

2. Not wickedness. 1 Pet. 2:16.
3. Not covetousness. 1 Thess. 2:5.
4. Not of cursing. Psalms 109:18.
5. Not spotted. Jude 23.
6. Not the old of:
  - (a) Anger. Col. 3:8, 9.
  - (b) Wrath. Col. 3:8, 9.
  - (c) Malice. Col. 3:8, 9.
  - (d) Railing. Col. 3:8, 9.
  - (e) Shameful speaking. Col. 3:8, 9.
  - (f) Lying. Col. 3:8, 9.
7. Humility. 1 Pet. 5:5-7.
8. Righteous. Isa. 61:10; Psalms 132:9; Job 29:14.
9. Of salvation. Isa. 61:10.
10. Of praise. Isa. 61:3.
11. Washed. Rev. 7:14; 22:14.
12. White. Eccl. 9:8; Rev. 3:5; 7:13.
13. Holy. Ex. 28:24.
14. Of strength and honor. Prov. 31:25.
15. Perfumed. Psalms 45:78; S. S. 4:4.
16. Of a bride. Jer. 2:32; Rev. 19:7, 8.
17. Wedding. Matt. 22:11, 12.
18. Royal. Psalms 45:13; Jer. 10:12-14.
19. Compassion. Col. 3:12-14.
20. Meekness. Col. 3:12-14.
21. Longsuffering. Col. 3:12-14.
22. Forgiveness. Col. 3:12-14.
23. Love. Col. 3:12-14.
24. Rich. Zech. 3:4.
25. Justice. Job 29:14.
26. Pure. Rev. 19:8.
27. Bright. Psalms 104:2; Rev. 19:8.

# BEHOLDING CHRIST THROUGH JOHN

Text: John 1:29.

1. The Word. John 1:1, 14.
2. The true light. John 1:4, 9; 8:12.
3. The son of God. John 1:29.
4. The lamb of God. John 1:29.
5. God's ladder. John 1:51.
6. The creator. John 1:3, 10.
7. The teacher from God. John 3:2;  
13:13.
8. The son of man. John 1:51; 3:14.
9. The king. John 1:49; 12:13, 14;  
18:37
10. Prophet. John 4:19.
11. The Saviour. John 4:42.
12. The physician. John 5 :7, 8.
13. The judge. John 5:27, 30.
14. The bread of life. John 6:35, 48-51.
15. The holy one of God. John 6:69.
16. The Lord. John 9:36-38; 13:13.
17. The door. John 10:7-9.
18. The good shepherd. John 10:11.
19. The sanctified. John 10:36; 13:1,  
34.
20. The resurrection and life. John  
11:25.
21. The lover. John 11:36; 13:1, 34.
22. The way. John 14:6.
23. The truth. John 14:6.
24. The life. John 14:6:
25. The true vine. John 15:1, 5.
26. The glorified of God. John 17:1, 4.
27. The prayer. John 17:9, 15, 20.
28. The witness. John 18:37.  
18.

29. The uplifted one. John 12:32; 19:18.
30. The risen Lord. John 21:12, 14.

## **BEHOLD THE MAN**

**Text: John 19:5**

### **He was a man—Because:**

1. Born of woman. Matt. 1:16; Gal. 4:4.
2. He was a child. Luke 2:24, 40.
3. He was hungry. Matt. 4:2.
4. He was weary. John 4:6.
5. He was tempted. Matt. 4:1; Heb. 4:15.
6. He died. Rom. 14:9; 1 Cor. 15:3.
7. The Bible says so. 1 Tim. 2:5.

### **What kind of a man was he ?**

1. Righteous. Matt. 27:19, 24; Luke 23:27.
2. Innocent. Luke 23:14; John 19:4, 6.
3. Silent. Mark 14:60, 61.
4. Sorrowing. Isa. 53:3; Matt. 26:38.
5. Forgiving; Luke 23:34.
6. Suffering. Luke 24:46; 1 Pet. 2:23.
7. Non-threatening. 1 Pet. 2:23.
8. Wise. Luke 2:40, 52.
9. Humble. Matt. 11:29; Phil. 2:8.
10. Sympathetic. Heb. 4:15.
11. Approved of God. Acts 2:22.
12. Forsaken. Matt. 27:46.
13. Loving. John 10:15; 15:13.
14. Perfect. Heb. 7:26.

15. Victorious. Matt. 28:18; John 16:33; Rev. 1:18.
16. Faithful. Heb. 3:1, 2.
17. Holy. John 6:69; Heb. 7:26.

## BY REASON OF

**Text: John 12:11.**

### **Because of by reason:**

1. Ye lay it not to heart. Mal. 2:2.
2. Repented not. Matt. 11:20; 12:41.
3. Had not root. Matt. 13:5, 6.
4. It goeth not into the heart. Mark 7:19.
5. He followed not us. Mark 9:31. 3. Acts 13:27.
6. Ye know not. Mark 12:24; Luke 19:44; John 16:3; Acts 13:27.
7. Ye are not of God. John 8:44, 47.
8. I seek not my will. John 5 :30.
9. Ye are not of the world. John 15:19; 17:14.
10. He gave not God the glory. Acts. 12:23; Rom. 1:21.
11. Of the word. Matt. 13:21; John 4:41.
12. Of unbelief. Matt. 13:58; Mark 6:6.
13. Of little faith. Matt. 17:20.
14. Iniquity is multiplied. Mark 24:12.
15. Ye are Christ's. Mark 9:41.
16. Of his opportunity. Luke 11:8.
17. They suffered. Luke 13:3.
18. He did wisely. Luke 16:8.
19. Thou wast faithful. Luke 19:17.
20. There was much water. John 3 :23.
21. Of light. John 11:9, 10.

22. Of use. Heb. 5:14.
23. Love me. John 16:27.
24. Thou hast thoughts. Acts 8 :20.
25. Of righteousness. Rom. 8:10.
26. Of sin. Rom. 8:10.
27. Of strength. Psalms 90:10.
28. Ye are sons. Gal. 4:6.
29. I tell the truth. Gal. 4:16.
30. Of ignorance and hardness. Eph. 4:18.
31. We trust God. 1 Tim. 4:10.
32. The love of God Rom 5:5

## **BLASPHEMY**

Text: Matt. 12:31.

**What** can be blasphemed?

1. God. 1 Kings 21:13; Rom. 2:24.  
Rev. 16:11.
2. Christ. Matt. 12:31, 32.
3. Holy Spirit. Mark 3:29.
4. The word. Titus 2:5; 1 Tim. 6:1.
5. The name. Jas. 2:7.
6. Idols. Acts. 19:37.
7. Men. 2 Pet. 2:11; Acts. 23:1-5.
8. The church. Rev. 13:6.
9. Brethren. Jas. 4:11.

**What** is the cause?

1. Evil heart. Matt. 15:19; Mark 7:22.
2. Ignorance. 1 Tim. 1:13.
3. Unbelief. 1 Tim. 1 :13.
4. Hypocrisy. Rom. 2:24; Rev. 2:9
5. False teaching. 1 Tim. 6:4.
6. Blasphemy. Rev. 16:9, 11, 21.
7. Jealousy. Acts. 13:45.

8. Enemies. 2 Sam. 12:14; Acts 26:11.
9. Being self-willed. 2 Pet. 2:10, 11; Num. 15:30.
10. Foolishness. Psalms 74:18.
11. Sins of God's people. 2 Sam. 12:14.

**How prevent it?**

1. By doing our duty. Titus 2:5.
2. By giving honor to whom it is due. 1 Tim. 6:1.
3. By imitating angels. 2 Pet. 2:11; Jude 9.

**What are the results ?**

1. No forgiveness. Mark 3:29.
2. Cut off. Num. 15:30.
3. Loss of opportunities. Acts 18:6.
4. God's wrath. Col. 3:6-8.
5. Punishment. Jude 1:7, 8.

**BEING MOVED**

**Text: Heb. 11:7.**

**To what be moved ?**

1. Not to jealousy. Deut. 32:21; Rom. 10:19.
2. Not to destroy. Job 2:3.
3. To obey God. Heb. 11:17.
4. To help. Mark 1:40-42.
5. To teach. Mark 6:34.
6. To give. 2 Cor. 9:2.
7. Repentance. Rom. 2:4.

**By what be moved ?**

1. Not persecution. Acts 20:24; 1 Thess. 3 :3.
2. Not jealousy. Acts 17:5 ; 7:9.

3. Not indignation. Matt. 20:24.
4. Not doubt. James 1:6.
5. Not doublemindedness. James 1:6.
6. God. 2 Chron. 18:31.
7. The Spirit. Judg. 13:25; 2 Pet. 1:21.
8. Faith. Heb. 11:7.
9. Godly fear. Heb. 11:7.
10. Zeal. 2 Cor. 9:2.
11. God's word. Acts 24:24, 25.
12. Compassion. Matt. 9:36; Mark 1:41.
13. Love. 2 Cor. 5:14; Phil. 1:16.

**From what be moved ?**

1. Not hope. Col. 1:23.
2. Not ancient landmarks. Prov. 22:28.
3. Not the faith. 1 Cor. 16:13; 1 Tim. 4:4.
4. Not God's love. Rom. 8, 35, 39; Jude 20.
5. Evil. Prov. 4:27; 5:8.
6. Harming God's people. 2 Chron. 18:31.

## **BAPTISM IN THE GOSPELS**

**It was something new.**

**What kinds are mentioned ?**

1. In water. Matt. 3:11; Mark 1:8.
2. In Holy Spirit. Matt. 3:11.
3. In fire. Matt. 3:11; Luke 3:16.
4. Of suffering. Luke 12:50.

**Who administers these baptisms ?**

1. Christ:
  - (a) Not in water. John 4:2.

- (b) In the Spirit. Matt. 3:11.
  - (c) In fire. Matt. 3:11.
  - (d) Endures baptism of suffering.  
Luke 12:50.
2. In water by:
    - (a) John the Baptist. John 1:28-33- 5:23.
    - (b) Disciples. John 4:2; Matt. 28:16-19.

**What precedes water baptism?**

1. Teaching. Matt. 28:18-20.
2. Believing. Mark 16:16.
3. Repentance. Mark 1:4.

**Why were they baptized in water?**

1. To justify God. Luke 7:29.
2. Lest God's counsel be rejected.  
Luke 7:30.
3. For remission of sins. Mark 1:4.
4. To be saved. Mark 16:16.
5. To enter the kingdom. John 3:5.
6. To fulfil righteousness. Matt. 3:13-15.
7. To put on Christ. Gal. 3 :27.

**What else is it called ?**

1. Born of water. John 3:5.
2. Washing of regeneration. Titus 3:5.
3. A burial. Romans 6:3, 4; Col. 2 :12.
4. A resurrection. Romans 6:4; Col. 2:12.

**BEFOREHAND**

**Text: 2 Peter 3:17.**

**What has and should take place beforehand?**

1. Warning. Gal. 5:21; 1 Thess. 4.



2. Not anxiety. Mark 13:11.
3. Knowledge. 2 Pet. 3:17.
4. Seeing. Prov. 22:2; 27:12.

**Of what have we been warned and told?**

1. False teachers. Matt. 24:11, 22, 24.
2. Deception growing worse. 2 Tim. 3:13.
3. Divisions. Acts 20:29, 30; 1 Cor. 11:18, 19.
4. Increase of sin. Matt. 24:12.
5. Stumbling. Matt. 24:10.
6. Persecution. John 16:1-3; 2 Tim. 3:12.
7. Sound Doctrine not endured. 2 Tim. 4:3.
8. Scriptures wrested. 2 Pet. 3:16, 17.
9. Love of worldly things. 2 Tim. 3:2-4.
10. Formality in religion. 2 Tim. 3:5.
11. Limited success of the gospel. Matt. 13.
12. Ingratitude. 2 Tim. 3:2.
13. Sinners can't go to heaven. Gal. 5:21; 13:6.
14. That we can endure. 1 Cor. 10:13; Heb. 13:6.
15. That He will not forsake. Heb. 13:5; Matt. 28:20.
16. That He will come. John 14:1-4.
17. That He will reward. 1 Cor. 15:58; 2 Cor. 5:10.

**Why have we been warned and told ?**

1. Lest we stumble. Matt. 24:10; John 16:1.

2. Lest we be carried away. 2 Pet. 3:17.
3. That we be not surprised. 1 Pet. 4:12.
4. To believe. John 13:19; 14:29.
5. That we may heed. Mark 13:23.
6. To have hope. Rom. 15:4.
7. To escape. Prov. 27:12; 1 Cor. 10:13, 14.
8. To be saved. Matt. 24:11-13; 25:10.

## BETTER OR WORSE

Text: 2 Pet. 2:20, 21.

### BETTER

### WORSE

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|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. True guide. Prov. 2:17, 18       | Paths of death.     |
| 2. Serve God. Mal. 3:14, 15         | Tempt God.          |
| 3. Walk mournfully. Mal. 3:14, 15   | Proud called happy. |
| 4. Keep God's charge. Mal. 3:14, 15 | Work wickedness.    |
| 5. Right way. 2 Pet. 2:15           | Way of Balaam.      |
| 6. Enlightened. Heb. 6:4-6          | Fall away.          |
| 7. Partaking. Heb. 6:4-6            | Crucifying Christ.  |
| 8. Tasting good. Heb. 6:4-6         | Shaming Christ.     |
| 9. Plenty. Lk. 15:11-16             | Want.               |
| 10. Fairing well. Lk. 16:19-24      | Begging.            |

11. Fellow worker. 2 Tim. 4:9  
Deserting.
12. Freedom. Gal. 4:9; 5:1-4  
Bondage.
13. Running well. Gal. 5 :7  
Not obeying.
14. Humble. 1 Sam. 15:17-20  
Haughty.
15. Wisdom. Kings 3:28; 11:4  
Wisdom of wives.
16. Right. 2 Chr. 25:2, 14, 16  
Wrong.
17. Clean. Lk 11:24-26  
Filthy.
18. Rich. Rev. 3:15-20  
Poor.
19. Escaping. 2 Pet. 2:18-22  
Overcome.
20. Christian. Acts 8:13, 18-23  
Heart wrong.
21. Blessed. Mal. 3:7-12  
Cursed.
22. True Worship. John 4:22, 28.  
Vain worship.
23. Know right. 2 Pet. 2:21  
Turn back.
24. Bear reproach. Heb. 11:25  
Enjoy sin.
25. Love. Prov. 15:17  
Hatred.
26. Little with fear. Prov. 15:16; 16:8  
Much with trouble.
27. Quietness. Prov. 17:1  
Strife.

# COUNTING THE COST

Text: Luke 14:28.

## Counting the cost of what?

1. Sin.
2. Salvation.

## What does sin cost?

1. Tears.
2. Suffering.
3. Heartaches.
4. Sense of shame.
5. Willpower.
6. Conscience.
7. Eternal death.

## What does salvation cost ?

1. God, his son.
2. Christ.
  - (a) Pleasure.
  - (b) Riches.
  - (c) Glory.
  - (d) Life's blood.
  - (e) Soul.

## What does it cost man?

- (a) Faith.
- (b) Repentance.
- (c) Obedience.
- (d) Forsaking all.
- (e) Sacrifice—Self-denial.
- (f) Life of service.
- (g) Faithfulness.

## Why is salvation worth its cost?

1. It has all promises.
2. The reward is great.
3. It means eternal life.
4. It means a home in heaven.

## CHRIST'S MISSION

### By whom sent?

1. God. Luke 20:13; John 5:36, 37; Rom. 8:3.

### Where sent?

1. Into the world. John 3:17; 10:36.

### How was he sent?

1. In likeness of sinful flesh. Rom. 8:3; Gal. 4:4.
2. Sanctified. John 10:36.
3. Accompanied by God. John 8:29.

### What was his mission?

1. To reveal God. Matt. 11:27; John 7:29; 12:45.
2. To speak God's word. John 3:34; 8:28.
3. To show God's love. John 3:16; 1 John 4:9, 10.
4. To do God's will. John 4:34; 5:30; Heb. 10:7, 9.
5. To glorify God. John 17:4.
6. To do God's work. John 9:4.
7. To make himself an offering. Matt. 20:28; Rom. 8:3.
8. To be a propitiation. 1 John 4:10.
9. To teach. John 3:2; 7:16; 17.
10. To be a high priest. Heb. 9:11.
11. To redeem. Gal. 4:4.
12. To bless. Acts 3:26.
13. To minister. Mark 10:45.
14. To give light. John 12:46.
15. To seek the lost. Luke 19:10.
16. To save sinners. 1 Tim. 1:15; 1 John 4:14; John 12:47.

17. To call sinners to repentance. Matt. 9:13.
18. To give life. John 10:10.
19. To preach peace. Eph. 2:17.
20. To fulfill the law. Matt. 5:17;
21. To set us an example. 1 Pet. 2:21.
22. To give peace to his people. Luke 2:14.
23. Not to condemn. John 3:17.
24. Not to judge. John 12:47.
25. Not to give peace to all. Luke 12: 51-53.

## **COMES OF THE BIBLE**

**Text: Matt. 11:28, 29.**

### **Come.**

1. Unto. Matt. 11:28.
2. Into. Gen. 7:1.
3. Down. Lk. 19:5.
4. Out. 2 Cor. 6:1.
5. After. Mt. 4:19.
6. With. Num. 10:29.
7. Up. Rev. 4:1.
8. Forth. Jno. 11:43.
9. Apart. Mk. 6:31.
10. Over. Acts 16:9.
11. Hither. Rev. 21:9.

### **Why come?**

1. To see. Jno. 1:39, 46; Rev. 4:1.
2. To hear. Ezek. 33 :30; Isa. 55 :3.
3. To learn. Mt. 11:28,29.
4. To return to be healed. Hos. 6:1.
5. To be saved. Gen. 7:1.
6. To reason. Isa. 1:18.
7. To find good. Num. 10:29.
8. To find rest. Mt. 11:28, 29.

9. All things are ready. Lk. 14:17.
10. To take his yoke. Mt. 11:28, 29.
11. To help. Acts 16:9.
12. To life. Jno. 5:40; 11:43.
13. To be received. 2 Cor. 6:17, 18.
14. To become fishers. Mt. 4:19.
15. To buy and eat. Isa. 55:1, 2.
16. To receive Christ. Lk. 19:5, 6.

## **CORRUPTING THE CHURCH**

**Text: 2 Cor. 11:3. .**

### **How is it corrupted ?**

1. By innovations:
  - (a) Music.
  - (b) Sprinkling.
  - (c) Societies.
  - (d) Entertainments.
2. By speculation:
  - (a) The millennium.
  - (b) Future kingdom.
  - (c) Jews.
  - (d) Future recognition.
3. By speculation:
  - (a) Baptism.
  - (b) Lord's supper.
  - (c) Missions.
4. By compromise:
  - (a) Doctrine.
  - (b) Life.
  - (c) Worship.
  - (d) Name.
  - (e) As in Egypt. Ex. 8:25, 28;  
Ex. 10:11', 25.
5. By internal trouble :
  - (a) Contention. 1 Cor. 1:11.
  - (b) Jealousy. 1 Cor. 3:3.

- (c) Strife. 1 Cor. 3:3.
  - (d) Fornication. 1 Cor. 5:1.
  - (e) Division. 1 Cor. 11:18.
  - (f) Heresies. 1 Cor. 11:19.
  - (g) Sickness. 1 Cor. 11:30.
  - (h) No resurrection. 1 Cor. 15:12.
6. By worldliness:
- (a) Profanity.
  - (b) Drinking.
  - (c) Lasciviousness.
  - (d) Gambling.

## **CHRIST'S PRAYER FOR HIS DISCIPLES**

### **Why did He pray for them?**

1. They were God's. Jno. 17:9.
2. God loved them. Jno. 17:23.
3. They kept the word. Jno. 17:6.
4. They recognized God as giver. Jno. 17:7.
5. They knew Christ came from God. John 17:8.
6. They were Christ's. Jno. 17:9, 10.
7. They believed. Jno. 17:20.
8. Satan would tempt. Lk. 22:31, 32.

### **For what did Christ pray?**

1. That they might be kept. Jno. 17:11.
2. That they might be joyous. Jno. 17:13.
3. That they might be kept from evil. Jno. 17:15.
4. That they might be sanctified. John 17:24.
5. That they might be one. Jno. 17:21.



6. That they might be with him. J no. 17:24.
7. That they might see his glory. Jno. 17:24.
8. That faith fail not. Lk. 22:32.

**How can we help answer His prayer?**

1. By watching. Mt. 26:41.
2. By knowing the truth. Jno. 8:32; 1 Jno. 2:14.
3. By endeavoring. Eph. 4:3.
4. By loving. Jno. 17:26.
5. By prayer. Matt. 6:9-13.
6. By being in Christ. Jno. 17:26.
7. By being converted. Lk. 22:32.

**Why was his prayer answered ?**

1. He was righteous. Acts 3:14; Jas. **5:16.**
2. God always heard him. Jno. 11:42.

**CHRIST, FULNESS OF  
THE GODHEAD**

**Text: Col. 2:9.**

**Why is it so ?**

1. It is God's good pleasure. Col. 1:19.
2. That they may be one. John 17:13, 22.
3. That we may be complete in Christ. Col. 2:9, 10.

**Therefore God and Christ both are:**

1. Holy. Luke 1:35; Acts 4:27; Psalms 99:9; Isa. 5:16.
2. Righteous. John 17:25; 1 John 2:1.
3. Good. Psalms 119:68; 25:8; Matt. 19:16; Acts 10:38.

4. Faithful. 1 Cor. 10:13; Heb. 3:12.
5. True. John 17:3; 1 John 5:20.
6. Merciful. Luke 6:36; Heb. 2:17.
7. Sinless. Deut. 32:4; 2 Cor. 5:21; Heb. 7:26.
8. Omniscient. Psalms 139:1-6; John 21:17.
9. Forgiving. Mark 2:5-12.
10. Longsuffering. 1 Pet. 3:20; 1 Tim. 1:16.
11. Compassionate. Lam. 3:22; Matt. 15:32- 20:34.
12. Loving. 1 John 4:8; 2 Cor. 5:14.
13. Immutable. Psalms 122:27; Heb. 13:8
14. Light. 1 John 1:5; John 8:12.
15. Life. John 17:3; Acts 17:20-28; John 14:6.
16. Our hope. 1 Pet. 1:21; 1 Tim. 1:1.
17. Our peace. 2 Cor. 13:11; Eph. 2:14.
18. Able. John 5:17-21; 10:28-30.
19. Honored. John 5:23.
20. Judges. Heb. 12:23; Acts 17:31; 2 Cor. 5:10.
21. Immortal. 1 Tim. 1:17; 6:14-16.
22. Saviours. 1 Tim. 2:3, 4; Eph. 5:23.

## **CONSIDER TODAY AND BACKWARD**

**Text: Hag. 2:18.**

**What consider?**

1. God's wondrous works. Job. 37:14.
2. What He hath done for you. 1 Sam. 12:24.

3. Your ways. Hag. 1:5-11.
4. Lost opportunities. 1 Tim. 2 :4.
  - (a) To know the truth. John 8:32.
  - (b) To obey the gospel. Acts 8:36-38; 11:18; John 20:30, 31.
  - (c) To be saved. Acts 2:40; 1 Tim. 2:4.
  - (d) To teach the truth. 2 Tim. 2:2; 4:2.
  - (e) To do good. Mark 14:7; Gal. 6:10.
  - (f) To let light shine. Matt. 5:16; 1 Cor. 9:22.
  - (g) To worship God. John 4:23.
  - (h) To gain Eternal life. Acts 13:46,-1 Tim. 6:12.
5. Have you held:
  - (a) Grudges. Lev. 19:18; Jas. 5:9.
  - (b) Malice. Col. 3:8.
  - (c) Bitterness. Eph. 4:31; Heb. 12:15.
  - (d) Doubts. Jas. 1:6, 7.
  - (e) Envy. Prov. 23:17; Titus 3:3.
6. Have you grown:
  - (a) In faith. 2 Thes. 1:3; Jude 20.
  - (b) Love. 1 Thes. 3:12.
  - (c) Grace. 2 Pet. 3:18.
  - (d) Unity. Eph. 4:3-6.
  - (e) Contentment.

**Why consider? Luke 12:24-28; 14:28**

1. To correct mistakes. Gal. 6:1.
2. To be encouraged. Heb. 12:3.
3. To be wise. Prov. 6:6.
4. To be blessed. Psalms 41:1.

## COMING UP TO CHRIST, THE LORD

Texts: Matt. 10:24; John 3:31.

### Where is the Lord?

1. High above people. Psalms 99:2.
2. Above the earth. Psalms 97:9.
3. Above all gods. 2 Chron. 2:5.
4. Above nations. Psalms 113:4.
5. Above man's ways. Isa. 55 :9.
6. Above our thoughts. Isa. 55 :9.
7. In the Church. Isa. 2:2.
8. Above all enemies. 2 Sam. 22:49;  
Psalms 18:48.
9. In righteousness. Psalms 71 :19.
10. Highly exalted. Phil. 2:8, 9.
11. At God's right hand. Rom. 8:34.
12. Higher than the Heavens. Heb. 7:  
26.

### Things above—we should:

1. Seek them. Col. 3:1; Psalms 12:5.
2. Love them. Col. 3 :2.
3. Wise concerning them. Prov. 15:  
24.
4. Be led to them. Psalms 61:2.
5. Be invited to them. Prov. 25:7;  
Luke 14:10.
6. Find them through humility. Jas.  
4:10; 1 Peter 5:6.
7. Obtain them by:
  - (a) Waiting for God. Psalms 37:  
34.
  - (b) Keeping His ways. Psalms 37:  
34.

### Danger zone:

1. Going not very far. Ex. 8:28.

2. Following afar-off. Matt. 26:58.
3. Being self-willed. John 5:40.
4. Returning to the law. Gal. 5:4.
5. Allowing hindrance. Gal. 5:7, 8.
6. Being corrupted. 2 Cor. 11:2, 3.
7. Loving the world. 2 Tim. 4:10.
8. Thinking His teaching too hard.  
John 6:60-66.
9. Selfishness. Phil. 2:21.
10. Having jealousy and faction. Jas.  
3:14,15.

## **CLEANSING THE TEMPLE**

**Text: John 2:14-16.**

### **Why did it need cleansing?**

1. It had been defiled by:
  - (a) Shishak. 1 Kings 14:25, 26;  
2 Chron. 12:9.
  - (b) Ahaz. 2 Kings 16:14, 18; 2  
Chron. 28:20.
  - (c) Manasseh. 2 Kings 21:4-7; 2  
Chron. 33:4, 5, 7.
  - (d) Antiochus. 2 Mace. 6:1-5.
  - (e) Mercenary Jews. John 2:14.
  - (f) Careless Christians. 1 Cor. 3:  
17.

### **How was it polluted ?**

1. By abominations. Jer. 7:38.
2. By idols. 2 Kings 21:4-7.
3. By forgiveness. Zech. 44:6-8.
4. By lewd women. 2 Mace. 6:4.
5. By unclean sacrifices. 2 Mace. 6:4,  
5.
6. By rioting and revelling. 2 Mace.  
6:4.

7. By buying and selling. John 2:14.
8. By sinning. 1 Cor. 16:18, 19.

**Who cleansed it?**

1. Jehoshaphat. 2 Kings. 12:4-14; 2 Chron. 24:4-13.
2. Hezekiah. 2 Chron. 29:3-35.
3. Josiah. 2 Kings 22:3-7; 2 Chron. 34:8-13.
4. Judas Maccabaeus. 1 Mace. 4:59; John 10:22; 2 Mace. 10:1-5.
5. Christ. Matt. 21:12,13; John 2:14-17.
6. God. John 1:7.

**How was it cleansed ?**

1. By removing filth. 2 Chron. 29:16, 17.
2. By destroying foreign things. 2 Kings 23:4-7; 11-12.
3. By driving out. Matt. 21:12; John 2:15.
4. By repairing. 2 Chron. 29:18, 19.
5. By restoring. Neh. 13 :9.
6. By repentance and confession. 1 John 1:7.

## CAN WE AGREE

**On:**

1. God is one.
2. Christ is God's son.
3. The Spirit is holy and one.
4. There is only one Bible:
5. Only one religion is from God.
6. There is but one gospel.
7. There is one body of Christ.
8. There is one foundation.

9. There is one way. John 14:6.
10. There is one communion.
11. There is one true worship.
12. Immersion is baptism.
13. There is one baptism.
14. Baptism is necessary for membership.
15. Church membership is necessary.
16. There is a rule of faith.
17. We must believe to be saved.
18. All must confess Christ. Phil. 2:11.
19. Repentance is required.
20. Justification by faith.
21. There is one hope.
22. The Spirit operates in conversion.
23. The name.
24. The wicked will be punished.
25. Heaven awaits the faithful.

## **COMPARISONS**

**Text: 2 Cor. 10:12.**

### **We are compared to:**

1. Grass. Psalms 90:5; Job 14:2; Isa. 40:6.
2. Chaff. Psalms 1:4.
3. Foolish. Matt. 7:26.
4. Waves. Jas. 1:6.
5. Man, looking into a mirror. Jas. 1:23.
6. Whited sepulchers. Matt. 23 :27.
7. Inconstant children. Luke 7:32.
8. Troubled sea. Isa. 57:20.
9. Grasshoppers. Num. 13:33.
10. Idols. Psalms 115:8.
11. Ox. Isa. 1:3.
12. Inconsiderate ass Isa 1:3

13. Stubborn heifer. Hos. 4:16.
14. Trees. Psalms 1:3; 92:12.
15. Plants. Psalms 144:12.
16. Palaces. Psalms 144:12.
17. Wiseman. Matt. 7:24.
18. Sheep. Psalms 119:176; Isa. 53:6;  
John 10:16; Matt. 25:33.
19. Apples of gold. Prov. 25:11.
20. Medicine. Prov. 17:22.
21. The righteous. Num. 23:10; Prov.  
4:18.
22. Real men. 1 Sam. 4:9; 1 Cor. 16:  
13.
23. Men waiting. Luke 12:36.
24. Fine gold. Lam. 4:2.
25. Stars. Dan. 12:3.
26. Sun. Matt. 13 :43.
27. Christ. John 13:34; 1 John 3 :2.
28. God. Luke 6:36; Eph. 5:1.

## **CHRIST AND THE CHURCH**

**Text: Eph. 5:32.**

### **What is Christ to the church?**

1. Its foundation. 1 Cor. 3:11; Eph.  
2:20.
2. Its builder. Matt. 16:18.
3. Its purchaser. Acts 20:28.
4. Its husband. Eph. 5:31, 32.
5. Its head. Eph. 1:22; Col. 1:18.
6. Its Saviour. Eph. 5 :23.
7. Its example. Matt. 11:29; 1 Pet.  
2:21.
8. Its shepherd. John 10:16; Acts 20:  
28.
9. Its judge. 1 Pet. 4:17; Heb. 10:30.



### **What does he do for the church ?**

1. Gave himself for it. Eph. 5:25.
2. Reconciled it. Eph. 2:16.
3. Cleansed it. Eph. 5:26.
4. Left his peace to it. John 14:27;  
Col. 3:15.
5. Nourishes it. Eph. 5:29.
6. Cherishes it. Eph. 5:29.
7. Loves it. Eph. 5:25.
8. Is preparing a home for it. John  
14:1-4.
9. Is coming for it. John 14:3; Eph.  
5:27.

### **What kind will Christ accept?**

1. Pure. Matt. 13:41; Eph. 5:27.
2. Blameless. Eph. 5:27.
3. Holy. Eph. 5:27; Heb. 12:14.
4. Glorious. Eph. 5:27; Rev. 21:2, 9.
5. Spiritual. 1 Pet. 2:5.
6. Peaceful. Heb. 12:14; 2 Pet. 3:14.
7. United. John 17:21-23.
8. Worthy. Rev. 3:4.
9. Working. Luke 19:13; John 5:17;  
9:4.
10. Loving. Rev. 2:4, 5.
11. Faithful. Rev. 2:10, 25.
12. Victorious. Rev. 2:7, 11; 3:5.

## **CHRIST RETURNS TO HIS FATHER**

**Text: John 16:28.**

### **How do we know that Christ returned ?**

1. The prophet said so. Psalms 68:18.
2. The types indicate it.
3. Christ said so. John 16; 20:17.

4. Mark said so. Mark 16:19.
5. Paul teaches so. 1 Tim. 3:16.
6. Luke said so. Acts 1:1, 2, 9, 10.
7. The angels said so. Acts **1:10**, 11.

#### **When did he go?**

1. After his death and resurrection. Acts 1 :1-3.
2. After forty days. Acts 1 :1-3.
3. After he made the sacrifice. Heb. 10:12.
4. As he blessed the **disciples**. **Luke** 24:51.

#### **Why did Christ return to God?**

1. To make atonement. Heb. 9:23-26.
2. As a forerunner. Heb. 6:20.
3. To sit at God's right hand. Mark 16:19.
4. To appear for us. Heb. 9:24.
5. To be glorified. Eph. 4:10.
6. To cause rejoicing. John 14:28.
7. To make intercession. Romans 8:34.
8. To fill all things. Eph. 4:10.
9. It was expedient. John 16:7.
10. To send the Holy Spirit. John 16:7.
11. To make greater works possible. John 14:12.
12. To give gifts. Eph. 4:8-11.
13. To make righteousness possible. John 16:10.
14. To prepare a place. John 14:2, 3.

#### **How did Christ return to the father?**

1. Visibly. Acts 1:11.
2. Triumphantly. Eph. 1:20-22.

# **CORRUPTION**

**Text: Acts 13:33-37.**

## **What can be corrupted ?**

1. Good morals. 1 Cor. 15:33.
2. The doctrine. 2 Cor. 2:17; Titus 2:7.
3. Speech. Dan. 2:9; Eph. 4:2.
4. The tree. Matt. 12:33.
5. The way. Gen. 6:12.
6. Fruit. Matt. 12:33.
7. Minds. 2 Cor. 11:3; 1 Tim. 6:5; 2 Tim. 3:8.
8. Heart. Jer. 17:9.
9. Riches. Jas. 5:2; 1 Pet. 1:18.
10. Wisdom. Ezek. 28:17.
11. Seed. 1 Pet. 1:23.
12. Man. 2 Cor. 7:2.
13. Temple. 1 Cor. 3:17.
14. Crown. 1 Cor. 9:25.
15. Our dealings. Isa. 1:4; Dan. 10:8; Zeph. 3:7.

## **What corrupts ?**

1. Lust. 2 Pet. 1:4.
2. Evil companions. 1 Cor. 15:33.
3. Sowing to the flesh. Gal. 6:8.
4. Serving other gods. Deut. 4:16; 9:12; Jud. 2:19.
5. Brightness. Ezek. 28:17.
6. Deceit. Eph. 4:22.

## **What is incorruptible?**

1. God. Rom. 1:23.
2. Crown. 1 Cor. 9:25.
3. Seed. 1 Pet. 1:23.
4. Love. Eph. 6:24.
5. Apparel. 1 Pet. 3:4.
6. Inheritance. 1 Pet. 1:4.

## **CLEANSING OUR WAY**

Text: Psalms 119:6.

**Why does our way need cleansing?**

1. Because it is broad. Matt. 7:13.
2. Because it is corrupted. Gen. 6:12.
3. Because it is perverse. Num. 22:32.
4. Because it is false. Psalms 119:104.
5. Because it is wicked. Prov. 4:19;  
Ezek. 3:18.
6. Because it is foolish. Prov. 12:15.
7. Because it is hard. Prov. 13:15.
8. Because it is not good. Prov. 16 :29.
9. Because we are guilty. Prov. 21:8.
10. That it may be righteous. Psalms  
1:6; 2 Pet. 2:15.
11. That it may be good. Jer. 16:16.
12. That it may be life. Jer. 21:1; Matt.  
7:14; Prov. 6:23.
13. That it may be faithful. Psalms  
119:30.
14. That it may be like the Lord's. Isa.  
55:8-9; Ps. 37:23.
15. That it may be peace. Rom. 3:17.
16. That it may lead to salvation. Acts  
16:17.

**How can our way be cleansed ?**

1. By faith. Acts 15:9.
2. By repentance. Isa. 55 :6-8.
3. By following God's word. Psalms  
119:6.
4. By baptism. Acts 22:16; Eph. 5 :26.
5. By returning to the Lord. Isa. 55:  
7; Acts 8:22.

**Our way should be:**

1. Not like Cain's. Jude 11.

2. Not like Balaam's. 2 Pet. 2:15.
3. Not like Korah's. Jude 11.
4. Joseph's. Gen. 39:9; 42:18; 50:19-21.
5. David's. Acts 13:22.
6. Daniel's. Dan. 1:8, 17; 2:18; 3:17, 18.
7. Timothy's. Phil. 2:19-22; 1 Tim. 4:6-16; 5:1, 2; 2 Tim. 2:15.
8. Titus'. Tit. 2:1, 6-8.

## **CHRIST'S**

**Text: Gal. 3:24.**

### **Who are Christ's?**

1. They who hear. John 10:27.
2. They who know him. John 10:14.
3. They who believe. John 10:26.
4. They who repent. Gal. 5:24.
5. They who obey. Mark 3:35; John 15:14.
6. They who follow him. John 10:27.
7. They who have his spirit. Rom. 8:9.
8. Abraham's seed. Gal. 3:29.
9. They who love him. John 13:35; Luke 14:26.
10. They who abide in his word. John 8:31.
11. They who sacrifice. Luke 14:27, 33.
12. They who are fruitful. John 15:8.

### **They are Christ's:**

1. Disciples. John 13:35.
2. Sheep. John 10:26,27.
3. Family. Matt. 28:10; Mark 3:35.
4. Church. Matt. 16:18.

5. Friends. John 15:14.
6. Servants. John 12:26.
7. People. Matt. 1:21.

### Why be Christ's?

1. To be loved. John 13:1.
2. He bought us. Acts 20:28; 1 Cor. 6:20.
3. To be saved. Matt. 1:21.
4. To be resurrected. 1 Cor. 15:23.
5. To possess all things. 1 Cor. 3 :21-23.
6. To be known by him. John 10:14-27.
7. To be heirs. Gal. 3 :29.
8. To be honored. John 12:36.
9. To be with him. John 12:26; 17:24.
10. To have eternal life. John 10:27, **28.**

To whom do Christ's belong?

1. God. 1 Cor. 3:23.

## **CHRIST, THE DELIVERER**

Text: Rom. 11:26; 1 Thess. **1:10.**

Who needs him?

1. The captive. Luke 4:18.
  - (a) Through sin. 2 Tim. 4:18.
  - (b) Through fear. Heb. 2:15.

From what can he deliver?

1. The law. Rom. 7:6.
2. Evil. 2 Tim. 4:18.
3. The world. Gal. 1:4.
4. Darkness. Col. 1:13.
5. Temptation. 2 Pet. 2:9.
6. Death. Rom. 7:24. 2 Cor. 1:10.

7. Corruption, or grave. Rom. 8:21.
8. Fear of death. Heb. 2:15.
9. Satan. 2 Tim. 4:18.
10. Wrath to come. 1 Thess. 1:10.

**How does he deliver?**

1. By his death. Gal. 1:4.
2. Through the gospel. Luke 4:18.
3. By turning from sin. Rom. 11:26.
4. According to God's will. Gal. 1:4.

**Who will he deliver ?**

1. The righteous. Prov. 10:2; Ezek. 14:14.
2. The godly. 2 Pet. 2:9.
3. Those who fear. Psalms 34:7.
4. The faithful. 2 Tim. 4:18.

**What are the results ?**

1. Place in the kingdom. Col. 1:13.
2. Salvation. 2 Tim. 4:18.
3. Glory. Rom. 8:21.

**CAN MAN BE HARDENED**

**Text: Heb. 3:13.**

**What hardens man?**

1. God. Ex. 4:21; 14:17.
2. Man. 1 Sam. 6:6; Heb. 3:8, IS.
3. Sin. Heb. 3:13.
4. Wickedness. Prov. 21:29; 1 Tim. 4:2.
5. Removing plague. Ex. 8:15.

**How is man hardened ?**

1. By rejecting God's word. Prov. 29:1; Acts 19:8, 9.
2. By not understanding. Mark 6:52.

3. By not believing. 2 Kings 17:14; Mark 8:17.
4. By not obeying. Acts 19 :8, 9.
5. By not giving. Deut. 15:7.
6. Through rebellion. Deut. 31:27; Ezek. 3 :7.
7. Through pride. Neh. 9:16; Dan. 5: 20.

**Things associated with hardening:**

1. Ignorance. Eph. 4:18; Jer. 5 :3.
2. Impenitence. Rom. 2:5.
3. Impudence. Ezek. 2:4.

**The results of being hardened.**

1. Falling into mischief. Prov. 28:14.
2. Refusing to receive instruction. Jer. 47:23.
3. Refusing to hear. Neh. 9:29; Jer. 19:15. '
4. Disobedience. Ex. 7:13; Neh. 9:16; Acts 19:9.
5. Evil. Jer. 19:15.
6. Refusing to return. 2 Chron. 36:13; Jer. 5 :3 ; John 2 :40.
7. No prosperity. Job 9:4.
8. Christ grieved. Mark 3:5.
9. Giving up. Eph. 4:18, 19.
10. Alienation. Eph. 4:18, 19.
11. Wrath. Rom. 2:5.
12. Destruction. Prov. 29:1; Josh. 11: 20.

**The remedy.**

1. God's word. Jer. 23:29.
2. Wisdom. Eccl. 8:1.



# CHRIST THE JUDGE

Text: James 4:12.

**How** do we know he will judge?

1. God gave it to him. Acts 17:31; Jno. 5:22.
2. Declared it by resurrection. Acts 17:31.
3. Paul so declared. 1 Cor. 4:4.
4. It is his judgment seat. 2 Cor. 5:10.
5. He has authority. Jno. 5:27.
6. He is lawgiver. Jas. 4:12.
7. He is coming as such. Jude 15.
8. He was ordained. Acts 10:42.

**When** will he judge ?

1. On the appointed day. Acts 17:31.
2. After death. Heb. 9:27.
3. At his coming. 1 Cor. 14:5.
4. After the resurrection. Jno. 5:27-29.

**What kind of judge is he ?**

1. Righteous. 2 Tim. 4:8; Jno. 5:30.
2. True. Rev. 16:7; 19:2; Jno. 8:16.
3. Unbiased. 1 Pet. 1:17.

**Who will he judge ?**

1. His people. Heb. 10:30; 1 Pet. 4:17.
2. Quick and dead. Acts 10:42.
3. All. 2 Cor. 5:10; Jude 15.

**How will he judge ?**

1. By his word. Jno. 12:48; Rev. 20:12.
2. By the law of liberty, Jas. 2:12
3. According to our works. Rev. 20:13.

4. As we have judged. Mt. 7:2.
5. According to opportunities. Mt. 11: 20-24.
6. According to our thoughts. Rom. 2:16; 1 Cor. 4:5.
7. According to our words. Mt. 12: 36.

## **CONNECTING LINKS**

**Text: Ezek. 22:30.**

### **Who are they?**

1. Christ. John 14:6.
2. Holy Spirit. Romans 8:26, 27.
3. The spiritual. Gal. 6:1.
4. Moses. Psalms 106:23.
5. Naomi. Ruth 1:16-18.
6. Samaritan woman. John 4:39.
7. Wife. 1 Peter 3:1-3.
8. Mother. Matt. 15:22-28.
9. Father. Matt. 17:14-18; John 4:46-53.
10. Brother (Andrew). John 1:40-42.
11. Son (Joseph). Genesis 45:7-13.
12. Friends. Matt. 9:2.
13. Jewish maiden. 2 Kings 5:2-4.
14. Cornelius. Acts 10:24.
15. Lois and Eunice. 2 Tim. 1:5.
16. Lazarus. John 12:11.
17. Daniel & companions. Dan. 3:8; 6:26,27.
18. Centurion. Luke 7:2-10.
19. David. 2 Sam. 24:25.
20. Preacher. Acts 8:6, 12, 13.

### **What was used ?**

1. Christ's blood. Eph. 2:13.

2. Gospel. Acts 8:5, 12, 13.
3. Faith. Matt. 9:2.
4. Invitation. John 4:29, 30, 39; Acts 10:24.
5. Prayer. Acts 8:20-24.
6. Interest. Matt. 9:2; Acts 10:24.
7. Meekness. Gal 6:1; 1 Peter 3:1-3.
8. Chastity. 1 Peter 3:1-3.
9. Doing justly. Jer. 5:1.
10. Faithfulness. Jer. 5:1; 2 Tim. 2:2.

## **CHRIST WEEPS OVER JERUSALEM**

**Text: Luke 19:41-44.**

### **Why did they not know ?**

1. Not because they could not.
2. They believed not.
3. Not because they had no warning.
4. Because somebody failed.
5. Because of worldly mindedness.
6. They did not study for themselves.
7. They would not.
8. They know not opportunities.

### **Why did Christ weep ?**

1. He knew it's seriousness.
2. He knew it was their last chance.

### **On what did their peace depend ?**

1. Being in Christ. Jno. 16:33; 1 Pet. 5:4.
2. Faith. Rom. 15:13.
3. Righteousness. Isa. 32:17.
4. Spiritual-mindedness. Rom. 8:1.
5. Being well pleasing. Luke 2:14.
6. Loving the law. Psalms 119:165; Prov. 3:17.

7. Trusting. Isa. 26:3.
8. Justification. Rom. 5:1.
9. Knowledge. 2 Pet. 1 :2.
10. Knowing God. Job 22:21.
11. Good works. Rom. 2:10.
12. Being in the church. Col. 3:15.
13. Diligence. 2 Pet. 3:14.

**What are the results ?**

1. Happiness. Psalms 37:37.
2. God's presence. 2 Cor. 13:11.

## **CHRIST AND SEVEN**

**Seven accusations.**

1. Bad company. Mt. 9:11.
2. Intemperance. Mt. 11:19.
3. Blasphemy. Mt. 26:65.
4. Insanity. Mk. 3:21.
5. Having a devil. Jno. 7:20.
6. Breaking Sabbath. Jno. 9:16; 10:20.
7. Treason. Jno. 19:12.

**Seven utterances on the cross.**

1. Unto mother and John. Jno. 19:26, 27.
2. Today in paradise. Lk. 23 :43.
3. Forgive them Father. Lk. 23:34.
4. Why forsaken. Mt. 27:46.
5. I thirst. Jno. 19:28.
6. It is finished. Jno. 19 :30.
7. Father into thy hands. Lk. 23 :46.

