service of worship. ²And do not be conformed to this world, but be **transformed** by the renewing of your mind, so that you may **prove what the will of God** is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

10. New life can start today.

Romans 13:11-12

Do this, knowing the **time**, that it is already the hour for you to awaken from sleep; for **now salvation is nearer to**

us than when we believed. ¹²The night is almost gone, and the day is near. Therefore let us lay aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.

11. Living for God with all our hearts.

Romans 14:8, 12

For if we live, we **live for the Lord**, or if we die, we die for the Lord; therefore whether we live or die, **we are the Lord's**. ... ¹²so then each one of us give an **account** of himself to God.

12. God fills us through the Holy Spirit.

Romans 15:13

Now may the God of **hope fill you** with all joy and peace in believing, so that you will abound in hope by the power of the **Holy Spirit**.

Scriptures taken from New American Standard Version

Time to take the first step: Eternity Prayer

Dear Jesus,

I confess that I am a sinner, having gone my own way and that I need you as my Lord and Saviour. I believe that you paid the price for my sins when you died on the cross and shed your blood for me, so that I might have eternal life. I am ready and willing to turn from my sin and return back to you. I now invite you into my heart and surrender the control and direction of my entire life to you. Help me to be a true disciple for you and to serve others. Thank you for taking my punishment and providing for me a way of escape from eternal death to an everlasting life, and for coming into my heart so that I can now have a close personal relationship with you. *Amen*

Welcome home to eternity with Christ Jesus.

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Project L.A.M.B.S. International

Making disciples is the call and mandate of our Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus urged the disciples to follow Him. He laid down before us the teaching and the walk that we need to follow with Jesus as our supreme example. It is imperative for every believer and the church to know that disciples are not born but they are made. For the church to be strong in the last days, we must be about the business of equipping the saints (disciples) for the work of service.

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In March 1997, they traveled to Jamaica where they met several pastors who were very concerned about the need for training and disciplining their young people as leaders in their churches. Dr. James Humphries and Irene did not know this would be the starting point to an international ministry of discipleship training around the world known as Project L.A.M.B.S. International.

To date, Project L.A.M.B.S. has ministered in Canada, Myanmar, Ukraine, Africa, Jamaica, Mexico, Israel, Thailand, Japan, Dominican Republic, Naga Land and China. We offer over 30 different courses. Our graduates number over 1000, and are serving worldwide. Out of this group of graduates, we have equipped and trained directors, teachers and pastors who in turn are carrying out II Timothy 2:1-2 to an even larger group of people.

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