**Seven great prayers.**

1. At baptism. Lk. 3:21.
2. Before calling the twelve. Lk. 6:12.
3. When they tried to crown him. Jno. 6:15.

4. At transfiguration. Lk. 9:29.
5. His farewell. Jno. 17.
6. In Gethsemane. Mt. 26:39-44.
7. On the cross. Lk. 23:34.

**Seven things he is to the church.**

1. **Builder.** Mt. 16:18.
2. Foundation. Mt. 16:18; 1 **Cor.** 3:11.
3. Purchaser. Acts 20:28.
4. Head. Eph. 1:22; Col. 2:19.
5. Husband. 2 Cor. 11:2; Jno. 3:29; Eph. 5:31, 32.
6. Shepherd. Lk. 12:32; Jno. 10:11, 16; Rev. 31:9.
7. Saviour. Eph. 5:23.

## **DEFEAT OR VICTORY**

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:57.**

**Expressions denoting defeat:**

1. Better remain in slavery. Ex. 14:12.
2. We told you so. Ex. 14:12.
3. Curse God and die. Job 2:9.
4. It is enough, let me die. 1 Kings 19:4.
5. I only am left. 1 Kings 19:14.
6. They are stronger than we. Num. 13:31-33.
7. They will not believe me. Ex. 4:1.
8. I am slow of speech. Ex. 4:10.
9. I fear the people. 1 Sam. 15:24.
10. I am just a child. Jer. 1 :6, 7.
21. I am afraid. Matt. 25:25.
12. It is not convenient. Acts 24:25.

13. I do not know. Ex. 32:1 ; Matt. 21 : 27.

**Expressions denoting victory.**

1. I have believed. 2 Tim. 1:12; 1 John 5 :4.
2. We are well able. Num. 13:30.
3. Arise let us build. Neh. 2:18.
4. God will fight for us. Neh. 4:20.
5. I Will not run or be afraid. Neh. 6:10-14.
6. God is my helper. Psalms 46:1; Heb. 13:6.
7. He will direct our paths. Prov. 3: 6.
8. The righteous are not forsaken. Psalms 37:35.
9. God sees and hears. 1 Pet. 3 :12.
10. God is faithful. 1 Cor. 10:13.
11. Who is against us. Rom. 8:31.
12. I have learned. Phil. 4:11, 12.
13. It has been done. Heb. 11:32-39.
14. I can do all things. Phil. 4:13.
15. God gives us the victory. 1 Cor. 15:57.

**DIFFICULT COMMANDS**

**Text: Phil. 4:4-7.**

**How can the first be done ?**

1. By being in Christ. Phil. 4:4.
2. By taking refuge in him. Psalms 5:11; 63:7.
3. By loving his name. Psalms 5:11.
4. By being saved. Psalms 9:14; 13: 5.
5. By falling on his mercy. Psalms 31: 7.

6. By being righteous. Psalms 32:11 ; 33:1.
7. By trusting him. Psalms 33:21.
8. By being his people. Psalms 8:5.
9. By believing. 1 Pet. 1:8.
10. By obedience. Acts 8:39; 16:34.
11. By having hope. Rom. 5:2; 12:2.
12. By looking to the reward. Matt. 5:12.
13. By having our name in heaven. Luke 10:20.

How do the second?

1. By knowing and doing the truth.
2. By keeping well-balanced.

**What** about the third?

Some were anxious about:

1. Food. Matt. 6:25.
2. Raiment. Matt. 6:25, 28.
3. Stature. Matt. 6:27.
4. Tomorrow. Matt. 6:34.
5. Material things. Luke 10:44.

Why are they anxious ?

1. They lack faith. Matt. 6:30.
2. They consider not. Matt. 6:28, 29.
3. They pray not. Phil. 4:6.
4. By not choosing right. Luke 10:41, 42.

The cure:

1. Cast them on Him. 1 Pet. 5:7.

**What** are the results ?

1. Peace guards the heart. Phil. 4:4-9.

## **DESTITUTION**

**Text: Psalms 141:8; 1 Tim. 6:5.**

**Destitute** because they are without?

1. God. Eph. 2:12.

2. Christ. Eph. 2:12.
3. The Kingdom. Eph. 2:12.
4. Hope. Job 7:6; Eph. 2:12.
5. Promise. Eph. 2:12.
6. Strength. Rom. 5:6.
7. Excuse. Rom. 1:20; 2:1.
8. Understanding. Mark 7:18; Rom. 1:31; 2 Cor. 10:12.
9. Knowledge. Prov. 5:23; 19:2.
10. Works. Jas. 2:20, 26.
11. Faith. Heb. 11:6.
12. Discretion. Prov. 11:22.
13. Remedy. Prov. 6:15; 27:1.
14. Fruits. Jude 12.
15. Mercy. Heb. 10:28; Jas. 2:13.
16. Self-control. 2 Tim. 3 :3.
17. Natural affection. Rom. 1:31; 2 Tim. 3 :3.
18. Holiness. Heb. 12:14.
19. Fear. Jude 12.
20. Wisdom. Prov. 15:21.
21. Truth. 1 Tim. 6:5.
22. Foundation. Luke 6:49.
23. Honor. Prov. 6:32, 33; Mark 6:4.
24. The Prize. Col. 2:18.

## **DAVID AND CHRIST**

### **David:**

1. The Shepherd. 1 Sam. 16:11; 17:34-36. Cared for, and risked his life for his sheep. 2 Sam. 5:23.
2. Friend. Jonathan. 1 Sam. 18:1-5; 2 Sam. 1:25-27; 9:7.
3. The conqueror. 1 Sam. 17:31-54; 18:6, 7; 2 Sam. 7:11.



4. King. 1 Sam. 16:1, 12, 13; 2 Sam. 2:4; 5:3-5.

### **Christ:**

1. Good Shepherd. Ezek. 34:22-24; 37:24-28. Cared for his sheep, and laid down his life for them. John 10:14-16; Heb. 13:20; 1 Pet. 2:25; 5:5.
2. True friend. Luke 16:9; John 11:11; 15:13-15.
3. Real conqueror. Rev. 3:21; 17:14.
4. King of Kings. Rev. 17:14. Could not be King on earth. Jer. 22:30; Matt. 1:11. Sits on David's throne:
  - (a) By birth. Isa. 9:6, 7; Luke 1:31-33.
  - (b) By resurrection. Acts 2:25-36; Eph. 1:20-23.
  - (c) By becoming priest. Jer. 23:5-6; Zech. 6:12, 13; Heb. 8:1.
  - (d) By God's appointment. Luke 22:29.

### **The throne and kingdom:**

Both belong to God and Christ, as does the church. Eph. 5:5; Heb. 1:8; Rev. 3:21; 22:3. Solomon sat on David's throne, and on the throne of God. 1 Kings 2:12; 1 Chron. 29:33.

### **It is called the throne:**

1. Of grace. Heb. 4:16.
2. Of glory. Matt. 19:28; 25:31.

### **To reign with him, we must:**

1. Be in the kingdom. John 3:5; Col. 1:13; Heb. 12:28.

2. Endure. 2 Tim. 2:12.
3. Overcome. Rev. 3:21; 17:14.

## **DANGERS IN TIME OF TRIAL**

**Text: Matt. 24:10-12.**

### **Danger of:**

1. Stumbling. Matt. 24:10.
2. Being led astray. Matt. 24:11.
3. Love growing cold. Matt. 24:12.
4. Being caught. Luke 21:34.

### **Contributing factors:**

1. Ignorance. Matt. 24:39, 43.
2. Heart overcharged. Luke 21:34.
  - (a) Surfeiting.
  - (b) Drunkenness.
  - (c) Cares.
3. Signs, wonders. Matt. 24:24.
4. Disloyalty. Matt. 24:10.
5. Hatred. Matt. 24:10.
6. Neglect. Matt. 24:38, 39, 49.
7. Deception. Matt. 24:24.
8. Abusing privileges. Matt. 24:49.
9. Much sin. Matt. 24:12.
10. Fear. Luke 21:26.
11. Plenty of time. Matt. 24:48.

### **How avoid them?**

1. By taking heed. Mark 13:23, 33; Luke 21:34.
2. By watching. Mark 13:37.
3. By prayer. Mark 13:33; Luke 21 : 36.
4. By patience. Luke. 21:19.
5. By knowledge. Luke 21 :30, 31.
6. By looking up. Luke 21:28.

7. By reading and understanding. Mark 13:14.
8. By being ready. Matt. 24:44.
9. By working. Matt. 24:46.
10. By not believing everything. Matt. 24:26.
11. By enduring. Matt. 24:13.
12. By escaping. Luke 21:38.

### **What will be the results?**

1. Salvation. Matt. 24:13.
2. Winning souls. Luke 21:19.
3. Standing before Christ. Luke 21:36.

### DAVID

1. Brave shepherd. 1 Sam. 17:34-37.
2. Anointed king. 1 Sam. 16:13.
3. Saul's armor-bearer. 1 Sam. 16:21.
4. Cheers Saul with harp. 1 Sam. 16:23.
5. Kills Goliath. 1 Sam. 17:49.
6. Is honored by people. 1 Sam. 18:8.
7. Saul's jealousy. 1 Sam. 18:9, 11.
8. Is loved by Jonathan and Michal. 1 Sam. 18:1-20.
9. Deceives Ahimelech and gets bread and sword. 1 Sam. 21:2, 6, 9.
10. Spares Saul's life twice. 1 Sam. 24:4; 26:11.
11. Meets Nabal and Abigail. 1 Sam. 25:
12. Defects Amalekites. 1 Sam. 30:17.
13. Grief for Saul and Jonathan. 2 Sam. 1:17.
14. Becomes king of Judah. 2 Sam. 2:4.

15. Laments Abner. 2 Sam. 3:31.
16. Becomes king of all Israel. 2 Sam. 5:3.
17. Takes Zion. 2 Sam. 5 :7.
18. Defeats Philistines. 2 Sam. 5:20-25.
19. Removes ark to Jerusalem. 2 Sam. 6:16.
20. Forbidden to build temple. 1 Chron. 17:4.
21. Kindness to Jonathan's son. 2 Sam. 9:11.
22. Plans Uriah's death. 2 Sam. 11:15.
23. Is condemned by Nathan. 2 Sam. 12:7.
24. Absalom's rebellion. 2 Sam. Chapters 15-18.
25. Sins in numbering people. 2 Sam. 24:10.
26. Appoints Solomon his successor. 1 Kings 1:30.
27. Dies. 1 Kings 2:10.

## **DECEIVING OURSELVES**

**Text: Jas. 1:22.**

**How do we deceive ourselves ?**

1. By thinking:
  - (a) There is no God. Psalms 10:4.
  - (b) We can cover our sins. Psalms 36:2.
  - (c) Our ways are right. Prov. 14:12.
  - (d) We are better than others. Luke 18:11.
  - (e) We can have peace in sin. Deut. 29:19.
  - (f) We are absolutely safe. 1 Thess. 5 :2.

- (g) God will not punish. Psalms 10:4, 11.
  - (h) Christ will not come. 2 Pet. 3 : 4.
  - (i) There is time enough. Jas. 4: 13.
  - (j) That a form is enough. Matt. 7:21, 22; 2 Tim. 3:5.
  - (k) Privileges entitle us to heaven. Matt. 3:9.
  - (l) We have not sinned. Pro v. 30: 12; 1 John 1:10.
  - (m) We are religious. Jas. 1:26.
  - (n) Christ delays his coming. Luke 12:45.
  - (o) We are not able. Ex. 4:1-10.
  - (p) We lack social standing. Judg. 6:15.
  - (q) It is too hard. Prov. 22:13.
  - (r) The master is hard. Matt. 25: 24, 25.
  - (s) There is no need. Matt. 25 :44, 45.
  - (t) We are too busy. Luke 14:18-20.
  - (u) Too highly of self. Gal. 6:3.
  - (v) That we could get away with it. Acts 5:1-9.
2. By hearing and not doing. Jas. 1: 22.
  3. By saying and not doing. Jer. 42: 20-21.
  4. By trusting in riches. Rev. 3:17.
  5. By trusting in worldly wisdom. 1 Cor. 3:18.
  6. By trusting our feelings. 2 Cor. 5 :7, 20.

7. By using wrong standards. 2 Cor. 10-12.
8. By pride. Jer. 49:16; Obadiah 3.
9. By wishful thinking. Jer. 37:9

### EPITAPHS

Abel. Heb. 11:4.  
 Dead but speaketh.  
 Enoch. Gen. 5:24.  
 He walked with God.  
 Job. Job. 1:1.  
 Perfect and upright.  
 Abraham. James 2:23.  
 The friend of God.  
 Joseph. Gen. 41:39.  
 Discreet and wise.  
 Moses. Num. 12:3.  
 Meek above all men.  
 Gideon. Judges 6:12.  
 Mighty man of valor.  
 David. Acts 13:22.  
 A man after God's heart.  
 Daniel. Dan. 1:8.  
 He would not defile himself.  
 John. Jno. 21:20.  
 The disciple whom Jesus loved.  
 Nathaniel. Jno. 1:47.  
 In whom there is no guile.  
 Stephen. Acts 6:8.  
 Full of grace and power.  
 Barnabas. Acts 11:24.  
 He was a good man.  
 Paul. 2 Tim. 4:7.  
 He kept the faith.  
 Mary. Mk. 14:8.  
 She hath done what she could.

Dorcas. Acts 9:36.  
Was full of good works and almsdeeds.  
Phoebe. Rom. 16:2.  
A helper of man v.  
Timothy. Phil. 2:20.  
He truly cared.

## EVIL

### What can be evil?

1. The heart. Heb. 3:12.
2. Thoughts. Matt. 15:19; Jas. 2:4.
3. Imaginations. Gen. 6:5.
4. Conscience. Heb. 10:22.
5. Rejoicing. Jas. 4:16.
6. Works. 1 John 3:12.
7. Days. Eccl. 12:1; Eph. 5:16.
8. Eyes. Mark 7:22.
9. Fruits. Matt. 7:17, 18.
10. Companions. Prov. 4:14; 24:1; 1 Cor. 15:33.
11. Words. Prov. 15:28; Titus 3:2; John 10:23.
12. Devices. Prov. 12:20; 14:22.
13. Desires. Col. 3:5.
14. Influence. Rom. 14.
15. Surmisings. 1 Tim. 6:4.
16. Tongue. Psalms 140:11; Jas. 3:8.
17. Reports. Gen. 37:2; Num. 13:32; 14:37.
18. Counsel. Isa. 7:5.
19. Purposes. Psalms 64:5.

### What should be our attitude ?

1. Not delight in it. Prov. 2:14.
2. Not follow it. Prov. 11:19; 3 John 11.

3. Not render against. 1 Thess. 5:15;  
1 Pet. 3:10.
4. Not lust after it. 1 Cor. 10:6.
5. Not encourage it. Psalms 64:5.
6. Hate it. Psalms 97:10; Prov. 8:13.
7. Abhor it. Rom. 12:9; Rev. 2:2.
8. Refuse it. Isa. 7:15, 16.
9. Foresee it. Prov. 22:3; 27:12.
10. Abstain from it. 1 Thess. 5:22.
11. Depart from it. Prov. 3:7; Isa. 59:  
15; Ezek. 33:11.

## **EXCUSES OR EXAMPLES, WHICH**

**They are condemned and approved**

### **Excuses for sin:**

1. Adam. Gen. 3 :12.
2. Eve. Gen. 3:13.
3. Aaron. Ex. 32:22-24.
4. The spies. Num. 13:31-33.
5. Saul. 1 Sam. 13:11-13; 15:18-22.

### **Examples of unbelief:**

1. Jacob. Gen. 45:2.
2. Moses. Num. 20:12.
3. Children of Israel. Deut. 9:23;  
Heb. 4:11; Jude 5.
4. Chief priests. Luke 22:67.
5. Paul. 1 Tim. 1:13.

### **Examples of disobedience:**

1. Ephesians. Acts 19:9.
2. Pharaoh. Ex. 5 :2.
3. Nadab. Lev. 10:1.
4. Achan. Josh. 7:
5. Young prophet. 1 Kings 13 :20-24.
6. Jonah. Jonah 1:2.



**Excuses for not attending services:**

1. Too busy. Luke 14:18-20.
2. Must visit family. Heb. 10:25; Acts 2:42; 20:17.
3. Need rest.

**Teachings examples.**

1. Thessalonians. Acts 17:11.
2. Bereans. Acts 17:11.
3. Athenians. Acts 17:32-34.

**Givings examples.**

1. Israel. Mal. 5:7-10.
2. Ananias. Acts 5:1-7.
3. Barnabas. Acts 4:36, 37.

**Examples of faithfulness.**

1. Joseph. Gen. 39:4-23.
2. Abraham. Gen. 22nd chap.
3. Daniel & companions. Dan. chap. 3,6.
4. Servants. Matt. 25:14-30.
5. Christ. Heb. 2:17; 3:2; Rev. 1:15.

**EVERY ONE**

**Text: Luke 6:47.**

**Every One is:**

1. To hear. Matt. 7:24, 26. Rev. 3:20.
2. To believe. Acts 10:43.
3. To repent. Acts 2:38; 2 Tim. 2:19.
4. To confess. Matt. 10:32; 2 Tim. 2:19.
5. To be baptized. Acts 2:38.
6. To do. Matt. 7:24; John 3:20.
7. To love. 1 John 4:7.
8. To give an account. Romans 14:12.
9. To do righteousness. 1 John 2:29.

10. To forgive. Matt. 18:35.
11. Angry with brother. Matt. 5:22.
12. Guilty who lusts. Matt. 5:28.
13. To inherit who sacrifices. Matt. 19:29.
14. To have light. John 1:9.
15. Born of Spirit. John 3 :8; 1 John 2:29; 4:7.
16. To purify self. 1 John 3:3.
17. To give. Acts 11:29; 1 Cor. 16:2.
18. Admonished. Acts 20:31.
19. To be judged. Rev. 20:13.
20. To be outside who lies. Rev. 22:15.
21. Loser who takes away. Rev. 22:19.
22. To receive who asks. Matt. 7:8.

**Why is every one to do these things?**

1. To be forgiven. Matt. 18:35; Acts 2:38; 10:43.
2. To build securely. Matt. 7:24; Luke 6:47, 48.
3. To have hope. 1 John 3:3.
4. To enter kingdom. Matt. 7:21; John 3:5-8.
5. To be confessed. Matt. 10:32.
6. To be righteous. 1 John 2:29; 3:7.

## ESAU

**To serve Jacob. Gen. 25:23.**

1. Firstborn of Isaac. Gen. 25:25.
2. Jacob takes hold of heel. Gen. 25:26.
3. Is cunning hunter. Gen. 25 :27.
4. Isaac loved Esau. Ate of his venison. Gen. 25 :28.
5. Hairy. Gen. 25 :25.

6. Sells birthright. Gen. 25:29-34.
7. Despised birthright. Gen. 25 :34.
8. Marries at forty. Gen. 26:34.
9. Has three wives. Gen. 28:6.
10. Loses the blessing. Gen. 27:38.
11. Plans to kill Jacob. Gen. 27:41.
12. Jacob sends messengers. Gen. 32:3.
13. Comes to meet Jacob with 400 men.  
Gen. 32:6.
14. Jacob fears Esau. Gen. 32:7.
15. Jacob sends Esau 580 presents.  
Gen. 32:13-15.
16. Meets Jacob with favor. Gen. 33 :4-  
10.
17. Jacob and Esau bury Isaac. Gen.  
35 :29.
18. Seir, Esau's possession. Josh. 24:4.
19. Has five sons. 1 Chron. 1:35.
20. Is hated by God. Mal. 1:2, 3; Rom..  
9:13.
21. Warned not to be like him. Heb.  
12:16.
22. Is called Edom. Gen. 25:30; 36:1.
23. Edomites refuse to let Israel pass.  
Num. 20:18-20.
24. Are conquered by David. 2 Sam.  
8:14.
25. Revolt under Joram. 2 Kings 8:20-  
22.

## **ENDURING AND REIGNING**

**Text: 2 Tim. 2:12.**

**What endure ?**

- 1: Grief. 1 Pet. 2:19.
2. Persecution. 1 Cor. 4:12.
3. Hardship. 2 Tim. 2:3.

4. Temptation. Jas. 1:12.
5. Chastisement. Heb. 12:7.
6. Sound doctrine. 2 Tim. 4:3.
7. All things. 1 Cor. 13:7.

**How endure ?**

1. Patiently. Heb. 6:15.
2. In love. 1 Cor. 13:7.
3. By God's help. 1 Cor. 10:13.

**How long endure ?**

1. Not for just a little time. Matt. 13:21.
2. Unto the end. Matt. 10:22; 24:13.

**Why endure ?**

1. To imitate Christ. Heb. 12:3.
2. To imitate God's people. Jas. 5:8-11.
3. To show we are God's sons. Heb. 13:7.
4. To be acceptable. 1 Pet. 2:19.
5. To receive promises. Heb. 6:15.
6. To be saved. Matt. 10:22; 24:13.
7. To be blessed. Jas 1:12; 5:11.
8. To be crowned. Jas .1:12.
9. To reign. 2 Tim. 2:12.

**Who shall reign?**

1. Not the Godless. Job 34:30.
2. The blood-bought. Rev. 5:10.
3. He who endured. 2 Tim. 2:12.
4. He who overcomes. Rev. 2:26, 27.
5. Members of the church. Rev. 5:10; 20:3.

**EYES**

**Text: Matt. 6:22, 23.**

What kind is an evil eye?

1. Red. Gen. 49:12; Prov. 23:29.

2. Haughty. Psalms 18:27; Prov. 6:17.
3. Covetous. Prov. 28:22.
4. Listing. 2 Pet. 2:14; 1 John 2:16.
5. Jealous. 1 Sam. 18:9.
6. Blinded. Deut. 16:19; 1 John 2:11; 1 Sam. 12:3.
7. Prejudiced. Matt. 7:3-5.

#### **Why avoid an evil eye?**

1. Lest we have darkness. Matt. 7:23.
2. It defiles. Mark 7:21-23.
3. It is a sign of drunkenness. Prov. 23:29, 30.
4. It leads to coveteousness. Prov. 22:28.
5. It shall be humbled. Psalms 18:7.
6. It leads to sin. 2 Pet. 2:14.
7. The Lord hates it. Prov. 6:17.
8. It is selfish. Matt. 20:11-15; Deut. 28:54-56.

#### **What kind is the right eye?**

1. Single. Matt. 6:22.
2. Pure. Hab. 1:13.
3. Enlightened. Psalms 19:8; Eph. 1:18.
4. Opened. Acts 26:18; Psalms 119:18.
5. Pitying. Deut. 7:16; 13:8.
6. Bountiful and good. Prov. 22:9.
7. Delighting. Prov. 23:26.

#### **Why have a right eye?**

1. To be like God. Hab. 1:13.
2. To have light. Matt. 6:22,
3. To be forgiven. Acts 26:18.
4. To inherit. Acts 26:18.

5. To be safe. Isa. 33:15, 16.
6. To obtain mercy. Matt. 5 :7.
7. To be blessed. Prov. 22:9.

## **EARTHLY FATHERS**

**Text: Heb. 12:9.**

### **What kinds are there?**

- (a) Good.
  - (b) Abraham. Gen. 18:19.
  - (c) David. 1 Kings 2:1-4.
  - (d) Asa (son, Jehoshaphat).  
Kings 22:42, 43; 17:3, 4.  
2 Chron. 17:3,4.
  - (e) Father of the prodigal. Luke  
15:11-31.
2. Good men, but poor fathers.
    - (a) Eli. 1 Sam. 2:12-17; 22; 3:12.
    - (b) Samuel. 1 Sam. 8:1-5.
    - (c) Solomon (Rehoboam). Prov.  
and Eccl.
    - (d) Hezekiah (son, Manasseh).  
2 Kings 18:1-7;21:1-17.
  3. Bad fathers.
    - (a) Saul. 1 Sam. 20:30-34.
    - (b) Manasseh (son, Amon). 2  
Kings 21st chapter.

### **What do with fathers ?**

1. Imitate good. Eph. 5:1.
2. Honor, if possible. Eph. 6:1-3;  
Matt. 10:35-37.
3. Turn from, and against some.

### **As:**

- (a) Gideon. Judg. 6:25-27.
- (b) Asa (Abijam). 1 Kings 15:  
11-13.

- (c) Josiah (Anion) 2 Kings 21: 9-24; 22:2.
- (d) John and James. Matt. 4:21, 22.

**What is the duty of fathers?**

- 1. Not to provoke. Eph. 6:4; Col. 3:21.
- 2. Train Children. Prov. 22:6; Eph. 6:4.
- 3. To provide. 2 Cor. 12:14; 1 Tim. 5:8
- 4. Correct. Prov. 29:17; Heb. 12:7-9.
- 5. Rule. 1 Tim. 3:4, 12.
- 6. Encourage. 1 Thess. 2:11.
- 7. Pray for. 2 Chron. 29:18, 19.

**ENLARGING**

**Text: Isa. 54:2.**

**What enlarge ?**

- 1. Not the material. Luke 12:18.
- 2. Not lusts. Gal. 5:16, 17.
- 3. Knowledge. 2 Pet. 3:18.
- 4. Faith. 2 Cor. 10:15; 2 Thess. 1:3.
- 5. Heart. Psalms 119:32; 1 Kings 4:29; 2 Cor. 6:11.
- 6. Self. Psalms 4:1; Isa. 60:5; 2 Cor. 6:13.
- 7. Our steps. 2 Sam. 22:37; Psalms 18:36.
- 8. Desires. Hab. 2:5.
- 9. Our sphere of:
  - (a) Service. Rom. 1:25.
  - (b) Influence. Prov. 4:18.
- 10. Aptness to teach. 1 Tim. 3:2.
- 11. Our sowing. 2 Cor. 9:6, 10.

12. Work. Neh. 4:19; 2 Cor. 11:23.
13. Peace. Isa. 66:12.
14. Mercy. Ezra 7:28; 9:9.
15. Love. Phil. 1:9; 1 Thess. 3:12.
16. Grace. 2 Pet. 3:18.
17. Patience. 2 Cor. 6:4; Jas. 1:4.

How can we enlarge ?

1. By studying. 2 Tim. 2:15.
2. By using. Matt. 25:28, 29.
3. By submitting to God. 2 Cor. 9:8.
4. By looking at the unseen. 2 Cor. 4:18.
5. By growing. Mark 4:8; 2 Thess. 1:3.
6. By adding. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
7. By stretching. Isa. 54:2; Phil. 3:13.
8. By launching out. Luke 5:4; 8:22.
9. By building. Acts 20:32; 2 Cor. 10:8.
10. By hungering and thirsting. Matt. 5:6; 1 Pet. 2:2.

## ELDERS

**They are also called:**

1. Bishops. Phil. 1:1.
2. Overseers. Acts 20:28.
3. Presbytery. 1 Tim. 4:14.
4. Pastors. Eph. 4:11.

**What is their work?**

1. To rule. 1 Tim. 5:17.
2. To feed. Acts 20:28; 1 Pet. 5.
3. To watch. Acts 20:28-31; Heb. 13:17.
4. To teach. 1 Tim. 5:17.



5. To be an example. 1 Pet. 5 :3.
6. Not lording. 1 Pet. 5 :3.
7. Take care of church. 1 Tim. 3 :5.

**What are their qualifications ?**

1. One wife. 1 Tim. 3:2.
2. Temperate. 1 Tim. 3 :2.
3. Sober-minded. 1 Tim. 3:2.
4. Orderly. 1 Tim. 3:2.
5. Hospitable. 1 Tim. 3:2.
6. Apt to teach. 1 Tim. 3 :2.
7. No brawler or striker. 1 Tim. 3 :2.
8. Gentle. 1 Tim. 3:3.
9. Not contentious. 1 Tim. 3:3.
10. No lover of money. 1 Tim. 3 :3.
11. Rule his house. 1 Tim. 3:4.
12. Not a novice. 1 Tim. 3:6.
13. Good report. 1 Tim. 3:7.
14. Blameless. Tit. 1:7.
15. Not self-willed. Tit. 1:7.
16. Not soon angry. Tit. 1:7.
17. Lover of good. Tit. 1:8.
18. Holy and just. Tit. 1:8.
19. Faithful in doctrine Tit. 1:9.

## **FIGHTING**

**Text: 1 Tim. 6:12.**

**What fight against.**

1. Not flesh and blood. Eph. 6:12.
2. Powers. Eph. 6:12.
3. Darkness. Eph. 6:12.
4. Spiritual wickedness. Eph. 6:12.
5. Not God. Acts 5:39; 2 Chron. 13:12.
6. Sin. Heb. 12:4.
7. Self. 1 Cor. 9:26,27.

8. Error. 1 Tim. 6:3-5.
9. The law. Tit. 3:9.

#### **What fight for?**

1. Not unprofitable things. Tit. 3:9.
2. The faith. Jude 3.
3. To enter in. Luke 13:24.
4. God's people. Col. 4:12.
5. Good. 1 Tim. 6:12; 2 Tim. 4:7.

#### **Why fight thus?**

1. Lest we fail. 2 Chron. 13:12; Acts 5:39.
2. Lest we be rejected. 1 Cor. 9:26, 27.
3. They are:
  - (a) Unprofitable. Tit. 3:9.
  - (b) Vain. Tit. 3:9.
4. To overcome. Rom. 12:21.
5. To have eternal life. 1 Tim. 6:12.
6. To be crowned. 2 Tim. 4:7, 8.

#### **How prepare to fight?**

1. By enlisting. 2 Tim. 2:4.
2. By avoiding entanglements. 2 Tim. 2:4.
3. By putting on the armor. Eph. 6:13.
  - (a) Girdle. Eph. 6:14.
  - (b) Breastplate. Eph. 6:14.
  - (c) Shoes. Eph. 6:15.
  - (d) Shield. Eph. 6:16.
  - (e) Helmet. Eph. 6:17.
  - (f) Sword. Eph. 6:17.

## **FRUITS**

**Text: John 15:1-8.**

#### **What kinds are there?**

1. Evil. Matt. 7:17, 18.

2. Contemptible. Mal. 1:12.
3. Of lies. Hosea 10:13.
4. Shameful. Jer. 12:13; Rom. 6:22.
5. Unto death. Rom. 7:5.
6. Of repentance. Matt. 3:8.
7. Unto God. Rom. 7:4.
8. Of wisdom. Prov. 8:19.
9. Of righteousness. Phil. 1:11; Jas. 3:18.
10. Of thoughts. Jer. 6:19.
11. Of deeds. Jer. 17:10; 32:19.
12. Of the Spirit. Gal. 5:22, 23.
13. Of the light. Eph. 5:8.
14. Of the vine. Matt. 26:29.
15. Of lips. Heb. 13:15.
16. Holy. Rom. 6:23.
17. Good. Matt. 7:17; Jas. 3:17.
18. Peaceable. Heb. 12:11.
19. Abiding. John 15:16.
20. Unto eternal life. John 4:36.

#### **How can we bear good fruit?**

1. By receiving the gospel. Col. 1:6, 9, 10.
2. By becoming servants of God. Rom. 6:22.
3. By becoming good. Matt. 12:33.
4. By working. Phil. 1:22.
5. By being cleansed. John 15:2; Rom. 6:22.
6. By being chastised. Heb. 12:11.
7. By abiding in Christ. John 15:5.

#### **Why bear *good* fruits ?**

1. Lest we be condemned. Matt. 5:10; Heb. 6:7,8.

2. To be known. Matt. 7:20; Luke 6:44; John 15:8.
3. It increases to our account. Phil. 4:17.
4. To glorify God. John 15:8; Phil. 1:11.
5. To be blessed. Heb. 6:7.

## **FALSE TEACHERS**

**Text: 2 Pet. 2:1.**

### **What are their characteristics?**

1. Conspiring. Ezek. 22:25.
2. Ravenous. Ezek. 22:25.
3. Doing violence to God's law. Ezek. 22:26.
4. Profaning. Ezek 22 :26.
5. Undiscerning. Ezek. 22:26.
6. Foolish. Hosea 9:7.
7. Lovers of money. Micah 4:11; Titus 1:11.
8. Light. Zeph. 3:4.
9. Treacherous. Zeph. 3 :4.
10. Full of guile. Acts 13:10.
11. Deceitful. 2 Cor. 11:13.
12. Without understanding. 1 Tim. 1:7.
13. Ungodly. Jude 4.
14. Self-willed. 2 Pet. 2:1, 10.
15. Unruly. Titus 1:10.

### **What do they do?**

1. Lead astray, Matt. 24:4, 11; Titus 1:10.
2. Pervert right way. Acts 13 :10.
3. Speak evil of true way. 2 Pet. 2:2.
4. Overthrow houses. Titus 1 :10.

5. Deny Christ. 2 Pet. 2:1; Jude 4.
6. Make merchandise of you. 2 Pet. 2:1-3.
7. Seduce. Rom. 16:17, 18; (Rev). 2:14.
8. Wrest scriptures. 2 Pet. 3:16.

**What do with them?**

1. Try. Isa. 8:20; 1 John 4:1-6.
2. Not heed. Matt. 24:4.
3. Withstand. Titus 1:9; 1 Pet. 5:9.
4. Avoid. Rom. 16:17, 18.
5. Not encourage. 2 John 10.

## **FAITHFUL SAYINGS**

**Text: 2 Tim. 2:11-13.**

**What are they?**

1. Christ came to save:
  - (a) Sinners. 1 Tim. 1:15.
  - (b) Chief sinner. 1 Tim. 1:15, 16; Heb. 7:25.
2. Good work to be a bishop.
  - (a) Should be prepared for it. 1 Tim. 3:1-7.
3. Godliness is profitable.
  - (a) For the present. 1 Tim. 4:7, 8.
  - (b) Forever. 1 Tim. 4:7, 8.
4. We die to live.
  - (a) With Christ. Col. 2:20.
  - (b) We die to sin. Rom. 6:2-11.
5. We endure to reign.
  - (a) All things. 1 Cor. 13:7; 2 Tim. 2:10.
  - (b) Grievs. 1 Pet. 2:19.
  - (c) Persecution. 1 Cor. 4:12.
  - (d) Temptations. Jas. 1:12.

- (e) Chastisement. Heb. 12:17.
  - (f) Hardship. 2 Tim. 2:3.
  - (g) Sound doctrine. 2 Tim. 4:3.
  - (h) Much sin. Matt. 24:9-13.
  - (i) Hatred. Matt. 24:9-13.
  - (j) In spite of false teachers. Matt. 24:9-13.
6. We deny to be denied.
    - (a) By word, as Peter. Matt. 26: 70, 72.
    - (b) By works. Titus 1:16.
  7. Men faithless, but God faithful.
    - (a) Not for lack of evidence. John 20:27.
    - (b) Because of evil. Heb. 3 :12.
  8. God cannot deny self.
    - (a) He is true. Rom. 3 :4.
    - (b) He cannot lie. Heb. 6:18.
  9. Believers maintain good works.
    - (a) It is necessary. Titus 3:8, 14.
    - (b) It is profitable. Titus 3 :8.
  10. One sows, another reaps.
    - (a) They rejoice together. John 4: 36, 37.
    - (b) It pays. John 4:36-38.

## **FIVE MEMBERS OF THE BODY**

**Text: 1 Cor. 12:12.**

### **1. The tongue:**

- (a) Kept. Prov. 21:23.
- (b) Wholesome. Prov. 15:4.
- (c) Kind. Prov. 31:26.
- (d) Soft. Prov. 25:15.
- (e) Bridled. Jas. 1:26; 3:8.

### **2. The ear:**

- (a) Hearing. Prov. 22:17.

- (b) Inclined. Psalms 78:1; Prov. 4:20.
- (c) Attentive. Neh. 8:3; Psalms 130:2.
- (d) Applied. Apt. Prov. 23:12.
- (e) Not itching. 2 Tim. 4:3.

### 3. Eyes:

- (a) Opened. Acts 26:18.
- (b) Single. Matt. 6:22.
- (c) Uplifted. Psalms 121:1.
- (d) Bountiful. Prov. 22:9.
- (e) Seeing. Prov. 20:12.

### 4. Feet:

- (a) Guided. Luke 1:79.
- (b) Well shod. Eph. 6:15.
- (c) Firmly placed. Psalms 40:2; 121:3.
- (d) Beautiful. Rom. 10:15.
- (e) Not trampling. Matt. 7:6; Heb. 10:29.

### 5. Hands

- (a) Clean. Psalms 24:4; Jas. 4:8.
- (b) Holy. 2 Pet. 2:8.
- (c) Competent. Skillful. Eccl. 9:10.
- (d) Diligent. Prov. 12:24.
- (e) Helpful. Acts 5:2; 9:41.

## FOUR UPS

Text: Matt. 16:24.

### Give up:

1. Self. Matt. 16:24.
2. Sin. Heb. 12:1.
3. Evil companions. 1 Cor. 15; 34.
4. Error. 2 Pet. 2:18.

5. Worldliness. Tit. 2:13.
6. Ungodliness. Tit. 2:13.
7. All for Him. Luke 5:11, 28.

**Take up:**

1. Cross. Matt. 16:24; 10:38.
2. Yoke. Matt. 11:29.
3. Responsibility. Gal. 6:5.
4. Study. 2 Tim. 2:15.
5. Teaching. Heb. 5.
6. Serving. 1 Pet. 5:5.

**Keep up:**

1. In love. John 13:34.
2. Obedience. Heb. 5:8.
3. Meekness. Matt. 11:29.
4. Giving. 2 Cor. 8:5, 9.
5. Glorifying God. John 17:4.
6. Faithfulness. Heb. 3:1, 2.

**Lay up:**

1. Hope. Col. 1:5.
2. Treasure. Matt. 6:19, 20.
3. Crown. 2 Tim. 4:8.
4. The word. Psalms 119:11; Job. 22:22.
5. Good foundation. 1 Tim. 6:19.
6. Life. 1 Tim. 6:19.

## **FORMATION, DEFORMATION AND REFORMATION**

**Text: Rom. 8:29; Gal. 4:19.**

**Who formed us?**

1. God. Isa. 43:1, 7; Zech. 12:1.

**How were we formed?**

1. Upright. Eccl. 7:29.



2. To his glory. Isa. 43 :7, 21.
3. To be his servant. Isa. 49:5.
4. Humble. Matt. 18:4.
5. Innocent. Matt. 18:3.
6. Fit for heaven. Matt. 19:14.

### **What deforms our souls ?**

1. Unbelief. Heb. 3:12.
2. Evil heart. Heb. 3:12.
3. Evil works. Col. 1:21.
4. Selfishness. Phil. 2:21; 2 Tim. 3:2, 3.
5. Covetousness. 1 Cor. 6:9-13.
6. Lasciviousness. Gal. 5:19-21.
7. Malice. Gal. 5:19-21.
8. Lying. Gal. 5:19-21.
9. Jealousy. Gal. 5:19-21.
10. Drunkenness. Gal. 5:19-21.

### **How are we reformed ?**

1. By teaching. Rom. 12:2.
2. By fear. Lev. 26:23.
3. By love. 2 Cor. 5:14; 1 John 4:19.
4. By obeying the gospel. Rom. 6:17.
5. By conversion. Matt. 18:3.
6. By putting off and on. Col. 3 :5-14.
7. By imitating. 1 Cor. 11:1; 2 Cor. 3:18.

### **Why be reformed ?**

1. To be useful. 2 Tim. 2:21; Phile. 11.
2. To be happy. Acts 8:39; 16:34.
3. To glorify God. 1 Cor. 6:20; 10:21.
4. To be fit for heaven. Rev; 22:14.
5. To be saved. Jas. 5:19, 20.

# FLEEING

**Text: 1 Tim. 6:11.**

## **From what flee?**

1. Not guilty conscience. Prov. 28:1; Lev. 26:17.
2. Not from the Lord. Psalms 139:7.
3. Not from duty. Neh. 6:11; Jonah 1:3, 10.
4. Lusts. 2 Tim. 2:22.
5. Covetousness. 1 Tim. 6:8-11.
6. Fornication. 1 Cor. 6:18.
7. Idolatry. 1 Cor. 10:14.
8. Strangers. John 10:5.
9. The wrath to come. Matt. 3 :7.

## **Why flee?**

1. For fear. Jer. 26:21; 48:44.
2. For refuge. Heb. 6:18.
3. For unbelief. Jonah 4:2.
4. For protection. Psalms 143 :9; Jer. 6:11.
5. We do not care. John 10:12, 13.
6. To lay hold on hope. Heb. 6:18.
7. To avoid destruction. 1 Tim. 6:9, 11.
8. To be saved. Jer. 48:6.
9. To follow the right. 1 Tim. 6:11; 2 Tim. 2:22.

## **Who flees?**

1. The devil. James 4:7.
2. The coward. Neh. 6:10-13; Jer. 48:44.
3. The doubter. Jonah 4:2.
4. The careless. John 10:2, 13.
5. Hater of God. Num. 10:35; Psalms 68:1.

6. Man. Job 14:2.
7. He who would be safe. Heb. 6:18.
8. The man of God. 1 Tim. 6:1.1.

## FOUR COMPREHENSIVE WORDS

Text: 1 Jno. 5:1-4.

Whosoever:

1. Wills. Rev. 22:17.
2. Believes. Jno. 3:16; 1 Jno. 5:1.
3. Loves. 1 Jno. 5:1.
4. Death. Mt. 12:50.
5. Calls. Rom. 10:13.
6. Denies. 1 Jno. 2:23.
7. Commits sin. 1 Jno. 3:4.
8. Is born. 1 Jno. 3:9; 5:18.
9. Confesses. Mt. 10:32; 1 Jno. 4:15;  
Prov. 28:13.
10. Heareth. Mt. 7:24.
11. Abideth. Jno. 3:6.
12. Exalteth. Lk. 14:11.
13. Is ashamed. Mk. 8:38; Lk. 9:26.
14. Renounceth. Lk. 14:33.

Whatsoever:

1. Do:
  - (a) In Christ name. Col. 3:17.
  - (b) To God's glory. 1 Cor. 10:31.
  - (c) Heartily. Col. 3:25; Eccl. 9:  
10.
  - (d) Faith fully. 3 Jno. 5.
  - (e) Good. Eph. 6:8.
2. Ask:
  - (a) In my name. Jno. 14:13, 14.
  - (b) Believing. Matt. 21:22.
  - (c) According to God's will. 1  
Jno. 3:22; 5:14.

3. Soweth. Gal. 6:7.
4. Written. Rom. 15:4.
5. Right. Mt. 20:4.
6. Whatsoever is not of faith. Rom. 14:23.

**Wheresoever:**

1. Preached. Mk. 14:9.
2. Follow. Mt. 8:19; Rev; 14:4.
3. Attraction. Mt. 24:28.

**Whenssoever:**

1. Pray. Mk. 11:25.
2. Will. Mk. 14:7.

## **FOR THE SAKE OF WHAT?**

**Text: Matt. 5:10.**

**For the sake of what?**

1. The name. 3 Jno. 7.
2. The truth. 2 Jno. 2.
3. Love. Phil. 9.
4. Conscience. Rom. 13:5; 1 Cor. 10:25-28
5. Gospels. Mk. 8:35; 10:29; 1 Cor. 9:23.
6. Righteousness. Mt. 5:10.
7. Church. Col. 1:24; Ps. 122:9.
8. Kingdoms. Mt. 19:12; Lk. 18:29.
9. Work. 1 Thess. 5:13.
- i0. Advantage. Jude 16.
11. Filthy lucre. Tit. 1:11.
12. Sin. Col. 3:5, 6.
13. Goodness. Ps. 25:7.

**What are the results?**

1. We seek good. Ps. 122:9.
2. We entreat. Phil. 9.

3. We are subject. Rom. 13:5.
4. We ask no question. 1 Cor. 10:23, 27.
5. We are blessed. Mt. 5:10.
6. We sacrifice. Lk. 18:29.
7. We have eternal life. Lk. 18:29, 30.
8. We esteem. 1 Thess. 5 :13.
9. We respect persons. Jude 16.
10. Wrath comes. Col. 3:5, 6.
11. We teach wrong. Tit. 1:11.
12. We know the truth. 2 Jno. 1:2.
13. We go forth. 3 Jno. 7.
14. We are saved. Mk. 8:35.
15. We are partakers. 1 Cor. 9:23.

## **FOR WHOSE SAKE?**

**Text: 1 Cor. 8:11.**

### **I. God's.**

- a. Name.
  1. Guides. Ps. 23:3.
  2. Pardons. Ps. 25:11.
  3. Quickens. Ps. 143:11.
  4. Defers anger. Isa. 48:9.
  5. Works. Jer. 14:7.
- b. Lovingkindness.
  1. Saves. Ps. 6:4.
- c. Words.
  1. Wrought greatness. 2 Sam. 7: 21.

### **II. Christ's.**

- a. Name.
  1. Leave all. Mt. 19:29.
  2. Be hated. Lk. 21:17.
  3. Forgiven. 1 Jno. 2:12.
- b. My
  1. Persecuted. Mt. 5:11.

- 2. Lose life. Mt. 10:39.
- 3. For a testimony. Mt. 10:18.
- c. Works.
  - 1. Believe. J no. 14:11.
- d. As Lord.
  - 1. Be subject. 1 Pet. 2:13.
- e. Fools. 1 Cor. 4:10.

### III. Other's.

- a. Man's.
  - 1. Ground cursed. Gen. 3:17; 8:21.
- b. Israel's.
  - 1. Egyptians plagued. Ex. 18:8.
- c. Jonathan's
  - 1. Kindness shown. 2 Sam. 9:1, 3, 7.
- d. Elect's
  - 1. Time shortened. Mt. 24:22.
  - 2. Paul endured. 2 Tim. 2:10.
  - 3. God avenges. Lk. 18:7.
- e. His
  - 1. Eat not. 1 Cor. 10:28.
- f. Our.
  - 1. It is written. 1 Cor. 9:10.
- g. Your.
  - 1. Joy. Col. 1:24; 1 Thes. 3 :9.
- h. Brother's.
  - 1. Christ died. 1 Cor. 8:11.

## FAITH EXPRESSING ITSELF

**Text: Heb. 11:32-34.**

Repentance—is faith willing. Mt. 21:28-32.

Confession—is faith speaking. Rom. 10:10.  
Baptism—is faith in action. Mk. 16:16; Col. 2:12.  
Regeneration—is faith producing. Gal. 3:26.  
Prayer—is faith communing with God. Mt. 21:22.  
Work—is faith made perfect. Jas. 2:22.  
Influence—is faith shining. Rom. 14:20-22.  
Lord's Supper—is faith remembering. 1 Cor. 11:24, 25.  
Hope—is faith assuring. Heb. 11:1.  
Singing—is faith praising God. Ps. 106:12; Heb. 11:21.  
Shield—is faith protecting. Eph. 6:16; 1 Thes. 5:8.  
Righteousness—is faith living. Rom. 1:17.  
Salvation—is faith bearing fruit. 1 Pet. 1:9.  
Victory—is faith overcoming. 1 Jno. 5:3, 4.  
Eternal life—is faith realized on. Jno. 3:15, 16.  
Heaven—is faith inheriting. Mt. 25:34; Jas. 2:5.

**Examples:**

1. Abel by offering. Heb. 11:4.
2. Enoch by walking. Heb. 11:5, 6.
3. Noah by building. Heb. 11:7.
4. Abraham by trusting. Heb. 11:8, 9.
5. Moses by sacrificing. Heb. 11:24-26.
6. Joshua by conquering. Heb. 11:30.

7. Rahab by obeying. Heb. 11:31.
8. Paul by being of good cheer. Acts 27:23-26.
9. Stephen by preaching. Acts 6:5; Acts 7.
10. Philemon by discovering good. Phil. 4-7.
11. James by working. James 2:18.
- 1.2. Timothy by stirring up gift. 2 Tim. 1:5, 6.

## **GIRD AND SHINE**

**Text: Luke 12:35-38.**

### **With what gird ourselves ?**

1. Strength. Psalms 18:32; Prov: 31:17; 1 Sam. 2:4.
2. Truth. Eph. 6:14.
3. Hope. 1 Pet. 1:13.
4. Sobriety. 1 Pet. 1:13.
5. Humility. 1 Pet. 5:5.
6. Righteousness. Isa. 11:5.
7. Gladness. Psalms 30:11.
8. Faithfulness. Isa. 11:5.

### **Why gird ourselves ?**

1. To be men. Job 38:3; 40:7.
2. For protection. Eph. 6:14.
3. To imitate Christ. Isa. 11:5.
4. To be ready. Ex. 12:11; Luke 12:35, 36.
5. To prepare for battle. 2 Sam. 22:40.
6. To serve. Luke 12:37; 17:8; 1 Pet. 5:5.
7. Lest we stumble.. 1 Sam. 2:4.
8. For strength. Isa. 22:21.



### **How have we our lamps burning?**

1. By good works. Matt. 5:16.
2. By a single eye. Luke 11:33-36.
3. By supplying oil. Matt. 25 :8.
4. By trimming. Matt. 25:7.
5. By not covering them. Luke 11:33.
6. By not misplacing them. Luke 11 : 33.
7. By obedience. Phil. 3:14, 15.
8. By holding forth the word. Phil. 2:14-16.

## **GOD AND CHRIST WITH US**

**Text: John 14:23.**

### **Who are they with ?**

1. Hearers. Rev. 3:20.
2. Believers. Eph. 3:17.
3. Those who repent. Josh. 7:10-12.
4. Those who confess. 1 John 4:15; 2:23.
5. Those who come out. 2 Cor. 6:16-18.
6. The obedient. John 14:23.
7. Those who love. 1 John 4:12, 16.
8. Those who live in peace. 2 Cor. 13 : 11.
9. The pure. 2 Cor. 6:16-18.
10. Imitators of Paul. Phil. 4:9.
11. Teachers of the gospel. Matt. 28: 20.
12. God's people. 2 Cor. 6:16-18.
13. Those who gather in his name. Matt. 18:20.
14. Those who abide in his teaching. 2 John 9.

### **Why have them with us?**

1. To have life. 1 John 5:12.
2. To be safe. Acts 18:10; Psalms 16:8,9.
3. To help us. Isa. 41:10; Heb. 13:6.
4. To be fruitful. John 15:5.
5. To be delivered. Jer. 1:8, 19.
6. Lest we be reprobate. 2 Cor. 13 :5, 6.
7. To be brave. Josh. 1:9; Isa. 41:10.
8. For protection. Isa. 43 :2.
9. To be great. 2 Sam. 5:10.
10. To prosper. Gen. 39:3.
11. To be comforted. Psalms 23:4.
12. To be happy. Psalms 16:8, 9.

### **God -with:**

1. Enoch. Gen. 5:21, 24.
2. Jacob. Gen. 28:15.
3. Joseph. Gen. 39:2, 21.
4. Moses. Ex. 3:12; 4:12.
5. Joshua. Josh. 1:5.
6. Caleb. Josh. 14:12.
7. Gideon. Judges 6:12.
8. David. 2 Sam. 5 :10.
9. Paul. Acts 18:9, 10.
10. Jeremiah. Jer. 1:2, 19.

## **GRIEF**

**Text: 1 Pet. 2:19**

### **Who can be grieved?**

1. God. Gen. 6:6; Ps. 78:40; Judges 10:16.
2. Christ. Isa. 53:3, 10; Mark 3:5.
3. Holy Spirit. Isa. 63 :10; Eph. 4:30.
4. Elders. Heb. 13:17.

5. Man. Gen. 26:35; 1 Sam. 1:8; 1 Sam. 2:33.
6. Self. Gen. 45:5.
7. The inner man. 1 Sam. 2:33; Ps. 73:21; Dan. 7:15.

### **What can cause grief?**

1. Much wisdom. Eccl. 1:18.
2. Sin. Gen. 6:6; 1 Cor. 4:10; Heb. 3:17.
3. Rebellion. Ps. 78:40; Isa. 63:10.
4. Encouraging an enemy. Neh. 13:4-8.
5. Hardness. Mark 3 :5.
6. Bereavement. 1 Sam. 30:6.
7. The needy. Job. 30:25.
8. Foolishness. Prov. 17:25.
9. Trials. 1 Pet. 1:6.
10. Wrong example. Rom. 14:15.
11. Chastisement. Heb. 12:11.
12. Mistreatment of friends. 1 Sam. 20:34.
13. Repeated asking. John 21:17.
14. Lies. Ezek. 13:22.
15. Erring. Ps. 95:10; Heb. 3:10.
16. Distress of others. 1 Sam. 30:6; Esther 4:4.
17. Afflictions. Amos 6:6.
18. Disobedience. Ps. 119:158; Heb. 13:17.
19. False teachers. Acts 20:29.
20. Words. Prov. 15:1.

### **How avoid grief?**

1. By obeying. Heb. 13:17.
2. By keeping from evil. 1 Chron. 4:10.
3. By giving. Deut. 15:10.

# GOD'S GREAT SACRIFICE

Text: Rom. 8:32.

What prompted it?

1. Love. Jno. 3:16; Rom. 5:8.

Most unwilling to give son.

1. Jacob—Benjamin. Gen. 42:38.
2. David—Absalom 2 Sam. 18:5.
3. Abraham exception Isaac. Gen. 22:16.

**God** delivered Christ unto.

1. Poverty. 1 Cor. 8:9.
2. Shame. Heb. 12:2.
3. Suffering. Lk. 24:46.
4. Death. Phil. 2:8, 9.

God delivered Christ to.

1. Enemies. Lk. 18:32.
2. Wicked. Isa. 53:9.

God delivered Christ for.

1. Our transgressions. Rom. 4:25.
2. Our healing. Isa. 53 :5.
3. Remissions. Mt. 26:28.
4. For us all. Rom. 8:32.

What is the conclusion?

1. God gives liberally. Jas. 1:5.
2. God gives freely. Rom. 8:32.
3. God gives with Christ. Rom. 8:32.
4. God gives richly. 1 Tim. 6:17.
5. God gives all things. Rom. 8:32.
  - (a) The kingdom. Lk. 12:32.
  - (b) Temporal. Acts 17:25.
  - (c) Salvation. Eph. 2:8.
  - (d) Good and perfect things. Jas. 1:17.
  - (e) Eternal life. Jno. 5:11.
  - (f) Home in heaven. Rev. 2:7; Rev. 3 :2.

# GRACE AND TRUTH

Text: John 1:17.

## Christ.

1. Was full of them. J no. 1 :14.
2. Brought them to us. Jno. 1:17.
3. Bore witness to them. Acts 14:3.

## Grace and truth.

1. Were heard. Col. 1:6.
2. Were known. Col. 1:6; 2 Cor. 9:1, 8; Jno. 8:32.
3. Were revealed. Gal. 1:12; Tit. 2: 11.
4. Were received. Acts 2:41; 2 Cor. 6:1.
5. Can be fallen from. Gal. 5 :4; Heb. 6:4-6.
6. Are glorious. Eph. 1:6; 2 Cor. 4:4.
7. Are mediums of calling. Gal. 1:15; 2 Thes. 2:14.
8. Bring salvation. Eph. 2:8; 1 Cor. 15:1,2.
9. Teach. Acts 15:35; Tit. 2:12.
10. Are builders. Acts 20:32; 2 Tim. 2:1.
11. Are means of standing. Rom. 5:2; 1 Cor. 15:1.
12. Give hope. Rom. 15:4; 2 Thes. 2: 16.
13. Bring comfort. Rom. 15:4; 2 Thes. 2:16.
14. Contribute to growth. 2 Pet. 3:18.
15. Give life. Jno. 6:68; 1 Pet. 3:7.
16. Help singing. Col. 3:16.
17. Lead to faith. Acts 18:27; Rom. 10:17.

18. Are mediums of election. Rom. 11: 5; 2 Thes. 2:13.
19. Are means of inheriting. Acts 20: 32; Tit. 3:7.
20. Bear fruit. Col. 1:6.
21. Have come to all. Col. 1:6.
22. Made Paul a minister. Rom. 15:15, 16.

## **GOING TO HEAVEN**

### **How can we go ?**

1. By faith. Jas. 2:5.
2. By obedience. Rev. 22:14.
3. By loving the Lord. Jas. 2:5.
4. By Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
5. By doing our duty to others. Mt. 25:34-36.
6. By giving. Mt. 19:21.
7. By righteousness. 2 Pet. 3:13.
8. By peace. 2 Pet. 3:14.
9. By blamelessness. 2 Pet. 3:14.
10. By being converted. Mt. 18:3.
11. By humility. Mt. 18:4.
12. By making friends. Lk. 16:9.
13. By overcoming. Rev. 21:7.
14. By being in book of life. Rev. 21: 27.

### **Why do we want to go ?**

1. To be happy. Rev. 22:14.
2. To be with God and Christ. Rev. 21:22, 23.
3. To be at rest. Rev. 14:13.
4. To be free from.
  - (a) Hunger and thirst. Rev. 7:16.
  - (b) Pain. Rev. 7:16.

- (c) Tears. Rev. 7:16.
- (d) Death. Rev. 7:16.
- 5. To have a mansion. Jno. 14:1-4.
- 6. To have tree of life. Rev. 22:15.
- 7. To have water of life. Rev. 22:1-4.
- 8. To have light. Rev. 21:25.
- 9. To have glory. Rev. 21:24-26.
- 10. It is eternal. 2 Cor. 5:1.
- 11. Our treasure is there. Mt. 19:21.
- 12. Our hope is there. Col. 1:5.
- 13. **Our** reward is there. Mt. 5:12.

## **HOW HARD HAVE YOU TRIED?**

**Text: 2 Tim. 1:16, 17.**

### **How hard have you tried?**

- 1. To learn the truth. Prov. 3:3; 8:17.
- 2. To enter in. Luke 13 :24.
- 3. To stand. Eph. 6:13, 14.
- 4. To be prepared to give. Eph. 4:28.
- 5. To be at peace. Rom. 12:18.
- 6. To teach others. Acts 20:20; Rom. 1:15.
- 7. To save others. 1 Cor. 9:22.
- 8. To help others. 2 Tim. 1:16, 17.
- 9. To worship scripturally. John 4:23.
- 10. To overcome. 1 John 2:14.
- 11. To lay hold. Phil. 3:12-14.
- 12. To forgive. Matt. 18:35; Col. 3 :13.
- 13. To be content. Phil. 4:11, 12.
- 14. To love as you ought. 1 John 2:15.
- 15. To strive against sin. Heb. 12:4.
- 16. To do your duty. Eccl. 9:11; Luke 17:10.
- 17. To bridle your tongue. Jas. 3:1-10.

18. To control your temper. Eph. 4:26; Jas. 1:19. "
19. To avoid stumbling. 1 Cor. 10:32; 2 Pet. 1:10.
20. To be meek. Gal. 6:1; 2 Tim. 2:24, 25.
21. To please God. Prov. 6:7; 1 Thess. 2:14, 15.
22. To avoid meddling. 1 Pet. 4:15.
23. To keep good company. 1 Cor. 15:33.
24. To be fruitful. Prov. 20:6; Rev. 2:10.
25. To glorify God. 1 Cor. 10:31; 1 Pet. 4:11.

**Why try hard?**

1. To succeed. 2 Tim. 1:16, 17.
2. It is the opportune time. Luke 13:24, 25.

## **HUNGERING AFTER RIGHTEOUSNESS**

**Text: Matt. 5:6.**

**For what kind, hunger?**

1. Not self-righteousness. Luke 18:9.
2. Not human. Rom. 10:3.
3. Not patriarchal.
4. Not Jewish.
5. Not Pharisaic. Matt. 5:20; 23:28
6. God's righteousness. Rom. 1:16  
17; 10:3.

**Where is it revealed?**

1. In the gospel. Rom. 1:16, 17.

**Why hunger after it?**

1. To be filled. Matt. 5:6.



2. To be saved. 1 Pet. 4:18.
3. To be heard. Jas 5:16; 1 Pet. 3:12.
4. To be God's children. John 2:29; 3:10.
5. To be protected. 2 Cor. 6:7; Eph. 6:14.
6. To glorify God. Phil. 1:11.
7. To be blessed. Matt. 5:6.
8. To have eternal life. Matt. 25:46.
9. To go to heaven. 2 Pet. 3:13.
10. To walk in white. Rev. 19:8.

### **How are we filled ?**

1. By believing. Rom. 10:9.
2. By repenting. Luke 15:7; 2 Tim. 2:19.
3. By being baptized. Matt. 3:15.
4. By obedience. Rom. 6:16-18.
5. By knowing the Scriptures. 2 Tim. 3:16.
6. By doing right. 1 John 3:7.
7. By chastisement. Heb. 12:12.
8. By giving. 2 Cor. 9:9, 10.

## **HOW DO WE COMPARE?**

**Text: Rom. 3:9.**

### **How do we compare with:**

1. Honorable outsiders. Acts 28:7, 9.
2. Gentiles. Matt. 5:47; 1 Cor. 5:1.
3. Publicans. Matt. 5:46.
4. Sinners. Luke 6:32-34.
5. The carnal. 1 Cor. 3:1-3.
6. Scribes. Matt. 5:20.
7. Pharisees. Matt. 23:15.
8. Israelites. 1 Cor. 10:1-10.
9. Infidels. 1 Tim. 5:8.

10. Careless Christians, Heb. 10:25.
11. The widow. Mark 12:41-44.
12. Dorcas. Acts 9:36.
13. Early Christians. Acts 11:29; 2 Tim. 1:5; 4:7, 8.
14. The good Samaritan. Luke 10:33-35.
15. The Laodeceans. Rev. 3:14-18.

**How do we compare in:**

1. Love. Matt. 5:46; 1 John 3:10-12, 16-18.
2. Behavior. 1 Cor. 5:1; 2 Thess. 2:10.
3. Indifference. Rev. 3:14-18.
4. Saluting. Matt. 5:47.
5. Giving. Luke 6:34; 21:1-4; Acts 11:29.
6. Doing good. Luke 6:33; Acts 9:36, 39.
7. Worship. Matt. 15:6-9; 1 Cor. 10:14,20,21; 11:20.
8. Making friends. Luke 16:4-9.
9. Preparation. Matt. 25:1-13; 1 Thess. 5:1-8.
10. Sorrowing. Acts 16:23-25; 1 Thess. 4:13, 14.
11. Providing. 1 Tim. 5:8.
12. Receiving admonition. Eccl. 4:13; 1 Thess. 2:13.
13. Patience. Prov. 16:23; Eccl. 7:8; Heb. 10:36.
14. Murmuring. 1 Cor. 10:10; Phil. 2:14.
15. Faithfulness. Phil. 2:19-22; 2 Tim. 1:5; 4:7, 8.

## HANDS

Text: 1 Tim. 2:8.

What kinds are there ?

1. Joined. Ex. 23:1; Job 17:3; Prov. 6:1; 22:26.
2. Deserving. Judg. 7:16.
3. Idle. Eccl. 10:18.
4. That hang down. Heb. 12:12.
5. Busy. Eccl. 9:10.
6. Folded. Prov. 6:10; Eccl. 4:5.
7. Weak. Ezra. 4:4; Neh. 6:9; Jer. 6:24; Job 4:3.
8. Strong. 2 Sam. 3:7; Psalms 136:12; Zech. 8:9-13.
9. Extended. Prov. 1:24; 31:21.
10. Working. 1 Cor. 4:12; Eph. 4:28.
11. Beckoning. Acts 12:17; 13:16; 21:40.
12. Clean. Psalms 18:20; 24:14; Jas. 4:8.
13. Ministering. Acts 20:34.
14. Washed. Psalms 73:13; 26:6; Matt. 27:24.
15. Offending. Mark 9:43.
16. Holy. 1 Tim. 2:8.
17. Defiled. Isa. 59:3; 1:15.
18. Leading. Acts 22:11; Heb. 8:9.
19. Shut. Deut. 15:7.
20. Empty. Eccl. 5:14.
21. Wicked. Acts 2:23.
22. Slack. Prov. 10:4.
23. Bound. Matt. 22:13; John 11:44; Jer. 40:4.
24. Open. Deut. 15:8, 11.
25. Helping. Prov. 31:20.

26. Happy. 2 Kings 11:12; Psalms 47:1; Ezek. 25:6.

**What should we do with them?**

1. Cleanse. Jas. 4:8.
2. Keep from evil. Job 11:14; Isa. 56:2.
3. Lift up. Heb. 12:12; 1 Tim. 2:8.
4. Open them. Deut. 15:7, 8.
5. Use them. Eph. 4:28; 1 Thess. 4:11.
6. Let God hold them. Isa. 42:6; 41:3.

**HARD TIMES**

**Text: 2 Tim. 3:1-5.**

**What causes hard times?**

1. Sin. Prov. 13:15; 14:34.
2. Loving self. 2 Tim. 3:2.
3. Loving money. 2 Tim. 3 :2.
4. Boasting. 2 Tim. 3 :2.
5. Haughtiness. 2 Tim. 3:2.
6. Railing. 2 Tim. 3:2.
7. Disobedience. 2 Tim. 3:2.
8. Ungratefulness. 2 Tim. 3 :2.
9. Unholiness. 2 Tim. 3:2.
10. Lack of natural affection. 2 Tim. 3:3.
11. Implacableness. 2 Tim. 3 :3.
12. Slander. 2 Tim. 3 :3.
13. Lack of self-control. 2 Tim. 3:3.
14. Fierceness. 2 Tim. 3 :3.
15. Not loving good. 2 Tim. 3 :3.
16. Traitors. 2 Tim. 3:4.
17. Headstrongness. 2 Tim. 3:4.
18. Being puffed up. 2 Tim. 3:4.
19. Loving pleasure. 2 Tim. 3 :4.

20. Formality. 2 Tim. 3:5.
21. Not knowing the truth. 2 Tim. 3:7; 2 Tim. 3:5.

### **How avoid hard times?**

1. By faith. Heb. 11:33, 34.
2. By obedience. Eph. 6:1-3.
3. By being converted. Acts 3:19.
4. By righteousness. Prov. 14:34.
5. By kindness and truth. Prov. 3:3, 4.
6. By loving God. Rom. 8:28.
7. By being honest with God. Prov. 3:9, 10; Mal. 3:8-10.

## **HAVE YOU TRIED THEM?**

**Text: John 4:1-6.**

### **Tried what?**

1. Doctrine, is it:
  - (a) From Satan, 1 Tim. 4:1.
  - (b) From men. Matt. 15:9.
  - (c) From God. Titus 2:10.
2. Faith, is it:
  - (a) Vain. 1 Cor. 15:14, 17.
  - (b) Dead. Jas. 2:17,26.
  - (c) True. 1 Tim. 1:5; 2 Tim. 1:5.
  - (d) The faith. 2 Tim. 4:7; Jude 3.
3. Conversion, is it:
  - (a) Of the heart. Acts 8:21; 15:9.
  - (b) Of practice. Eph. 4:28.
  - (c) Of the state. Gal. 3:27.
  - (d) From error. Jas. 5:20.
4. Worship, is it:
  - (a) Vain. Matt. 15:9.
  - (b) Formal. 2 Tim. 3 :S.
  - (c) Will-worship. Col. 2:23.
  - (d) True. John 4:23.

5. The church, is it right:
  - (a) In name. Matt. 16:18; Rom. 16:16.
  - (b) In doctrine. Acts 8:1, 4.
  - (c) In practice. Acts 2:42.
  - (d) In worship. John 4:23, 24.
6. Life, is it:
  - (a) Evil. Eccl. 7:15.
  - (b) Indifferent. Rev. 3:15, 16.
  - (c) Good. Jas. 3:13.
  - (d) Righteous. Titus 2:12.
7. Faithfulness, is it:
  - (a) In sight of self. 1 Cor. 4:4.
  - (b) In sight of men. Acts 16:15.
  - (c) In sight of God. Heb. 3 :2-5.

## **HOW AND WHAT ARE YOU COUNTING?**

**Text: Jas. 1:2-3.**

### **How are you counting?**

1. Wrong. 2 Pet. 3:9.
2. Right. Phil. 3:8, 13.

### **How and what are we to count?**

1. Not our lives as dear. Acts 20:2.
2. Not to have laid hold. Phil. 3:13.
3. Not pleasure to revel. 2 Pet. 2:13.
4. Not to be an enemy. 2 Thess. 3:15.
5. Not to be unclean. Rom. 14:14.
6. Not as from ourselves. 2 Cor. 3 :S.
7. God's thoughts. Psalms 139:18.
8. The cost. Luke 14:28.
9. As a partner. Phil. 17.
10. As loss. Phil. 3:8.
11. Others faithful. 1 Tim. 1:12; 1 Pet. 5:12.

12. Worthy. Acts **5:41**; 1 Tim. 5:7; 6:1.

13. Joy to be tried. Jas. 1:2.

14. Others better. Phil. 2:3.

15. It necessary. Phil. 2:25.

16. To be bold. 2 Cor. 10:2; 12:6.

17. To be wise. Prov. 17:28.

18. Reproach of Christ greater. Heb. 11:26.

19. God to be faithful. Heb. 11:11.

#### **How can we do this ?**

1. By lowliness. Phil. 2:3.

2. By pressing on. Phil. 3:13, 14.

3. By looking to the reward. Heb. 11:26.

4. By being unselfish. Phil. 2:3.

#### **Why count this?**

1. To gain Christ. Phil. 3:8.

2. Lest we sin wilfully. Heb 10:26-29.

3. Lest we fail. Luke 14:28; Acts 20:24.

4. It works patience. Jas. 1:2, 3.

5. For so it will be. Rom. 14:14.

## **HOW, WHEN AND WHY WORK?**

**Text: Eph. 6:5-8.**

#### **How work.**

1. By faith. John 6:29; Gal. 5:6.

2. In Christ's name. John 10:25; Col. 3:17.

3. To God's glory. 1 Cor. 10:3.

4. In singleness of heart. Eph. 16:5.

5. According to ability. Matt. 25:15.

6. Faithfully. 3 John 5.
7. Together. 2 Cor. 6:1; Phil. 4:3.
8. In the fear of God. Col. 3:22.
9. Willingly. 1 Cor. 9:17; Phil. 4:3.
10. Heartily. Col. 3:23.
11. Loyal. Phil. 2:30.
12. With good will. Eph. 6:7.

### **When must we work?**

1. Today. John 9:4.
2. Always. 1 Cor. 15:58.
3. Unto the end. Rev. 2:26-28.

### **Why work?**

1. It is profitable. Matt. 16:26, 27.
2. It is not in vain. 1 Cor. 15 :58.
3. It is honorable. 1 Cor. 16:10; Phil. 2:29 30
4. To glorify God. John 17:4.
5. It is our meat. John 4:34.
6. To be victorious. 1 Cor. 15:57, 58.
7. To be saved. Phil. 2:12, 13.
8. To please God. Phil. 2:13.
9. Not to be seen. Col. 3:22.
10. To be Christ's servants. Eph. 6:6.

## **HOLDING OUT ON THE LORD**

**Text: Acts 5:1-4.**

### **In what way can we hold out?**

1. Faith. Acts 8:35-37.
2. Repentance. 2 Cor. 7:10.
3. Love. Matt. 22:37.
4. Baptism. Acts 19:1-5.
5. Giving. Mal. 3:8-10; Acts 5:1-5.
6. Talents. Matt. 25 :24-28.
7. Time. Heb. 5:12.



8. Worship. Matt. 15:8, 9.
9. Preparation. Eph. 6:11, 13.
10. Work. Eccl. 9:10.
11. Following. Num. 32:11, 12.
12. Interest. Phil. 2:20, 21.
13. Forgiveness. Matt. 18:35.
14. Obedience. Jas. 2:10.
15. Influence. Luke 11:33-36.
16. Teaching. 1 Tim. 4:13-15.
17. Faithfulness. Heb. 3:2-5.

### **Examples:**

1. Foolish virgins. Matt. 25:1-13.
2. Moses. Num. 20:7-13.
3. Ephesians. Acts 19:15; Matt. 19:21, 22.
4. Rich young man. Matt. 19:21, 22.
5. Pharisees. Matt. 15:8, 9.
6. Ministers. Phil. 2:20, 21.
7. Israelites. Num. 32:11.
8. Martha. Luke 10:40-42.

### **Why do people hold out?**

1. Selfishness. Phil. 2:20, 21.
2. Fear. Matt. 25:25-30.
3. Unbelief. 1 Tim. 1:13.
4. Ignorance. 1 Tim. 1:13.
5. Love of other things. Matt. 10:37.
6. Misconception.

### **Why not hold out?**

1. Lest we be destroyed. Acts 5:1-5.
2. To progress. 1 Tim. 4:15.
3. Lest we regret.
4. To inherit. Deut. 1:36; Num. 32:12; Josh. 14:19; 2 Cor. 7:10.
5. Lest we be cast out. Matt. 25:24-30.

## **HOLD ON THERE**

**Text: Isa. 33:12-16.**

1. Hold on to your hand, when you are about to do an unkind act.
2. Hold on to your tongue when you are about to speak harshly.
3. Hold on to your heart, when evil persons invite you to join their ranks.
4. Hold on to your virtue. It is above all price to you in all places and times.
5. Hold on to your foot, when you are at the point of forsaking the path of right.
6. Hold on to the truth, for it will serve you well and do you good throughout eternity.
7. Hold on to your temper when you are excited or angry, or others are angry with you.
8. Hold on to your character, for it is and ever will be your best wealth.
9. Not to a bribe. Isa. 33:15.
10. Instruction. Prov. 4:13.
11. God. Isa. 64:7.
12. Not other gods. 1 Kings 9:9.
13. Hope. Heb. 6:18. (Anchor)
14. Eternal Life. 1 Tim. 6:12, 19.
15. Wisdom. Prov. 3:18.
16. The Head-Christ. Col. 2:19.
17. Not false doctrines. Rev. 2:14, 15.
18. Faith and good conscience. 1 Tim. 1:19.
19. Important things. Phil. 3 :12.

## **Why hold on?**

1. Lest we fail. Isa. 64:6, 7.
2. Lest evil come upon us. 1 Kings 9:9.
3. Lest we be puffed up. Col. 2:18.
4. Lest we shipwreck. 1 Tim. 1:19, 20.
5. Lest it be held against us. Rev. 2:14.
6. To be happy. Pro v. 3:18.
7. To have the tree of life. Prov. 3:18; 4:13.
8. To be righteous. Isa. 33:15.
9. To dwell on high. Isa. 33:15.
10. We are called to it. 1 Tim. 6:12.
11. That we may be anchored. Heb. 6:18, 19.
12. To succeed. Phil. 3:12-14.

## **HOW WILL YOU DIE?**

**Text: Num. 23:10.**

### **How can we die?**

1. Unwanted. 2 Chr. 21:20.
2. As a fool. 2 Sam. 3:33.
3. In sin. John 8:21.
4. Without wisdom. Job 4:21.
5. Not unto self. Rom. 14:7.
6. The common death. Num. 16:27.
7. In youth. Job 36:14.
8. Empty handed. Ps. 46:17.
9. As you have lived. Lk. 16:19-31.
10. In faith. Heb. 11:13.
11. As a righteous man. Num. 23:10.
12. In the Lord. 1 Thess. 4:14; Rev. 14:13.
13. In peace. Jer. 34:5.

14. Unto the Lord. Rom. 14:8.
15. With hope. Job 8:13; 1 Cor. 15:19.
16. Without fear. Ps. 23:4.
17. As a success. 2 Tim. 4:6-8.
18. As a saint. Ps. 116:15.

#### **Why do people die so?**

1. Because of the way they live. Lk. 16:19-31.
2. Because of carelessness. 2 Sam. 3:27, 33.
3. Because of unbelief. John 8:24.
4. Because they laid not hold. Prov. 4:7.
5. Because God so ordained. 1 Tim. 6:7.
6. Because they put on Christ. Gal. 3:27.

#### **Why desire to die right?**

1. It is precious. Ps. 116:15.
2. To be blessed. Rev. 14:13.
3. To come to right end. Num. 23 :10; Ps. 37:37.
4. That the Lord may be with us. Ps. 23 :4.
5. Great things are prepared for us. Heb. 11:13-16.
6. It pays. Phil. 1:21, 23.

## **HOW MUCH DO YOU CARE?**

**Text: Phil. 2:20, 21.**

#### **How much do you care for?**

1. The Lord. 1 Cor. 7:33; Phil. 2:21.
2. The church. 2 Cor. 11:28; 8:16; 1 Tim. 3:5; Jer. 30:17.
3. Souls. Ps. 142:4.

4. The poor. Jno. 12:6.
5. Those in distress. Lk. 10:34.
6. Other members. 1 Cor. 12:25.
7. Honest occupations. Titus 3:8.
8. For the person of men. Mt. 22:16.
9. Teachers. 2 Kings 4:13.
10. The states. Phil. 2:20.
11. Your ways. Prov. 19:16.
12. Sheep. Jno. 10:13.

**Examples** of those who cared.

1. Paul. 2 Cor. 11:28.
2. Timothy. Phil. 2:20.
3. Good Samaritan. Lk. 10:34.
4. Mary. Mark 14:3-9.
5. Dorcas. Acts 9:36-41.
6. Titus. 2 Cor. 8:16.
7. David. 2 Sam. 18:5.

**Why care?**

1. To imitate God. 1 Pet. 5:7.
2. To follow Christ. Mk. 4:38; Lk. 10:40.
3. Lest we be selfish. Phil. 2:20, 21.
4. It is good. Tit. 3:8.
5. It is profitable. Tit. 3:8.
6. To be a neighbor. Lk. 10:36, 37.
7. To honor God. Prov. 14:31.
8. To be happy. Prov. 14:21.
9. To be holy. 1 Cor. 7:34.
10. Lest we die. Prov. 19:16.

## **HOW BIG ARE YOU?**

**Text: 1 Cor. 16:13.**

**Are you big enough to:**

1. Receive instruction? Prov. 9:9.
2. Be corrected ? Prov. 9:8.

3. Be criticized? Gal. 2:11.
4. Be full-grown? Heb. 5:14.
5. Forgive? Mt. 18:35.
6. Be liberal? Acts 4:34-37.
- 7. Stand? 1 Cor. 14:20; Eph. 4:14, 15.

### **What makes one big?**

1. Realizing one's littleness. Eph. 3:8.
2. Proper food, environment, exercise. Heb. 5:12-14; 1 Tim. 4:7, 8.
3. A big heart.
  - (a) Full of knowledge. Col. 1:9.
  - (b) Full of love. Rom. 5:5.
  - (c) Full of sympathy. Col. 3:12.
  - (d) Full of faith. Acts 6:5.
  - (e) Full of humility. 1 Pet. 5 :5.
  - (f) Full of patience. 2 Cor. 6:4.

### **What keeps one from being big?**

1. Ignorance. Rom. 10:3; Heb. 5 :2.
2. Selfishness. Phil. 2:21.
3. Pride. Eccl. 7:8; Jas. 4:6.
4. Loving the spectacular. Mt. 6:1-4.
5. Sensitiveness. Tit. 1:7.
6. Stubbornness. 2 Tim. 3 :4; Tit. 1:7.
7. Carnality. 1 Cor. 3:1-3.

### **Why be big?**

1. To be strong. 1 Cor. 16:13; 1 Jno. 2:14.
2. To accomplish things. Jno. 17:4.
3. To be able to defend. Eph. 6:10-13.
4. To judge. 1 Cor. 6:3-6.
5. To make peace. Mt. 5 :9.
6. To be a blessing. Rom. 15:29.
7. To glorify God. Jno. 17:4; 1 Cor. 10:31.

## **IT DEPENDS UPON FIVE Ps**

### **I know:**

1. God. Psalms 46:10; John 17:3.
2. Christ. John 14:9; John 17:3.
3. The truth. John 8:32.
4. To do good. Jas. 4:17.

### **I believe:**

1. God is. Heb. 11:6.
2. Christ is divine. John 8:24.
3. Facts of the gospel. Acts 15:7.
4. Not a lie. 2Thess. 2:11.
5. In wisdom of men. 1 Cor. 2:5.

### **I can:**

- 1.. Choose: Deut. 30:15.
  - (a) Good. Deut. 30:15.
  - (b) Evil. Deut. 30:5.
  - (c) Death. Deut. 30:5.
  - (d) Life. Deut. 30:15, 19.
2. Do all things. Phil. 4:13.
3. Glorify God. Rom. 1:21; 1 Cor. 10:31; 1 Pet. 4:16.

### **I desire:**

1. Things of the world. Eccl. 2:10.
2. To make a show. Luke 20:46; Gal. 6:12.
3. Salvation. Rom. 10:1.
4. The word. Acts 13:7; 1 Pet. 2:2.
5. To do right. Prov. 11:23; Heb. 13:18.
6. Heaven. Heb. 11:18.

### **I will:**

1. Have my way. Prov. 1:24, 25, 29, 30.

2. Put it off. Acts 24:25.
3. Come to Christ. John 5:40; Rev. 22:17.
4. Do God's will. John 7:17; Phil. 2:12, 13.
5. Serve the Lord. Josh. 25:15.
6. Be faithful. 2 Tim. 3:12.

## **IS IT BECOMING?**

**Text: 1 Tim. 2:10.**

### **To what?**

1. Righteousness. Matt. 3:15.
2. Godliness. 1 Tim. 2:10.
3. The day. Rom. 13:13.
4. Sound doctrine. Titus 2:1.
5. Saints. Eph. 5 :3; Rom. 16:2.
6. Holiness. Titus 2:3.
7. God's house. Psalms 93 :5; 1 Tim. 3:15.
8. The gospel. Phil. 1:27.

### **What is becoming?**

1. Not reveling. Rom. 13:13.
2. Not drunkenness. Rom. 13 :13.
3. Not strife. Rom. 13:13.
4. Not jealousy. Rom. 13:13.
5. Not fornication. Eph. 5 :3.
6. Not covetousness. Eph. 5:3.
7. Not filthiness. Eph. 5:4.
8. Not foolish talking. Eph. 5 :4.
9. Baptism. Matt. 3:15.
10. Putting on Christ. Rom. 13:13, 14.
11. No provision for the flesh. Rom. 13:13, 14.
12. Thanksgiving. Eph. 5 :3, 4.
13. Love. 1 Thess. 4:9-12.



14. Stud); 1 Thess. 4:9-12.
15. Minding our own business. 1 Thess. 4:9-12.
16. Working with our hands. 1 Thess. 4:9-12.
17. Good works. 1 Tim. 2:10.
18. Teaching good things. Titus 2:3.

**Before whom be becoming?**

1. Gentiles. 1 Pet. 2:12.
2. Those without. 1 Thess. 4:12.
3. God. 1 Tim. 2:10; 1 Pet. 3:3, 4.
4. Christians. 2 Thess. 3:7; Titus 2:1-3.

**IS IT WORTH IT?**

**Text: 1 Tim. 4:8.**

1. Is God worth knowing. John 17:3.
2. Is Christ worth serving. Col. 3:24.
3. Is the Bible worth believing. Rom. 10:17.
4. Is the church worth being a member of. Acts 2:47; Eph. 5:20; 20:28.
5. Is the gospel worth preaching. Gal. 1:8, 9.
6. Is the faith worth contending for. Jude 3; Jas. 2:14.
- 7'. Is the soul worth saving. Jas. 5:20.
8. Is the world worth losing the soul for. Matt. 16:26.
9. Is sin worth committing. Rom. 6:20-23.
10. Is righteousness worth suffering for. Matt. 5:10.
11. Is hope worth clinging to. Heb. 6:19.

12. Is love worth sacrificing for. John 3:16.
13. Is the fight worth winning. 2 Tim. 4:7,8.
14. Is religion worth enjoying. J as. 1: 27.
15. Is your life worth imitating. 1 Cor. 11:1.
16. Is the name worth honoring. Jas. 2:7.
17. Is fruit worth waiting for. Jas. 5:7.
18. Is peace worth pursuing. 1 Pet. 3: 11.
19. Is eternal life worth laying hold on. 1 Tim. 6:12.
20. Is heaven worth denying and living for. Titus 2:11; 13; 2 Pet. 3:11-13.
21. Is Christianity worth embracing. 1 Pet. 4:16.
22. Is fellowship worth maintaining. 1 John 1:7.
23. Is unity worth keeping. Eph. 4:3.
24. Is godliness worth investing in. 1 Tim. 4:8.
25. Is glory worth seeking for. Rom. 2: 7.

## I AM

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:10.**

### **I am:**

1. Not what I claim. Rev. 3:17.
2. Instructed. Phil. 4:12.
3. Content. Phil. 4:11.
4. Persuaded. 2 Tim. 1:12; Rom. 14: 14; 8:38.
5. Ready. 2 Tim. 4:6; 2 Cor. 12:14; Rom. 1:15.

6. For the defence of the gospel. Phil. 1:17.
7. Afraid of you. Gal. 4:11.
8. Crucified with Christ. Gal. 2:20.
9. Weak. 2 Cor. 12:10.
10. Jealous. 2 Cor. 11:2.
11. Happy. 1 Cor. 16:17; 2 Cor. 7:4.
12. Least. Jud. 6:15; 1 Cor. 15:9.
13. Sure. Rom. 15:29.
14. Not ashamed. Rom. 1:16.
15. A debtor. Rom. 1:14.
16. An example. Acts 26:29.
17. Pure. Acts 20:26.
18. Not worthy. Luke 7:6.
19. Resolved. Luke 16:4.
20. Sinful. Luke 5:8; Prov. 20:9.
21. Holier than thou. Isa. 65:5.
22. Innocent. Jer. 2:35.
23. A sojourner. Psalms 119:19; Josh. 23:14.
24. The Lord's servant. Psalms 116:16.
25. Poor and needy. Psalms 40:17; 109:22.
26. Wonderfully made. Psalms 139:14.
27. Going to God's house. Judges 19:18.
28. Responsible. Rom. 14:12.

## **IT IS THEN**

**Text: Matt. 25:31**

### **It is then:**

1. We shall know fully. 1 Cor.. 13:12.
2. Sudden destruction. 1 Thess. 5:3.
3. We are freed from sin. Rom. 6:17, 18.
4. We become Abraham's seed. Gal. 3:29.

5. We are heirs. Rom. 8:17; Gal. 4:7.
6. We are not ashamed. Psalms 119:6; 1 John 2:21.
7. We have confidence. 1 John 3:21.
8. We have glorying. Gal. 6:4.
9. Too late. Luke 13:24, 25.
10. Time to offer gift. Matt. 5 :24.
11. We are true disciples. John 8:31.
12. Comes shame. Prov. 11:2.
13. The wicked one will be revealed. 2 Thess. 2:8.
14. We can see clearly. Matt. 7:5.
15. We have glory. Luke 14:10.
16. Time to cut it down. Luke 13:9.
17. We wait for it. Rom. 8:25.
18. Christ died for nought. Gal. 2:21.
19. It vanishes away. Jas. 4:14.
20. Our preaching vain. 1 Cor. 15:14.
21. When Christ comes, Then:
  - (a) The end. 1 Cor. 15:24.
  - (b) Resurrection. 1 Thess. 4:16.
  - (c) Judgment. Matt. 25 :31; 1 Cor. 4:5.
  - (d) We shall appear with Him. Col. 3:4.
  - (e) We shall meet Him. 1 Thess. 4:17.
  - (f) We shall not be ashamed. 1 John 2:28.
  - (g) We shall not be afraid. 1 John 2 :28.
  - (h) We shall be rewarded. Matt. 26:27.
  - (i) We have praise. 1 Cor. 4:5.

# IN THE DAYS OF HOSEA

Text: Hosea 14:9.

## Israel lacked:

1. Truth. Hosea 4:1.
2. Goodness. Hosea 4:1.
3. Knowledge. Hosea 4:1, 6.
4. Consideration. Hosea 7:2.
5. Wisdom. Hosea 13:13.
6. Stability. Hosea 7:17.

## They were guilty of:

1. Rebellion. Hosea 7:14.
2. Swearing. Hosea 4:2.
3. Breaking faith. Hosea 4:2.
4. Killing. Hosea 4:2.
5. Stealing. Hosea 4:2.
6. Adultery. Hosea 4:2.
7. Forgetting God's law. Hosea 4:6;  
6:7.
8. Drunkenness. Hosea 4:11.
9. Sowing to the wind. Hosea 8:7.
10. Trusting men. Hosea 5:11; 10:13.
11. Abomination. Hosea 9:10.
12. Backsliding. Hosea 11:7.
13. Idolatry. Hosea 13:2, 3.
14. Opposing God. Hosea 13 :9.

## What were the results ?

1. They had fallen. Hosea 14:1.
2. No fruit. Hosea 9:16.
3. They were rejected. Hosea 4:6; 5;  
6.
4. Destruction. Hosea 4:6.

## What was the remedy?

1. Knowledge. Hosea 6:6; 14:9.
2. Forsaking and refusing sin. Hosea  
5:15; 14:3, 8.

3. Seeking God. Hosea 5:15; 10:2.
4. Returning. Hosea 6:1; 14:1, 2.
5. Goodness. Hosea. 6:6.

**What will be the results?**

1. We will be healed. Hosea 4:4.
2. God will love. Hosea 14:4.
3. God will bless. Hosea 10:12.

## **INIQUITIES**

**Text: Isa. 59:12, 13.**

**What is it?**

1. Transgression. Isa. 59:12, 13.
2. Denying God. Isa. 59:12, 13.
3. Turning from God. Isa. 59:12, 13.
4. Oppression and revolt. Isa. 59:12, 13.
5. Falsehood. Isa. 59:12, 13.

**How can it be committed?**

1. In thought. Isa. 59:7.
2. By word. Job 15:5; Psalms 36:3.
3. By deed. Matt. 7:23.

**What did Christ do with it?**

1. Hated it. Heb. 1:9.
2. Bear them. Isa. 53:6, 11.
3. Was bruised for it. Isa. 53:5.
4. Redeems from them. Titus 2:14.
5. Turns away from it. Acts 3:26.

**How is it atoned for?**

1. By mercy. Psalms 78:38; Prov. 16:6.
2. By truth. Prov. 16:6.
3. By Christ's death. Titus 2:14.
4. By Christ's resurrection. Acts 3:26.

5. By confession. Psalms 32:5.
6. By repentance. Acts 8:22, 23.
7. By prayer. Acts 8:22, 23.

### **Why atone for it ?**

1. It separates from God. Isa. 59:2.
2. It withholds from God. Jer. 5:25.
3. It wearies God. Isa. 43 :24.
4. It consumes. Isa. 64:7.
5. It brings death. Ezek. 18:20.
6. It affects only the committee. Ezek. 18:20.
7. It closes God's ears. Psalms 66:18.
8. It brings punishment. Isa. **13:11**.
9. It brings woes. Micah 2:1.
10. It banishes. Matt. 7:23.

## **I CAN'T**

**Text: Luke 14:20.**

### **The reason for, I can't:**

1. Ignorance. Acts 8:31.
2. Weakness. Luke 16:3.
3. Shame. Luke 16:3.
4. Fear. Num. 13:31; Matt. 25:25.
5. Greater love or interests. Luke 14:  
**16-20.**
6. Unbelief. Heb. 3:19.
7. Too late. Matt. 25 :10-13; Luke 13 :  
24, 25; John 9:4.
8. Sleepiness. Mark 14:37.

### **Things I can't do:**

1. **Get** away from God. Psalms 139:7-12.
2. Overthrow God. Acts 5 :39.
3. Succeed without Christ. John 15 :5;  
Phil. 4:13.

4. Enter the kingdom without new birth. John 3 :5.
5. Please God without faith. Heb. 11: 6.
6. Please God in the flesh. Rom. 8:8.
7. Hide my sins. 1 Tim. 5 :25; Heb-4:12-15.
8. Serve God and mammon. Luke 6: 13.
9. Serve two masters. 1 Cor. 10:21.
10. Be a disciple without sacrifice. Luke 4:26-33.
11. Die in sin, and go to heaven. John 8:21.
12. Change after death. Luke 16:26.
13. Get away from self.

**You can, but won't:**

1. Come to Christ. John 5 :40.
2. Believe. Luke 16:31; John 4:48; 20:11.
3. Obey. Acts 7:39; Jer. 6:17.
4. Be gathered. Matt. 23:37.
5. Go in. Luke 15:28; Deut. 1:21, 23.
6. Work. 2 Thess. 3:10.
7. Walk in the way. Jer. 6:16.

## **IT SHALL BE OPENED**

**Text: Matt. 7:7, 8.**

**What shall be opened ?**

1. Eyes. Acts 26:18.
2. Heart. Acts 16:14.
3. Hand. Deut. 15:11.
4. Mouth, with wisdom. Prov. 31:26.
5. Mind. Luke 24:45.
6. Door. Rev. 3:20.
7. Treasures. Matt. 2:11.



### **What shall the Lord open ?**

1. His eyes. Job 14:3.
2. His ears. 1 Pet. 3 :8.
3. His hand. Psalms 104:28; 145:16.
4. Door of his house. 2 Chron. 29:3.
5. His treasure. Deut. 28:12.
6. Fountain. Zech. 13:1.
7. The scriptures. Luke 24:32.
8. Gates of righteousness. Psalms 118:19.
9. The books. Rev. 20:12.
10. Door:
  - (a) Of faith. Acts 14:27.
  - (b) Opportunity. 2 Cor. 2:12; Rev. 3:8.
  - (c) In the Lord. 2 Cor. 2:12.
  - (d) For the word. Col. 4:3.

### **How are these opened ?**

1. By God's power.
2. By teaching. Acts 16:14, IS; 26:18.
3. By choice. Rev. 3 :20.
4. By knocking. Matt. 7:7.
5. By Christ's sacrifice. Zech. 13:1.
6. By love. Deut. 15:11; Matt. 2:11; John 3:17.
7. By honesty. Mal. 3:10.
8. By acting now. Luke 13 :24, 25.

## **IT IS GOD'S WILL**

**Text: 1 Tim. 2:4, 5.**

### **What is God's will?**

1. That all be saved. 1 Tim. 2:4.
2. That all know the truth. 1 Tim. 2:4.

### **How do we know it is God's will ?**

1. He says so. 1 Tim. 2:4.

2. It is not his will that man be lost.  
Matt. 18:14; 2 Pet. 3:9.
3. His love declares it. John 3 :16.
4. He sent his son to save. John 3:17.
5. The gospel is his power to save.  
Rom. 1:16.
6. His grace brought salvation. Titus.  
2:11.
7. He did not prepare hell for us.  
Matt. 25:41.
8. He prepared heaven for us. Matt.  
25 :34.

### **Why then are not all saved ?**

We frustrate God's will by:

1. Not hearing and learning. Acts 20:  
27; 2 Tim. 3 :7.
2. Not believing. Luke 18:12; Acts  
13:41.
3. Not repenting. Acts 17:30; Rev. 2:  
21.
4. Not confessing Christ. John 12:42.
5. Not being baptized. Luke 7:30.
6. Not denying ungodliness. Titus  
2:12; Tit. 2:11-13.
7. Not living soberly, righteously and  
godly.
8. Not loving the truth. 2 Thess. 2:10-  
12.
9. Not obeying. Heb. 5:9; 1 Pet. 4:18.
10. Not being righteous. 1 Pet. 4:18.
11. Not holding fast. 1 Cor. 15:1-3.
12. Not working. Phil. 2:12-15.
13. Not drawing near. Heb. 7:25.
14. Not enduring. Matt. 24:13.
15. Not waiting for him. Heb. 9:27, 28.

## I HAVE SINNED

1. Pharaoh. Ex. 10:16.
2. Aaron. Num. 12:11.
3. Balaam. Num. 22:34.
4. Spies. Deut. 1:41.
5. Achan. Josh. 7:20.
6. Israel. Judg. 10:10, 15.
7. Saul. 1 Sam. 15:24, 30.
8. David. 2 Sam. 12:13; 19:20; 2 Chron. 21:8, 17.
9. Nehemiah. Neh. 1:6, 7.
10. Micah. Micah 7:9.
11. The prodigal. Luke 15:18.
12. Judas Iscariot. Matt. 27:4.

### The results of these confessions.

1. Heart hardened. Ex. 10:16, 20.
2. Try escape and results. Num. 12:11:13.
3. Charged to speak only God's word. Num. 22:34-41.
4. Lost God's support. Deut. 1:41, 42.
5. Trouble. Josh. 7:20-25.
6. Foreign gods put away. Judg. 10:10-16.
7. Rejected. 1 Sam. 15:24-26.
8. Sin put away. 2 Sam. 12:13-15.
9. Mercy and pardon. Neh. 1:6-11.
10. Cause pleaded. Micah 7:9.
11. Forgiveness and rejoicing. Luke 15:21-24.
12. Remorse and self-destruction. Matt. 24:4, 5.

## IT IS NOT GOOD

Text: Mark 14:21.

### What is not good?

1. For man to be alone. Gen. 2:18.
2. For man to bear all the burdens.  
Ex. 18:17.
3. To fail to watch. 1 Sam. 26:16.
4. All counsel. 2 Sam. 17 :7.
5. To take advantage. Neh. 5 :9.
6. To punish the righteous. Prov. 17:  
26.
7. To respect persons. Prov. 18:5;  
24:23.
8. To refuse righteous judgment.  
Prov. 18:5.
9. To sacrifice in wrong place. Ex. 8:  
26.
10. To dishonor the king. Ezra. 4:14.
11. To be without knowledge. Prov.  
19:2.
12. A false balance. Prov. 20:23.
13. Too much sweet. Prov. 25:27.
14. To transgress for gain. Prov. 28:  
21.
15. To follow our thoughts. Isa. 55:2,  
8, 9.
16. Neither poverty or riches. Prov.  
30:7-9.
17. Pleasure. Eccl. 2:3-11.
18. Popularity. Eccl. 2:3-11.
19. Excess. Eccl. 7:6-18.
20. To cover sins. Prov. 28:13.
21. To forsake God's word. Acts 6:2.
22. To cause stumbling. Mark 9:42;  
Rom. 14:21.
23. To misappropriate. Matt. 15:26.

24. To assemble certain ways. 1 Cor. 11:17-21.
25. Fornication. Eph. 5 :3, 4.
26. Filthiness. Eph. 5:3, 4.
27. Covetousness. Eph. 5:3, 4.
28. Foolish talking. Eph. 5:3, 4.
29. To betray Christ. Mark 14:21.
30. To refuse God. Rom. 1:28.

## **I WILL: OF GOD AND CHRIST**

**Text: Heb. 13:5.**

### **What are they?**

1. Not cast out. John 6:37.
2. Not forsake. Heb. 13:5.
3. Not fail. Heb. 13:5.
4. Not suffer you to be over-tempted. 1 Cor. 10:13.
5. Be merciful. Heb. 8:12.
6. Remember no more. Heb. 10:17.
7. Be their God. 2 Cor. 6:18; Heb. 8:10.
8. Receive. 2 Cor. 6:17.
9. Dwell in them. 2 Cor. 6:16.
10. Give you rest. Matt. 11:28.
11. Be with thee. Josh. 1:5.
12. Make a way of escape. 1 Cor. 10:13.
13. Repay. Rom. 12:19; Heb. 10:30.
14. Glorify my name. John 12:28.
15. Love. John 14:21, 23.
16. Hear the righteous. John 14:13,14; 16:23.
17. Confess. Matt. 10:32.
18. Build my church. Matt. 16:18.
19. Draw men. John 12:32.
20. Come again. John 14:3.

21. Raise him up. John 6:40, 44, 54.
22. Judge. Acts 17:31.
23. Reward. Rom. 2:6; Rev. **2:23**.
24. Remove candlestick. Rev. 2:5.
25. Give tree of life. Rev. 2:7.
26. Give crown of life. Rev. **2:10**.
27. Give morning star. Rev. 2:28.
28. Not blot out name. Rev. 3:5.
29. Keep from trials. Rev. 3:10.
30. Give to sit on throne. Rev. 3:21.

### **IS IT POSSIBLE?**

**What is possible?**

1. **All things with God. Matt. 19:26; Mark 14:36.**
2. **All things to believers. Mark 9:23.**
3. **To live peaceably with all. Rom. 12:18.**
4. To be deceived. **Matt. 24:24.**
5. **All things to apostles with faith. Matt. 17:20.**
6. **To be faithful unto death. Rev. 2:10.**

**It is possible:**

1. To give as Ananias. Acts 5:2.
2. Wish to die well as Balaam. **Num. 23:10.**
3. Make a profession as Demas. 2 Tim. 4:10.
4. Tremble at the word, as Felix. **Acts 24:55.**
5. Hear preaching gladly, as Herod. Mark 6:20.
6. Have a zeal for God as Israel. Rom. 10:1-4.

7. Leave the city of ruins as Lot's wife. Gen. 19:26.
8. Ask for prayers as Pharaoh. Ex. 8:8.
9. Make long prayers as Pharisees. Matt. 23:14.
10. Be almost persuaded as Agrippa, yet be lost. Acts 26:28.

**Or:**

1. Be a blasphemer as Peter. Matt. 26:74.
2. Be a persecutor as Paul. Acts 9:1.
3. Be self-righteous as Nicodemus. John 3:1.
4. Be doubtful as Thomas. John 20:26.
5. Poor as Lazarus. Luke 16:20.
6. Be unclean as the leper. Matt. 18:2.
7. Unworthy as the centurion. Matt. 8:8.
8. Not understand as the Ethiopian. Acts 8:30.
9. Be as vile as Samaritan woman. John 4:18.
10. Be far from God as a prodigal, and turn to God and be saved. Luke 15:13.

## **IS IT TRUE?**

**Text: 1 John 5:20.**

**Is what true?**

1. God. John 3:33; 17:3.
2. Christ. 1 John 5:20; Matt. 22:16; Rev. 3:14; 19:11.

3. The Word. Ps. 119:160; Rev. 21:5.
4. Tabernacle, (church) Heb. 8:2.
5. Worshipers. John 4:23.
6. Faith. 1 Tim. 1:5; 2 Tim. 1:5.
7. Love. 2 Cor. 6:6; 8:8; 1 Pet. 1:22.
8. Vine. John 15:1.
9. Bread. John 6:32.
10. Christians. John 8:31; Tit. 1:4.
11. Witness. John 19:35; Rev. 3:14.
12. Light. John 1:9.
13. Judgment. John 8:16; Rev. 19:2.
14. Riches. Luke 16:11.
15. Heart. Heb. 10:22.
16. Ways. Rev. 15:3.
17. Grace. 1 Pet. 5:12.
18. Yokefellow. Phil. 4:3.
19. Report. 1 Kings 10:6
20. Holiness. Eph. 4:24.
21. Holy Place. Heb. 9:24.

#### **What do with true things?**

1. Know them. John 17:3; 1 John 5:20.
2. Believe them. John 8:31.
3. Be in them. John 5 :20.
4. Be faithful to them. Luke 16:11.
5. Think on them. Phil. 4:8.
6. Abide in them. John 15:1-5.
7. Steadfast in them. 1 Pet. 5:12.

### **IS IT A CONTRADICTION?**

**Text: Acts 13:45.**

#### **Are these contradictions?**

1. Stand—Go. Ex. 14:13-15.
2. God—Man. 1 Tim. 2:5; Heb. 1:8



3. Answer—Answer not. Prov. 26:4, 5.
4. Believe—Be baptized. Mk. 16:16; Acts 16:31; 22:16.
5. Rebuke not—Rebuke. 1 Tim. 5:1, 19, 20.
6. Heard—Heard not. Acts 9:7; 22:9.
7. Work to eat—Work not to eat. Jno. 6:27; 2 Thess. 3:10.
8. Peace—Not peace. Lk. 2:14; Mt. 10:34.
9. Hath—Hath not. Mt. 25:29.
10. None good—Good. Rom. 5:12; Lk. 23:50.
11. Be subject—Rule. Col. 3:18; 1 Tim. 5:4.
12. Teach—Teach not. 1 Tim. 2:12; Tit. 2:3.
13. Pray—Pray not. Jas 5 :6; 1 Jno. 5:16.
14. Speak—Silence. Rom. 10:10; 1 Cor. 14:34; Eph. 5:19.
15. Give—Give not. Mt. 7:6; Lk. 6:38.
16. Wise—Simple. Rom. 16:19.
17. Love—Hate. Isa. 61:8.
18. Knowing—Not knowing. 1 Cor. 8:2.
19. Wisdom—Folly. 1 Cor. 3:18, 19.
20. Hypocrisy—Christianity. Mt. 23.
21. Practice—Profession. Titus 1:16.
22. Strength—Weakness. 2 Cor. 12:10.
23. Law of God—Law of sin. Rom. 7:25.

**It is not a contradiction.**

1. If it is of God.
2. If it is the truth.

**IS IT GOOD?**

**Text: Luke 6:45.**

**If so it:**

1. Came from God. Mt. 19:17; Jas. 1:17.
2. It was shown by Christ. Mt. 20:15; Acts 10:38.
3. Was revealed by Holy Spirit. Ps. 143:10.
4. Comes through grace. 2 Thess. 2:16.
5. Blesses. Gen. 28:14; 32:12.
6. Will be saved. Mt. 13:48.
7. Is better. Eccl. 7:1.
8. Gives rest. Jer. 6:16.
9. Choose it rather. Prov. 22:1.
10. Let it be seen. Mt. 5:16.
11. Will produce. Lk. 8:15; Mt. 7:17.
12. Stand. Lk. 10:42; 1 Tim. 6:19; 2 Tim. 2:19.
13. Will succeed. 2 Tim. 4:7, 8.
14. Will enable you to lay hold. 1 Tim. 6:12.
15. Will bear you up. 2 Tim. 2:3.
16. Will nourish you. 1 Tim. 4:6.
17. Will win confidence. 2 Chr. 10:7.
18. Will make you useful. 1 Tim. 3 :7; Acts 6 '3
19. Will adorn. 1 Tim. 2:9, 10; Tit. 2:10.
20. Will bring more good. Lk. 6:45.

### **What do with good ?**

1. Desire it. Prov. 11:23:
2. Choose. Lk. 10:42; Isa. 7:15.
3. Love it. 2 Tim. 3:3; Tit. 1:8.
4. Follow it. 1 Thess. 5:15.
5. Cleave to it. Rom. 12:9; 1 Thess. 5:21.
6. Discover it. Phile. 6.
7. Practice it. Acts 10:38.
8. Be zealous for it. Tit. 2; 1 Pet. 3:13.  
11:6.

### **IT CAN'T BE DONE**

**Text: Acts 5:39.**

#### **What can't be done?**

1. Get away from God. Ps. 139: 1-16.
2. Overthrow God's purpose. Acts 5:39.
3. Get away from self. Lev. 26:17;  
Prov. 28:1.
4. Succeed without Christ. Jno. 15:5;  
Phil. 4:13.
5. Please God without faith. Heb. 11:6.
6. Hide sins. Num. 32:23; 1 Tim. 5:25.
7. Please God in the flesh. Rom. 8:8.
8. Serve two masters. Lk. 6:13; 1  
Cor. 10:21.
9. Carry anything out. 1 Tim. 6:7.
10. Tame the tongue. James 3:8.
11. Change after death. Lk. 16:26.
12. Prove God wrong. Deut. 32:4;  
Rom. 3:4.
13. Tempt God with evil. Jas. 1:13.
14. Enter after door is closed. Lk. 13:  
24, 25.

15. Sin while following God's word.  
1 Jno. 3:9; Ps. 119:11.
16. But reap what you sow. Gal. 6:7, 8.
17. Escape death. 1 Cor. 15:22; Heb. 9:27.
18. Avoid the judgment. 2 Cor. 5:10; Heb. 9:27.
19. Mock God. Gal. 6:7.
20. Really love and not give. 1 Jno. 3:17.
21. Love God and not brother. 1 Jno. 4:20.
22. Shake kingdom. Heb. 12:28.

#### **Why can't it be done ?**

1. God so decreed. Heb. 9:27.
2. God is omnipresent. Prov. 15:3; Acts 17:27.
3. God is too powerful. Job 9:1-12.
4. God knows all. Ps. 44:21; 119:168; 139:1-6.
5. God is true. Jer. 10:10; Jno. 17:3; Rom. 3:4.
6. It is too late. Lk. 13:24, 25.
7. It remains. Heb. 12:27, 28.

#### **JESUS, OUR OBJECT**

1. Coming unto Jesus—Our rest.  
Matt. 11:28-30.
2. Looking unto Jesus—Our example.  
Heb. 12:1, 2.
3. Believing on Jesus—Our faith.  
Acts 16:31.
4. Putting on Jesus—Our Garment.  
Gal. 3:27.
5. Leaning on Jesus—Our strength.  
S. of S. 8:5; John 13:23, 25.

6. Standing on Jesus—Our foundation. 1 Cor. 3:11.
7. Relying on Jesus—Our help. Heb. 13:6.
8. Baptized into Jesus—Our cleanser. Rom. 6:3; Gal. 3:27.
9. Growing into Jesus—Our ideal. Eph. 4:15.
10. Buried with Jesus—Our baptism. Col. 2:12.
11. Walking with Jesus—Our companion. John 6:66.
12. Living with Jesus—Our life. 1 Thess. 5:10; 2 Tim. 2:11.
13. Being with Jesus—Our home. John 14:1-3; 2 Cor. 5:1-9.
14. Learning of Jesus—Our teacher. Matt. 11:29.
15. Preaching of Jesus—Our message. Acts 8:35; 9:20; 17:18.
16. Memory of Jesus—Our communion. 1 Cor. 11:23-25.
17. Partaking of Jesus—Our meat. Heb. 3:14.
18. Saved in Jesus—Our rock. Acts 4:12.
19. Glorifying in Jesus—Our glory. Phil. 3:3.
20. Rejoicing in Jesus—Our joy. Phil. 4:4.
21. United in Jesus—Our peace. Eph. 2:13-22.
22. Trusting in Jesus—Our confidence. Eph. 3:11, 12.
23. Abiding in Jesus—Our refuge. Jno. 15:4-7; 1 Jno. 2:24.

24. Dying in Jesus—Our comfort. 1 Thess. 4:14, 18; Rev. 14:13.
25. Following after Jesus—Our light. John 8:12.
26. Obedient to Jesus—Our salvation. 2 Cor. 10:5; Heb. 5:9.
27. Opening to Jesus—Our friend. Rev. 3:20.
28. Giving to Jesus—Our gift. 2 Cor. 8:5.
29. Praying through Jesus—Our petition. Jno. 14:14; 1 John 5:15.
30. Judged by Jesus—Our reward. Acts 17:31; Rev. 20:12, 13.
31. Looking for Jesus—Our hope. Phil. 3:20.

## JOY

**Text: 1 Pet. 1:8.**

### **What kinds are there?**

1. Great. 1 Kings 1:40; 29:9; Neh. 12:43; Acts 15:3.
2. Exceeding. Psalms 43:4; Matt. 2:10; Luke 2:10.
3. Full. Psalms 16:11.
4. Unspeakable. 1 Pet. 1:8.
5. Glorious. 1 Pet. 1:8.
6. Chief. Psalms 137:6.
7. Abundant. 2 Cor. 8:2.
8. Divine. Matt. 25:21, 23.
9. Everlasting. Isa. 35:10; 51:11.
10. Temporary. Job 20:5.

### **Who has real joy?**

1. Not the godless. Job 20:5.
2. Receivers of God's word. Isa. 55:11, 12; 66:5; Jer. 15:10; Matt. 13:20.

3. Believers. Rom. 15:13; 1 Pet. 1:8.
4. The obedient. Luke 11:28; John 13:17; Acts 8:39; 16:34.
5. The saved. Isa. 12:2, 3; Psalms 31:11.
6. The righteous. Prov. 21:15; Psalms 32:11.
7. Reapers. Psalms 126:5, 6.
8. Those who finish the job. Neh. 12:43.
9. The meek. Isa. 29:19.
10. Those who receive the kingdom. Matt. 13:44.
11. The ransomed. Isa. 35:10.
12. He whose prayers are answered. John 16:24.
13. The longsuffering. Col. 1:11.
14. The tried. Jas. 1:2; 1 Pet. 4:12, 13.
15. Those who take refuge. Psalms 5:11.
16. Those who love. Psalms 5:11.
17. The faithful. Matt. 25:21, 23.
18. Those in his presence. Psalms 16:11.

## **JESUS KNOWS**

Text: John 2:24, 25.

### **What does Jesus know ?**

1. All things. Jno. 21:17.
2. All men. Jno. 2:24.

### **What does he know about men?**

1. That they are eternal. Mk. 9:48.
2. The value of their souls. Mt. 16:26.
3. What is best for them. Lk. 5:5; Jno. 16:30.

4. What it takes to save **them**. **Mk.** 16:16.
5. Their past. **Jno.** 4:29.
6. Their thoughts. **Luke** 6:8.
7. Their motives. **Matt.** 26:50.
8. Their character. **Jno.** 1:47; 6:70, 71.
9. Their possibilities. **Luke** **22:32**.
10. Their hearts. **Acts** 1:24; 15:8.
11. Their temptations. **Heb.** 4:15; 1 **Cor.** 10:13.
12. Their faith. **Rev.** 2:19.
13. Their love. **Rev.** 2:19.
14. Their ministry. **Rev.** 2:19.
15. Their works. **Rev.** 3:1, 8.
16. Their patience. **Rev.** 2:2.
17. Their tribulation. **Rev.** 2:9.
18. Their situation. **Rev.** 2:13.
19. Their loyalty. **Rev.** 2:13; 3:8.
20. Their possessions. **Rev.** 2:9; 3:17.
21. Their hypocrisies. **Matt.** 12:15.
22. Their wickedness. **Matt.** 22:18.
23. If they are his. **Jno.** 10:14; 2 **Tim.** 2:19.

**What effect should it have on us ?**

1. We should think seriously. **Phil.** 4:8.
2. We should be careful. 1 **Cor.** 7:32.
3. We should keep ready. **Tit.** 3:1.
4. We should be honest. **Luke** 8:15.

## **JEREMIAH**

Son of Hilkiah, 628 B. C.

Chosen by God.

Is prophet while young.



Had visions. Jer. 1:11.  
 Tells them to seek for a true man. Jer. 5: 1,2.  
**Says** Judah worse than Israel.  
 What to glory in. Jer. 9:23, 24.  
 Contrast God with idols. Ch. 10.  
 Linen girdle used to teach lesson. Jer. 13 : 1-11.  
 Even Moses and Samuel could not intercede. Ch. 14, 15.  
 Trust God and not man. 17:5-8.  
 Heart very deceitful. 17:9-11.  
 Lesson of potter. 18:1-12.  
 Put in stocks for prophesying. 20:1-6.  
 Curses day of his birth. 20:14-18.  
 Wicked shepherds and righteous branch. 33:1-8.  
 Lying prophets 23 :23-32.  
 2 baskets of figs. 24:4-10.  
 Plot to murder Jeremiah defeated. 26:8-16.  
 Is imprisoned.  
 Example of Rechabites. 35 :18, 19.  
 Writes roll which is read, cut up and burned. Ch. 36.  
 Roll rewritten. 36:27-32.  
 Is imprisoned. 37:15-21.  
 Put in dungeon. 38:6-13.  
 Jerusalem destroyed and treasures carried off.

## **KINGDOM OF DARKNESS**

Text: Col. **1:13**.

**Satan is the king.** Luke **11:18**

**Is called:**

1. God of this world. 2 Cor. 4:4..

2. Prince of this world. John 12:31; 14:30.
3. Prince of power of the air. Eph. 2:2.
4. Wicked one. Matt. 13:38.
5. The devil. John 8:44.

### **How does he lead men to become citizens?**

1. By deceiving them, by:
  - (a) False promises. Gen. 3:5.
  - (b) Wresting scriptures. Matt. 4:6.
  - (c) Appearing as angels of light. 2 Cor. 11:14.
  - (d) Many devices. 2 Cor. 2:11; 11:3; Eph. 6:11.
2. By temptations. Luke 4:13.
3. By blinding. 2 Cor. 4:4.
4. Removing God's word. Luke 8:12.
5. By filling hearts. John 13:2; Acts 5:3.
6. By capturing them. 2 Tim. 2:26.
7. By getting them to yield. Rom. 6:16; 1 Tim. 5:15.

### **What are their characteristics ?**

1. Sinning. 1 John 3:10.
2. Lying. John 8:44; Acts 5:3.
3. Murdering. John 8:44.
4. Unbelieving. 2 Cor. 4:4.
5. Unrighteous. 1 John 3:10.
6. Love not brethren. 1 John 3:10.
7. Love not the truth. 2 Thess. 2:9, 10.
8. Disobedient. Eph. 2:23.
9. Perverting right way. Acts 13:10.

### What are they called?

1. Children of the devil. Acts 13:10.
2. Children of wrath. Eph. 2:2, 3.
3. Sons of disobedience. Eph. 2:2.
4. Sons of hell. Matt. 23:15.
5. Enemies of righteousness. Acts 13:10.

## KINDS OF FAITH

Text: 1 Cor. 2:5.

### What kinds are there?

1. Miraculous. 1 Cor. 12:9; 13:2.
2. Little. Matt. 6:30; 8:26; 14:31.
3. Dead. Jas. 2:17, 26.
4. Vain. 1 Cor. 15:14, 17.
5. Failing. Luke 22:32.
6. Common. Titus 1:4.
7. Precious. 2 Pet. 1:1.
8. Stedfast. Col. 2:5.
9. Holy. Jude 20.
10. Full. Heb. 20:22.
11. Sound. Titus 1:13; 2:2.
12. Delivered. Jude 3.
13. Great. Matt. 8:10; 15:28.
14. One. Eph. 4:5, 13.
15. Mutual. Rom. 1:12.
16. Working. Gal. 5:6; 1 Thess. 1:3; 2 Thess. 1:11.
17. Weak. Rom. 4:19; 14:1.
18. Unfeigned. 1 Tim. 1:5; 2 Tim. 1:5.
19. Proved. 1 Pet. 1:7.
20. Growing. 2 Thess. 1:13.
21. Challenging. Rom. 1:8; 1 Thess. 1:3; 10; Phile. 5.
22. Perfect. Jas. 2:22; 1 Thess. 3:10.
23. Moving. Heb. 11:7.

24. Human. 1 Cor. 2:5; Psalms 118: 8, 9.
25. Divine. 1 Cor. 2:5; Mark 11:22; John 14:1.

**How is the right kind obtained?**

1. Not through wisdom of men. 1 Cor. 2:5.
2. By Christ's word. Rom. 10:17.

## **KINDS OF SALVATION**

**From what are we saved ?**

1. Blindness. Luke 18:42.
2. Bondage. Jude 5; Ex. 19:30.
3. Drowning. Matt. 8:25; 14:30; Acts 27:20, 31.
4. Enemies. Neh. 9:27; Psalms 44:7.
5. Troubles. Psalms 34:67; Jer. 30:7.
6. Persecutors. Psalms 7:1.
7. Death. Mark 3:4; Heb. 5:7.
8. Disgrace. Deut. 22:27.
9. Death on the cross. Luke 23:39; John 12:27.
10. The grave. John 5:28, 29; Rom. 8:23.
11. Soul from sin. Heb. 10:39; Jas. 1:21; 5:20; 1 Pet. 1:9.

**From what should we save the soul ?**

1. Sin:
  - (a) Its guilt.
  - (b) Its power.
  - (c) Its presence.

**What can do this?**

1. Receiving the word. Jas. 1:21.
2. Faith. Heb. 10:39; 1 Pet. 1:9.

3. Repentance. Luke 13:5; 2 Cor. 7:10.
4. Confession. Matt. 10:32; Rom. 10:9, 10.
5. Baptism. 1 Pet. 3:20, 21.
6. Obedience. Heb. 5:9; 1 Pet. 1:22.
7. Righteousness. 1 Pet. 4:17-19.
8. Conversion. Jas. 5:20.
9. Endurance. Matt. 24:13; Heb. 10:37-39.

**This is a:**

1. Common salvation. Jude 3.
2. Great salvation. Heb. 2:3.
3. Eternal salvation. Heb. 5:9.

## **KEEPING SAVED**

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:2.**

**Why is it important?**

1. Our first works are lost without it. 1 Cor. 3:13, 14.
2. Our eternal welfare depends upon it. Heb. 5:9.
3. Ministers lose their work. 1 Cor. 3:15.
4. Sinners are discouraged. 2 Tim. 2:10.
5. Our last state is worse. 2 Pet. 2:20, 21.

**How can we keep saved?**

1. By holding fast. 1 Cor. 15:2.
2. By faith. 1 Pet. 1:5, 9; Jas. 2:14.
3. By obedience. Heb. 5:9.
4. By hope. Rom. 8:25.
5. By being sober. 1 Tim. 2:15.

6. By loving. 1 Tim. 2:15.
7. By being delivered. 2 Tim. 4:18.
8. By working. Phil. 2:12.
9. By drawing near. Heb. 7:25.
10. By righteousness. 1 Pet. 4:18.
11. By boldness. Heb. 10:35-39.
12. By patience. Heb. 10:35-39.
13. By wisdom. 2 Tim. 3:15.
14. By enduring. Matt. 10:22.
15. By waiting for Christ. Heb. 9:28.
16. By using God's power. 1 Pet. 1:5;  
1 Cor. 1:18.
17. By walking in the light. 1 Jno. 1:7.
18. By having fellowship. 1 Jno. 1:7.
19. By continuing. 1 Tim. 4:16.
20. By standing the test. 1 Cor. 3:15.

## LEST

**Text: Heb. 3:12, 13.**

### **Lest:**

1. We be wise in our own conceits.  
Rom. 11:25.
2. Our hearts be overcharged. Luke  
21:34.
3. He finds us asleep. Mark 13:36.
4. Fight against God. Acts 5:39.
5. The cross be made void. 1 Cor.  
1:17.
6. Liberty become a stumbling block.  
1 Cor. 8:9.
7. We fall. 1 Cor. 10:12; 2 Pet. 3:17.
8. We be rejected. 1 Cor. 9:27.
9. He be swallowed up. 2 Cor. 2:7.
10. We be ashamed. 2 Cor. 9:4.
11. Ye be corrupted. 2 Cor. 11:3.

12. There be disappointments. 2 Cor. 12:20.
13. There be jealousy. 2 Cor. 12:20.
14. We be humbled. 2 Cor. 12:21.
15. We run in vain. Gal. 2:2.
16. We labor in vain. Gal. 4:11.
17. Thou be tempted. Gal. 6:11.
18. They make spoil of you. Col. 2:8.
19. He fall into. 1 Tim. 3:6, 7.
20. We drift. Heb. 2:1.
21. There be an evil heart. Heb. 3:12.
22. We be hardened. Heb. 3:13.
23. We fall short. Heb. 4:1; 12:15.
24. We sell our birthright. Heb. 12:15-17.
25. We walk naked. Rev; 16:15.
26. Worse things come.

**How avoid these things?**

1. Take heed. Luke 21:34; 1 Cor. 8:9; 10:12.
2. Look carefully. Heb. 12:15.

**LET THERE BE NO STRIFE**

**Text: Gen. 13:8; 2 Tim. 2:24.**

**What causes strife?**

1. Carnality, 1 Cor. 3:3.
2. Not walking becomingly. Rom. 13:13.
3. False teaching. 1 Tim. 6:3-5.
4. Pride. Prov. 13:10; 1 Tim. 6:4.
5. Earthly wisdom. Jas. 3:14, 15.
6. Lust. Jas. 4:1, 2.
7. Foolish questionings. 2 Tim. 2:23
8. Perversion. Prov. 16:28; Titus 3:10.

9. Reprobate mind. Rom. 1:28, 29.
10. Selfishness. Mark 9:34; Luke 22:24.
11. Anger. Prov. 29:22, 24-27.
12. Forcing of wrath. Prov. 30:33.
13. Greediness. Prov. 28:25.
14. Being contentious. Prov. 26:21.
15. Scoffing. Prov. 23:10.
16. Hatred. Prov. 10:12.

### **Why avoid strife?**

1. It keeps bad company. Prov. 22:10; Gal. 5:20, 21.
2. It is not fitting. Rom. 28:29; 13:13.
3. Lest we be punished. Rom. 2:8, 9.
4. Lest we walk as men. 1 Cor. 3:3.
5. We are so commanded. Phil. 2:3; 2 Tim. 2:24.
6. Lest we sin. Tit. 3:10, 11; Jas. 3:16.
7. It brings confusion. Jas. 3:16.
8. We are brethren. Gen. 13:8.
9. It is a big load. Deut. 1:12.
10. It leads to blasphemy. Lev. 24:10, 11.
11. It is for the worse. 1 Cor. 11:17, 18.
12. Lest we miss heaven. Gal. 5:19, 20.
13. It is unprofitable. Titus 3:9.

### **How appease strife?**

1. By being slow to anger. Prov. 15:28.
2. By wisdom. Prov. 16:14.
3. By calmness. Eccl. 10:4.
4. By love. Prov. 10:12.



# **LUSTS**

**Text: Rom. 13:14.**

**What kinds are there ?**

1. Foolish. 1 Tim. 6:9.
2. Hurtful. 1 Tim. 6:9.
3. Worldly. Titus 2:12.
4. Ungodly. Jude 18.
5. Youthful. 2 Tim. 2:22.
6. Fleshly. Gal. 5:16; 1 Pet. 2:17.
7. Deceitful. Eph. 4:22.
8. Divers. 2 Tim. 3:16; Titus 3:3.
9. Of the heart. Rom. 1:24.
10. Of the devil. John 8:44.

**What are the results ?**

1. Corruption. Eph. 4:22; 2 Pet. 1:4.
2. Choking out. Mark 4:19.
3. Drowning. 1 Tim. 6:9.
4. Temptation. Jas. 1:14.
5. Sin. Jas. 1:15.
6. Foolishness. Titus 3:3.
7. Being deceived. Titus 3:3.
8. Disobedience. Titus 3:3.
9. Mocking. 2 Pet. 2:9, 10; Jude 18.
10. Being led away. 2 Tim. 3:6.
11. False teachers. 2 Tim. 4:3.
12. War against the soul. 1 Pet. 2:11.
13. Uncleanness. Rom. 1:24.
14. Murder. Jas. 4:2.
15. Wrath. Eph. 2:3.
16. Punishment. 2 Pet. 2:9, 10.
17. Death. Num. 13:34; 1 Cor. 10:6.

## **LIFE, LIGHT AND LIBERTY**

**We have these through:**

1. God.
  - (a) Life: Acts 17:25, 28.

- (b) Light. Jas. 1:17; 1 John 1:5.
- (c) Liberty. Rom. 8:21.
- 2. Christ.
  - (a) Life. John 5:26, 40; John 1:1,2. "
  - (b) Light. John 8:12.
  - (c) Liberty. John 8:36; Gal. 5:1.
- 3. The Spirit.
  - (a) Life. Rom. 8:2, 10.
  - (b) Light.
  - (c) Liberty. 2 Cor. 3:17.
- 4. The Word.
  - (a) Life. John 6:63, 68.
  - (b) Light. Psalms 119:108.
  - (c) Liberty. Jas. 2:12.

**How can we have these things ?**

1. By knowledge. John 8:32.
2. By faith. John 12:36, 40.
3. By repentance. Acts 11:18.
4. By baptism. Rom. 6:3, 4.
5. By obedience. Luke 10:28; Heb. 12:9; Rev; 12:14.
6. By following Christ. John 8:12.
7. By loving. 1 John 2:10.
8. By being in Christ. Eph. 5:8; 1 John 5:11.
9. By being converted. Acts 26:18.
10. By being called. 1 Pet. 2:8-10.
11. By righteousness. Matt. 25:46.
12. By faithfulness. Rev. 2:10.
13. By God's word. Psalms 119:105, 130.

## **LESSONS FROM THE STORM**

**Text: Mark 4:37-41.**

**Four great things connected with the storm.**

1. Peril.

2. Prayer.
3. Peace.
4. Person.

**What is in peril ?**

1. Their lives. Lam. 5:9.
2. Our souls. Mt. 10:28.

**Why this peril, because of:**

- (a) Selfishness. 2 Tim. 3:1, 2.
- (b) Love of other things. 2 Tim. 3:1-5.
- (c) Doubt. Rom. 14:23; Jas. 1:6.
- (d) Disobedience. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
- (e) Neglect. Heb. 2:1-3.

The prayer **must be:**

1. In truth. Ps. 145:18.
2. Preceded by:
  - (a) Hearing. Prov. 24:29.
  - (b) Believing. Rom. 10:14.
  - (c) Fleeing from lust. 2 Tim. 2:22.
  - (d) Baptism. Acts 22:16.
  - (e) Pure heart. 2 Tim. 2:22.

**Peace for those who:**

1. Have knowledge. 2 Pet. 1:2.
2. Believe. Rom. 15:13.
3. Are in Christ. Jno. 16:13; 1 Pet. 5:14.
4. Are justified. Rom. 5:1.
5. Work good. Rom. 2:10.
6. Are spiritually minded. Rom. 8:6.

**Person:**

1. All wise. Jno. 21:17.
2. All powerful. Mt. 28:18.
3. Sinless. Heb. 7:26.

4. Right. 1 J no. 2:1.
5. Faithful. Heb. 3:1, 2.

## MALACHI

### Wherein:

1. Hast thou loved us. Mal. 1:2.
  2. Have we displayed thy name. Mal. 1:7.
  3. Have polluted. Mal. 1:7.
  4. Have we wearied Him. Mal. 2:17.
  5. Shall we return. Mal. 3 :7.
  6. Have we robbed thee. Mal. 3 :8.
- Failed to honor and fear God. Mal. 9:6.  
God has no pleasure in them. Mal. 1:10.  
Profane God's name. Mal. 1:11, **12**, 14.

### Cursed for:

- (a) Being deceived. Mal. 1:14.
  - (b) Indifference. Mal. 2:1-3.
  - (c) Robbing God. Mal. 3:9.
- Covenant with. Lev. 2:4-7.  
They turned aside. Mal. 2:8, 9.  
God hates putting away and violence. Mal. **2:10-16**.  
God sends his messenger. Mal. 3:1.  
  - (a) To prepare the way. Mal. 3:1.
  - (b) To refine and cleanse. Mal. 3: 2,3.

God a witness against all sin. Mal. 3 :5.  
God, unchangeable. Mal. 3 :6.  
They speak against God. Mal. 3:13-15.

### Blessings and promises for:

- (a) Those who fear God. Mal. 3: 16-18; 4:1-3.
- (b) Elijah to come. Mal. 4:4-6.

## MAJORITIES OR MINORITIES

Text: Matt. 7:13, 14.

### Majorities are:

1. Evil. Ex. 23:2; Gen. 6:5-7.
2. Cowards. Judg. 7:3.
3. Careless. Judg. 7:4-6.
4. Allow love to wax cold. Matt. 24:12.
5. Disobedient. Heb. 4:6; 1 Pet. 3:19, 20.
6. In broad way. Matt. 7:13, 14.
7. Against Christ. Matt. 26:47-57; 27:20-25.
8. Murmurers. 1 Cor. 10:5-7.
9. Saying we can't. Num. 13:30-32; 14:1-10.
10. Idolaters. 1 Cor. 10:5-7.
11. Not pleasing God. 1 Cor. 10:5.
12. Lascivious. 1 Cor. 10:5, 6; 2 Pet. 2:6, 7.
13. Unbelievers. Heb. 3:19.
14. Against the Lord's people. Psalms 3:1; 25:19; 56:2.
15. Fair-weather friends. Prov. 14:20; 19:4.
16. Too late. Luke 13:24, 25.
17. Deceived. Matt. 7:22-24.
18. Workers of iniquity. Matt. 7:22-24.

### Minorities are:

1. Laborers. Matt. 9:37.
2. Chosen. Matt. 20:16; 22:14.
3. Saved. Luke 13:23; 1 Pet. 3:20.
4. In the narrow way. Matt. 7:13, 14.
5. Faithful. 1 Kings 19:18.
6. Watchful. Judg. 7:5-7.

7. On the Lord's side. Ex. 32:25-28.
8. Glorifying God. Luke 17:12-19.
9. Not defiled. Rev. 3:4.
10. Worthy. Rev. 3:4.

## **METAPHORS OF CHRIST**

1. Gracious. 1 Pet. 2:3.
2. Guide. Rev. 7:17.
3. Giver. John 10:28; Rev. 21:6.
4. God. Heb. 1:8.
5. Guard. 2 Tim. 1:12.
6. Governor. Matt. 2:6.
7. Gift of God. John 4:10.
1. Head. Eph. 1:22; 4:15; 5:23.
2. Hiding place. Isa. 32:2; Col. 3 :3.
3. Helper. Heb. 13:6.
4. Hope. Col. 1:27; 1 Tim. 1:1.
5. Husband. Eph. 5 :25; Rev. 21:2.
6. Heir. Heb. 1:2.
7. Horn of salvation. Luke 1:69.
8. High priest. Heb. 3:4; 4:14.
1. Judge. Acts 10:42; Jas. 4:12.
1. King. Zech. 9:9; John 18:37.
1. Lord. Luke 2:11; Acts 2:36.
2. Lawgiver. Jas. 4:12.
3. Lamb. John 1:29, 36.
4. Lion. Rev. 5:5.
5. Light. John 8:12.
6. Life. John 11:25; 14:6; Col. 3:4.
7. Leader. Isa. 55 :4.
8. Lowly. Zech. 9:9; Matt. 11:29.
1. Mediator. 1 Tim. 2:5; Heb. 8:6.
2. Messiah. John 1:41; 4:25.
3. Mighty God. Isa. 9:6; 63:1.
4. Man of sorrow. Isa. 53 :3.
5. Messenger. Mal. 3:1.

## MISTREATING GOD

Text: Jer. 2:13.

### How do we mistreat God?

1. By blaspheming. Rev. 16:21.
2. By defying. Isa. 37:23, 24.
3. By departing from. Ezek. 6:9. Heb. 3:12.
4. By denying. Josh. 24:27; Titus 1:16.
5. By despising. Num. 16:30.
6. By dishonoring. Romans 2:23.
7. By disobeying. 1 Kings 13:21.
8. By displeasing. Zech. 1:2.
9. By forsaking. Jer. 2:13. Ezra. 8:  
**22.**
10. By doubting. Num. 20:12.
11. By forgetting. Job 8:13; Psalms 50:22.
12. By fighting against. **2 Chr. 13:12;**  
Acts 5:
13. By grieving. Psalms 78:40; 95:10.
14. By hating. Psalms 81:15; Romans 1:30.
15. By lying unto. Acts 5 :4.
16. By meddling with. 2 Chr. 35:21.
17. By opposing. 2 Thess. 2:4.
18. By provoking. Deut. 9:7; **1 Cor. 10:22.**
19. By rejecting. 1 Sam. 10:19.
20. By renouncing. Job 1:5; 2:9.
21. By reproaching. Psalms 79:12.
22. By replying against. Romans 9:20.
23. By robbing. Mal. 3 :8.
24. By substituting for. Exodus 20:3;  
Judges 10:10.
25. By trying. Matt. 4:7; Heb. 3 :8, 9.

26. By refusing" to know. Romans 1:2S.
27. By changing the glory of. Romans 1:23.

## **MORE AND MORE**

**Text: Phil. 1:9.**

**There is more.**

1. Grace. James 4:6.
2. Sin has. 13:2; 2 Tim. 2:16.
3. Love for other things than Christ. John 21:15.
  - (a) Praise. John 12:43.
  - (b) Money. 1 Tim. 3 :3; 2 Tim. 3 : 2.
  - (c) Pleasure. 2 Tim. 3 :4.
  - (d) Family. Matt. 10:37.
  - (e) Self. 2 Tim. 3:2.
4. Real love. 1 Thess. 4:10; Phil. 1:9.
5. Rejoicing. Matt. 18:13; Lk. 15:7, 13; 2 Cor. 7:4.
6. Shining. Prov. 4:18.
7. Heeding. Heb. 2:1.
8. Serving. Rom. 1:25.
9. Doing. Matt. 5:47; Philemon 21.
10. Strength. Acts 9:22.
11. Exhorting. Heb. 10:25.
12. Glory. 2 Cor. 4:17; 3:11; Heb. 3. 3.
13. Courage. Phil. 1:14.
14. Abounding. 1 Thess. 4:1, 10.
15. Praise. Ps. 71:14.
16. Fruit. John 15:2.
17. Giving. Luke 21:3.
18. Blessing. Acts 20:35.
19. Value. Lk. 12:24.
20. Obedience. Phil. 2:12.



21. Diligence. 2 Pet. 1:10.
22. With the Lord's people. 2 Kings 6:16.

## **MIND YOUR P'S AND Q'S**

**Text: Matt. 16:23; Rom. 8:5; Phil. 3:19.**

### **What P's to mind.**

1. Patience. Heb. 10:36.
2. Prayers. Rom. 8:26; 1 Thess. 5:17.
3. Purpose. Acts 11:23.
4. Pardon. Isa. 55:7; Matt. 18:35.
5. Peace. Rom. 12:18; 2 Cor. 13:11.
6. Partiality. 1 Tim. 5:21; Jas. 2:1-4.
7. Promptness. Eccl. 5:4, 5.
8. Perseverance. Eph. 6:18.
9. Prudence. Prov. 8:5, 12.
10. Pilgrimage. Heb. 11:13; 1 Pet. 2:11.
11. Pleasure. Jas. 5:5.
12. Possession. Matt. 19:22; Heb. 10:34.
13. Possibility. Mark 9:23; Rom. 12:18.
14. Practice. Rom. 2:1.
15. Praise. Prov. 27:21; Rom. 2:29.
16. Preaching. 1 Cor. 15:4; 2 Cor. 4:5; 2 Tim. 4:2.
17. Preparation. Amos 4:2; 2 Tim. 2:21.
18. Profit. 1 Cor. 10:33; 1 Tim. 4:8.
19. Provocation. Gal. 5:26; Heb. 10:24.
20. Promise. Heb. 10:23.
21. Progress. 1 Tim. 4:15.
22. Prosperity. 3 John 2.

23. Provisions. 1 Tim. 5:8; Rom. 13:14.
24. Purity. 1 Tim. 5:22.

**What Q's to mind.**

1. Quarreling. Prov. 17:14; 2 Kings 5:7; 1 Tim. 3:3.
2. Quenching. Eph. 6:16; 1 Thess. 5:19.
3. Quickness. Luke 14:21; Acts 12:7; Matt. 5:25.
4. Questions. Phil. 2:14; 1 Tim. 1:4; 6; 4; 2 Tim. 2:23.
5. Quietness. 1 Thess. 4:11; 2 Thess. 3:12; 1 Pet. 3:4.
6. Quitting. 1 Cor. 16:13.
7. Queerness. Titus 2:14; 1 Pet. 2:9.

## **MEETINGS**

**Text: 1 Thess. 4:17.**

**What kind are there ?**

1. Regular. Acts 20:7; Heb. 10:25.
2. Big-evangelistic. Acts 10th chapter.
3. Special. Acts 15th chapter; 1 Cor. 5:4, 5.
4. Universal. Matt. 25:31, 32; 2 Cor. 5:10; Rev. 20:11-13.
5. Eternal. 1 Thess. 16:17.

**What do with or about these meetings ?**

1. Faithfully attend. Acts 2:42; 20:7; Heb. 10:25.
2. Get ready for by :
  1. Preparing self, by:
    - (a) Being devout. Acts 10:2.
    - (b) Prayer. Acts 10:2.

- (c) Fearing God. Acts 10:2, 22.
  - (d) Giving. Acts 10:2.
  - (e) Righteousness. Acts 10:22.
  - (f) Having good report. Acts 10:22.
2. Inviting and influencing others. Acts 10:24.
  3. Preaching Christ. Acts 10:33.
  3. Be interested in. Acts 15th chapter.
  4. Prepare for, by: Amos 4:12.
    - (a) Knowing God. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
    - (b) Obeying the gospel. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
    - (c) Being well-pleasing. 2 Cor. 5:9, 10.
    - (d) Doing good. Rom. 2:10; 2 Cor. 5:10.
    - (e) Being persuaded. 2 Cor. 5:10, 11.
    - (f) Seeking higher things. Rom. 2:5, 7.
    - (g) Caring for others. Matt. 25:31-40.
    - (h) Righteousness. Matt. 25:31-46.
    - (i) Glorifying the Lord. 2 Thess. 1:7-12.
    - (j) Being worthy. Luke 20:35; Rev. 3:4.
    - (k) Being in the book of life. Rev. 20:11-15.

## **MARGINS**

**Text: Matt. 25:1-4.**

**What kinds are there?**

1. None. 1 Pet. 4:17, 18.
2. Narrow 1 Pet 4:18

3. Wide. 2 Pet. 1:11.

**Who has no margins ?**

1. The ungodly. 1 Pet. 4:18.
2. The sinner. 1 Pet. 4:18.
3. He who does not obey. 1 Pet. **4:17**.
4. The self-confident. Isa. 28:20.

**Examples of narrow margins:**

1. One talent man. Matt. **25:25-30**.
2. Foolish virgins. Matt. 25:1-12.
3. Righteous. 1 Pet. 1:18.
4. Ones without love. 1 Cor. 13:1-3;  
Rev. 2:2-5.
5. Agrippa. Acts 26:24.
6. Ananias. Acts 5:1-6.
7. Faith only folk. Jas. 2:14, 24.
8. Church members only. Matt. **13:**  
41, 42.
9. Morality and charity, only. Mk.  
10:20, 21; Acts 10:2.
10. Zeal without knowledge. Rom. **10:**  
1-4.
11. The religious, only. Acts **17:21**;  
Gal. **1:14**.
12. Man without self-control. 1 **Cor.**  
9:27.

**Those with a wide margin:**

1. The wise. Matt. 25:1-12; 2 **Tim.**  
3:15.
2. The good. Luke **23:50-53**; Acts  
11:22-24.
3. Mary. Mark 14:3-9.
4. Philemon. Phil. 4.
5. One with christian graces. 2 Pet.  
1:5-11.
6. The altogether. Acts. **26:29**.
7. Onesiphorus. 2 **Tim. 1:16-18**.
8. The liberal. 1 **Tim. 6:17-19**.

9. He who goes the second mile.  
Matt. 5:4.

## MY POSSESSIONS

Text: Luke 21:19; 2 Cor. 6:10.

### What are they?

1. My soul: Luke 1:46; 12:19; 2 Cor. 1:23; Psalms 142:4.
  - (a) Is very valuable. Matt. 16:26.
  - (b) Can be saved or lost. Matt. 16:26; Jas 5:20.
  - (c) Can be committed. 1 Pet. 4:19.
  - (d) Can be cleansed. 1 Pet. 1:22.
2. My sins: Psalms 32:5; Eph. 2:1; 1 John 1:8, 10.
  - (a) Are transgressions. 1 John 3:4.
  - (b) Are omissions. Jas. 4:17; 1 John 5:17.
  - (c) Are presumption. Psalms 19:13; Rom. 14:23.
  - (d) Are exceedingly bad. Rom. 7:13.
3. My Savior: Luke 1:47; Titus 1:4; 3:6; 2 Pet. 1:11.
  - (a) Is ready. Luke 2:11.
  - (b) Is willing. Matt. 1:21.
  - (c) Is able. Heb. 7:25.
  - (d) Is living. Heb. 7:25.
4. My faith: Matt. 15:28; 1 Cor. 15:17; Jas. 2:18.
  - (a) Must be right. Rom. 10:17; 2 Thess. 2:12.
  - (b) Must be living. Jas. 2:14-17.
  - (c) Must be kept. 2 Tim. 4:7.
  - (d) Must be shown. Jas. 2:18.

5. My work: Mark 13:34; 1 Cor. 9:1; Phil. 1:22.
  - (a) Must be good. Eph. 2:10; 1 Tim. 5:10.
  - (b) Must be in right place. Matt. 21:28.
  - (c) Must be faithful. 3 John 5.
  - (d) Must be my best. Mark 14:8.
6. My love: 1 Cor. 13:3; 16:24; Phil. 7.
  - (a) Must be right kind. 1 Pet. 1:22.
  - (b) Must be for right thing. 1 John 4:21.
  - (c) Must be like Christ's. **John** 13:34.
  - (d) Must be in deed and truth. John 3:18; Rev. 3:11.
7. My crown: Phil. 4:1; 2 Tim. 4:8.
  - (a) Righteous. 2 Tim. 4:8.
  - (b) Life. Jas 1:12; Rev. 2:10.
  - (c) Glory. 1 Pet. 5:4.
  - (d) Incorruptible. 1 Cor. 9:25.

## MARKS OF A CHRISTIAN

Text: Gal. 6:17.

**What are the marks of a christian?**

1. Modesty. Rom. 12:3.
2. Courtesy. 1 Pet. 3:8.
3. Honesty. Luke 8:15; 1 Tim. 2:2.
4. Truthfulness. Eph. 4:15, 25.
5. Love. John 13:35.
6. Fruit bearing. John 15:8.
7. Abiding in the word. John 8:31.
8. Endurance. Matt. 24:13; Jas. 1:12.
9. Godliness. 1 Tim. 4:7, 8; Titus 2:12.

10. Preparedness. 2 Tim. 2:21.
11. Taking wrong. 1 Cor. 6:7.
12. Devout. Acts 8:2.
13. Gravity. 1 Tim. 2:2. Titus 2:7.
14. Sound speech. Titus 2:8.
15. Goodness. Rom. 15:14; Gal. 5:22, 23.
16. Meekness. Matt. 11:29; Gal. 5:22, 23.
17. Forgiving. Matt. 18:35; Eph. 4: 32.
18. Chastity. 1 Pet. 3:2.
19. Shining. Matt. 5:16.
20. Walking in his steps. 1 Pet. 2:21; 1 John 2:6.
21. Reverent. Titus 2:3; Heb. 12:28.
22. Righteousness. 1 John 3:7, 10.
23. Sobriety. 1 Tim. 2:15; 2 Tim. 4:5.
24. Worshipping in spirit and truth. John 4:23.
25. Faithfulness. Gal. 5:22, 23; Rev. 12:10.

## **MOTHER HOME AND HEAVEN**

### **Mothers.**

1. In Israel. Judges 5:7; 2 Sam. 20: 19.
2. Of Moses.
  - (a) Full of faith. Heb. 11:23.
  - (b) Thought. Ex. 2:8-10.
3. Of Samuel.
  - (a) Prayed for him. 1 Sam. 1:2.
  - (b) Gave him to the Lord. 1 Sam. 1:11,27.
  - (c) Cared for him. 1 Sam. 2:19.

### **Duty to mother.**

1. Honor. Eph. 6:2.

2. Fear. Lev. 19:3.
3. Remember law. Prov. 1:8.
4. Not despise. Prov. 23 :22.

**Home.**

1. Place to eat. 1 Cor. 11:34.
2. Place to learn. 1 Cor. 14:35.
3. Place to work. Titus 2:5.
4. Place to show piety. 1 Tim. 5:4.
5. Where friends are. Mk. 5:19.

**Heaven.**

1. Called home. Eccl. 12:5; 2 Cor. 5: 1-10.
2. A secure place. Mt. 6:20.
3. A better place. Heb. 11:16.
4. Where reward is. Mt. 5 :12.
5. Where inheritance is. 1 Pet. 1:4.
6. Where treasure is. Mt. 19:21.
7. It is beautiful and grand. Rev. 21: 9-27; 22:1-5.

**Who can go to heaven.**

1. Believers. 1 Pet. 1:4, 5.
2. Doers. Mt. 7:21.
3. Converted. Mt. 18:3.
4. Regenerated. Jno. 3:5.
5. Righteous. Mt. 5:20; 2 Pet. 3:13.
6. Overcomers. Rev. 21 :1-7.
7. Makers of friends. Lk. 16:9.

## **MOSES AND CHRIST**

**Both:**

Were preserved in infancy. Ex. 2:2-10;  
Matt. 2:1-15; Acts 3:20-23.

Were wise. Jno. 2:24, 25; 21:17; Acts  
7:22.

Were mighty in words and works. Lk.  
24:19; Acts 7:22.

Contended with masters of evil. Ex. 7:1;  
Mt. 4:1.



Fasted forty days. Ex. 34:28; Mt. 4:2.  
Were sent to deliver. Ex. 3:10; Lk. 19:

**10.**

Were humble. Ex. 3:11; 4:10; Lk. 22:27.;

**Phil. 2:8.**

**Controlled** sea. Ex. 14:21; Mt. 8:26.

Fed multitudes. Ex. 16:15; Mt. 14:20,  
21.

Had radiant faces. Ex. 34:35; Mt. 17:2.

Were discredited by homefolk. Num. 12:  
1; Jno. 7:5.

Worked miracles. Ex. 4:8, 9; Jno. 3 :2.

Offered self. Ex. 32:32; Heb. 9:14; 10:

**10,11.**

Were baptized unto and into. 1 Cor. 10:  
2; Rom. 6:3,4; Gal. 3:24.

Spoke as oracles. Deut. 18:18.

Established memorials. Ex. 12:14; Lk.  
22:19.

Were prophets. Deut. 18:18; Acts 3:22.

Were lawgivers. Jno. 1:17; Jas. 4:12.

Were judges. Ex. 18:13; Acts 17:31.

Were intercessors. Ex. 32:32; Jno. 17:9;  
Heb. 7:25.

Were meek. Num. 12:3; Mt. 11:28-30.

Were faithful. Num. 12:7; Heb. 3:2.

Had seventy helpers. Num. 11:16, 17;  
Lk. 10:1.

Were murmured against. Ex. 16:78; Mk.  
7:2.

Endured by seeing the invisible. Heb. 11:  
27; 12:3.

Reappeared after death. Mt. 17:3; Acts

1:3.

## **MICAH**

**Text: Mic. 3:8.**

**1.** God witnesses against Israel. Mic.  
1 :1-7.

2. Micah laments over Israel. Mic. 1: 8, 9.
3. Woe pronounced against them. Mic. 2:1, 2.
4. God devises evil against them. Mic. 2:3.
5. God's Spirit questioned. Mic. 2:6, 7.
6. God's word good for upright. Mic. 2:7.
7. Israel arises as an enemy. Mic. 2:8.
8. Is told to depart. Micah. 2:10.
9. Accepts false prophets. Mic. 2:11.
10. God will not hear them. Mic. 3 :1-4.
11. Prophets make people to err. Mic. 3:5.
12. Micah is a true prophet. Mic. 3 :8.
13. Heads and rulers of Israel:
  - (a) Abhor justice. Mic. 3:9.
  - (b) Pervert equity. Mic. 3:9.
  - (c) Build with blood. Mic. 3:9.
  - (d) Judge for reward. Mic. 3:11.
  - (e) Teach for money. Mic. 3:11.
14. Foretells establishment of church. Mic. 4:1-8.
15. Bethlehem to be Christ's birthplace. Mic. 5:2.
16. Christ our shepherd and peace. Mic. 5:3-5.
17. A deliverer for Israel. Mic. 5:5-9.
18. God contends with Israel. Mic. 6:1-5.
19. What God requires.
  - (a) To do justly. Mic. 6:8.
  - (b) To love kindness. Mic. 6:8.
  - (c) To walk humbly. Mic. 6:8.

20. Sin makes Israel a desolation. Mic. 6:9-16.
21. Godliness and righteousness are wanting. Mic. 7:1-6.
22. Micah:
  - (a) Looks unto God. Mic. 7:7.
  - (b) Waits for God. Mic. 7:7.
  - (c) Triumphs with God. Mic. 7:8.
  - (d) Bears indignation of God. Mic. 7:9.
23. There is no God like our God. Mic. 7:14-20.

## NEHEMIAH

Son of Hacaliah. Neh. 1:1.  
 Is cup-bearer to the King. Neh. 1:11.  
 Hears about Jerusalem. Neh. 1:2, 3.  
 Weeps over conditions. Neh. 1:4.  
 So fasts and prays. Neh. 1:4.  
 His prayer. Neh. 1:5-11.  
 Is of sad countenance. Neh. 2:1, 2.  
 Makes request of the King. Neh. 2:4-8.  
 Meets enemies. Neh. 2:10.  
 Comes to Jerusalem. Neh. 2:11.  
 Viewed the wall. Neh. 2:13-15.  
 Tells his brethren. Neh. 2:17, 18.  
 They said, "Let Us Build". Neh. 2:18.  
 Enemies ridicules. Neh. 2:19.  
 Nehemiah answered. Neh. 2:20.  
 They begin to build. Neh. 3rd chapter.  
 Enemies mock. Neh. 4:1-3.  
 Enemies conspire. Neh. 4:7, 8.  
 Pray to God. Neh. 4:4, 5, 9.  
 Sets watch. Neh. 4:9.  
 Abolishes usury. Neh. 5:1-13.  
 Becomes Governor. Neh. 5:14-19.

Enemies offer compromise. Neh. 6:1-10.  
Enemies try to frighten. Neh. 6:10-14.  
Walls finished and dedicated. Neh. 6:15;  
12:27.

Gates closed at night and Sabbath. Neh.  
7:3, 4; 13:19.

Temple service. Neh. 12:43.

Foreigners and Tobiah excluded. Neh.  
13:1-9, 30.

Mixed marriages condemned. Neh. 13:  
23-27.

### NIGHT SCENES

1. Lot delivered. Gen. 19:1-22.
2. Jacob.
  - (a) Dream. Gen. 28:2.
  - (b) Struggles. Gen. 32:24-27.
3. Israel.
  - (a) Leaves Egypt. Ex. 12:42.
  - (b) Crosses Red Sea. Ex. 14:15-22.
4. Saul reproved. 1 Sam. 28:8.
5. Elijah.
  - (a) Under the juniper tree. 1 Kings 19:4-8.
6. Gideon.
  - (a) Destroys altar. Judg. 6:25-27.
  - (b) Defeats Midianites. Judg. 7:9-25.
7. Belshazzar revels. Dan. 5:1, 4, 30.
8. Daniel in lion's den. Dan. 6:16-23.
9. Christ prays. Lk. 4:12.
10. Nicodemus comes to Jesus. Jno. 3:1-14.
11. Jesus walks on the water. Mk. 6:45-52.

12. Peter denies Christ. Mt. 26:69-75.
13. Fishes. Jno. 21:3; Lk. 5:5.
14. Paul and Silas sing and pray. Acts 16:25.
- 15. Peter delivered. Acts 12:3-18; 5:19, 20.
16. Christ.
  - (a) Birth. Lk. 2:4-14.
  - (b) Journey to Egypt. Mt. 2:13-15.
  - (c) Arrests and trials. Jno. 18.
17. Paul.
  - (a) Escapes from Damascus. Acts 9:20.
  - (b) Experience at Phillipi. Acts 16:9-35.
  - (c) Sent to Berea. Acts 17:10.
  - (d) God speaks at Corinth. Acts 18:9, 10.
  - (e) Preaches at Troas. Acts 20:6-12.
  - (f) Sent to Caesarea. Acts 23:11-31.
  - (g) Visited by an angel. Acts 27:23.

## OF GOD

**Text: 2 Cor. 1:12.**

### **What is of God?**

1. Spirit. Gen. 1:2.
2. Christ. Lk. 9:20.
3. Wisdom. Jas. 3:17; Rom. 11:33.
4. Grace. Rom. 5:15; 1 Pet. 4:10.
5. Power. Rom. 1:16.
6. Peace. Phil. 4:7.
7. Righteousness. Rom. 1:17; 2 Cor. 5:21.

8. Holiness. 2 Cor. 1:12.
9. Love. John 5:42; Rom. 8:39.
10. Knowledge. 2 Cor. 10:5.
11. Mercy. Lk. 1:78.
12. Children. Gal. 3:26; 1 John 3:1.
13. Wrath. Rom. 1:18.
14. Goodness. Rom. 11:22.
15. Severity. Rom. 11:22.
16. Help. Judges. 5:23.
17. Salvation. Ps. 50:23.
18. Foundation. 2 Tim. 2:19.
19. Gift. 2 Tim. 1:6.
20. Word. 2 Tim. 9:2.
21. Longsuffering. 2 Pet. 3:15.
22. Glory. Rev. 21:23.
23. Faithfulness. Rom. 3:3.
24. Joy. Neh. 8:10.
25. Counsel. Acts 20:27.
26. Purpose. Isa. 19:17; Rom. 8:28.
27. Sincerity. 2 Cor. 1:12.
28. Work. John 6:28; Acts 5:38, 39.

## **OUR OWN**

**Text: Isa. 58:13.**

### **Our own, what?**

1. Eyes. Jud. 17:6; 21-25; Matt. 7:3-
2. Lips. Psalms 12:4; Job 15:6; Prov. 27:2.
3. Mouth. Job. 9:20; 15:6; Psalms 64:8; Luke 19:22.
4. Heart. Prov. 28:26; Eccl. 1:16; Rom. 14:5; Jas. 1:26.
5. Thoughts. Isa. 65:2.
6. Conscience. John 8:9; 1 Tim. 4:2.

7. Sins. Num. 27:3 ; Deut. 24:16; Jer. 31:30.
8. Will. Ezra 7:13.
9. Desire. Psalms 78:29.
10. Devices. Prov. 1:31; Jer. 18:12.
11. Pleasure. Isa. 58:13.
12. Counsel. Hosea 10:6; 11:6.
13. Ways. Isa. 53:6; Acts 14:16; Prov. 1:1-31.
14. Glory. Prov. 25:27; John 7:8.
15. Goodness. Prov. 20:6; 27:2.
16. Righteousness. Rom. 10:3; Phil. 3:9.
17. Shame. Ezek. 16:52; Jude 13.
18. Gift. 1 Cor. 7:7.
19. Selves. 2 Cor. 8:5; 13:5.
20. Things. Phil. 2:4, 21.
21. Good. 1 Cor. 10:24; 13:5.
22. Burden. Gal. 6:5.
28. Business. 1 Thess. 4:11.
23. Labor. 1 Cor. 3:8; Gal. 6:4.
24. Reward. 1 Cor. 3:8.
25. Lust. 2 Tim. 4:3; Jas. 1:14; Jude 16, 18.
26. Conceit. Rom. 1:25; 12:6.
27. Salvation. Phil. 2:12.
29. Stedfastness. 2 Pet. 3:17.
30. Religion. Acts 25:19.
31. Profit. 1 Cor. 7:35; 10:33.
32. Destruction. 2 Pet. 3:16.

## **OUR GOD**

**Text: Heb. 12:29.**

**Our God is the God of:**

1. Gods. Dan. 2:47.
2. Grace 1 Pet 5:10

3. Truth. Deut. 32:4.
4. Knowledge. 1 Sam. 2:3.
5. Light. Jas. 1:17; 1 Pet. 2:9; 1 John 1:5.
6. Mercy. Psalms 59:17; Titus 3:5.
7. Righteousness. Psalms 4:1; Matt. 6:32.
8. Love. 2 Cor. 13:11.
9. Peace. Rom. 16:20; Heb. 13:20.
10. Comfort. 2 Cor. 1:3.
11. Patience. Rom. 15:5.
12. Hope. Rom. 15:13.
13. Salvation. Psalms 68:19, 20.
14. The living. Matt. 22:32.
15. Glory. Acts 7:2.

**How make him our God?**

1. By hearing him. Mich. 6:1.
2. By knowing him. 1 Chron. 28:9.
3. By believing him. John 14:1; Jas. 2:19.
4. By obeying him. Acts 5 :29.
5. By loving him. Luke 10:27.
6. By honoring him. John 5 :23.
7. By serving him. 1 Thess. 1:9.
8. By worshiping him. Matt. 4:10.
9. By calling upon him. Rom. 10:12, 13.
10. By glorifying him. Rom. 1:21; 1 Cor. 10:31.

**OUR FEELINGS**

**Text: Eph. 4:17-19.**

**What do with our feelings?**

1. Not be deceived by them. Gen. 45: 26-28.



2. Not destroy them. Eph. 4:19.
3. Let God overrule them. 1 John 3:20.
4. Control them, as:
  - (a) The faster. Matt. 6:17, 18.
  - (b) The persecuted. Matt. 5:11, 12; Heb. 10:34.
  - (c) Apostles. Acts 5:4.
  - (d) Paul and Silas. 1 Cor.; Acts 16:23-25.
5. Not expose them. 1 Cor. 13:5; Titus 1:7.

**What should we feel?**

1. Our need of God. Acts. 17:27.
2. Our infirmities. Heb. 4:15.
3. Our brother's woes. Heb. 10:34; 1 John 3:17.
4. Our obligations. Rom. 1:14.
5. Our responsibilities. Rom. 14:12.
6. Hope of salvation. Rom. 8:28; 2 Tim. 4:18.
7. All is well. Rom. 8:28.

**What feelings can we have?**

- 1.. Bitterness. Heb. 12:15; Jas. 3:14.
2. Envy. Titus 3:3; Jas. 3:14.
3. Malice. 1 Cor. 14:20; Titus 3:3.
4. Independence. Rev. 3:17; Prov. 30:9.
5. Condemnation. 1 John 3:19, 20.
6. Anger. Eph. 4:26.
7. Disappointment. Gal. 1:6.
8. Sorrow. 2 Cor. 5:5-7; 7:8-11.
9. Fear. Matt. 25:25.
10. Joy. 1 Thess. 5:16; Heb. 10:34.
11. Anxiety. Luke 12:23, 26.
12. Confidence. Heb. 3:14.

### **What will the right feelings do for us?**

1. Find God. Acts 17:27.
2. Touch Christ. Heb. 4:15.
3. Make us work and give. Rom. 1:15;  
1 John 3:17.
4. Sing and pray. Acts 16:23-25.
5. Make us faithful. Heb. **10:33-38**.

## **OUR AIM**

**Text: 2 Cor. 5:9.**

### **What should be our aim?**

1. Not to sin. 1 John 2:1.
2. To please Christ. 2 Cor. 5:9.
3. To preach the gospel. Rom. 15:20.
4. To be quiet. 1 Thess. **4:11**.
5. To mind our business. 1 Thess. 4:  
11.
6. To work. 1 Thess. 4:11.
7. Christ. Heb. 12:1, 2.
8. The prize. Phil. 3 :14.

### **Why should this be our aim ?**

1. It makes a difference:
  - (a) Accidental murder. Num. 35:  
22-25.
  - (b) Samuel and Eli. 1 Sam. 3:13;  
8:3-5.
  - (c) Joseph's brethren. Gen. 50:20.
  - (d) Preachers. Phil. 1:15-20.
  - (e) Paul. 1 Tim. 1:13.
2. To walk becomingly. 1 Thess. 4:  
11.
3. To need nothing. 1 Thess. 4:11.
4. To build on our foundation. Rom.  
15:20.
5. We must be judged. 2 Cor. 5 :8-10.

6. To reach heaven. 2 Cor. 5 :8-10.
7. To succeed. Heb. 12:1, 2; Phil. 3:14.

**How can we carry out our aim ?**

1. By forgetting the past. Phil. 3:14.
2. By bending every energy. Phil. 3:14.
3. By patience. Heb. 12:1, 2.
4. By faith. 2 Cor. 5:9; Heb. 11:6.
5. By practice and discipline.
6. By God's help. Gen. 50:20; Phil. 4:13,

**When should this be our aim ?**

1. Always. 2 Cor. 5:8.

## **OBTAINING**

**Text: 2 Tim. 2:10.**

**What can be obtained ?**

1. Mercy. 2 Cor. 4:1; 1 Tim. 1:13.
2. Help. Acts 26:22.
3. Faith. 2 Pet. 1:1.
4. Salvation. 1 Thess. 5:9; 2 Tim. 2:10.
5. Glory. 2 Thess. 2:14.
6. Inheritance. Eph. 1:11.
7. Promises. Heb. 6:15; 11:33.
8. Gladness. Isa. 35:10.
9. Favor. Prov. 8:35; 12:2.
10. Honor. Prov. 29:22.
11. Resurrection. Phil. 3:11 ; Heb. 11 :35.
12. Crown. 1 Cor. 9:25.
13. Heaven. Luke 20:35.

**They are obtained because:**

1. Not because we covet and kill. Jas. 4:2.
2. We have been called. 2 Thess. 2:14.
3. We have wisdom. Prov. 8:35.
4. We have faith. Heb. 11:33.
5. We draw near. Heb. 4:16.
6. We are in Christ. Eph. 1:11.
7. We are good. Prov. 12:2.
8. We are lowly. Prov. 29:22.
9. We press on. Phil. 3:12.
10. We control self. 1 Cor. 9:25.
11. We run right. 1 Cor. 9:24.
12. We are ransomed. Isa. 35:10.
13. We have returned. Isa. 35:10.
14. We endure. Heb. 6:15.
15. We are worthy. Luke 20:35.

**What are the results ?**

1. We faint not. 2 Cor. 4:1.
2. We are helped. Heb. 4:16.
3. We testify. Acts 26:22.

**ONCE BUT NOW**

**Text: Col. 3:7, 8.**

**Once**

Blind. Jno. 9:26.

Darkness. Eph. 5:8.

Ignorance. Eph. 4:18, 20.

Sensual. Col. 3:5, 12.

Stealing. Eph. 4:28.

**Now**

See

Light

Knowledge

Spiritual

Working

Bad temper. Col. 3:8, 12; Eph. 4:26.	Meek
Lying. Eph. 4:25.	Truthful
Corrupt speech. Eph. 4:29.	Speech
Beggarly. Lk. 16:20, 25.	Comforted
Bitter. Eph. 4:31, 32.	Kind
Malice. Eph. 4:31, 32.	Forgiveness
Snobbish. Col. 3:11.	Brotherly
Destroyed. Gal. 1:23.	Preached
Covetous. Col. 3:5, 12.	Generous
Hard. Eph. 4:18, 19, 32.	Tenderhearted
Hatred. Col. 3:14; Tit. 3:3.	Love
Foolish. Tit. 3:3.	Wise
Vain. Eph. 4:17; Col. 3:12.	Lowly
Alienated. Col. 1:21, 22.	Reconciled
Weak. Job 17:9.	Strong
Light. Prov. 4:18.	Brighter
Great. 1 Chr. 11:9.	Greater
Dead. Eph. 2:1-5.	Alive

Little love. 1 Thess. 4:10.	Much love
Some. 1 Thess. 4:1.	More
Sorrow. 2 Cor. 7:8-11.	Rejoicing
Straying. Ps. 119:67.	Observing
Sinners. 1 Cor. 6:9-11.	Justified
Far off. Eph. 2:13.	Near

## **PRINCIPLES OF THE KINGDOM**

**Text: Matt. 9:35.**

### **What are they?**

1. Of salvation:
  - (a) By faith. Lk. 7:44-50.
  - (b) By repentance. Lk. 19:1-10.
  - (c) By obedience.
2. Of giving:
  - (a) Personally. Matt. 10:42; Mark 9:41.
  - (b) As the need may be. Lk. 10:30-35.
  - (c) Specially. Acts 6:3; 11:27-30; 1 Cor. 16:1-4.
  - (d) Into treasury. Mk. 12:41-44.
3. Of acceptable worship:
  - (a) By being prepared. Matt. 5:23, 24.
  - (b) By spirit and truth. John 4:24.
  - (c) In sincerity. Matt. 15:1-9; Lk. 18:9-14.

- (d) By singing. Mk. 14:26; Matt. 26:30; Acts 16:23; Rom. 15:9; 1 Cor. 14:15, 26; Heb. 2:12.
4. Of preparing for service:
    - (a) By putting Christ first. Matt. 6:33; Lk. 9:59-62.
    - (b) By removing hindrances. Matt. 5 :29, 30.
  5. Of ruling:
    - (a) Not with authority. Matt. 20:25-28; 1 Pet. 5:3.
    - (b) By service. Matt. 20:25-28; Acts 6:3; 1 Tim. 3:4, 5, 12; 5:14, 17.
  6. Of entering in:
    - (a) By preparing. Matt. 25:1-13.
    - (b) By faithfulness. Matt. 25:14-30.
    - (c) By doing duty. Matt. 25 :31-46.
  7. Of forgiveness:
    - (a) Going with other. Matt. 18:15-17.
    - (b) By rebuking and repentance. Lk. 17:34.
  8. Of showing mercy:
    - (a) Through appreciation. Matt. 18:25-35.
    - (b) Of necessity. Lk. 10:30-37.
  9. Of eternal life:
    - (a) Through morality. Matt. 19:16-22.
    - (b) Through charity. Matt. 19:16-22.
    - (c) Spirituality. Matt. 19:16-22.

## PHASES OF THE CHURCH

1. Church—Called out.
2. Kingdom—Ruling.  
Citizenship. Phil. 3 :20.
3. Family. Eph. 3:15.  
Relationship.
4. Temple. 1 Cor. 3:16; 2 Cor. 6:16.  
Worship.
5. Body. Eph. 1:23; Col. 1:18, 24.  
Fellowship.
6. Net. Matt. 13:47.  
Catching men. Matt. 4:19; Luke 5:10.
7. Husbandry. 1 Cor. 3 :9.  
Work.
8. Flock. John 10:16.  
Shepherd and sheep.
9. Bride. Rev. 21:9; Eph. 5 :28-32.  
Husband and wife.
10. Building. 1 Cor. 3:9; Eph. 2:20.  
Foundation and builder.
11. A possession. Acts 20:28.  
Bought by Christ. 1 Cor. 6:19, 20.
12. Candlestick. Rev. 1:20; 2:5.  
To give light. Matt. 5 :4-6.
13. House of God. 1 Tim. 3:15.  
A dwelling place. Eph. 2:21.
14. A support. 1 Tim. 3:15.  
Supporting truth.
15. Assembly. Heb. 10:25; 12:23.  
The meeting places. 1 Cor. 11:20.



# PARABLE OF THE SHEPHERD AND HIS FOLD

Text: John 10:1-6.

**What things are associated with these?**

1. Door. John 10:1, 2, 9.
2. Thieves and robbers. John 10:1, 8.
3. Porter. John 10:3.
4. Sheep. John 10:2, 3, 4, 11.
5. Hireling. John 10:12, 13.
6. Wolf. John 10:12.

**What do these represent?**

1. Door:
  - (a) Entrance. John 10:9.
  - (b) Way to salvation. John 10:9.
  - (c) Way to pasture. John 10:9.
2. Fold:
  - (a) Place of safety. John 10:16.
  - (b) Is one. John 10:16.
3. Thieves and robbers:
  - (a) Climb up some other way. John 10:1.
  - (b) Steal. John 10:10.
  - (c) Kill. John 10:10.
  - (d) Destroy. John 10:10.
4. Shepherd:
  - (a) Is good. John 10:11.
  - (b) Lays down life. John 10:11.
  - (c) Knows His sheep. John 10:27.
  - (d) Leads His sheep. John 10:3.
  - ,(e) Protects His sheep. John 10:28.
  - (f) Gives eternal life. John 10:28.
5. Sheep:
  - (a) Hear. John 10:3,27.
  - (b) Know. John 10:4.

- (c) Believe. John 10:26.
- (d) Follow. John 10:4, 27.
- 6. Porter:
  - (a) Opens. John 10:3.
- 7. Hireling:
  - (a) Cares not for sheep. John 10:13.
  - (b) Forsakes sheep. John 10:13.
- 8. Wolf:
  - (a) Snatches. John 10:12.
  - (b) Scatters. John 10:12.

## **PRESENTING**

Text: Rom. 6:13.

Who is to present?

1. The Lord. Eph. 5:27; Jude 24.
2. Ministers. 2 Cor. **11:2**; Col. 1:28.
3. Self. Rom. 6:13, 16, 19, 12:1.

**What** present?

1. Self. Job 1:6; 2:1; Josh. 24:1.
2. Our bodies. Rom. 12:1.
3. Members. Rom. 6:13, 19.
4. Gifts. Matt. 2:11.
5. Supplications. Dan. 9:18, 20.
6. Sacrifices. Jud. 6:19; Rom. 12:1.
7. Every man. Col. 1:28; 2 Cor. 11:2.
8. The church. Eph. 5:27.

**How** present?

1. Alive. Rom. 6:13; 12:1.
2. Not unto sin. Rom. 6:13, 19.
3. Not unclean. Rom. 6:19.
4. Righteous. Rom. 6:13, 16, 19.
5. Obedient. Rom. 6:16.

6. Approved. 2 Tim. 2:15.
7. Holy. Rom. 12:1.
8. Acceptable. Rom. 12:1.
9. As chaste virgins. 2 Cor. 11 :2.
10. Blameless. Col. 1:22.
11. Unreprovable. Col. 1:22.
12. Cheerfully. 2 Cor. 9:7.
13. Perfect. Col. 1:28.
14. Glorious. Eph. 5:27.
15. In Joy. Jude 24.

**Where present?**

1. Before God. 1 Sam. 10:19.
2. To Christ. 2 Cor. 11:2.
3. In the assembly. Judges 20:2.
4. Before the presence of his glory.  
Jude 24.

## **PROVING GOD**

**Text: Mal. 3:10.**

**Where has God been proved?**

1. At the flood. Gen. 7th chapter.
2. In Egypt.
  - (a) When straw was withheld. Ex. 5th chapter.
  - (b) In the plagues. Ex. chapters 7 to 12.
  - (c) At the Red Sea. Ex. 14th chapter.
3. In the wilderness.
  - (a) At Marah. Ex. 15:22-26.
  - (b) When they were hungry. Ex. 16th chapter.
  - (c) At Massah and Meribah. Ex. 17: 1-7; Ps. 95:8; 9.

- (d) When Aaron made the calf.  
Ex. 32nd chapter.
  - (e) At Taberah. Num. 11:1-3.
  - (f) At the marriage of Moses.  
Num. 12th chapter.
  - (g) At Kadesh-barnea. Num. 14th  
chapter.
  - (h) When bitten by serpents.  
Num. 21st chapter.
4. On Mt. Carmel. 1 Kings 18:16-39.

**In what prove God?**

1. In being. Psalms 19:1; 86:8; Heb. 11:6.
2. In not respecting persons. Acts 10:35.
3. In wisdom. Romans 16:27.
4. In ability. Romans 4:17; Eph. 3:20.
5. In love. John 3:16.
6. In goodness. Acts 14:17. Romans. 11:22.
7. In mercy. Ex. 34:6; Psalms 86:5.
8. In teaching. 1 John 4:1-6.
9. In giving. Luke 6:38; Romans 8:32.
10. In severity. Romans 11:22.
11. In providence. Mal. 3:8-10; Phil. 4:19.
12. In blessings. Mal. 3:10-12.
13. In faithfulness. 1 Cor. 10:13; 1 Pet. 4:19.

**PROPHECIES OF CHRIST**

**Matt: 4:1-11; John 15:18; 19:30.**

Seed of woman. Gen. 3:15.

Abraham's seed. Gen. 12:3; Gal. 3:16;  
Acts 2:1-11.  
Shiloh. Gen. 49:10; John 12:32; 19:15.  
No bone broken. Ex. 12:46; Num. 9:12;  
John 19:33.  
Sin bearer. Lev. 16:7-22; John 1:29.  
King's star. Num. 24:17; Matt. 2:2; Rev.  
22:16.  
Prophet. Deut. 18:15; Matt. 13:54-56;  
Luke 19:48, 24:19; Acts 3:17.  
Redeemer. Job. 19:25; John 7:37; 8:38.  
Thirty pieces of silver. Zech. 11:13; Matt.  
26:15; 27:3-10.  
King. Psalms 2:6; Matt. 28:18.  
Sheol and corruption. Psalms 16:10; Acts  
2:29-32.  
Being forsaken. Psalms 22:1; Matt. 27:  
46.  
Casting lots. Psalms 22:18; Matt. 27:35;  
John 19:23.  
Coming to do God's will. Psalms 4:6-8;  
Heb. 10:5-7.  
Ascension. Psalms 68:18; Eph. 4:8.  
Zeal. Psalms 69:9; John 2:17.  
Gall and vinegar.-Psalms 69:21; Matt.  
27:34.  
Priest. Psalms 110:4; Heb. 5:6, 10; 6:20;  
7:17,21.  
Rejected stone. Psalms 118:22; Acts 4:  
11; 1 Pet. 2:7.  
Virgin's son. Isa. 7:14; Matt. 1:22, 23.  
Son born. Isa. 9:6; Luke 2:11.  
Spirit on him. Isa. 42:1 ; 61:1, 2; Luke  
4:18.  
The sacrifice. Isa. 53.  
Shepherd. Ezek. 34:23; John 10:14, 15.

His kingdom. Dan. 2:44; Matt. 16:18, 19; John 18:36, 37.

Coming out of Egypt. Hosea 11:1; Matt. 2:15.

Bethlehem. Micah 5 :2; Matt. 2:6.

Riding an ass. Zech. 9:9; John 12:12-14.

## **PRACTICING OUR PROFESSION**

**Text: Matt. 7:21-23.**

### **What profess.**

1. Not false science. 1 Tim. 6:20, 21.
2. Knowing God. Tit. 1:16.
3. Christ. Phil. 2:11; 1 Tim. 6:12.
4. Subjection to Gospel. 2 Cor. 9:13.
5. Godliness. 1 Tim. 2:10.
6. Faith. Heb. 10:23.
7. Hope. Heb. 10:23.
8. Wisdom. Rom. 1:22.

### **What do with our profession:**

1. Hold it fast. Heb. 4:14; 10:23.
2. Practice it. Lk. 6:46; 1 Tim. 2:10.

### **Why practice our profession?**

1. Lest we be foolish. Mt. 25 :1-12.
2. Lest we deny God. Tit. 1:16.
3. Lest we be hypocrites. Mt. 23:3, 13.
4. Lest we be liars. 1 Jno. 2:4.
5. Lest we waver. Heb. 10:23,
6. Lest we be rejected. Mt. 7:21-23; Rev. 3:15-19.
7. Lest we fail to be recognized. Mt. 25:1-12.
8. God is faithful. Heb. 10:23.
9. It is becoming. 1 Tim. 2:10.

10. It is profitable. 1 Tim. 4:8; Jas. 2:14.
11. For Christ's sake. Heb. 4:14.
12. To be wise. Mt. 25:1-12.
13. To glorify God. 2 Cor. 9:13.
14. To enter heaven. Mt. 7:21.
15. To have eternal life. 1 Tim. 6:12.
16. Lest we be condemned. Rom. 2:1.

## **PERSONAL WORK**

**Text: Acts 5:42.**

### **Of what does it consist?**

1. Visiting.
2. Teaching. Acts 8:31.
3. Persuasion. 2 Cor. 5:10.
4. Example. Mt. 5:16.
5. Prayer. Rom. 10:1.
6. Real interest. Acts 10:24, 33.
7. To help—to invite. Rom. 15:1-3.
8. To gain confidence. 1 Cor. 10:32, 33.

### **Why is it our responsibility ?**

1. Our brothers keeper. Gen. 4:9.
2. Andrew's example. Jno. 1:40-42.
3. Christ's example. Lk. 19:10.
4. Philip's example. Jno. 1:45-48.
5. Paul's example. Acts 20:20-31.
6. Aquila and Priscilla. Acts 18:26.
7. Only means of reaching some. 1 Pet. 3:1-3.
8. Because much has been done for us. Ps. 51:13.

### **Why is not more done because of:**

1. Backsliding. Prov. 14:14.
2. Selfishness. Phil. 2:21.

3. Lack of preparation. Gal. 6:1.
4. Lack of interest. Ps. 142:4.
5. Lack of wisdom. Prov. 10:30.

**How do it.**

1. Not by sitting at naught. Lk. 18:9; Rom. 14:10.
2. By faith. Heb. 11:6.
3. With determination. 1 Cor. 2:2.
4. Personal contact. Mt. 18:15.
5. In meekness. Gal. 6:1; 2 Tim<sub>v</sub> 2:25.
6. By being gentle. 2 Tim. 2:24.
7. By meeting them equally. 1 Cor. 9: 20-22.
8. Interest in Lord's work. Rom. 9:2, 3; Acts 20:18-21.

## **PROMISED SALVATION**

**Text: Mark 16:16.**

**Why is this promise reliable?**

1. It is from the Lord. Rom. 4:13.
2. He is faithful. 1 Cor. 10:13.
3. It is sure. Rom. 4:16.

**This is a conditional promise.**

1. Waiting on the Lord. Prov. 20:22.
2. The preached gospel. Rom. 1:16; Acts 11:14.
3. Believing. Mk. 16:16; Acts 16:31.
4. Repentance. Lk. 13:5; Acts 3:19.
5. Confessing Christ. Rom. 10:9.
6. Baptism. Mk. 16:16.
7. Call on the, Lord. Acts 2:21; Rom. 10:13.
8. Grace. Acts 15:11.
9. Entering by Christ. John 10:9.



10. Love. 1 Tim. 2:15.
11. Sanctification. 1 Tim. 2:15.
12. Sobriety. 1 Tim. 2:15.
13. Continuing. 1 Tim. 4:16.
14. Righteous. Prov. 28:18.
15. Endurance. Mt. 24:13; 1 Cor. 3:15.
16. Being members of the church. Acts 2:47; Eph. 5:23.

**What kind** of salvation is this?

1. Not physical.
2. To the uttermost. Heb. 7:25.
3. Great. Heb. 2:1-3.
4. Common. Jude 3.
5. Eternal. Heb. 5:9.

## **PLANTING OUR GARDEN**

Texts: Gen. 2:8; Luke 13:19.

**What plant?**

1. Five rows of P's (Peas)
  - (a) Patience. Heb. 10:36.
  - (b) Purpose. Acts 11:23.
  - (c) Peace. 2 Cor. 13:11; Jas. 3:18.
  - (d) Promptness. Eccl. 5:4, 5.
  - (e) Prudence. Prov. 8:5, 12.
2. Five rows of let us (lettuce)
  - (a) Not be weary in well doing. Gal. 6:9.
  - (b) Draw near. Heb. 10:22.
  - (c) Consider. Heb. 10:24.
  - (d) Watch. 1 Thes. 5:6.
  - (e) Walk becomingly. Rom. 13:13.

3. Five hills of squash.
  - (a) Evil surmisings. 1 Tim. 6:4.
  - (b) Gossip. 1 Tim. 5:13.
  - (c) Indifference. Ps. 142:4; Phil. 2:20,21.
  - (d) Pride. Ps. 73:6.
  - (e) Murmuring. 1 Cor. 10:10  
Phil. 2:14.
4. Five rows of turn ups, (turnips)
  - (a) At every meeting. Heb. 10:25
  - (b) With good ideas. Prov. 14:22  
16:9.
  - (c) With enthusiasm. 2 Cor. 7:11.
  - (d) With good cheer. Prov. 15:13-  
15; 17:22.
  - (e) With determination to do  
right. 1 Cor. 2:2; Dan. 11:36.
5. Five plants of are to choke (arti-  
choke)
  - (a) Choke out evil with good.  
Rom. 12:21; 1 Jno.2:14.
  - (b) Choke out lust with the spirit.  
Gal. 5 :16, 17.
  - (c) Choke out darkness with light.  
Acts 26:18; 1 Pet. 2:9.
  - (d) Choke out stinginess with  
liberality. Rom. 12:8; 2 Cor.  
9:13.
  - (e) Choke out malice with love.  
Col. 3 :8, 14.
6. Five rows of rue. (Lk. 11:42.)
  - (a) Things done through hatred  
and envy. Gen. 42:2, 22.
  - (b) Having served other gods.  
Judges 10:10-16.

- (c) Having yielded to lust. 2 Sam. 12:11-15.
- (d) Not having heeded. 2 Chr. 33: 9-13.
- (e) Our ignorance. Job 42:1-6.

## **REPROVE AND REBUKE**

**Text: 2 Tim. 4:2.**

### **What kind are there ?**

1. Open. Prov. 27:5.
2. Wise. Prov. 25:12; Eccl. 7:5.
3. Sharp. Titus 1:13.
4. Wrathful. Ezek. 5:15; 25:17.
5. With authority. Titus 2:15.
6. With longsuffering. 2 Tim. 4:2.
7. With teaching. 2 Tim. 4:2.

### **Who reprove and rebuke?**

1. Not the Lord. Matt. 16:22.
2. Not an elder. 1 Tim. 5:1.
3. Our neighbor. Lev. 19:17.
4. A wise man. Prov. 9:8.
5. The proud. Psalms 119:21.
6. Erring brethren. Luke 17:3; 1 Tim. 5:20.
7. Works of darkness. Eph. 5:11.
8. Adders to God's word. Prov. 30:6.
9. The partial. Job 13:10.
10. Those we love. Prov. 3:12; Rev. 3:19.

### **What reproves and rebukes ?**

1. The scriptures. 2 Tim. 3:16, 17.
2. Backsliding. Jer. 2:19.
3. Instruction. Prov. 6:23.

### **What should be our attitude toward them?**

1. Not faint. Heb. 12:5.

2. Not hate the one who rebukes. Amos 5:10.
3. Not refuse them. Prov. 1:25.
4. Not forsake. Prov. 10:17.
5. Not despise. Prov. 1:30; 5:12.
6. Not harden our neck. Prov. 29:1.
7. Regard them. Prov. 13:18.
8. Love the one who reproves. Prov. 9:8.

## **RIGHT KIND OF RIGHTEOUSNESS**

**Text: Phil. 3:9.**

### **What kinds are there ?**

1. Hypocritical. Luke 20:20; 2 Cor. 11:14, 15.
2. Self. Luke 18:9-14; Prov. 12:15; 21:2.
3. Human. Prov. 14:12; Rom., 10:1-4.
4. Of the law. Rom. 9:31; Phil. 3:9.
5. Of faith. Rom. 4:11, 13; 9:30; 10: "6.

### **Which is right?**

1. Of faith. Phil. 3:7-9.

### **Examples of this righteousness:**

1. Noah.
  - (a) Building the ark. Gen. 6:22; 7:1; Heb. 11:7.
2. Abraham. Rom. 4:3, 9; 13:22.
  - (a) Leaving homeland. Heb. 11: 8.
  - (b) Having a son when old. Gen. 15:1; Rom. 4:18, 19.
  - (c) Offering Isaac. Heb. 11:17-19; Jas. 2:21-23.

### **Why have the righteousness of faith?**

1. Lest we be condemned. Luke 18:9-14.
2. Others can't save. Rom. 10:1-4; Titus 3:5.
3. Lest Christ died in vain. Gal. 2:21.
4. Others can't justify. Gal. 2:16; 3:11.
5. Lest we be cursed. Gal. 3:10; 11, 13.
6. It is revealed in the gospel. Rom. 1:16, 17.
7. It is of God. Rom. 10:3, 6; Phil. 3:9.
8. To lay hold. Phil. 3:9-12.
9. To be Abraham's seed. Gal. 3:9-16.
10. To have hope. Gal. 5:5.
11. To be blessed. Gal. 3:6-10.
12. To be heirs. Rom. 4:13-16; Gal. 3:26-29.

### **RATHER**

**Text: Heb. 12:9.**

#### **We should rather:**

1. Seek the kingdom. Luke 12:31.
2. Be justified. Luke 18:14.
3. Love light. John 3:19.
4. Give place to wrath. Rom. 12:19.
5. Follow godliness. 1 Tim. 4:7.
6. Give diligence. 2 Pet. 1:10.
7. Rejoice. Luke 10:20.
8. Be in subjection. Heb. 12:9.
9. Obey God. Acts 5:29.
10. Use the opportunity. 1 Cor. 7:21.
11. Glory in weakness. 2 Cor. 12:9.
12. Give thanks. Eph. 5:4.
13. Choose a good name. Prov. 22:1.

14. Get understanding. Prov. 16:16; 1 Cor. 14:19.
15. Receive knowledge. Prov. 8:10.
16. Choose favor. Prov. 22:1.
17. Be a doorkeeper. Psalms 84:10.
18. Justify God. Job 32:2.
19. Fear God. Matt. 10:28.
20. Reprove them. Eph. 5:11.
21. Be healed. Heb. 12:13.

### **Why do this?**

1. To live. Heb. 12:9.
2. To avoid falling. 2 Pet. 12:9.
3. Lest we be condemned. John 3 :19.
4. It is profitable. 1 Tim. 4:7, 8.
5. To show humility. Luke 18:14, 15.
6. To have things added. Luke 12:31.
7. To have power. 2 Cor. 12:9.
8. The Lord will recompense. Rom. 12:19.
9. It must be done. Acts 5:29.

## **REMINDERS**

**Text: 1 Tim. 4:6.**

### **Of what be reminded?**

1. To be in subjection to rulers. Titus 3:1.
2. To be obedient. Titus 3:1.
3. To be ready unto every good work. Titus 3:1.
4. To speak evil of no man. Titus 3 :2.
5. Not to be contentious. Titus 3:2.
6. To be gentle. Titus 3:2.
7. To show meekness. Titus 3 :2.
8. The danger of falling away. 1 Tim.

9. The danger of heeding wrong things. 1 Tim. 4:1-6.
10. The danger of forbidding to marry. 1 Tim. 4:1-6.
11. The danger of commanding wrongfully. 1 Tim. 4:1-6.
12. Things which are sanctified. 1 Tim. 4:1-6.
13. Christ's death. 1 Cor. 11.
14. Christ's resurrection. 2 Tim. 2:8, 14.
15. Christ's second coming.
16. That our works are evil. 3 John 10.
17. To suffer hardship. 2 Tim. 2:3, 14.
18. To avoid entanglements. 2 Tim. 2:4, 14.
19. To strive lawfully. 2 Tim. 2:5, 14.
20. To consider. 2 Tim. 2:7, 14.
21. That God's word is not bound. 2 Tim. 2:9, 14.
22. To endure. 2 Tim. 2:10, 12, 14.
23. Not to deny him. 2 Tim. 2:12-14.
24. That God is faithful. 2 Tim. 2:13, 14.
25. To use God's gift. 2 Tim. 1:6.
26. Paul's ways. 1 Cor. 4:17.
27. The words that were spoken. 2 Pet. 3:2; Jude 17.
28. That God is not slack. 2 Pet. 3 :8, 9.
29. That there will be mockers. Jude 17, 18.
30. The danger of being lost. Jude 5.

# RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHURCH

Text: Heb. 13:17.

## ■ As a school.

1. Teaching. Matt. 28:18-20; Eph. 3:10.
2. Discipline. 1 Cor. 5:1-7; 2 Thess. 3:6.
3. Inspiration. 2 Cor. 9:2; 2 Pet. 1:13; Heb. 10:24.

## As a body. Col. 1:18, 24.

1. Air. 1 Cor. 15:33.
2. Food. 1 Cor. 3:2; Heb. 5:12-14.
3. Exercise. 1 Tim. 4:7, 8.

## As a bride.

1. Adornment. Isa. 61:10; Rev. 21:2.
2. Love. Titus 2:4; 1 Cor. 7:34.
3. Fidelity. Prov. 31:11; Rom. 7:21.

## As a kingdom.

1. Obedience and submission. Matt. 6:10.
2. Fighting. John 18:36; 1 Tim. 6:12.
3. Support. Matt. 22:21; 1 Cor. 16:2.

## As a temple. 1 Cor. 3:16, 17.

1. Worship. John 4:23, 24.
2. Sacrifice. 1 Pet. 2:5.
3. Purity. 1 Cor. 3:17; Eph. 2:21.

## As a flock.

1. Feed. 1 Pet. 5:2; John 21:15-17.
2. Lead. John 10:3-5.
3. Protect. Acts 20:28-31.



**As a house. 1 Tim. 3:15.**

1. Support truth. 1 Tim. 3:15.
2. Refuge. Heb. 6:18.
3. Behavior. 1 Tim. 3:15.

**As a vineyard.**

1. Work. Matt. 21:28.
2. Fruit. Mark 12:2; John 15:8.
3. Rid it of pests. Song of S. 2:15; John 15:2.

**REJECTING, AND BEING  
REJECTED**

**Text: 1 Sam. 15:23.**

**What has God rejected?**

1. Wrong worship. Gen. 4:5.
2. Saul. 1 Sam. 15:23; 16:1.
3. Seed of Israel. 2 Kings 17:20.
4. Confidences. Jer. 2:37.
5. Esau. Heb. 12:17.
6. Thorns. Heb. 6:8.

**What has man rejected ?**

1. God. 1 Sam. 8:7; 10:19.
2. Christ. Isa. 53:3; Matt. 8:31.
3. God's word. 1 Sam. 15:23.
4. Covenants. 2 Kings 17:15.
5. Knowledge. Hosea 4:6.
6. Commandments. Mark 7:9.
7. God's counsel. Luke 7:30.
8. The stone. Matt. 21:42; Mark 12:10.
9. Heretics. Titus 3:10.
10. First pledge. 1 Tim. 5:11.

**Why were they rejected ?**

1. It was not of faith. Gen. 4:5; Heb. 11:4.

2. Because of disobedience. 1 Sam. 15:20.
3. For a lack of appreciation. Heb. 12:15-17.
4. Because of ignorance. Luke 20:17; Hosea 4:6.
5. For lack of self-control. 1 Cor. 9:27.
6. To keep our traditions. Mark 7:9.

**The results:**

1. Condemnation. 1 Tim. 5:12.
2. Cursed. Heb. 6:8.
3. Evil. Jer. 6:19.
4. Lamentations. Jer. 7:29.
5. Shame. Psalms 53:5.
6. Punishment. Amos 2:4.
7. Destruction. Jer. 15:6.

**REAL VALUES OF WORTH**

**Text: Matt. 10:31.**

1. The widow's mite. Mk. 12:43.
2. The soul vs. the world. Mt. 16:26.
3. Men vs. birds. Mt. 6:26.
4. Men vs. sheep. Mt. 12:12.
5. Service vs. position. Mk. 9:33-37.
6. Love vs. other motives. 1 Cor. 13.
7. Spiritual vs. material. Mt. 10:21; 18:8.
8. Good name vs. riches. Prov. 22:1.
9. Wisdom vs. other things. Prov. 3:13-15.
10. Love vs. sacrifice. Mt. 12:33.
11. Obedience vs. sacrifice. 1 Sam. 15.
12. Mercy vs. sacrifice. Mt. 9:13.
13. Justice, mercy and faith vs. tithing. Mt. 23 :23.

14. Life vs. possessions. Lk. 12:15-21.
15. Christ's blood vs. animal blood. Heb. 10:4.
16. Body vs. raiment. Mt. 6:25; Lk. 12:23.
17. Life vs. meat. Mt. 6:25; Lk. 12:23.
18. Kingdom vs. our needs. Mt. 6:33.
19. Eternal vs. temporal. 2 Cor. 4:18.
20. Giving vs. receiving. Acts 20:35.
21. Builder vs. building. Heb. 3:3.
22. God vs. pleasure. 2 Tim. 3 :4.
23. Creator vs. creature. Rom. 1:25.
24. Divine glory vs. human glory. Jno. 12:43.
25. Love of God vs. love of folk. Mt. 10:36.
26. Obedience to God vs. obedience to man. Acts 5 :29.
27. Divine judgment vs. human. 1 Cor. 4:3, 4.

## **RESOLUTIONS**

**Text: Luke 16:4.**

### **Who made resolutions?**

1. Joseph. Gen. 50:21.
2. Joshua. Josh. 24:15.
3. Samson. Judges 16:20.
4. David. 1 Sam. 17:32.
5. Gehazi. 2 Kings 5:20.
6. Daniel. Dan. 1:8.
7. Three Hebrew children. Dan. 3:18.
8. Rich farmer. Lk. 12:18.
9. Prodigal son. Lk. 15:18.
10. Unjust steward. Lk. 16:4.
11. Zachaeus. Lk. 19:8.
12. Peter. Matt. 26:23, 35.

13. Paul. Phil. 3:14, 15.
14. Gain seekers. Jas. 4:13-15.

**What** made some wrong?

1. Selfishness. 2 Kings 5:20; Lk. 12:18-20.
2. Being without God. Judges 16:20.
3. Over-confidence. Mt. 26:35, 69-75.
4. Being contrary to God's will. Jas. 4:13-15.

What caused some to succeed?

1. Faith. 1 Sam. 17:32-36.
2. Kindness. Gen. 50:21.
3. Wisdom. Lk. 16:1-9.
4. Sincerity. Josh. 24:14, 15.
5. Humility. Lk. 15:18-25.
6. Real friends. Lk. 16:1-9.
7. Determination. Phil. 3:8-14.
8. God's help. Heb. 13 :6.

## **SUPPERS OF THE BIBLE**

**What** are they?

1. Material. Luke 14:12-15.
2. Gospel. Luke 14:15-24.
3. Lord's. 1 Cor. 12:20.
4. Of the Lamb. Rev. 19:7-9.
5. Of God. Rev. 19:17.

Material, to be:

1. Without expectation. Luke 14:12-15.

Gospel consists of a feast of:

1. Remission. Acts 2:38.
2. Joy. Acts 8:16.
3. Peace.

4. Hope.
5. Blessing.

**Can be refused for:**

1. Farm. Luke 14:18.
2. Oxen. Luke 14:19.
3. Wife. Luke 14:20.

**Lord's supper.**

1. Memorial. Luke 22:19.
2. Observe with discernment. 1 Cor. 11:29.
3. Observed regularly. Acts 20:7.

**Of the Lamb.**

1. Last forever. Prov. 15:15.
2. Is a blessing. Rev. 19:7.
3. Will be missed:
  - (a) Because of other interests. Matt. 22:5.
  - (b) Because of carelessness. Matt. 25:1-12.
  - (c) Unworthiness. Matt. 22:9-22.
  - (d) Lack of appreciation. Matt. 22:6-9.
  - (e) Unwillingness. Matt. 22:3.

**Marriage suppers.**

1. Jacob's. Gen. 29:22.
2. Samson's. Judg. 14:12.
3. Esther's. Esth. 2:18.
4. At Cana. John 2:1-10.

## **SOME GREAT THINGS**

**What is great?**

1. God. Psalms 48:1; 95:3; 145:3;  
Titus 2:13.

2. Christ. Luke 1:32.
3. Shepherd. Heb. 13:20.
4. Work. Neh. 6:3.
5. Reward. Matt. 5:12; Heb. 10:35.
6. Transgression. Psalms 19:13; 25:11.
7. Salvation. Heb. 2:3.
8. Mercy. 1 Pet. 1:3.
9. Promises. 2 Pet. 1:4.
10. Priest. Heb. 4:14; 10:21.
11. Thanks. Psalms 109:30.
12. Fear. Psalms 53:5; Acts 5:5-11.
13. Day. Jude 6; Rev. 6:17.
14. Love. Eph. 2:4.
15. Faith. Matt. 8:10; Luke 7:9.
16. Boldness. 2 Cor. 3:12; 7:4; 1 Tim. 3:13.
17. House. 2 Tim. 2:20.
18. Joy. Matt. 2:10; 1 Pet. 1:8; Acts 8:8.
19. Strength. Psalms 33:16, 17.
20. Confidence. 2 Cor. 8:22.
21. Gain. 1 Tim. 6:6.
22. Door. 1 Cor. 16:9.
23. Grace. Acts 4:33.
24. Gulf. Luke 16:26.
25. Zeal. Col. 4:13.
26. Grief. Job 2:13.
27. Persons. Matt. 5:19; 20:26.

## **SINGING AND PRAISING**

**Text: Psalms 40:3; Neh. 12:46.**

### **Why sing?**

1. Not just to entertain men.
2. To praise God. Heb. 2:12.
3. To teach. Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16.

4. To imitate Christ.
5. To follow the early church. Acts 2:47.
6. God is bountiful. Psalms 13:61.
7. God has triumphed. Ex. 15:21.
8. We believe. Psalms 106:12.
9. We are in the right way. Isa. 35 :8-10.
10. God rules and helps. Psalms 67:4; 2g .7
11. We fear God. Rev. 19:5.
12. It may lead to victory. 2 Chron. 20:20-23.
13. We seek an abiding city. Heb. 13:14, 15.
14. To sing the new song. Rev. 15 :3.

#### **How should we sing?**

1. With the spirit. 1 Cor. 14:15.
2. With the understanding. 1 Cor. 14:15.
3. With grace. Col. 3:16.
4. With gladness. 2 Chron. 29, 30.

#### **When should we sing?**

1. With the spirit. 1 Cor. 14:15.  
Heb. 2:12.
2. When happy. Job 29:13; Jas. 5 :13.
3. While persecuted. Acts 16:25.
4. In the morning. Psalms 59:16.
5. All our lives. Psalms 89:1; 10\_4:33.
6. Even in the night. Psalms 42:8.

#### **Who will sing?**

1. Those who are merry. Jas. 5 :13.
2. The righteous. Prov. 29:6.

3. Christians. Psalms 30:4; Acts 2:47; Eph. 5:10.
4. God's servants. Rev. 19:5; Isa. 65:19.

## SO

**Text: Matt. 5:16.**

1. Think:
  - (a) Soberly. Rom. 12:3.
  - (b) Not too highly. Rom. 12:3.
  - (c) As the Lord. Isa. 55 :8,9; Phil. 2:5.
2. Believe:
  - (a) As preached. 1 Cor. 15:11.
  - (b) As to work. Jas. 2:17-26.
  - (c) As to be happy. Rom. 15:13.
- ' (a) As God. John 12:50; 1 Pet. 4:11.
  - (b) As to be understood. 1 Cor. 14:9.
  - (c) As to convince. Acts 14:1.
  - (d) As men to be judged. Jas. 2:12.
4. Do:
  - (a) As men to be judged. Jas. 2:12.
  - (b) As wise stewards. Luke 12:35-48.
  - (c) As servants of Christ. Eph. 6:5,9.
  - (d) Effectually. 1 Cor. 9:24-27.
5. Love:
  - (a) As Christ. John 13:34; Eph. 5:25-32.



- (b) As God. 1 John 4:11.
- (c) Not hypocritically. Rom. 12:9; 1 John 3:18.
- 6. Forgive:
  - (a) As the Lord. Col. 3:13.
  - (b) From the heart. Matt. 18:35.
- 7. Give:
  - (a) As prospered. 1 Cor. 16:1, 2.
  - (b) As purposed. 2 Cor. 9:7.
  - (c) Cheerfully. 2 Cor. 9:7.
- 8. Shine:
  - (a) As to be seen. Matt. 5:16.
  - (b) As Paul. Acts 20:35.
  - (c) As not to condemn self. 1 Cor. 11:26-29.

## **SYMBOLS**

**Text: Heb. 9:9.**

### **Of Christ.**

1. The lion. Rev. 5 :5.
2. The lamb. John 1:29.
3. The prophet. John 3:2; Acts 3:22, 23.
4. The priest. Heb. 2:17; 3:1.
5. The king. John 18:33-37.
6. The creator. Eph. 2:15.
7. The judge. 2 Tim. 4:8.
8. The sun. Mal. 4:2.
9. The vine. John 15:1, 5.
10. The shepherd. John 10:11; 1 Pet. 5:4.

### **Of the church.**

1. The body. Eph. 1:23; Col. 1:18, 24.
2. The temple. 1 Cor. 3:16, 17; Heb. 9:9.

3. The family. Eph. 3:15.
4. The husbandry. 1 Cor. 3 :9.
5. The bride. Eph. 5 :31, 32; Rev. 21:7.
6. The house. 1 Tim. 3:15.
7. The assembly. Heb. 10:25; 12:23.
8. The flock. Acts 20:28.
9. The kingdom. Matt. 13:38; 16:18, 19.

### **Of the Word.**

1. Mirror. Jas. 1:23-25.
2. Fire. Psalms 147:18; **Jer. 23:29.**
3. Hammer. Jer. 23 :29.
4. Sword. Eph. 6:17; Heb. **4:12.**
5. Seed. Luke 8:11; 1 Pet. 1:23.
6. Runner. Psalms 147:15; 2 **Thess. 3:1.**
7. Light. Psalms 119:105.

## **STRANGE THINGS**

**Text: 1 Peter 4:12.**

### **Some strange things.**

1. Fire. Lev. 10:1; Num. 26:61.
2. Incense. Exodus 30:9.
3. Speech. Ezek. 3:5, 6.
4. Things. Luke 5:26; Acts 17:20; 1 Pet. 4:12.
5. Teaching. Heb. 13 :9.
6. Flesh. Jude 7.
7. Thinking. 1 Pet. 4:4, 12.
8. Works. Isa. 28:21.
9. Gods. Jer. 5:19; Acts 17:18.
10. Way. Prov. 21:8.
11. Children. Psalms 144:7; Hosea 5:7.

12. Land. Psalms 137:4; Acts 7:6.
13. Vine. Jer. 2:21.
14. Acts. Isa. 28:21.
15. Apparel. Zeph. 1:8.
16. Cities. Acts 26:11.
17. Breath. Job 19:17.
18. Waters. 2 Kings 19:24.
19. Tongue. Isa. 33:19.
20. Lips. Isa. 28:11.
21. Women. Prov. 5:3; 7:5.

#### **Why and how avoid strange things ?**

1. They are dangerous. Prov. 5:3, 4; 22:14.
2. Lest we be punished. Jude 7.
3. We are so commanded. Heb. 13 :9.
4. Lest we be destroyed. Lev. 10:1, 2.
5. Lest bitterness comes. Prov. 5:3, 4.
6. By wisdom. Prov. 7:4, 5.
7. By establishing our hearts. Heb. 13:9.

### **SPIRITUAL IMMUNITY**

**Text: Psalms 119:11; 1 John 3:9.**

#### **What immunizes from:**

1. Sin—Being full of God's word. Ps. 119:11; 1 Jno. 3:9.
2. Fear—Trusting God. Isa. 12:2.
3. Doubt—Living faith. Jas. 1:6.
4. Ignorance—Knowledge.
5. Darkness—Light. Acts 26:18.
6. Carnality—Spirituality. 1 Cor. 3: 1.
7. Stumbling—Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-10.

8. Carelessness—Real interest.
9. Hatred—Love.
10. Envy—Good will.
11. Pride—Humility. Jas. 4:6.
12. Evil—Good. Rom. 12:21.
13. Stinginess—Liberality.
14. Wavering—Steadfastness.
15. Fainting—Courage. Luke 21 :26.
16. Weakness—Strength.
17. Slothfulness—Work.
18. Foolishness—Wisdom.
19. Bigotry—Meekness.
20. Boasting—Modesty.
21. Lying—Truthfulness.
22. Neglect—Promptness. Matt. 3:14.
23. Coldness—Fervency. Matt. 24:12;  
1 Pet. 4:8.
24. Grudging—Cheerfulness. 2 Cor. 9:  
7.
25. Despair—Hope.
26. Error—Truth.

## **SLOTHFULNESS**

**Text: Matt. 25:27.**

### **What causes slothfulness?**

1. Fear. Prov. 22:13; 26:13; Matt. 25:25.
2. Weariness. Prov. 26:15; 19:24.
3. Conceit. Prov. 26:16.
4. Winter. Prov. 20:4.
5. Love of sleep. Prov. 19:15; 20:13.
6. Refusing to work. Prov. 21 :25.

### **In what can we be slothful?**

1. Knowledge. Matt. 25:25-27.
2. Believing. Luke 24:25.

3. Obedience. Heb. 2:2, 3.
4. Giving. Prov. 21:25, 26.
5. Work. 2 Chron. 15:7; Eccl. 10:18.
6. Praying. Psalms 77:2.
7. Business. Rom. 12:11.
8. Going. Josh. 18:3; Jud. 18:9.

What are the results ?

1. Poverty. Prov. 10:4; 20:31.
2. Want. Prov. 6:9-11; 24:33, 34.
3. Shame. Prov. 10:5.
4. Loss. Matt. 25:26-28.
5. Suffering. Prov. 10:26; 15:19; 19:15.
6. Decoy. Eccl. 10:18.
7. Disappointment. Prov. 13:4; 20:4.
8. Neglect. Prov. 24:30, 31.
9. Becoming busy-bodies. 1 Tim. 5:13; 2 Thess. 3:11.
10. Cast out. Matt. 25:26-30.

How can it be avoided ?

1. By adding Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-8.
2. By having God in our midst. Zeph. 3:16, 17.
3. By becoming wise. Prov. 6:6.
4. By looking well. Prov. 31:27.
5. By acting quickly. Josh. 10:6.
6. By diligence. Heb. 6:11, 12.

## **SAVED BY SEVEN**

Text: Acts 8:26-39.

1. Saved by an angel:
  - (a) Sent the preacher to teach the lost. Acts 8:26.
  - (b) Made his contribution through the preacher.

2. Holy Spirit:
  - (a) Holy Spirit sent Philip to lost Eunuch. Acts 8:29.
  - (b) Holy Spirit made his contribution through Philip.
3. Saved by preacher:
  - (a) Taught him. Acts 8:27-35.
  - (b) Baptized him. Acts 8:26-39.
4. Saved by scriptures:
  - (a) Preached scriptures. Acts 8:35.
  - (b) Saved through gospel. Rom. 1:16; 1 Cor. 1:21.
5. Saved by Jesus:
  - (a) Philip preached Jesus. Acts 8:35.
  - (b) Jesus able to save. Heb. 7:25.
  - (c) Jesus only Savior.
6. Saved by God:
  - (;) Philip preached Jesus as God's son. Acts 8:37.
  - (b) Eunuch believed and confessed Jesus as God's Son.
7. Saved by himself:
  - (a) By hearing. Acts 8:26-36.
  - (b) By believing. Acts 8:37.
  - (c) By confessing. Acts 8:37.
  - (d) By being baptized. Acts 8:38.

## **SINNERS**

**How do people become sinners?**

1. By transgression. 1 John 3:4.
2. By disobedience. Rom. 5:19.
3. By presumption. Psalms 19:3:  
Rom. 14:22,

**What can they do?**

1. Entice. Prov. 1:10.
2. Gainsay. Heb. 12:3; Jude 15.
3. Love those who love them. Luke 6:32.
4. Do good to them who do them good. Luke 6:33.
5. Lend to receive again. Luke 6:34.
6. Destroy much good. Eccl. 9:18.
7. Not stand in congregation. Psalms 1:5.
8. Feel safe. Amos 9:10.
9. Hear Christ. Luke 15:1.

**What shall happen to them ?**

1. Evil shall pursue. Prov. 13:21.
2. Fear. Isa. 33:14.
3. God will not hear them. John 9:31.
4. Judged and convicted. Jude 15.
5. They will not stand. 1 Pet. 4:18.
6. Death. Amos 9:10.
7. Destruction. Isa. 1:28; 13:9.

**What do they need ?**

1. A law, 1 Tim. 1:9.
2. Christ to die for them. Rom. 5:8.
3. Mercy, Luke 18:13; 1 Tim. 1:15, 16.
4. To be called. Matt. 9:13.
5. Repentance. Luke 15:7, 10.
6. Cleansing. Jas. 4:8.
7. Converting. James 5:20; Psalms 51:13.
8. Saving. 1 Tim. 1:15.
9. Faith. Luke 7:37-50.
10. To come to Jesus in love and penitance, Luke 7:37-50.

### **What should be our attitude to them?**

1. Not to encourage them in wrong.  
Prov. 1:10.
2. Not envy. Prov. 23:19.
3. Teach them. Psalms 25:8; 51:13.
4. Convert. Psalms 51:13; Jas. 5:20.
5. Save. Jas. 5:20.
6. Rejoice at their repentance.  
Luke 3:2; 15:7.

## **SHOWING**

**Text: Acts 18:28.**

### **What are we to show?**

1. His praise. Psalms 9:14; 79:13.
2. His faithfulness. Psalms 92:2.
3. His salvation. Psalms 50:23; 96:2;  
Acts 16:17.
4. His excellencies. 1 Pet. 3 :9.
5. God's works. Luke 8:39.
6. Mercy. Luke 10:37; Jas. 2:13.
7. Jesus, in the Christ. Acts 18:28.
8. Christ's death. 1 Cor. 11:26.
9. Faith. Jas. 2:18.
10. Righteousness. Psalms 92:15;  
Prov. 12:17.
11. Kindness. Acts 28:2.
12. Meekness. Titus 3:2.
13. Piety. 1 Tim. 5 :4.
14. Love. 2 Cor. 8:24; Heb. 6:10.
15. Fidelity. Titus 2:10.
16. Ourselves approved. 2 Tim. 2:15.
17. Good example. Titus 2:7.
18. Uncorruptness. Titus. 2:7.
19. Diligence. Heb. 6:11.
20. Our works. Heb. 6:10; Jas. 3:13.



### **How do this?**

1. By studying. 2 Tim. 2:15.
2. By preaching. Acts 16:13-17.
3. By the scriptures. Acts 18:28.
4. By speaking the truth. Prov. 12:17.
5. By thanksgiving and praise. Psalms 92:1, 2.
6. By a good life. Jas. 3:13.
7. By partaking of the Lord's supper. 1 Cor. 11:26.
8. By ministering. Luke 10:34-37; Heb. 6:10.
9. By our works. Jas. 2:18.

## **SEARCHING**

**Text: 1 Pet. 1:10, 11.**

### **Who is to search?**

1. God. Psalms 139:23; Jer. 17:10.
2. Man. Lam. 3:40; John 5:39.
3. The Spirit. 1 Cor. 2:10.

### **What does God search?**

1. Whom we serve. Psalms 44:21.
2. People. Psalms 139:1, 23.
3. Our path. Psalms 139:3.
4. Sins. Job 10:6.
5. The mind. Jer. 17:10.
6. Hearts. 1 Chron, 28:9; Rom. 8:27.
7. His sheep. Ezek. 34:11.

### **What are we to search?**

1. Not evil. Prov. 11:27.
2. Not our glory. Prov. 25:27.
3. Not God, directly. Job 11:7.
4. For what is good for us. Eccl. 2:3.
5. Our ways. Lam. 3:40.

6. The sheep. Ezek. 34:6.
7. Our neighbors. Prov. 18:17.
8. Things done. Eccl. 1:13.
9. For the reason. Eccl. 7:25.
10. Our iniquities. Psalms . 64:6.
11. The scriptures. John 5:39; Acts 17:11.
12. Wisdom. Prov. 2:2-4.
13. The worthy. Matt. 10:11.
14. In most parts. Prov. 20:27.
15. Concerning salvation. 1 Pet. 1:10.

### **How search?**

1. Diligently. Psalms 64:6; 77:6; 1 Pet. 1:10.
2. Wholeheartedly. Deut. 4:29; Jer. 29:13.
3. By wisdom. Eccl. 1:13.

### **Why search ?**

1. To turn to God. Lam. 3 :40.
2. To see if it is so. Acts 17:11.
3. To know. Psalms 139:1, 23.
4. To find. Deut. 4:29; Jer. 29:13.

## **SOME THINGS TO BE DONE**

### **What is to be done?**

1. Something in us.
2. Somethings by us.
3. Somethings for us.

### **What is done in us ?**

1. Word put in heart. Heb. 8:10; 10:16.
2. God's love and fear put in us. Jer. 32:40; Rom. 5:5.

How is it done?

1. By the Spirit. 2 Cor. 3:5.
2. By preaching. Luke 8:1-15.

**Why is it done ?**

1. Lest we sin. Psalms 119:40.
2. To overcome. 1 John 2:14.
3. To will and work. Phil. 2:13.
4. To move us. Heb. 11:7.
5. To save. Mk. 4:15; Lk. 8:12.
6. To be faithful. Jer. 32:40.

**What is done by us?**

1. Believe. Mk. 16:16.
2. Repent. Mt. 21:29.
3. Confess. Rom. 10:9, 10.
4. Be baptized. Mk. 16:16.
5. Be faithful. Matt. 25 :21; Rev. 2:10.

How are they done?

1. With all the heart. Acts 8:37; Rom. 6:17.
2. Scripturally. Mt. 21:29.
3. With the mouth. Rom. 10 ;10.
4. By being buried. Rom. 6:3, 4.

Why do these things ?

1. To be saved. Mk. 16:16.
2. To have life. Acts 11:18:
3. To enter the kingdom. John 3:5.

**What is done for us ?**

1. Sins remitted. Acts 2:38.
2. Holy Spirit given. Acts 2:38.
3. Eternal life given. 1 John 5:11.
4. Received into heaven. Matt. 25:21, 34.
5. Crowned. 2 Tim. 4;8;

## STARS

Text: Rev. 2:28; 22:16.

### What kinds are there?

1. Natural. Gen. 1:16.
2. Idolatrous. Amos 5:26, 27.
3. Wormwood. Rev. 8:10, 11.
4. Apollyon. Rev. 9:1-11.
5. Wandering. Jude **13**.
6. Righteous. Dan. 12:3.
7. Out of Jacob. Num. 24:17.
8. Christ's. Matt. **2:1-10**.
9. Morning star. Rev. 2:28; 22:16.
10. Day star. 2 Pet. 1:19.

### Why reject the bad ones ?

1. Lest we be punished. Acts 7:43.
2. Lest bitterness come. Rev. 8:10, **11**.
3. Lest we enter darkness. Jude 13.
4. Lest we be tormented. Rev. 9:1-11.

### What do with the good stars?

1. Appreciate them—Not like Herod and Jews.
2. Seek it. Matt. 2:7.
3. Win them:
  - (a) By converting others. Dan. 12:3.
  - (b) By overcoming. Rev. 2:28.
  - (c) By faithfulness. Rev. 2:28.
4. Let it lead us to Christ:
  - (a) To peace. Luke 2:14; Eph. 2:14.
  - (b) To hope. Col. 1:27.
  - (c) To salvation. Acts 4:12.
  - (d) To joy. Matt. 2:10.

- (e) To liberality. Matt. 2:11.
- (f) To heaven. John 8:21; 14:3.

## **SALVATION IN HEBREWS**

### **What kind is it?**

1. Great. Heb. 2:3.
2. Revealed. Heb. 2:3.
3. Universal. Heb. 5:9.
4. Eternal. Heb. 5:9.
5. Present. Heb. 6:9.
6. Complete. Heb. 7:25.
7. Future. Heb. 9:28.
8. Typified. Heb. 11:7.

### **What is revealed about salvation?**

- 1 • The cost.
  - (a) Christ's blood. Heb. 9:26, 28.
2. The cause:
  - (a) The Christ. Heb. 5:9.
3. The captain:
  - (a) The Christ. Heb. 2:10.
4. The conditions:
  - (a) Hearing. Heb. 2:1-3.
  - (b) Faith. Heb. 10:39.
  - (c) Godly fear. Heb. 11:7.
  - (d) Entering the church. Heb. 11:7.
  - (e) Being a member of the family. Heb. 11:7.
  - (f) Obedience. Heb. 5:9.
  - (g) Works. Heb. 6:9, 10.
  - (h) Love. Heb. 6:9, 10.
  - (i) Drawing near. Heb. 7:25.
  - (j) Waiting. Heb. 9:28.
5. The importance:
  - (a) No escape without it. Heb. 2:3.

6. The blessings:
  - (a) Service of angels. Heb. 1:14.
  - (b) Better things:
    1. Remembrance. Heb. 6:9, 10.
    2. Hope. Heb. 6:9-11.
    - (c) Intercession. Heb. 7:25.

## **SCRIPTURES**

**Text: 2 Tim. 3:16, 17.**

### **Characteristics of the scriptures:**

1. Holy. 2 Tim. 3:15; Rom. 1:2.
2. Cannot be broken. John 10:35.
3. Inspired. 2 Tim. 3:16.
4. Foreseeing. Gal. 3:8.
5. Patient. Rom. 15:4.

### **What can be done with them?**

1. Known. 2 Tim. 3:15.
2. Searched. Acts 17:11.
3. Expounded. Luke 24:27.
4. Read. Matt. 21:42.
5. Fulfilled. Luke 4:21.
6. Believed. John 2:22.
7. Understood. Luke 24:45.
8. Opened. Luke 24:32.
9. Wrested. 2 Pet. 3:16.
10. Become mighty in them. Acts 18:24.
11. Preached. Acts 8:35.

### **What can they do for us?**

1. Make us wise. 2 Tim. 3:15.
2. Comfort. Rom. 15:4.
3. Bear witness. John 5:39.
4. Keep us right. Acts 17:11; 2 Tim. 3:16.
5. Teach. 2 Tim. 3:16.

6. Reprove. 2 Tim. 3:16.
7. Make complete. 2 Tim. 3:16, 17.
8. Completely furnish. 2 Tim. 3:16, 17.

## **SEE THAT YOU**

**Text: 1 Thess. 5:15.**

### **See that:**

1. You do not refuse him. Heb. 12: 25.
2. You do all you ought. Ex. 4:21.
3. You walk circumspectly. Eph. 5:15.
4. You despise not. Matt. 18:10.
5. Ye render not evil. 1 Thess. 5:15.
6. Ye follow after good. 1 Thess. 5: 15.
7. Ye worship not man, but God. Rev. 19:10; 22:9.
8. Ye abound in giving. 2 Cor. 8:7.
9. Wives reverence husbands. Eph. 5 : 33.
10. We follow the pattern. Heb. 8:5.
11. Ye are not guilty. Matt. 27:4, 24.
12. Ministers abide without fear. 1 Cor. 16:10.
13. Ye are not troubled. Matt. 24:6.
14. Ye are ready. Matt. 24:44.
15. Ye are busy. 1 Cor. 15:58; 2 Thess. 3:11,12.
16. Your light shines. Matt. 5:15, 16.
17. Ye do not fall out. Gen. 45:24.
18. Ye are not stumbling-blocks. Rom. 14:13.
19. You are right. Matt. 7:3-5; Acts 8:21.
20. Ye watch: Rev. 3:2, 3; Mark 13: 37.

- (a) Your tongue. Psalms 141:3;  
Prov. 21:23; 13:3.
- (b) Your pride. Psalms 73:6.
- (c) Your heart. Prov, 4:23.
- (d) Your company. 1 Cor. 15:33.
- (e) Your habits.
- (f) Your garments. Rev. 16:15.
- (g) Your influence. Rom. 14:20,  
21.
- (h) Your interest. Rev. 3:15, 16.
- (i) Your faith. Jas. 2:14-18.
- (j) Works. Rev. 3:2, 3.

## **SEED OF THE KINGDOM**

Seed is important:

1. Because it is the continuation of life.

**What kind of seed is it?**

1. Right. Jer. 2:21.
2. Godly. Mal. 2:15.
3. Good. Matt. 13 :37.
4. Incorruptible. 1 Pet. 1:23.
5. Of the kingdom. Matt. 13:17: Luke

**What will it produce ?**

1. Christians. Matt. 13:37.
2. Fruit. Mark. 4:20.
3. Righteousness. 2 Cor. 9:10; 1 John 3:9.

**What** is necessary for it to produce?

1. Sowing.
2. Hearing.
3. Understanding.
4. Believing. 1 John 5:1.



5. Accepting.
6. Depth of soil.
7. Care and lust free.
8. Pest or frustration.
9. Good and honest heart.
10. Hold fast.

**Its development it called:**

1. Begetting.
2. Planting.
3. Growing.
4. Bearing fruit.

## **SEED**

**Text: Gal. 3:16, 19, 29.**

**What is it?**

1. Christ. Gal. 3:16.
2. Fleshly descendants.
3. The word. Luke 8:11; 1 Pet. 1:23.
4. Evil children. Psalms 37:28; Isa. 1:4.
5. Spiritual children. Matt. 13:38; Gal. 3:29; Prov. 11:21.
6. Our works. Eccl. 11:6; 2 Cor. 9:10; Jas. 3:18; Gal. 6:7, 5.

**Christ is the:**

1. Seed of woman. Gen. 3:15.
2. Seed of Abraham. Gal. 3:16.
3. Seed of David. John 7:42; Rom. 1:3, 4; 2 Tim. 2:8.
4. Seed of promise. Gal. 3:19.
5. Seed of God. Matt. 1:20; Luke 1:35.

**The word:**

1. Is incorruptible. 1 Pet. 1:23.
2. It begets. 1 Pet. 1:23.
3. It saves. Jas. 1:21; Luke 8:11, 12.
4. It keeps from sin. Psalms 119:11; 1 John 3:9.
5. It produces fruit. Mark 4:20; Luke 8:11,15.
6. But to do so, it must be sown. Mark 4:14, 15.
7. It must be heard. Luke 8:15.
8. It must be believed. Luke 8:12.
9. It must be accepted. Mark 4:20.
10. It must be obeyed. 1 Pet. 1:22, 23.
11. It must be held fast. Luke 8:15; 1 John 3:9.

**Spiritual seed:**

1. Are Christ's. Matt. 13:37; Gal. 3:29.
2. Are heirs. Gal. 3:39.

**SOMETHING OR NOTHING:  
WHICH?**

**Text: Gal. 6:3.**

**What is nothing?**

1. Idols. 1 Cor. 8:4.
2. False prophets. Isa. 41:24.
3. Circumcision. 1 Cor. 7:19.
4. The sinner. Rom. 3:9-18.
5. Man without love. 1 Cor. 13 :2.
6. Man without good influence. Matt. 5:13.

**Who is something?**

1. The Believer. Heb. 11:6.
2. The Obedient. 1 Cor. 7:19.

3. The Righteous. Matt. 25:46.
4. The Christian. 1 Cor. 3:21-23.
5. The Spiritual. 2 Cor. 6:4-10.
6. The Humble. Matt. 18:4.
7. The Servant. Matt. 20:26, 27.

### **In nothing**

1. Be ashamed. Phil. 1:20.
2. Doubting. Acts 10:20; James 1:6.
3. Be anxious. Phil. 4:6.
4. Be afraid. Phil. 1:28.
5. Be deterred in purpose. Gen. 11:6.
6. Be factious. Phil. 2:3.
7. Be partial. 1 Tim. 5:21.
8. Be rash. Acts 19:36.

### **Nothing**

1. Is known. Prov. 9:13; 1 Tim. 6:4.
2. Is brought in. 1 Tim. 6:7.
3. Is carried out. Ps. 49:17; Eccl. 5:15.
4. Is clean, pure. Tit. 1:15.
5. Can be done without God and Christ. John 9:33; 15:5.
6. Should be judged before time. 1 Cor. 4:5.
7. Is gained. John 6:63. Gal. 5:2.

## **STRENGTHENING THE CHURCH**

**Text: Rev. 3:2.**

### **What needs strengthening?**

1. Not numbers alone. Deut. 7:7.
2. Not material possessions alone. Rev. 3:17.
3. Not popularity. 1 Cor. 1:26.

4. Not worldly wisdom. 1 Cor. 1:20, 21.
5. Knowledge of the truth. 1 Cor. 8:7.
6. Faith. Rom. 14:1-2.
7. Love. 1 John 3:17.
8. Zeal. Heb. 6:11, 12.
9. Giving. Mal. 3:8-10; 2 Cor. 8:7.
10. Spirituality. 1 Cor. 3:1-3.
11. Unity. 1 Cor. 1:11, 12.
12. Purity. 2 Cor. 7:1.
13. Friendliness. Jas. 2:1-4.
14. Worship. 1 Cor. 11:29,30.
15. Stakes. Isa. 54:2.

#### **What strengthens?**

1. The word. 1 John 2:14.
2. Wisdom. Eccl. 7:19; Col. 1:9-11; Prov. 24:5.
3. Encouragement. Psalms 138:2, 3
4. Prayers answered. Psalms 138:2
5. God's promises. Isa. 35:4.
6. The spirit. Eph. 3:16.
7. Example. Luke 22:32.

#### **Who is to strengthen?**

1. Self. Isa. 30:2; Rev. 3:2; Neh. 2:18.
2. Brethren. Luke 22:32; Acts 18:23.

#### **Why strengthen the church?**

1. Lest it die. Rev. 3:1-3.
2. That it may shine. Phil. 2:14, IS.
3. To be more useful. Acts 2:46, 47.
4. So it can overcome. 1 John 2:14.
5. So Christ will accept it. Eph. 7:26.

# SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES

Text: John 5:39.

How search the scriptures? Deut. 17:19;

## **Josh. 1:8.**

1. Systematically—Soberly.
2. Earnestly—Eagerly.
3. Accurately—Assuredly.
4. Reverently—Retentively.
5. Carefully—Constantly.
6. Humbly—Honestly.
7. Impartially—Immediately.
8. Not superficially—Nobly.
9. Gladly—Guided.

Why search the scriptures?

1. To know:
  - (a) God.
  - (b) Christ.
  - (c) Nature's lessons.
  - (d) Man.
  - (e) How to be saved.
  - (f) Christian duty.
  - (g) The truth. John 8:32.
  - (h) How to meet error.
2. To be wise. 2 Tim. 3:15.
3. To be free. John 8:31, 32.
4. To stand.
5. To be victorious. 1 John 2:14.
6. To be approved. 2 Tim. 2:15.
7. Lest we err. Matt. 22:29.
8. To see if it is so. Acts 17:11.
9. To go to heaven.
10. To have eternal life.

## **SPIRITUAL VISION**

Text: John 4:35.

**What** can we see.

1. White field. John 4:35.

2. Wondrous thing. Psalms 119:18.
3. The Lord's protection. 2 Kings 6:17.
4. God. Matt. 5:8; Heb. 12:14, 15.
5. Christ. 1 John 3:3.
6. The kingdom. John 3:3.
7. Life. John 3:36; 8:51.
8. Glory. John 11:40; 17:24.
9. Heaven. 1 Cor. 2:9; 1 Pet. 3:13.

**What hinders this vision ?**

1. Not lifting up eyes. John 4:35.
2. Unbelief. 2 Cor. 4:4.
3. Not obeying. John 3:36.
4. Lack of regeneration. John 3 :3.
5. Sin. 1 John 3:6.
6. Evil-doing. 3 John 11.
7. Closed eyes. Acts 26:18.
8. Lack of Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:9.
9. Hatred. 1 John 2:11.
10. Eyes not anointed. Rev. 3:18.

**Who has this vision?**

1. Believers. John 11:40.
2. God's children. 1 John 3 :1-3.
3. The pure. Matt. 5:8.
4. The holy. Heb. 12:14.
5. Christ's servants. Rev. 22:4.
6. The peaceful. Heb. 12:14.

**What are the results?**

1. Turning. Acts 26:18.
2. Purification. 1 John 3:1-3.
3. Laborers. John 4:35-37.
4. Mercy. Psalms 123:1, 2.
5. Righteousness. Psalms 17:15.
6. Satisfaction. Psalms 17:15.

## SOME SEARCHING QUESTIONS

What is my:

1. Duty:
  - (a) To fear God. Eccl. 12:13.
  - (b) To keep commandments. Lk. 17:10.
  - (c) To do good. Gal. 6:10.
2. Purpose:
  - (a) To keep self pure. Dan. 1:8.
  - (b) To be honest with God. Mal. 3:8; Acts 5:1-11.
  - (c) To speak right. Ps. 17:3.
3. Debt.
  - (a) Not to the flesh. Rom. 8:12.
  - (b) To the Lord. Lk. 16:5.
  - (c) To all men. Rom. 1:14.
4. Danger:
  - (a) Of being lost. Matt. 16:26.
  - (b) Of being too late. Lk. 13:24-27.
  - (c) Of getting in wrong crowd. 1 Cor. 15:33.
5. Faith:
  - (a) Weak. Rom. 14:1.
  - (b) Dead. Jas. 2:26.
  - (c) Unfeigned. 1 Tim. 1:52; Tim. 1:5.
  - (d) Right. 1 Cor. 2:5.
6. Trust:
  - (a) In my own heart. Prov. 28:26.
  - (b) In man. Jer. 17:5.
  - (c) In riches. Prov. 11:28; 1 Tim. 6:17.
7. God:
  - (a) Belly. Phil. 3:19.

- (b) Money. Col. 3:5.
- (c) Creatures. Rom. 1:25.
- 8. Conduct.
  - (a) Shameful. Eph. 5:12.
  - (b) Selfish. Phil. 2:21.
  - (c) Careless. Prov. 19:16.
- 9. End:
  - (a) Perdition. Phil. 3:19.
  - (b) To be burned. Heb. 6:8.
  - (c) Death. Rom. 6:21.

## **SALVATION IN PROPHECY**

**Text: Jer. 8:20.**

**Who is the author?**

1. God. Ps. 3:8; Jonah 2:9.

**What kind of salvation is it?**

1. Everlasting. Isa. 45:17; 51:6.
2. Common. Isa. 45:22; 49:6; 52:10.
3. Prospective. Isa. 62:11.

**It is represented by:**

1. A horn. 2 Sam. 22:3; Ps. 18:2.
2. A rock. 2 Sam. 22:47; Ps. 89:26; 95:1.
3. A garment. Isa. 61:10.
4. A shield. 2 Sam. 22:36.
5. Walls. Isa. 60:18.
6. A helmet. Isa. 59:17.
7. A cup. Ps. 116:13.
8. Wells. Isa. 12:3.
9. Chariots. Hab. 3:8.
10. A lamp. Isa. 62:1.

**For whom is it?**

1. The contrite. Ps. 34:18.
2. The upright. Ps. 7:10; Prov. 28:18.



3. Those who wait for him. Prov. 20:22.
4. Those in Zion. Ps. 69:35; Isa. 46:13.
5. The meek. Ps. 149:4.
6. The righteous. Ps. 37:39.
7. The washed. Jer. 4:14.
8. Those who look unto him. Isa. 45:22.
9. Those who trust him. Ps. 37:40.
10. Those who fear him. Ps. 8:5-9.
11. The humble. Job. 22:29.
12. His people. Zech. 8:7.

**When will lie save ?**

1. In the day of salvation. Jer. 8:20; Isa. 49:8; 2 Cor. 6:2.

## **SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT CHRIST'S DEATH**

**Why was Christ's death necessary?**

1. To fulfill prophecy. Isa. 53:7-11; Zech. 13:7.
2. To prove God loved him. Jno. 10:17.
3. Not because he had to. Jno. 10:17, 18.
4. To satisfy divine justice. Isa. 53:11.
5. To show love. Eph. 5:2, 25.
6. For our sins. 1 Cor. 15:3.
7. To take away sin. 1 Jno. 3:5; Heb. 9:26.

**What did Isaiah say about his death and grave?**

1. They were to be with
  - (a) The wicked. Isa. 53:9.
  - (b) The rich. Isa. 53:9.

**What did Christ foretell?**

1. His death. Mt. 16:21.
2. His burial. Mt. 12:40.
3. His resurrection. Mt. 16:21.

**Was Christ's prayer answered? Lk. 23:34**

**Was the thief saved? Lk. 23:42, 43**

**Why did Christ die so soon? Mk. 15:44**

**Why was no bone broken? Ex. 12:46; Num. 9:12; Ps. 34:20**

**Why was his side pierced? Zech. 12:10**

**Who asked for his body? Mt. 27:57, 58**

**Who prepared it for burial? Lk. 23:50-53**

**How was it prepared? Mk. 15:45, 46**

**Where was Christ buried? Lk. 23:53**

**Why in a new tomb? Mt. 27:60**

**What did the priests and Pharisees?**

1. Asked the tomb be made secure. Matt. 27:62-66.
2. Sealed the stone. Mt. 27:62-66.
3. Placed guard over grave. Mk. 14:8.

**How show our faith in Christ's death?**

1. By being baptized. Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12.
2. By partaking of communion. 1 Cor. 11:26.

**SOME MORE UPS**

**Text: Acts 15:16-18.**

1. Set up. Dan. 2:44; Acts 15 -16-18.
2. Root up. Mt. 15:13; Jude 12.
3. Give up. Acts 7:24; Rom. 1:24, 26.
4. Delivered up. Rom. 8:32.
5. Raised up. 1 Cor. 15:15; 2 Cor. 4:14; Heb. 11:19.

6. Burn up. 2 Pet. 3:10.
7. Build up. Acts 20:32; Col. 2:7; Jude 20.
8. Stir up. Acts 14:2; 17:13; 2 Pet. 1:3; 3:1.
9. Lift up. 1 Tim. 2:8; Heb. 12:12.
10. Go up. Lk. 14:10.
11. Bring up. Acts 22:3; Eph. 6:4; 1 Tim. 5:10.
12. Shut up. Mt. 23:13; 1 Jno. 3:17.
13. Grow up. Eph. 4:15.
14. Look up. Acts 7:55.
15. Puffed up. 1 Cor. 5:2; 8:1; Col. 2:18; 1 Tim. 3:6.
16. Spring up. Jno. 4:14; Heb. 12:15.
17. Make up. 2 Cor. 9:5.
18. Put up. Jno. 18:11.
19. Fill up. Col. 1:24; 1 Thes. 2:16.
20. Gird up. 1 Pet. 1:13; 5:5.
21. Swallow up. 2 Cor. 2:7; 5:4.
22. Stand up. Acts 2:14; 5:34; 10:26; 13:16.
23. Break up. Jer. 4:3; Hos. 10:12.
24. Mount up. Isa. 40:31.
25. Gather up. Jno. 6:12.
26. Caught up. 1 Thes. 4:17.

## **SPIRITUAL SENSES No. 1**

**Text: Heb. 5:14.**

**What are they?**

1. Feeling.
2. Seeing.
3. Hearing.
4. Fasting.
5. Smelling.

**What destroys feeling?**

1. Ignorance. Eph. 4:18, 19.
2. Hardening. Eph. 4:18, 19.

**What should they be?**

1. Godly sorrow. 2 Cor. 7:9, 10.
2. Fear. Prov. 14:27; Acts 10:35.
3. Confidence. Heb. 3:14.
4. Hope. Rom. 8:24; 2 Tim. 4:18.
5. Joy. 1 Thes. 5:16; Heb. 10:34.

**What are the results ?**

1. Finding God. Acts 17:27.
2. Touching Christ. Heb. 4:15.
3. Works and giving. Rom. 1:15; 1 Jno. 3:17.
4. Faithfulness. Heb. 10:33-38.

**What hinders seeing?**

1. Closed eyes? Mt. 13:15.
2. Nearsightedness. 2 Pet. 1:5-10.
3. Hatred. Jno. 2:11.
4. Blindness. 2 Cor. 4:3, 4.

**What see?**

1. God and his protection. 2 Kings 6:10; Mt. 5:8; Heb. 12:14, 15.
2. Wondrous things. Ps. 119:18.
3. The kingdom. Jno. 3:3.
4. Life. Jno. 3:36; 8:51.
5. Glory. Jno. 11:40; 17:24.

**SPIRITUAL SENSES No. 2**

**Text: Heb. 5:14.**

**What hinders hearing?**

1. Dullness. Mt. 13:13-15.
2. Grossness. Mt. 13:13-15.

### **How hear?**

1. Not to forget. Jas, 1:25.
2. Swiftly. Jas. 1:19.
3. Honestly. Lk. 8:15.
4. Carefully. Lk. 8:18.

### **Who hears?**

1. He who is of God. Jno. 8:47.
2. He who is of the truth. Jno. 18:37.

### **What hear?**

1. God. Ps. 85:8; Isa. 1:2.
2. Christ. Mt. 17:5.
3. The apostles. Jno. 4:6.
4. The word. Mk. 4:18.

### **For what have taste ?**

1. God. Ps. 42:2; 63:1.
2. Goodness. Ps. 34:8; 1 Pet. 2:3.
3. God's word. Ps. 119:103; Heb. 6:5.
4. Spiritual milk. 1 Pet. 2:2.
5. Righteousness. Mt. 5:6.
6. Heavenly gift. Heb. 6:4.

### **What kinds of smell are there?**

1. Offensive. Gen. 34:30; 2 Sam. 10:6; Eccl. 10:1.
2. Sweet. Phil. 4:18; Rev. 5:8.
3. Refreshing. Hos. 14:6.

### **What produces good smell ?**

1. Not folly. Eccl. 10:1.
2. Return to God. Hos. 14:1-6.
3. Prayer. Rev. 5:8.
4. Sacrificing. Phil. 4:18.

## **THINGS TO FORGET**

**Text: Phil. 3:13.**

### **What forget?**

1. Not God. Deut. 6:12; 8:11; 32:

- 18; 1 Sam. 12:9; Neh. 4:14;  
Psalms 77:3
2. Not Christ. Luke 22:19; 2 Tim. 2:8.
  3. Not God's word. Psalms 119:93; Jas. 1:25.
  4. Not his benefits. Psalms 103:2.
  5. Not the Lord's time. 2 Pet. 3:8.
  6. Not that the Lord is not slack. 2 Pet. 3:8, 9.
  7. Not our cleansing. 2 Pet. 1:9; Lk: 11-19.
  8. Not to do good. Heb. 13:16.
  9. Not to show love. Heb. 13:2.
  10. Not to communicate. Heb. 13:16.
  11. Not the things we have seen. Deut. 4:9.
  12. Not our benefactors. Gen. 40:23.
  13. Not understanding. Pro v. 4:5.
  14. Not our children. Isa. 49:15.
  15. Not bridal adornment. Jer. 2:32.
  16. Not that God was provoked. Deut. 9:7.
  17. Things behind. Phil. 3 :13.
  18. Toils. Gen. 41:51.
  19. Troubles. Isa. 65:16.
  20. Complaints. Job. 9:27.
  21. Misery. Job 11:6.
  22. Prosperity. Lam. 3:17.

### **How avoid forgetting?**

1. By heeding. Deut. 4:9, 23.
2. By diligently keeping. Deut. 4:9.
3. By bewareing. Deut. 6:12; 8:11.
4. By considering Christ. Heb. 12:3-6.
5. By doing. Jas. 1:25.

## THE DEVICES OF SATAN

Text: 2 Cor. 2:11.

### Why know them ?

1. Lest he have the advantage. 2 Cor. 2:11.
2. To resist them. Jas. 4:7.
3. Lest they lead us astray. 2 Pet. 2:17.
4. To warn others. 2 Tim. 4:14.

### What are Satan's devices ?

1. To prevent forgiveness. 2 Cor. 2:10, 11.
2. To keep you out of the church:
  - (a) By false teaching. 2 Cor. 11:
  - (b) By saying church unimportant.
  - (c) By causing us to accept substitutes.
  - (d) By saying, too many hypocrites.
  - (e) Through procrastination.
  - (f) By saying you cannot hold out.
  - (g) By taking word out of heart.
  - (h) By blinding. 2 Cor. 4:4.
3. Taking you out of the church.
  - (a) Temptation.
  - (b) By discouragement.
  - (c) By parading faults of members.
  - (d) Saying you can do good in other institutions.
  - (e) By other interests. 2 Cor. 11:3.
4. Making you useless in the church.
  - (a) By hindering.
  - (b) By lukewarmness. Rev. 3:16.

- (c) By criticism.
- (d) By holding out. Acts 5 :3.
- (e) By not preparing for service.
- (f) By division. 1 Cor. 1:11; 11 :  
18.
- (g) By jealousy. 1 Cor. 3 :3; Jas.  
3:14-16.

## **THINGS TO REMEMBER ALWAYS**

**Text: 2 Pet. 1:16.**

**Remember that you have:**

1. A God to glorify. 1 Cor. 10:31;  
Eph. 3:21.
2. A Savior to imitate. 1 Cor. 11:1;  
1 Pet. 2:21.
3. A soul to save. Phil. 2:12; Jas. 1:  
21.
4. A body to control. Rom. 8:13; 1  
Cor. 9:27.
5. Virtue to acquire. 2 Pet. 1:5.
6. Temptations to endure. Jas 1:12;  
4:7.
7. World to overcome. 1 John 5 :4, 5.
8. Self to live with. John 8:9; Acts  
24:16.
9. To choose for self. Deut. 30:19;  
Josh. 24:15.
10. God's word to meditate upon.  
Psalms 1:2.
11. Opportunity to do good. Mark 14:  
7.
12. An influence. Matt. 5:13-16.
13. Work to do. Mark 13:34; 2 Thess.  
3:10-12.



14. A battle to fight. 1 Tim. 1:18; 6:12.
15. The truth to defend. Phil. 1:6; Jude 3.
16. Evil to shun. 1 Thess. 5:22; 2 Tim. 2:16.
17. But one time to live. 2 Cor. 6:2.
18. An enemy to watch. Mark 13:37.
19. All to love. Luke 6:27; 1 Pet. 2:17.
20. A debt to pay. Rom. 1:14; 15:27; Psalms 116:12.
21. Friends to make. Prov. 18:24; Luke 16:9.
22. Death to meet. Heb. 9:27.
23. To give an account. Rom. 14:12.
24. An eternity to spend. Matt. 25:46.
25. Heaven to seek. Col. 3:12.
26. A crown to win. Jas. 1:12; Rev. 2:10.

## **THE TWO SIDES OF LIFE**

**Text: 1 Tim. 4:8.**

**What are they?**

1. Now: Wrong or right.
2. Hereafter.

**What kind should this life be ?**

1. New Rom. 6:4.
2. Hid. Col. 3:3.
3. Peaceful. 2 Cor. 13:11; 1 Tim. 2:2.
4. Sober. Titus 2:12.
5. Righteous. Titus 2:12; 1 Pet. 2:24.
6. Godly. Titus 2:12; 1 Tim. 2:2.
7. Holy. 2 Pet. 3:11.

8. After God's will. 1 Pet. 4:2.
9. Honest. Heb. 13:18.

**The life to come is:**

1. Bright. Matt. 13:43.
2. Perfect. Prov. 4:18.
3. Satisfying.
4. Happy. Psalms 37:37; Matt. 25.
5. Indeed. 1 Tim. 6:19.
6. Eternal. Matt. 25:46.
7. Glorious. Phil. 3:21; Col. 3:4.

**How prepare for it?**

1. By believing. John 3:16.
2. By repenting. Acts 11:18.
3. By coming to Christ. John 5 :40.
4. By being baptized. Rom. 6:3, 4.
5. Entering narrow gate. Matt. 7:14.
6. By loving. Luke 10:25-28.
7. By following Christ. Matt. 19:28, 29.
8. By being spiritual. Rom. 8:6.
9. By faithfulness. Rom. 2:10.

## **TESTS**

**Text: 2 Cor.. 13:5.**

Tests of what?

1. Thoughts. Isa. 55:8; Phil. 2:5-9.
2. Faith. Jas. 2:14; 1 Pet. 1:7.
3. Heart. Ezek. 6:9; Heb. 3:12; 10:22.
4. Conscience. Heb. 13:18.
5. Love. John 14:15; 2 Cor. 8:24.
6. Discipleship. John 8:31; 13:35; 15:8.
7. Motives. Matt. 6:1-18; 25:31-46.
8. Faithfulness. Luke 16:10-12.

9. Honesty. 1 Cor. 16:2; Mal. 3:8.
10. Sincerity. Phil. 1:17; 2 Cor. 2:17; 8:8
11. Loyalty. 1 Cor. 11:19; 1 John 4: 1-6.
12. Religion. Jas. 1:26, 27.
13. Worship. Matt. 15:9; Jno. 4:23; Col. 2:23.
14. Humility. Col. 2:18, 19, 23.
15. Consecration. Phil. 2:19-22; 1 Tim. 4:15.
16. Knowing God. 1 John 2:3, 4.
17. Abiding in Him. 1 John 2:5, 6.
18. Teaching. John 4:1-6; Rev. 2:2.
19. Hope. Rom. 5:4; 8:24; 25; Heb. 6:19.
20. Liberality. 2 Cor. 8:1-5.
21. Peacefulness. Rom. 12:8; 14:19; Heb. 12:14.
22. Character. Matt. 7:16-20.

### **What tests us ?**

1. God's word. John 12:48.
2. Heresies. 1 Cor. 11:19.
3. Trials. 1 Pet. 4:12.
4. Temptations. Jas. 1:12.

## **THINGS THAT DESTROY**

**Text: 2 Pet. 2:1-3.**

### **What destroys ?**

1. Lack of knowledge. Hosea 4:6.
2. Denying Christ. 2 Pet. 2:1.
3. Wicked mouth. Prov. 11:9.
4. Despising the word. Prov. 13:13.
5. Being against God. Hosea 13 :9.
6. Unbelief. Jude 5.

7. Adultery. Prov. 6:32.
8. A bribe. Eccl. 7:7.
9. Not obeying. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
10. Sinners. Eccl. 9:18.
11. Wresting scriptures. 2 Pet. 3:16.
12. Mouth of foolish. Prov. 10:14.
13. Pride. Prov. 16:18; 18:12.
14. Carelessness. Prov. 1:32.
15. Refusing reproof. Prov. 29:1.
16. Not hearkening. Acts 3:23.
17. Too many friends. Prov. 18:14.
18. Broad way. Matt. 7:13.
19. Uncleanness. Micah 2:10.
20. Heresies. 2 Pet. 2:1.

**What can be destroyed ?**

1. The foundation. Psalms 11:3.
2. The faith. Gal. 1:23.
3. Hope. Job 14:19.
4. The soul. Prov. 6:32.
5. Understanding. Eccl. 7:7.
6. Good. Eccl. 9:18.
7. Thy brother. Rom. 14:15.
8. God's work. Rom. 14:20.
9. God's people. Hosea 4:6.
10. The way to the Lord. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.

**THERE IS A GENERATION**

**Text: Prov. 30:11-14.**

**What kind?**

1. Cursing and not blessing. Prov. 30:11.
2. Pure in own eyes. Prov. 30:12.
3. Proud. Prov. 30:13.
4. Devouring. Prov. 30:14.

5. Faithless. Matt. 17:17; Mark 9:19.
6. Crooked. Deut. 32:5; Acts 2:40.
7. Perverse. Deut. 32:5; Matt. 17:17.
8. Rebellious. Psalms 78:8.
9. Stubborn. Psalms 78:8.
10. Unstedfast. Psalms 78:8.
11. That does not set heart right. Psalms 78:8.
12. Evil. Deut. 1:35; Matt. 12:39; Luke 11:24.
13. Wicked. Matt. 12:45; 16:4.
14. Adulterous. Mark 8:38.
15. Sinful. Mark 8:38.
16. Of vipers. Matt. 3:7; 23:33.
17. Displeasing. Heb. 3:10.
18. Becoming worse. Matt. 12:45.
19. Condemned. Luke 11:31, 32.
20. Upright. Psalms 14:5.
21. Righteous. Psalms 14:5.
22. Seeking. Psalms 24:6.
23. Chosen. 1 Pet. 2:8, 9.

**What do in, or with it?**

1. Not reject Christ. Luke 17:25.
2. Not be ashamed. Mark 8:38.
3. Serve. Acts 13:36.
4. Shine. Phil. 2:14, 15.
5. Be wise. Luke 16:8.
6. Be mighty and valorous. 1 Chron. 7:2.
7. Be righteous. Gen. 7:1.

**THE LAW AND THE GOSPEL**

**Text: John 1:17.**

**By whom were they given?**

1. Moses. John 1:17.
2. Christ. John 1:17.

**Why was the law given?**

1. Because of transgression. Gal. 3 :19.
2. As a school master. Gal. 3:24.

**Why was the gospel given?**

1. To reveal God's righteousness. Rom. 1:16, 17.
2. To reveal God's wrath. Rom. 1:16, 17.

**What is the law called?**

1. Old covenant.
2. Shadow. Heb. 10:1.
3. Old letter. Rom. 7:6.

**What is the gospel called ?**

1. Power of God. Rom. 1:16.
2. New covenant.
3. «Law of Spirit.
4. Words of life. John 6:67, 68.
5. Perfect law. Jas. 1:25.

**What was Christ to the law ?**

1. Fulfilled it. Matt. 5:
2. Ended it. Rom. 10:4.
3. Took it away. Col. 2:14.
4. Nailed it to the cross. Col. 2:14.
5. Abolished it. Eph. 2:14, 15.

**What was Christ to the gospel ?**

1. Its author. Gal. 1:
2. Its mediator. Heb. 8:6.

**Who were an allegory of them?**

1. Hagar. Gal. 4:
2. Sarah. Gal. 4:

**To whom were they given?**

1. Law to Jesus.
2. Gospel to all nations.

# THE FOUR RELATIONS

## 1. My sheep, By:

- (a) Hearing. John 10:27.
- (b) Believing. John 10:26.
- (c) Following. John 10:27.
- (d) Being secure. John 10:28, 29.

## 2. My disciples, By:

- (a) Learning. Matt. 11:29; Acts 14:21.
- (b) Believing. John 2:11.
- (c) Renouncing all. Luke 14:33.
- (d) Being baptized. Matt. 28:19. John 4:1.
- (e) Loving him best. Matt. 10:37; Luke 14:26.
- (f) Bearing the cross. Luke 14:27.
- (g) Following Christ. Luke 14:27.
- (h) Abiding in truth. John 8:32.
- (i) Loving one another. John 13:35.
- (j) Bearing fruit. John 15:8.

## 3. My friends, By:

- (a) Not being friends of the world. Jas. 4:4.
- (b) Believing. Jas. 2:23.
- (c) Obeying. John 15:14.
- (d) Fearing. Psalms 25:14.
- (e) Using mammon. Luke 16:9.

## 4. My brethren, By:

- (a) Being children of God. By:
  - 1. Receiving Christ. John 1:12.
  - 2. Faith. John 1:1-13.
  - 3. Coming out. 2 Cor. 6:17, 18.
  - 4. Being born again. John 1:13; 3:5.

5. Doing God's will. Mark 3 :34, 35.
6. Loving enemies. Matt. 5 :44, 45.
7. Righteousness. 1 John 2:29; 3:10.
8. Being peacemakers. Matt. 5 :9.
9. Loving the brethren. 1 John 3:10.
10. Overcoming. Rev. 21:7.

## **THREE GREAT REALITIES**

### **What are they ?**

1. Sin has ruined all. Rom. 3:23.
2. Christ has ransomed all. 1 Tim. 2:6.
3. Obedience will save all. Heb. 5:9.

### **Sin is:**

1. Universal. 1 Kings 8:4; Eccl. 7:20.
2. Has ruined us by:
  - (a) Separating us. Isa. 59:2.
  - (b) Slaying us. Rom. 7:11.
  - (c) Causing us to be lost. Luke.
  - (d) Causing us to fall short. Rom. 3:23.
  - (e) Making us weak. Rom. 5:6.

### **Christ ransomed:**

1. Because man could not. Psalms 49:6,7.
2. By coming to man.
3. By living the life.
4. By giving his:
  - (a) Riches.
  - (b) Pleasure.
  - (c) Glory.
  - (d) Life. Matt. 20:28.

### **Obedience saves because we:**

1. Hear. 1 Tim. 4:16.
2. Believe. Acts 16:31.



3. Repent. 2 Cor. 7:10.
4. Confess Christ. Rom. 10:9, 10.
5. Are baptized. Matt. 16:16.
6. Continue. 1 Tim. 4:16.
7. Are faithful. Matt. 24:11; Rev. 2:10.

## **THE PARABLES OF THE TWO SONS**

**Text: Matt. 21:28-32.**

### **I will not:**

1. Go in. Deut. 1:21-25; Luke 15:28.
2. Come back. 2 Chron. 24:19.
3. Accept God's counsel. Prov. 1:25-30; Isa. 30:15.
4. Walk in his way. Isa. 42:24; Jer. 6:16.
5. Hear. Psalms 81:10-14; Neh. 9:29; Jer. 44:16.
6. Believe. Luke 16:31; John 20:25.
7. Repent. Rev. 2:21.
8. Come to Christ. John 5:40.
9. Obey. Acts 7:39.
10. Be gathered. Matt. 23:37..
11. Be ruled. Luke 9:14, 27.
12. Forgive. Matt. 18:28-35.
13. Work. 2 Thess. 3:10.

### **Say and do not. Matt. 23:3.**

1. I know but do not. Luke 12:47; 1 John 2:4.
2. I believe, but work not. Jas. 2:14-17.
3. I love, but give not. 1 John 3:10-18.

4. I am better, but art not. Luke 18: 9-14.
5. I go, but go not. Matt. 21:30.

**What are the causes ?**

1. Ignorance. Luke 12:48.
2. Unbelief. Heb. 2:19.
3. Stubbornness. Psalms 81:11, 12.
4. Rebellion. Deut. 1:26; Ezek. 20:8.
5. Hardness. Ezek. 3:7-9; Acts 7:39, 51.
6. Pride. Neh. 9:29.

**The results.**

1. We lose:
  - (a) God. Prov. 1:25-30.
  - (b) Salvation. Isa. 30:15; Jas. 2: 14.
  - (c) Forgiveness. Matt. 18:35.
  - (d) Rest. Jer. 6:16.
  - (e) Life. John 5:40.
  - (f) Heaven. Deut. 1:21-25; Matt. 7:21.

**The remedy.**

1. Repent and do. Matt. 21:29, 31.

## **THE FOUR WISE LITTLE CREATURES**

**Text: Prov. 30:24-28.**

**Characteristics of the ant.**

1. Industrious. Prov. 6:6.
2. Improving opportunities.
3. Preparing for the future.
4. Perseverance.

**Let us:**

1. Be diligent. Heb. 4:11; 6:11, 12.
2. Use opportunity to be saved. Jer. 8:20
3. Prepare for usefulness and eternity. Mt. 24:44; 2 Tim. 2:21.
4. Not be discouraged. Heb. 10:35-39.

**Characteristics of conies.**

1. Defenseless.
2. Seeks safety.

**We are safe in:**

1. The Lord's name. Prov. 18:10.
2. Trusting the Lord. Prov. 29:25.
3. The Lord's presence. Psalms 16:8-11.
4. The Lord's arms. Psalms 119:117.
5. The church.

**Characteristics of the locusts.**

1. Stick together. Prov. 30:27.
2. Work together. Prov. 30:27.

**Let us:**

1. Answer the Lord's prayer. John 17:21.
2. Have strength in unity. Eph. 4:13.
3. Convince the world by it. John 17:21.

**Characteristics of the spider.**

1. They take hold. Prov. 30:28.
2. They persevere.

**Let us:**

1. Lay hold. Phil. 3:12.
2. Get there. 1 Cor. 9:24-27.
3. Not give up. Gal. 6:9.

# THE ATONEMENT OF CHRIST

Text: Rom. 5:11.

## It was:

1. Typified. Lev. 16:1-19.
2. Foretold. Isa. 53:4-12.
3. Necessary. Heb. 9:22-24.
4. Made on the cross. John 19:30, 34; Heb. 9:14.
5. Accepted in heaven. Heb. 4:14; 10:12.
6. Attested by the resurrection. Acts 13:29; Rom. 4:39.
7. Witnessed to by the spirit. Acts 5:32; Heb. 10:15.
8. Preached in the gospel. Acts 10:43; 13:38.
9. Symbolized in baptism. Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12.
10. Commemorated in the Lord's supper. 1 Cor. 11:23, 26.

## Results:

1. Church purchased. Acts 20:28.
2. Brings us to God. Eph. 2:13.
3. Reconciliation. Rom. 5:10, 11; 2 Cor. 5:20, 21.
4. Justification. Rom. 3:24; 5:8.
5. Entrance. Heb. 10:19.
6. Sanctification. Heb. 10:10; 13:12.
7. Cleansing. 1 John 1:7, 9; Rev. 1:5.
8. Peace. Eph. 2:13-17; Col. 1:20.
9. Spiritual blessings. Eph. 1:3-7.
10. Living for Christ. 2 Cor. 5:14, 15.
11. Victory. Rev. 12:11.
12. Solace in trouble. Heb. 12:2, 3.
13. Redemption. Eph. 1:7; Heb. 9:12.

14. Hope. 1 Thess. 4:13, 14.
15. Glory. Rev. 7:13-17.

**How are its blessings obtained ?**

1. By faith. Rom. 3:23-26.
2. Through baptism. Rom. 6:3, 4;  
Col. 2:12.
3. Through fellowship. 1 John 1:7.
4. Through the communion. 1 Cor.  
10:16.

## **THE LION**

Texts: 1 **Pet.** 5:8, 9; Rev. 5:5.

**The lion is a symbol of:**

1. Judah. Gen. 49:9.
2. Israel. Num. 25:24; 24:9; Ezek.  
19:1-9.
3. Gad. Deut. 33:20.
4. Strength. Judg. 14:18; Prov. 30:  
30.
5. Courage. 2 Sam. 17:10; Prov. 28:  
1; Nahum 2:11.
6. Fierceness. Job 4:10; 28:8; Prov.  
19:12.
7. Greed. Psalms 17:12.
8. Danger. Prov. 22:13; 26:13; Isa.  
35:9.
9. God. Hosea 11:10; 13:7, 8; 5:14.
10. Satan. 1 Pet. 5:8.
11. Persecution. 2 Tim. 4:17.
12. Christ. Rev. 5:5.
13. Righteous. Prov. 28:1.
14. Pharaoh. Ezk. 32:2.
15. False prophets. Ezek. 22:25.
16. Destruction. Jer. 2:30; Micah 5:8.

### **What do with the Lion as an enemy?**

1. Not be hindered by it. Pro v. 22:13; 26:13.
2. Not be devoured by it. Ezek. 22:25.
3. Hate it. Jer. 12:8.
4. Be sober in his presence. 1 Pet. 5 :8.
5. Watch it. 1 Pet. 5:8, 9.
6. Withstand it. 1 Pet. 5 :8, 9.
7. Be delivered from it. 2 Tim. 4:17.
8. Overcome it. Psalms 91:13.

### **What do with the Lion as a friend ?**

1. Imitate in:
  - (a) Courage. Prov. 28:1.
  - (b) Strength. Prov. 30:30.
2. Overcome with it. Rev. 5:5.

## **THE THREE SIDES OF LIFE**

**Text: Titus 2:12.**

### **What are they?**

1. Soberly-Self.
2. Righteously-Others.
3. Godly-God.

### **What should we do with these sides?**

1. Not neglect them. Acts 24:25.
2. Reason on them. Acts 24:25.
3. Live them. Titus 2:12.
4. Not be unfair to them:
  - (a) By not attending services.
  - (b) By not giving.
  - (c) By not loving.
  - (d) By not having confidence.
  - (e) By not being true. 13:7; 1 Pet. 2:17.
  - (f) By not honoring. Prov. 12:9; John 5:23; 2 Cor. 8:20, 21.

(g) By not blessing. Rom. 11:14;  
**Jas. 3:9.**

**What should we do for self ?**

1. Not deceive. Gal. 6:3; 1 John 1:8.
2. Deny. Matt. 16:24.
3. Cleanse. 2 Cor. 7:1; 2 Tim. 2:21;  
1 John 3:3.
4. Examine. 1 Cor. 11:28; 2 Cor. 13:  
15.
5. Build up. Jude 20.
6. Keep. Isa. 1:27; Jude 21.

**What should we do for others?**

1. Teach. Rom. 2:21.
2. Do good. Gal. 6:10.
3. Win by example. 1 Pet. 3:1-3.
4. Help. Rom. 16:2.
5. Pray. Matt. 5:44; 2 Tim. 2:1.
6. Inspire. 2 Cor. 9:2.

**What should we do for God ?**

1. Hear.
2. Believe. Mark 11:22.
3. Obey. Acts 5:29.
4. Sanctify. Num. 20:12.
5. Worship. John 9:31; Rev. 22:9.
6. Glorify. 1 Cor. 6:20.

## **THE HEAVENLY MESSAGE**

**Text: 1 John 1:5.**

**From whom did it come ?**

1. God. Hag. 1:13.
2. Christ.
3. The Spirit.
4. The Church. 2 Cor. 8:23.

**What is it?**

1. Christ's Life. Isa. 53:1.
2. The Word. 1 Thess. 2:13.
3. God's light. 1 John 1:5.
4. Of love. 1 John 3:11.
5. Of the Covenant. Mal. 3:1.

**Who are the messengers?**

1. John the Baptist.
2. Christ. Mal. 3:1.
3. Apostles. 1 John 1 :5 ; 3 :11; 2 Tim. 4:17.
4. Ministers. 2 Cor. 8:23.

**What kind are they ?**

1. They who preach it fully. 2 Tim. 4:17.
2. Faithful.
3. The Lord's. Hag. 1:13; Mal. 2:7.

**Why is this message brought?**

1. That we may hear. Rom. 10:16-18.
2. That we may understand. Isa. 28:9, 19.
3. That we may believe. Isa. 53:1.
4. That we may obey. Rom. 10:16; Isa. 53:1.
5. To prepare a people for the Lord. Luke 1:17.
6. To prepare the way. Luke 7 27.

**THE CHURCH AND  
THE INDIVIDUAL**

**Text: Rom. 12:3-8.**

**The church:**

1. Universal.
2. Congregation.



### **The church should:**

1. Make known. Eph. 3:10.
2. Glorify God. Eph. 3:21.
3. Be glorious. Eph. 5:27.
4. Be united. Eph. 4:4.
5. Support the truth. 1 Tim. 3:15.
6. Contain God's fullness. Eph. 1:22, 23.

### **As individuals we should:**

1. Worship.
  - (a) Sing. 1 Cor. 14:26.
  - (b) Read. Luke 4:16.
  - (c) Pray. 1 Cor. 14:15.
  - (d) Teach. 2 Tim. 2:1.
  - (e) Commune. 1 Cor. 11:28.
  - (f) Give. Acts 11:29; 1 Cor. 16:2.
2. Are saved, because we:
  - (a) Hear. Mark 7:14; Jas 1:19.
  - (b) Believe. Mark 16:16; Acts 10:43.
  - (c) Repent. Acts 2:38; 8:22.
  - (d) Confess. Matt. 10:32; Phil. 2:11.
  - (e) Are baptized. Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38.
3. Are responsible. Rom. 14:12.
4. Forgive. Matt. 18:35.
5. Speak the truth. Eph. 4:25.
6. Work. Mark 13:34.
7. Behave. 1 Thess. 4:4.
8. Love. 1 John 4:7; 5:1.
9. Prove ourselves. Gal. 6:4.
10. Are faithful. Heb. 6:11; Rev. 2:10.

# THE CHRISTIAN WARFARE

Text: 1 Tim. 1:18.

## What kind is it?

1. Good. 1 Tim. 1:18.
2. Merciful. Matt. 5:7; Jas 2:12, 13.
3. Of faith. 1 Tim. 6:12.
4. Profitable. 1 Tim. 6:12; 2 Tim. 4:7.
5. Internal. Rom. 7:23; Job 14:14.

## Against what is it?

1. Not flesh and blood. Eph. 6:13.
2. Fleshly lusts. 1 Pet. 2:11.
3. Strongholds. 2 Cor. 10:4.
4. Imaginations. 2 Cor. 10:4, 5.
5. All that is against God. 2 Cor. 10:4, 5.
6. Wiles of the devil. Eph. 6:11.
7. Spiritual wickedness. Eph. 6:12.

## What is needed to carry it on?

1. A captain.
  - (a) Christ. Heb. 2:10.
2. Soldiers.
  - (a) Good. 2 Tim. 2:3.
  - (b) Volunteers. Rev. 22:19.
  - (c) Not slackers. Luke 12:41; Jas. 4:17.
  - (d) Wholehearted. 2 Tim. 2:4.
  - (e) Not deserters. 2 Pet. 2:20, 21.
  - (f) Sober. 1 Thess. 5:8.
  - (g) Enduring. Job 14:14; 2 Tim. 2:3.
3. Weapons.
  - (a) Not carnal. Matt. 26:52; 2 Cor. 10:4.

(b) Mighty. 2 Cor. 10:4.

(c) Spiritual. Eph. 6:17.

#### 4. Armors.

(a) Gospel shoes. Eph. 6:15, 17.

• (b) Truth. Eph. 6:14.

(c) Faith. Eph. 6:15; 1 Thess. 5:8.

(d) Love. 1 Thess. 5:8.

(e) Hope. 1 Thess. 5:8.

(f) Righteousness. 2 Cor. 6:7.

(g) Light. Rom. 13:12.

## THE TERROR OF THE LORD

Text: 2 Cor. 5:11.

### How was this terror?

1. Revelation. Heb. 10:26-31; 12:29.

2. By examples. Gen. 3:23, 24.

(a) Out of garden of Eden.

(b) Curse of Cain. Gen. 4:9-13.

(c) Destruction of Sodom. 2 Pet. 2:6; Jude 7.

(d) Destruction of Israel.

(e) Days of Elijah. Jas. 5:17.

(f) Captivity. Ezra. 8:35; 9:4.

(g) Eternal destruction. 2 Thess. 1:9.

### What were the results ?

1. Persuading men. 2 Cor. 5:11.

2. Manifesting self. 2 Cor. 5:11.

### How persuade ?

1. By not enticing words, only. 1 Cor. 2:4.

2. By preaching. Luke 16:28-31.

3. By reasoning. Acts 18:4; 19:8.

4. By example. 1 Pet. 3:1, 2.

### **What persuade to do?**

1. Hear. Luke 16:28-31.
2. Believe. Acts 28:23, 24.
3. Turn from error. Acts 19:26.
4. Obey the gospel. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
5. Enter the kingdom. Acts 19:8.
6. Become a Christian. Acts 26:28.
7. Worship God. Acts 18:13.
8. Not disobey the truth. Gal. 5:7, 8.
9. Not shrink from duty. Acts 21:13, 14.
10. Continue in grace. Acts 13:43.
11. To have a good conscience. Heb. 13:18.
12. To trust Christ's ability. 1 Tim. 1:12.
13. To be faithful. Rom. 8:38, 39.

### **How are we made manifest?**

1. By righteousness. 1 John 3:10.
2. By loving the brethren. 1 John 3:10.
3. By living Christ's life. 2 Cor. 4:10.

## **THE ASSEMBLY**

**Text: Heb. 10:25.**

### **Why assemble?**

1. To sing. 1 Cor. 14:26.
2. To read God's word. Col. 4:16; 1 **Thess.** 5:27.
3. To pray. Acts 12 :5; 12; 4:31.
4. To preach the word. Acts 13:44; 20:7.
5. To break bread. Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 11:20,33.
6. To contribute. 1 Cor. 16:2.

7. To exhort. Heb. 10:25.
8. To edify. 1 Cor. 14:26.
9. To be with Christ. Matt. 18:20.
10. To consider. Acts 15:6.
11. To discipline. 1 Cor. 5:4, 5.
12. Not to make distinction. Jas 2:21.
13. To reprove. 1 Cor. 14:23, 25.
14. To convert. 1 Cor. 14:23-25.
15. To praise God. Heb. 2:11.
16. To teach. 1 Cor. 14:26.
17. To obey God. Heb. 10:25.

### **How assemble?**

1. In Christ's name. Matt. 18:20; 1 Cor. 5:21.
2. Not unto condemnation. 1 Cor. 11:34.
3. For betterment. 1 Cor. 11:17.
4. In unity. 1 Cor. 11:18.
5. So as to help others. 1 Cor. 14:23-25.
6. Not for show. 1 Cor. 11:21, 22; Jas. 2:2-4.

### **When assemble ?**

1. When wise. Acts 2:46; 17:17.
2. On the Lord's day. Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:2.

### **Who should assemble?**

1. God's people. Acts 11:26; 20:7; Heb. 10:22-25.
2. Unbelievers. 1 Cor. 14:23-25.
3. The untaught. Acts 10:24, 33; 1 Cor. 14:23.

# THE GREATEST FACT OF THE GOSPEL

Text: 1 Cor. 15:17, 18.

**Why is it the greatest fact ?**

1. Because upon it depends:
  - (a) The establishment of the church. Matt. 16:16.
  - (b) Salvation. Rom. 10:9; 1 Cor. 15:17.
  - (c) Justification. Rom. 6:9.
  - (d) Remission of sins. Luke 24:46.
  - (e) Hope. 1 Pet. 1:13.
  - (f) Christ's divinity. Rom. 1:4.
  - (g) Light. Acts 26:23.
  - (h) Our resurrection. 1 Thess. 4:14.
  - (i) Judgment. Acts 17:31.
  - (j) Intercession. Rom. 8:34.

**It was foretold by:**

1. Moses. Acts 26:23.
2. Prophets. Acts 26:23.
3. David. Psalms 6:10; Acts 2:31.
4. Christ. Matt. 16:21; 26:32; Mark 9:9; John 2:19.

**What was done to prevent it?**

1. Tomb sealed. Matt. 27:66.
2. Tomb guarded. Matt. 27:66.

**Who are witnesses to it ?**

1. Angels. Matt. 28:56.
2. Guards. Matt. 28:11.
3. The woman. Luke 24:6-10.
4. The resurrected. Matt. 27:52.
5. The apostles. Acts 1:22; 1 Cor. 15:15.

6. Many brethren. 1 Cor. 15 :4-6.
7. Christ. Rev. 1:18.

**What** should we do with it?

1. Believe it. Rom. 10:9.
2. Remember it. 2 Tim. 2:8.
3. Preach it. 1 Cor. 15 :1-4, 12-14.
4. Imitate it. Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12; 3:1.
5. Repent because of it. Luke 24:46, 47.

## **THE POWER OF CHRIST'S RESURRECTION**

Text: Phil. 3:10.

This power came from:

1. God. Acts 2:24, 32; Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12.
2. The Spirit. Rom. 8:11; 1 Pet. 3:18.
3. Christ. Luke 24:6, 7.

The power results in:

1. Christ's divinity. Rom. 1:4.
2. Blessings. Acts 3:26.
3. Justification. Rom. 4:25; 8:24.
4. Intercession. Rom. 8:34.
5. Salvation. Rom. 10:9; 1 Cor. 15:17.
6. Light. Acts 26:23.
7. Life. Rom. 6:8-11.
8. Hope. 1 Cor. 15:17-19; 1 Pet. 1:3, 21.
9. Remission of sins. Luke 24:46, 47.
10. Assurance of our resurrection. Rom. 8:11; 1:14; 2 Cor. 4:14; 1 Thess. 4:14.

11. Our living unto him. 2 Cor. 5:15.
12. Judgment being assured. Acts 17:31.
13. Power. Eph. 1:1, 19,20.
14. Bearing fruit. Rom. 7:4.
15. God's promise being fulfilled. Acts 13:33.
16. Our imitating it. Col. 3:1.
17. Christ being exalted. Acts 2:32, 33.

**What should we do with it?**

1. Know it. Phil. 3:10.
2. Believe in it. Rom. 10:9.
3. Show it forth. Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12.
4. Remember it. 2 Tim. 2:8.

## **THE CHARGE IN ROMANS 6**

**Grace: Rom. 6:16.**

1. Is not the result of sin. Rom. 6:1.
2. Is no excuse for sin. Rom. 6:16.

**All were servants of sin. Rom. 3:23.**

**We became servants by obedience:**

1. Of sin. Rom. 6:16.
2. Obedience. Rom. 6:16.

**We obeyed from the heart. Rom. 6:17.**

**We obeyed form of doctrine. Rom. 6:17.**

**What did they do?**

1. Died with Christ. Rom. 6:6, 8.
2. Buried with Christ. Rom. 6:4, 5.
3. Raised with Christ. Rom. 6:4, 5.

**What were the results ?**

1. Freedom from sin. Rom. 6:18.
2. Dead to sin. Rom. 1:11.



3. Servants of righteousness. Rom. 6:18.
4. Servants of God. Rom. 6:22.
5. Sin does not have dominion. Rom. 6:14.
6. Alive with God. Rom. 6:11.
7. Walking in newness of life. Rom. 6:4.
8. Living with Christ. Rom. 6:8.
9. Presenting self to God. Rom. 6:13.
10. Justified from sin. Rom. 6:7.
11. Holy fruits. Rom. 6:19, 22.
12. Eternal life. Rom. 6:22.

## **TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE**

**Text: Luke 13:24-30.**

### **Examples:**

1. Antediluvians. Matt. 24:37-39.
2. Lot. Gen. 19:12-29.
3. Esau. Heb. 12:14-17.
4. Moses. Num. 20:2-13.
5. Samson. Judg. 16:4-22.
6. Saul. 1 Sam. 13:8-14; 15:1-31.
7. Joash. 2 Kings 13:18-24.
8. The unwise. Prov. 1:20-33.
9. The rich man. Luke 16:19-31.
10. Foolish virgins. Matt. 25:1-13.
11. Judas Iscariot. Matt. 26:14-16; 27:3-10.
12. Ananias and Sapphira. Acts 5:1-10.

### **Too little:**

1. Knowledge. Hosea 4:6; Acts 17:30.
2. Faith. Matt. 14:28-31; 2 Thess. 2:12; Jas 2:14.
3. Wisdom. Prov. 2:1-12; Jas. 1:5.

4. Works. John 9:4; Phil. 2:12-14; Rev. 3:2.
5. Prayer. Luke 16:24; 18:1-8; Jas. 4:2-3.
6. Patience. 1 Sam. 13:8-14; Heb. 10:36.
7. Honesty. Acts 5:1-10.
8. Love. Matt. 10:37-39; 22:37.
9. Humility. 2 Chron. 26:16-23; 1 Sam. 15:17-19.
10. Preparation. Matt. 25:1-13; Luke 12:47.
11. Interest. Rev. 3:14-18.
12. Giving. Mal. 3:8; Acts 5:1-10.
13. Obedience. 1 Sam. 15:20-23; Heb. 3:18.
14. Spirituality. 1 Cor. 3:1-3; Gal. 6:1.
15. Faithfulness. Psalms 12:1; 78:37; Prov. 20:6.

## **TRUE VALUES**

**Text: Col. 2:23.**

### **What is valuable?**

1. Not circumcision.
2. Not penance. Col. 2:23.
3. Not hearing only. Heb. 4:1,2.
4. Not faith only. Jas. 2:14.
5. Not wishing well only. Jas. 2:16.
6. Not charity only. 1 Cor. 13:3.
7. Not lying words. Jer. 7:8.
8. Not idols. Isa. 44:10; Hab. 2:18.
9. Not words only. 2 Tim. 2:14.
10. Not foolish questions. Titus 3:9.
11. Not pleasure. Eccl. 2:1-11.
12. Not power. Eccl. 2:1-11.
13. Not riches. Eccl. 2:1-11.

14. Faith working. Gal. 5:6; 1 Pet. 1:17; 2 Pet. 1:1.
15. Godliness. 1 Tim. 4:8.
16. Righteous life.
17. Wisdom. Eccl. 10:10; Prov. 3:15.
18. Meekness. 1 Pet. 3:4.
19. Quietness. 1 Pet. 3:4.
20. Good works. Titus 3:8, 14.
21. Serving the Lord. Eccl. 12:13.
22. Chastening. Heb. 12:5-11.
23. Afflictions. Psalms 119:67; 2 Cor. 4:17.
24. Sorrow. Eccl. 7:30.
25. Suffering. Rom. 8:18.
26. Trials. Rev. 7:14.
27. Soul-salvation. Matt. 16:26.
28. God's mercy. Psalms 36:7.
29. Promises. 2 Pet. 1:4.
30. Dying as saints. Psalms 116:15.

## **THE DEATH OF CHRIST**

**Text: 2 Cor. 5:14, 15.**

### **Why did Christ die?**

1. Because he loved us. John 15:13; 1 John 3:16.
2. He was the good shepherd. John 10:11.
3. For joy set before him. Heb. 12:2.
4. To obey God. Phil. 2:8.
5. To overcome the devil. Heb. 2:15.
6. For an example. 2 Cor. 5:15.
7. To effect reconciliation. Rom. 5:10; Eph. 2:16.
8. To bring peace. Col. 1:20.
9. To redeem. Rev. 5:9; 1 Pet. 1:18, 19.

10. To draw men. John 3 :14.
11. To save. Heb. 9:26; 1 Cor. 15:3.

**For whom did he die?**

1. The ungodly. Rom. 5:6.
2. Enemies. Rom. 5:10.
3. Sinners. Rom. 5 :8.
4. All men. 2 Cor. 5:15; Heb. 2:9.
5. Those in bondage. Heb. 2:14, 15.

**What happened at his death ?**

1. Darkness for three hours. Mark 15 : 33.
2. Veil rent. Mark 15:38.
3. Earthquake. Matt. 27:51.
4. Rocks rent. Matt. 27:51.
5. Centurion confessed. Mark 15:39.

**What to do with his death, now ?**

1. Imitate it. Gal. 2:20; Col. 2:20.
2. Be baptized into it. Rom. 6:3, 4.
3. Proclaim it. 1 Cor. 11:26; Gal. 3:1.
4. Appreciate it. 1 John 3:16.

## **THE THINGS OF GOD AND CHRIST**

**Texts: Matt. 16:23; 2 Tim. 2:21.**

**What are they?**

1. The kingdom. Matt. 6:33.
2. His righteousness. Matt. 6:33.
3. Doctrine. Titus 2:10.
4. Work. 1 Cor. 15:58; 16:10.
5. Salvation. Jonah 2:9.
6. Worship. Luke 4:8; Heb. 2:17.
7. Counsel. Acts 5:38, 39; 20:27.
8. Protection. Eph. 6:11.
9. Teaching. John 6:45.

10. Peace. Phil. 4:7; Col. 3:15.
11. Riches. Eph. 3:8.
12. Home. John 14:2.

#### **What do with them?**

1. Know. John 6:45, 46; 13:17; 1 Cor. 2:11.
2. Seek. Matt. 6:33; Phil. 2:21.
3. Mind. Matt. 16:23.
4. Adorn. Titus. 2:10.
5. Do. Luke 6:46; 1 Cor. 16:10.
6. Receive. Matt. 6:33; Heb. 12:28.
7. Render. Matt. 22:21.
8. Use. Eph. 6:11; Heb. 12.
9. Be careful for. 1 Cor. 7:32, 34.
10. Keep. Rev. 1:3.

#### **Why do so?**

1. Lest we be a stumbling block. Matt. 16:33.
2. Lest we be selfish. Phil. 2:21.
3. It is important. Matt. 6:33.
4. To be heard. 1 John 3:22.
5. To be safe. Eph. 6:11.
6. To have life.
7. To be holy. 1 Cor. 7:34.

## **TRUTH AND ITS COMPANIONS**

**Text: Psalms 85:10.**

#### **What are the companions of truth?**

1. Spirit. John 4:23, 24; 2 Thess. 2:13.
2. Righteousness. 1 Kings 3:6; Eph. 5:9; Zech. 8:8.
3. Kindness. Prov. 3:3; 20:28.
4. Grace. John 1:14, 17.

5. Peace. 2 Kings 20:19; Esth. 9:30; Isa. 39:8; Zech. 8:16.
6. Mercy. Psalms 85 :10; Prov. 14:22; 16:6.
7. Meekness. Psalms 45 :4.
8. Justice. Psalms 111:7.
9. Uprighteousness. 1 Kings 3:6; Psalms 111:8.
10. Light. Psalms 43:3.
11. Sincerity. Josh. 24:14; 1 Cor. 5:8.
12. Love. 2 John 3.
13. Goodness. Eph. 5 :9.
14. Soberness. Acts 26:25.
15. Faithfulness. Isa. 25:1.

**The results of companionship.**

1. True worship. John 4:23, 24; Psalms 138:2.
2. Atonement. Prov. 16:6.
3. Fear of God. Josh. 24:14.
4. Salvation. 2 Thess. 2:10-13.
5. We are led to the church. Psalms 43:3, 4.
6. Finding favor. Prov. 3 :3, 4.
7. Good understanding. Prov. 3 :3, 4.
8. Desiring good. Prov. 14:22.
9. Preservation. Prov. 20:28; Psalms 61:7; 40:11.
10. Prosperity. Psalms 45 :4.
11. Service. Josh. 24:14.
12. Speaking up. Acts 26:25.
13. Wonderful things. Isa. 25:1.
14. Growth. Eph. 4:15.
15. Keeping the feast. 1 Cor. 5:8.

## TESTIMONIES, TRIALS AND TRIUMPHS OF FAITH

**Text: Heb. 11th chap.**

1. Assurance of. Verse 1.
2. Conviction of. Verse 1.
3. Witness of. Verse 2-4.
4. Understanding of. Verse 3.
5. Offering of. Verse 4.
6. Translation of. Verse 5.
7. Well pleasing. Verse 5, 6.
8. Moving. Verse 7.
9. Inheritance of. Verse 7.
10. Obedience of. Verse 8.
11. Sojourn of. Verse 9.
12. Waiting of. Verse 11.
13. Trust of. Verse 13.
14. Telescope of. Verse 13.
15. Trial of. Verse 17.
16. Blessing of. Verse 20, 21.
17. Worship of. Verse 21.
18. Prophecy of. Verse 22.
19. Courage of. Verse 23.
20. Choice of. Verse 24, 25.
21. Accounting of. Verse 26.
22. Look of. Verse 10, 26.
23. Endurance of. Verse 27.
24. Keeping of. Verse 28.
25. Passage of. Verse 29.
26. Victory of. Verse 30.
27. Justification of. Verse 31.
28. Success of. Verse 32.
29. Strength of. Verse 32.
30. Triumph of. Verse 32.
31. Fidelity of. Verse 32.

## THE ATTITUDE OF A CHRISTIAN

Text: Phil. 2:1-8.

**What is the Christian's attitude ?**

1. Not murmuring. Phil. 2:14.
2. Not faultfinding. 1 Cor. 13:5.
3. Not destroying. Rom. 14:5, 20.
4. Not indifference. Rev. 3:16.
5. Not discouraging. Col. 3:21.
6. Not accusing. Lk. 3:14; Jude 9.
7. Not bitterness. Eph. 4:31; Col. 3:19; Heb. 12:15.
8. Not let others do it. John 21:21, 22.
9. Not provoking. Gal. 5:26; Eph. 6:4.
10. Not suspicious. 1 Tim. 6:4.
11. Not lusting or running away. Acts 15:3; 2 Tim. 4:10, 16.
12. Not fearful. Matt. 25:25; Rev. 21:8; Jno. 4:27.
13. Not how little. Mark 10:21; Phil. 21.
14. Not selfish. Phil. 2:4, 21; 2 Tim. 3:2.
15. Submissive. Eph. 5:21, 24; Jas. 4:7.
16. Loving. 1 Cor. 16:15; Gal. 5:13-15; Jno. 13:35.
17. Peaceful. Rom. 12:18; 14:19; Heb. 12:14.
18. Going second mile. Matt. 5:41; Phil. 21.
19. Helpful. Rom. 16:12.
20. Suffering wrong. Matt. 5:39; 1 Cor. 6:7.



21. Forgiving. Matt 18:35; Eph. 4:32; Col. 3:13.
22. Aggressive. 2 Cor. 8:10-12, 17.
23. Contributing. 1 Tim. 6:18; 2 Cor. 8:1-5.
24. Cheerful. Rom. 12:8; 2 Cor. 9:7.
25. Wanting to learn. Matt. 11:29; 2 Tim. 2:15.
26. Showing the way. Matt. 7:12.
27. Co-operating. Rom. 15:30; 2 Cor. 1:11; 16:1.
28. Trustworthy. 1 Cor. 7:25.

## **THE LAST STEP**

**Text: 1 Sam. 20:3.**

**This step is:**

1. Inevitable.
2. Taken reluctantly.
  - (a) Because we are human.
  - (b) Because of unpreparedness.
  - (c) Because of uncertainties.
3. Taken joyfully. 2 Cor. 7:6-9.
  - (a) If we have pleased Christ.
  - (b) If in the Lord. Rev. 13:14.
  - (c) If taken by faith. 2 Cor. 5:7.
  - (d) If taken in hope.
  - (e) If taken with Christ.

**Why take this step without dread ?**

1. For the sake of others.
2. It is better. Phil. 1:23.
3. It is gain. Phil. 1:21.
4. It is God's will. Jas. 4:14-16.
5. Because it leads:
  - (a) Us home. 2 Cor. 5:6-8.
  - (b) To rest. Rev. 13:14.

- (c) To perfect day. Prov. 4:18.
- (d) To satisfaction. Psalms 17:15.
- (e) To peace. Luke 19:38; Isa. 57:2.
- (f) To happiness. Psalms 16:11.
- (g) To eternal life. 1 Tim. 6:19.
- (h) To a crown. 2 Tim. 4:618.

## **THE HERE AND THERE**

**Text: Heb. 13:14; Rev. 21:25.**

### **What do we have here ?**

1. No abiding place. Heb. 13:14.
2. Tears. Rev. 21:4.
3. Sorrow. Rev. 21:4.
4. Pain. Rev. 21:4.
5. Death. Rev. 21:4.
6. Evil things. Luke 16:25.
7. Disappointments. Gal. 1:6.
8. Temptations. 1 Cor. 7:5; Luke 4:13.
9. Trouble. Job 3:17; 14:1.
10. Cares. Luke 8:14; 21:34.
11. Pride. Psalms 90:10.
12. Tribulations. John 16:33; 2 Cor. 4:17.
13. Labor. Psalms 90:10.

### **What shall we have there?**

1. Rest. 2 Thess. 1:7; Rev. 14:13.
2. Treasures. Matt. 6:20.
3. Joy. Psalms 16:11; 21:6; Matt. 25:21.
4. Eternal things. 2 Cor. 4:7, 18; 5:1.

5. Light. Rev. 22:5.
6. Satisfaction. Psalms 17:15.
7. Comfort. Luke 16:25.
8. Pleasures. Psalms 16:11.
9. Life indeed. 1 Tim. 6:19; Matt. 25:46.
10. A crown. 2 Tim. 4:8; 1 Pet. 5:4.
11. A home. John 14:1-4 Rev. 22:14.
12. Tree of life. Rev. 22:14.
13. Blessings. Rev. 14:13; 22:14; Matt. 25:34.
14. Glory. 1 Pet. 5:1, 10; Eph. 5:27.
15. Incorruptible things. 1 Pet. 1:4.

## **THE TWO SIDES OF THE CHURCH**

**Text: Rev. 2:20-23; 3:1-4.**

### **What are they?**

1. The human, (wrong)
2. The divine, (right)

### **Characteristics of the wrong side.**

1. Division. 1 Cor. 1:11; 11:18.
2. Worldliness. 2 Tim. 4:10.
3. Immorality. 1 Cor. 5:1-6.
4. Preacheritis. 1 Cor. 1:12, 13; 3:4.
5. Self-interest. Phil. 2:20, 21.
6. Weakness. Rom. 14:1, 2; 1 Cor. 8:9-13.
7. Lack of love. Rev. 2:4.
8. Corrupted worship. 1 Cor. 11:7-22.
9. Dictators. 3 John 9:10.
10. Lawsuits. 1 Cor. 6:7.
11. Idleness, etc. 2 Thess. 3:10, 11; 1 Tim. 5:13.
12. Departures. 1 Tim. 19:20; 4:1.

13. Desire for leadership. Acts 20:30.
14. Riches. Acts 8:18-20; Rev. 3:17.
15. Jealousy. 1 Cor. 3:3.
16. Being dead. Rev. 3:1, 2.
17. False teachers. Rev. 2:14, 15; 20-24.
18. Partiality. Acts 6:1; Gal. 2:12.
19. Being carried away. Gal. 2:13; 2 Pet. 3:17.
20. Holding out. Acts 5 :1-5.

**Characteristics of the right side.**

1. Spirituality. 1 Cor. 3:1; Gal. 6:1.
2. Purity. Rev. 3:4.
3. Loyalty to the truth. Rev. 2:24.
4. Having partaken of divine nature. 2 Pet. 1:4.
5. Righteousness. Matt. 13:43.
6. Faithfulness. Rev. 2:10, 24, 25.
7. Truly caring. Phil. 2:20.

## **THE ESSENTIALS**

**Text: James 4:17.**

**What are they?**

1. Knowledge. 1 Tim. 2:4; Jas. 4:17.
2. Willingness. Phil. 14; 1 Pet. 5:2.
3. Ability. Ezra 2:9; Matt. 25:15; Acts 11:29.

**How are they obtained ?**

1. By study. 2 Tim. 2:15.
2. By observation. Phil. 4:9.
3. By love. John 14:15.
4. By incentives. 1 Cor. 15:58.
5. By gift. Rom. 12:6; 1 Pet. 4:10, 11.
6. By use. 1 Cor. 3:2; Heb. 5:13, 14.

### **Why have and use all three ?**

1. Lest we be condemned. Luke 12:47; Jas4:17.
2. To succeed. Ex. 35:5, 22; Neh. 4:6.
3. To be acceptable. 2 Cor. 8:11, 12.
4. To have a good conscience. Heb. 13:18.
5. To be rewarded. 1 Cor. 9:17.
6. To be blessed. John 13:17; James 1:25.
7. To be saved. Phil. 2:2-4.
8. To shine. Phil. 2:2-15.
9. It is God's will. 1 Tim. 2:4; Phil. 2:13.
10. It produces equality. 2 Cor. 8:14; Acts 11:29.
11. Lest we sin. James 4:17.
12. Lest we be destroyed. Hos. 4:6.
13. To enter eternal kingdom. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
14. To have eternal life. John 17:3; Rev. 22:14.

### **THE RIGHT USE OF GOD'S WORD**

**Text: 2 Cor. 3:17.**

#### **How use the word of God ?**

1. Not deceitfully. 2 Cor. 4:2.
2. Not corrupting it. 2 Cor. 2:17.
3. Not exchange it. Rom. 1:25.
4. Not blaspheme it. Titus 2:5.
5. Not wresting it. 2 Pet. 3:16.
6. Not veil it. 2 Cor. 4:3.
7. Not stumble at it. 1 Pet. 2:8.
8. Not be ashamed of it. Mark 8:38.

9. Not pervert it. Gal. 1:7.
10. Rightly divide it. 2 Tim. 2:15.
11. Sincerely. 2 Cor. 2:17.
12. Respect it. Psalms 119:6, 128.
13. Lay it up in our heart. Psalms 119:11.
14. Delight in it. Psalms 119:16, 24.
15. Long for it. Psalms 119:40, 131, 155.
16. Trust in it. Psalms 119:42.
17. Love it. Psalms 119:47, 48; 2 Thes. 2:10.
18. Meditate on it. Psalms 119:148.
19. Hope in it. Psalms 119:81, 114.
20. Choose it. Psalms 119:173.
21. Stand in awe of it. Psalms 119:161.
22. Believe it. John 2:22; Rom. 10:17.
23. Obey it. 1 Pet. 3:1.
24. Teach it. Gal. 6:6.
25. Abide in it. John 8:31.
26. Handle aright. 2 Tim. 2:15.
27. Preach it. 2 Tim. 4:2.
28. Hold it forth. Phil. 2:16.

## **THINGS ETERNAL**

**Text: 2 Cor. 4:16-18.**

### **What is eternal?**

1. God. Deut. 33 :27; Psalms 90:2.
2. Redemption. Heb. 9:12.
3. Salvation. Heb. 5:9.
4. Inheritance. Heb. 9:15.
5. Comfort. 2 Thess. 2:16.
6. Glory. 1 Pet. 5:10.
7. Life. Rom. 6:23.
8. Home. Luke 16:9; 2 Cor. 5:1.
9. Kingdom. 2 Pet. 1:11.

10. Sin. Mark 3:29.
11. Fire. Matt. 8:8; 25 :41; Jude 7.
12. Punishment. Matt. 25:46; 2 Thess. 1:9.

How can we have them ?

1. Through grace. 2 Thess. 2:16.
2. Through faith. John 3:16.
3. Through obedience. Heb. 5:9.
4. By being called. Heb. 9:15; 1 Pet. 5:10.
5. By being free from sin. Rom. 6:22.
6. By being God's servants. Rom. 6:22.
7. By bearing holy fruits: Rom. 6:22.
8. By sowing to the Spirit. Gal. 6:8.
9. By Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
10. By making sacrifices. Matt. 19:26-29.
11. By making friends. Luke 16:9.
12. By righteousness. Matt. 25:46.
13. By seeking. Rom. 2:7.
14. By fleeing, fighting and following. 1 Tim. 6:11, 12.
15. By not ridding ourselves of sin. Jno. 8:21, 24.
16. By blaspheming. Mark 3:25-29.
17. By not obeying. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
18. By not caring for others. Matt. 25:41.

## THE EASY OR HARD WAY

Text: Heb. 12:11.

**What** was said to be hard ?

1. Christ's words. John 6:60.
2. The servant's lord. Matt. 25:24.

3. The way of transgression. Prov. 13:15.
4. Fight against God. Acts 26:14.
5. To understand all. 2 Pet. 3:16.
6. To trust riches and enter in. Mark 10:24.

**Those who took the easy way.**

1. Lot. Gen. 13:8-13.
2. Rich farmer. Luke 12:16-20.
3. Rich young man. Matt. 19:16-22.
4. Peter. Luke 22:54.
5. Ananias and Sapphira. Acts 5:1-10.
6. Demas. 2 Tim. 4:10.

**Those who took the hard way.**

1. Abraham. Gen. 13:8-13.
2. Joseph. Gen. 39:7-20.
3. Caleb. Josh. 14:1-12.
4. Christ. Matt. 4:8-10; Heb. 2:2, 3.
5. Paul. 2 Tim. 2:3.
6. Early Christians. Acts 14:22.

**Why choose the hard way?**

1. Lest we be wrong.
2. To escape woe. Amos 6:1.
3. Lest we displease God. Zach. 1:15.
4. Lest we be fools. Luke 12:19-21; 18:23.
5. Because of the end. Heb. 12:11.

**For whom is it good ?**

1. Youths. Lam. 3:27.
2. All Christians.

**Is anything too hard ?**

1. For the Lord. Gen. 18:14; Jer. 32:17, 27.
2. For those who trust Him. 1 Cor. 10:13.



# THE PRINCE OF PEACE

Text: Isa. 9:6.

## Who is He?

- I. Christ—for He is its:
  - (a) Purchaser. Isa. 53:5; Cot. 1:20.
  - (b) Lord. 2 Thes. 3:16.
  - (c) Giver. John 14:27. 2 Thes. 3:16.
  - (d) Maker. Eph. 2:15.
  - (e) Preacher. Acts 10:36. Eph. 2:17.
  - (f) Guide. Luke 1:79.
  - (g) All for us. Eph. 2:14.

## What kind is His peace?

1. Not worldly. John 14:27.
2. Not uncertain. Jer. 6:14; 1 Thes. 5:3.
3. Endless. Isa. 9:6, 7.

## For whom has He peace ?

1. Not for all. Isa. 57:21. Luke 12:51.
2. Those who know. Luke 19:42; 2 Pet. 1:2.
3. The spiritually minded. Romans 8:6.
4. Those who believe. Romans 15:13.
5. The diligent. 2 Pet. 3:14.
6. Those who please. Prov. 16:7. Luke 2:14.
7. The doers of good. Romans 2:10.
8. Those in Christ. John 16:33.
9. The justified. Romans 5:1.
10. Those who trust Him. Isa. 26:3.
- II. Those who follow His rule. Gal. 6:16.
12. Those in the church. Col. 3:16.

What does His peace do?

1. Blesses. Psalms 29:11.
2. Rules. Col. 3:16.
3. Supports. John 14:27; 16:33.
4. Makes peacemakers. Matt. 5:8.
5. Brings happiness. Psalms 37:37.

## **THE DEVIL**

Text:

Theories about his origin.

1. Two seed.
2. Eternal with God.
3. Part of creation-serpent.
4. Fallen angel.

**What** is he?

1. Liar. John 8:44.
2. Murderer. John 8:44.
3. Accuser. Rev. 12:10.
4. Adversary. 1 Pet. 5:8.
5. Sinner. 1 John 3 :8.
6. Enemy. Matt. 13 :39.
7. Deceiver. Rev. 12:9; 2 Cor. 11:3.

**What** is he also called ?

1. Satan. Rev. 12:9.
2. Serpent. Rev. 12:9.
3. Dragon. Rev. 12:9; 1 John 2:13.
4. Evil one. Matt. 13:19; Eph. 6:16.

**What** is his work?

1. To hinder the gospel. Matt. 4:15.
2. Pervert scripture. Matt. 4:6; Luke 4:10, 11.
3. To suggest evil. John 13:2.
4. To tempt with lust. John 8:44; Matt. 4:1-11.

5. Hinder Christians. 1 Thess. 2:18.
6. Ensnare. 1 Tim. 3:7; 2 Tim. 2:26.
7. To blind. 2 Cor. 4:4.

**What do with the devil?**

1. Not be his child. Matt. 13:38; 1 John 3:10; Acts 13:10.
2. Not turn after. 1 Tim. 5:15.
3. Resist. Jas. 4:7; 1 Pet. 5:8.
4. Arm against. Eph. 6:11-16.
5. Watch. 2 Cor. 2:11; 1 Pet. 5:8.
6. Not yield. Eph. 4:27.
7. Overcome. 1 John 2:13; Rev. 12:1-11.

**THE FLOCK**

**Text: John 10:16.**

**Of what does it consist?**

1. Shepherd. John 10:16; Heb. 13:20.
2. Sheep. John 10:16; Heb. 13:20.
3. Fold. John 10:16.

**Who is the shepherd ?**

1. Christ, the Lord. John 10:11, 14.

**What kind of shepherd is he ?**

1. Not worthless. Zech. 11:17; John 10:12, 13.
2. Chief. 1 Pet. 5:4.
3. Good. John 10:14.
4. Great. Heb. 13:20.
5. One. John 10:16.

**What does the shepherd do for the flock?**

1. Lay down his life. John 10:11, 15.
2. Bring it into the fold. John **10:16**.
3. Lead it. John 10:3, 27; Psalms 23:1-3.

4. Feed it. John 21:17; Acts 20:28.
5. Tend it. John 21:16; 1 Pet. 5:2.
6. Protects it. John 10:15, 27, 28.
7. Knows it. John 10:14, 27.

**Who are the sheep?**

1. Christians. John 10:15, 16, 26-28.

**What are the sheep's characteristics ?**

1. Hearing. John 10:3,27.
2. Knowing. John 10:4, 14.
3. Believing. John 10:26.
4. Following. John 10:4, 27; 1 Pet. 2:25.
5. Submissive. Acts 8:32.

**What is the fold?**

1. The church. Luke 12:32; Acts 20:28.

**What will the flock receive?**

1. Salvation. John 10:7-9; Eph. 5:23; 1 Pet. 2:25.
2. Blessing." Matt. 25:34.
3. Eternal kingdom. Matt. 25:33, 34.
4. Eternal life. John 10:27, 28.

## **THE WORK OF CHRISTIANS**

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:58.**

**What is their work?**

1. Believing. John 6:29.
2. Studying. 2 Tim. 2:15.
3. Teaching. Acts 8:4; 1 Cor. 16:10.
4. Praying. Rom. 12:12; 2 Thess. 5:17.
5. Using what they have. Acts 3 :6.
6. Ministering. 1 Pet. 4:11.

7. Letting light shine. Matt. 5:16.
8. Making peace. Matt. 5 :9.
9. Keeping unity. Eph. 4:3.
10. Watching. Mark 13:37.
11. Fighting. 1 Tim. 6:12.
12. Building. Eph. 4:16.

**How are they to work?**

1. Willingly. 1 Cor. 9:17; Phil. 2:12-14.
2. Increasingly. 1 Cor. 15:58.
3. Heartily. Col. 3:23.
4. Carefully. 1 Cor. 3:10; 1 Tim. 5:10.
5. According to ability. Mark 14:8.
6. In Christ's name. Col. 3:17.
7. Even at great risk. Phil. 2:30.
8. To God's glory. 1 Cor. 10:31; John 17:4.

**Why do this work?**

1. To imitate God and Christ. John 5:17.
2. Because of what has been done. 1 Cor. 15:56-58.
3. We are created for this. Eph. 2:10.
4. It pays. Matt. 16:26, 27; 1 Cor. 15:58; Rev. 22:12.
5. To be saved. Phil. 2:12.
6. To be loved. 1 Thess. 5:13.
7. To be blessed. Jas. 1:25.
8. To receive the morning star. Rev. 2:26-28.

## **THE ROCK**

**Text: 1 Cor. 10:4.**

**What is the Rock?**

1. God. 1 Sam. 2:2.

2. Christ. 1 Cor. 10:4.
3. The word. Matt. 16:18; 1 Pet. 2:8, 9.

### **What kind is it**

1. Of habitation. Psalms 71:3; Isa. 22:16.
2. Living. 1 Pet. 2:4.
3. Higher. Psalms 61:2.
4. Everlasting. Isa. 26:4.
5. Spiritual. 1 Cor. 10:4.
6. Strong. Psalms 31:2.
7. Of salvation. Deut. 32:15; 2 Sam. 22:47; Ps. 95:10.
8. Of shelter. Psalms 61:2; Isa. 32:2.
9. Refreshing. Psalms 81:16; 1 Cor. 10:4.
10. Of security. Matt. 7:24; Luke 6:48.
11. Exalted. Acts 4:11.
12. Of refuge. 2 Sam. 22:3; Ps. 104:18; Prov. 30:26.
13. Precious. 1 Pet. 2:47.
14. Foundation. Matt. 16:18; Luke 6:48.
15. Dangerous. Jude 12.
16. Of strength. Isa. 17:10.
17. Of offense. Rom. 9:32; 1 Pet. 2:8.
18. Of stumbling. Rom. 9:32; Isa. 8:14.
19. Of destruction. Matt. 21:42.
20. Rejected. Matt. 21:42; Acts 4:11; 1 Pet. 2:17.

### **What to do with it**

1. Avoid it. Matt. 21:44; Jude 12.
2. Not stumble at it. Rom. 9:32; 1 Pet. 2:7, 8.

3. Have faith in it and trust it. Isa. 26:3, 4.
4. Resort to it. Psalms 71:3, 4.
5. Take refuge in it. Psalms 18:2; 2 Sam. 22:3.
6. Stand on it. Ex. 33:21; Ps. 27:5; 40:2.
7. Build on it. Luke 6:48.

## **THE FRUIT OF RIGHTEOUSNESS**

Text: Phil. 1:11; Jas. 3:18.

### **What are they?**

1. Receiving instruction. Prov. 9:9.
2. Living by faith. Rom. 1:17; Heb. 10:38.
3. Full obedience. Luke 1:6.
4. Doing right. 1 John 3:7.
5. Liberality. Ps. 37:21; Prov. 21:26.
6. Speaking wisely. Psalms 37:30.
7. Speaking the truth. Prov. 12:17.
8. Guiding neighbors. Prov. 2:26.
9. Seeking safety. Prov. 18:10.
10. Hating lying. Prov. 13:5.
11. Walking in integrity. Prov. 20:7.
12. Justice. Prov. 21:15.
13. Caring for the poor. Prov. 29:7.
14. Showing mercy. Psalms 37:21.
15. Giving thanks. Psalms 140:3.
16. Singing and rejoicing. Prov. 29:6.
17. Rising again. Prov. 24:16.
18. Courage. Prov. 28:1.

### **Why should we bear these fruits ?**

1. To be saved. 1Pet. 4:18.
2. To be a blessing. Prov. 20:7.

3. To have hope. Gal. 5 :5.
4. To be heard. 1 Pet. 3:13.
5. To be remembered. Psalms 112,6.
6. To be loved. Psalms 146:8.
7. To be accepted. Acts 10:35.
8. To have life. Prov. 11:30.
9. To be secured. Psalms 29, 39, 40.
10. To be arrayed. Rev. 19:8.
11. To shine. Matt. 13:43.
12. To go to heaven. 2 Pet. 3 :13.

## **TOWARD**

**Text: Phile, 5.**

### **Toward us:**

1. God's mercy. Psalms 86:13; Luke 1:72.
2. God's grace. Eph. 1:8.
3. God's love. Rom. 5:8.
4. God's severity. Rom. 11:21.
5. God's goodness. Rom. 11:21.
6. God's longsuffering. 2 Pet. 3 :9.
7. God's power. 2 Cor. 13 :4.
8. God's kindness. Eph. 2:7.

### **Toward God:**

1. Faith. 1 Thess. 1:8; Phil. 5.
2. Repentance. Acts 20:21.
3. Confidence. 2 Cor. 3:4.
4. Hope. Acts 24:15.
5. Rich. Luke 12:21.
6. Work. Heb. 6:10.
7. Love. Phil. 5; Heb. 6:10.
8. Boldness. 1 John 3:21.
9. Unoffending conscience. Acts 24:16.

### **Toward others:**

1. Longsuffering. 1 Thess. 5:14.



2. Following after good. 1 Thess. 5: 15.
3. Love. 1 Thess. 3:12; 4:10; 2 Thess. 1:3.
4. Walking becomingly. 1 Thess. 4: 12.
5. Walking in wisdom. Col. 4:5.
6. Faith. Phil. 5.
7. Service. Phil. 2:30.
8. Unoffending conscience. Acts 24: 16.
9. Right behavior. 2 Cor. 1:12.
10. Good courage. 2 Cor. 10:1.
11. Same kind. Rom. 12:16.

## **TAKING STOCK**

**Text: 2 John 8:2; 2 Thess. 1:3.**

### **Of what take stock?**

1. Opportunities. Gal. 6:10.
  - (a) To teach.
  - (b) To obey the gospel.
  - (c) To do good.
2. Faith. 2 Thess. 1:3.
  - (a) Is it dead?
  - (b) Have we departed from it ?
  - (c) Have we kept it?
  - (d) Is it growing?
3. Knowledge. 2 Pet. 3:18.
  - (a) Is it falsely so called ?
  - (b) Is it of good or evil ?
  - (c) Do we know truth and duty ?
4. Time. Eph. 5:16.
  - (a) Lord's days.
  - (b) Other days.
  - (c) The best time.

5. Love. 1 Thess. 4:9, 10.
  - (a) Have we left it?
  - (b) Is it less, or more?
  - (c) Is it real or hypocritical ?
6. Giving. 2 Cor. 8:3-5.
  - (a) To what?
  - (b) How much?
  - (c) Was it willingly ?
7. Forgiveness. Eph. 4:32.
  - (a) Is it easier ?
  - (b) Is it real?
  - (c) How often?
8. Prayer. Jas. 5:16.
  - (a) Is it to be seen and heard?
  - (b) Is it formal, or fervent?
  - (c) Is it without ceasing?
9. Zeal. 2 Cor. 9:2.
  - (a) Is it without knowledge ?
  - (b) Is it intermittent?
  - (c) Is it consuming ?
10. Worship.
  - (a) Vain. Matt. 15:9.
  - (b) Will. Col. 2:23.
  - (c) True. John 4:23.

## **THE BREVITY OF LIFE**

**Text: Jas. 4:14.**

**It is described.**

1. Swifter than a weaver's shuttle.  
Job 7:6.
2. As a breath. Job 7:7.
3. Swifter than a runner. Job 9:25.
4. As a swift ship. Job 9:26.
5. As an eagle swooping down. Job  
9:26.
6. As a few days. Job 14:1.

7. As a flower. Job 14:2.
8. As a shadow. Job 14:2; Eccl. 6:12.
9. As water poured on the ground. 2 Sam. 14:14.
10. As a tale, told. Psalms 90:9.
11. As vapor. Jas. 4:14.
12. As grass. 1 Pet. 1:24.

**What this causes us to do.**

1. Consider. Deut. 32:29.
2. Prepare. Matt. 24:44.
3. Do our best. Eccl. 9:10.
4. Submit to God's will. Jas. 4:14.
5. Remember early. Eccl. 12:1-7.

**What is your life?**

1. Not an accident.
2. God's gift. Acts 17:25, 28.
3. What we make it. Josh. 24:15; Deut. 30:19.
4. Opportunity. 1 Tim. 4:8; Jas. 4:15.
5. Uncertain. Deut. 28:66; Job 24:22.
6. Brief. Jas. 4:14.
7. Open before God. Job 14:3.
8. Subject to judgment. Job 14:3.

## **THE GREATEST THINGS IN LIFE**

**Text: Psalms 18:23, 71:21.**

**What are they?**

1. Greatest aim. 2 Cor. 5:9.
2. Greatest joy. 3 John 4.
3. Satisfaction. Prov. 14:14.
4. Treasures. Luke 12:21; Matt. 6:19-21.
5. Victory. 1 John 5:4; 1 Cor. 9:27.
6. Decision. Josh. 24:15.

7. Responsibility. Rom. 14:12.
8. Work. 1 Cor. 15:58.
9. Thoughts. Isa. 55:8, 9.
10. Gift. 2 Cor. 8:5.
11. Service. Rom. 12:11.
12. Strength. Phil. 4:13; 1 Pet. 4:11.
13. Love. John 15:13.
14. Text. 1 Cor. 3:15.
15. Lesson. Phil. 4:11, 12.
16. Inheritance. Matt. 25 :34.
17. Greatest interest. Matt. 6:33.
18. Care. Phil. 2:20; 1 Tim. 3:5.
19. Promises. 2 Pet. 1:4.
20. Nature. 2 Pet. 1:4.
21. Bargain. Matt. 26:16; 1 Tim. 6:6.
22. Choice. Deut. 30:19, 20.
23. Pursuit. Psalms 34:14; 1 Pet. 3:  
11.
24. Prosperity. 3 John 2.
25. Accomplishment. John 17:4.

## **THOU SHALT NOT**

**Text: Matt. 4:7.**

### **Thou shalt not:**

1. Try God. Matt. 4:7.
2. Taste. Luke 14:24.
3. Enter. Matt. 18:3; 5:20; Luke 13:  
24; Rev. 21:24; Heb. 4:3, 5.
4. Escape. 1 Thess. 5:3; Heb. 12:25.
5. See the Lord. John 4:36; Heb. 12:  
14.
6. Inherit. 1 Cor. 6:9; Gal. 5:19-21.
7. Be able. Luke 13:24, 25.
8. Be justified by work of the law.  
Gal. 2:16; Rom. 3:20.
9. Find Christ. John 7:34-36.

10. Receive. Jas 1:6, 7.
11. Perish. John 3:16; 10:27.
12. Be as hypocrites. Matt. 6:5.
13. Speak evil of. Acts 23:5; Titus 3:2.
14. Muzzle the ox. 1 Cor. 9:9; 1 Tim. 5:18.
15. Know when. Rev. 3:3.
16. Make request. 1 John 5 :16.
17. Stumble. 2 Pet. 1:10.
18. Be ashamed. Phil. 1:20; 1 Pet. 2:6.
19. Fear. Heb. 13:6.
20. Precede. 1 Thess. 4:15.
21. Be foolish. 2 Cor. 12:6.
22. Fulfill. Gal. 5:16.
23. Believe. Acts 13:41.
24. Walk in darkness. John 8:12.
25. Hunger and thirst. John 4:14; 6:35.
26. Be condemned. Luke 6:37.
27. Be so. Luke 22:26.
28. Lose reward. Matt. 10:42; Mark 9:41.
29. See death. John 8:51, 52.
30. Sleep. 1 Cor. 15:41.

## **THE CHRISTIAN'S BANNER**

**Text: Psalms 20:5; 60:4.**

**Why do we need banners ?**

1. To show where we stand.

**How show where we stand ?**

1. Humbly, as becomes a Christian.
2. Fearlessly, being in the right.
3. Continuously, truth changes not.
4. Wisely, this is consistent.

## What banners should we set up?

1. The purple banner of faith.
  - (a) In God. Matt. 11:22.
  - (b) In Christ. John 14:1.
  - (c) Not in man's wisdom. 1 Cor. 2:5.
2. The rose banner of hope.
  - (a) In God. 1 Pet. 1:21.
  - (b) In Christ. 1 Cor. 15:19.
  - (c) In righteousness. Gal. 5:5.
3. The golden banner of love. Song of S. 2:4.
  - (a) For the Lord. Mark 12:30, 31.
  - (b) For friends. John 13:35.
  - (c) For enemies. Matt. 5:44.
4. The red banner of conquest.
  - (a) Against satan. Jas. 4:7.
  - (b) Against sin. Heb. 12:4.
  - (c) Against self. 1 Cor. 9:27.
5. The white banner of peace.
  - (a) With God. Rom. 5:1.
  - (b) With the brethren. 1 Thess. 5:13.
  - (c) With all. Rom. 12:18; Heb. 12:14.
6. The blue banner of fidelity. Titus 2:10.
  - (a) To God. Heb. 3:2.
  - (b) To the church. Matt. 18:17; Phil. 2:19-21.
  - (c) To the truth. 2 Cor. 13:8.
7. The black banner of no quarters,
  - (a) No compromise. Phil. 1:16,  
**27, 28.**

(b) No condoning. Eph. 4:27;  
Gal. 2:5.

(c) No surrender. Eph. 4:27;  
Gal. 2:5.

The red flag signifies: We will never  
surrender. We will conquer or die.

The black flag signifies: We will take  
no prisoners. The fight is unto death.

## **THE SEVEN DIRECTIONS**

### **1. Turn:**

(a) From darkness. Acts 26:18.

(b) From sin. Acts 3:26; 1 Pet.  
3:11.

(c) From satan's power. Acts 26:  
18.

(d) From false science. 1 Tim.  
6:20.

### **2. Look:**

(a) Carefully. Heb. 12:15.

(b) Unto Jesus. Isa. 45:22; Heb.  
12:1, 2.

(c) Diligently. 2 Pet. 3:12-14.

(d) Into the word. Jas. 1:25.

### **3. Come:**

Unto me. Matt. 11:28.

(b) Will to come. John 5:40; Rev.  
22:17.

(c) Now. John 8:21.

(d) To claim promise. Matt. 11:  
28.

### **4. Walk:**

(a) Wisely. Eph. 5:15.

(b) By faith. 2 Cor. 5:7.

- (c) In love. Eph. 5 :2.
- (d) In truth. 3 John 4.

**5. Run:**

- (a) Patiently. Heb. 12:1, 2.
- (b) Certainly. 1 Cor. 9:26.
- (c) Well. Gal. 5:7.
- (d) To obtain. 1 Cor. 9:24.

**6. Go:**

- (a) Sell. Mark 10:20.
- (b) Tell. Mark 5:19.
- (c) Show. Luke 17:14.
- (d) Teach. Matt. 28:19.

**7. Abide:**

- (a) Fruitful. John 15:4.
- (b) By the word abiding. 1 John 2:24.
- (c) By obedience. 1 John 3 :24.
- (d) To die well. Rev. 14:13.

## **THE STATE OF THE CHURCH**

**Text: Phil. 2:19, 20.**

**What is the state of the church?**

1. Luke warm. Rev. 3:15, 16.
2. Carnal. Rev. 3:1-3.
3. Corrupt. 1 Cor. 5:1-6.
4. Loveless. Rev. 2:4, 5.
5. Assembling but not worshipping. 1 Cor. 11:20.
6. Irreverent. Lev. 19:30; Eccl. 5:1; 1 Tim. 3:15.
7. Careless. Rev. 2:14, 15, 20.
8. Dead. Rev. 3:1.
9. Self-Satisfied. Rev. 3:17, 18.



10. Divided. 1 Cor. 1:10, 11; Rom. 16:17.
11. Rich. Rev. 2:9.
12. Working. Rev. 2:2, 3.
13. Magnified. Acts 2:47; 5:13; 1 Thess. 1:4.
14. Teaching. Acts 11:26.
15. Benevolent. Acts 11:29, 30.
16. Growing. Eph. 4:15, 16; 2 Thess. 1:3.
17. Giving. 1 Cor. 16:1, 2; 2 Cor. 8:5.
18. United. Eph. 4:3, 4, 13.
19. Faithful. Rev. 3:8.
20. Glorious. Eph. 5:27.
21. Shining. Matt. 5:14-16; 13:41-43.

**Why be interested in it ?**

1. It denotes real spirituality. Phil. 2:20.
2. To be helped. Phil. 2:19.
3. We are members.
4. Lest we be selfish. Phil. 2:20, 21.
5. Lest we die. Rev. 3:2.

**TESTIMONY OF THE  
PROPHETS**

**Text: Acts 10:43.**

1. Abraham's seed.
2. Jacob's Shiloh. Gen. 49:10.
3. Passover of Israel. Ex. 12th chap.; 1 Cor. 5:7.
4. Scapegoat of Aaron. Lev. 16:7-22.
5. The prophet of Moses. Deut. 18:15.
6. The star of Baalam. Num. 24:17.
7. Redeemer of. Job. 19:25.

8. The shepherd of David. Psalms 23:1.
9. The rejected stone. Psalms 118:22; Acts 4:11, 1, 12.
10. The mighty one of Jacob. Isa. 60:16.
11. Promised son of Isaiah. Isa. 9:6.
12. Lion of the tribe of Judah. Rev. 5:5.
13. Messiah of Daniel. Dan. 9:25.
14. Root of Jesse. Isa. 11:10.
15. Immanuel of Isaiah. Isa. 7:14.
16. The righteousness of Jeremiah. Jer. 51:10.
17. The covenant of peace of Ezekiel. Ezek. 37:26.
18. The plumb-line of Amos. Amos 7:8.
19. Lily and blossom of Hosea. Hosea 14:5, 6.
20. The ruler of Micah. Micah 5:2.
21. The salvation of Habakkuk. Hab. 3:13.
22. The sun of righteousness. Mal. 4:2.
23. The judge. Isa. 2:4.
24. Tender plant. Isa. 53:2.
25. Witness, leader and commander. Isa. 55:4.

## **THE BOOK OF LIFE**

**Text: Rev. 20:15.**

**Who said there was a book of life?**

1. Moses. Ex. 32:33.
2. David. Psalms 69:28.
3. Daniel. Dan. 12:1.
4. Malachi. Mal. 3:16.
5. Christ. Luke 10:20.

6. Paul. Phil. 4:3.
7. John. Rev. 20:15.

**Whose names are written there?**

1. Not sinners. Ex. 32:33.
2. No defilers. Rev. 21:27.
3. Not the abominable. Rev. 21:27.
4. Not liars. Rev. 21:27.
5. Not triflers with God's word. Rev. 22:19.
6. Fearers of God. Mal. 3:16.
7. Thinkers on his name. Mal. 3:16.
8. The obedient. Rev. 22:14, 19.
9. The righteous. Psalms 69:28.
10. Fellow-workers. Phil. 4:3.
11. Overcomers. Rev. 3:5.
12. God's people. Ex. 32:33.
13. Worshippers of God. Rev. 13 :8.
14. Firstborn. Heb. 12:23.

**Why be in the book of life?**

1. To escape the lake of fire. Rev. 20:15.
2. To be delivered. Dan. 12:1.
3. To rejoice. Luke 10:20.
4. To enter the city. Rev. 21:27.

**Whose name will be blotted out?**

1. Sinners. Ex. 32:33.
2. The unfaithful. Rev. 3:5.

**THE LORD'S QUESTIONS IN  
THE OLD TESTAMENT**

1. Where art thou? Gen. 3:9.
2. What hast thou done? Gen. 3:13; 4:10.
3. Why art thou wroth? Gen. 4:6.
4. If thou doest well? Gen. 4:7.
5. Where is thy brother? Gen. 4:9.
6. What is in thy hand? Ex. 4:2.

7. How long will thou refuse? Ex. 16:28.
8. How long despise? Ex. 14:11.
9. How long not believe? Num. 14:11.
10. How long be slack? Ex. 14:11.
11. What doest thou here? 1 Kings 19:9, 13..
12. Who darkens counsel? Job 38:2.
13. Shall he contend with God? Job 40:2.
14. Wilt thou annul my judgement? Job 40:8.
15. Wilt thou condemn me? Job 40:8.
16. Are you as able as God? Job 40:9.
17. Who can stand before me? Job 41:10.
18. Who hath first given to me? Job 41:11.
19. Have I not power to deliver? Isa. 50:2.
20. Can't I do as the potter? Jer. 18:6.
21. Can you hide from me? Jer. 23:24.
22. Do I not fill heaven and earth ? Jer. 23:24.
23. Is not my word a hammer? Jer. 23:29.
24. Have I pleasure in the death of the wicked? Ezek. 18:23
25. Is not my way equal? Ezek. 18:25, 29.
26. Why will ye die? Ezek. 33:11.
27. Where is mine honor? Mal. 1:6.
28. Where is my fear? Mal. 1:6.
29. Should I accept this at your hand ? Mal. 1:13.
30. Will a man rob God? Mal. 3 :8.

# THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

Text: Col. 1:10.

**What does he want us to know ?**

1. God. Heb. 8:11.
2. Christ. John 17:3.
3. The truth. 1 Tim. 2:4.
4. His will. Col. 1:9.

**Why have this knowledge?**

1. It is rich. Rom. 11:35.
2. It is excellent. Phil. 3:8.
3. Lest we err. Matt. 22:29.
4. Lest we be punished. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
5. Lest we be rejected. Rom. 1:28.

**What does knowledge do?**

1. It may puff up. 1 Cor. 8:1.
2. Increases responsibility. Luke 12:47; Jas. 4:17.
3. Gives peace. 2 Pet. 1:2.
4. Gives freedom. John 8:32; 2 Pet. 2:20.
5. Gives life. John 17:3; 2 Pet. 1:3.
6. Supplies an entrance. 2 Pet. 1:5.
7. Causes growth. 2 Pet. 3:18.
8. Makes wise. 2 Tim. 3:15.
9. Enables us to admonish. Rom. 15:14.
10. Enriches. 1 Cor. 1:5.
11. Commends. 2 Cor. 6:4, 6.
12. Renews. Col. 3:10.

**With what should it be combined ?**

1. Love. 1 Cor. 13:2.
2. Zeal. Rom. 10:2.
3. Doing. John 13:17; Jas. 4:17.

## TAKING

Text: Acts 20:28.

### What should we take?

1. Not away God's glory. Micah 2:9.
2. Not from the word. Rev. 22:19.
3. Instruction. Prov. 4:13.
4. Water of life. Rev. 22:17.
5. Not away key of knowledge. Luke 11:52.
6. Christ's yoke. Matt. 11:28, 29.
7. The right way. Job 23:10.
8. Cross. Matt. 10:38; 16:24.
9. Armor. Eph. 6:13, 16, 17.
10. Hold. Prov. 30:28; Isa. 27:5; Luke 20:26.
11. Counsel. Isa. 30:1.
12. Oil. Matt. 25:4.
13. Care of. Luke 10:34; 1 Tim. 3:5.
14. Suffering. 1 Pet. 2:20.
15. Wrong. 1 Cor. 6:7.
16. Thought. Rom. 12:17; 2 Cor. 8:21.
17. Courage. Acts 28:15.
18. Heed:
  - (a) What we hear. Mark 4:21.
  - (b) How we hear. Luke 8:11.
  - (c) To our way. Psalms 119:8.
  - (d) To self. Luke 21:34; 12:15.
  - (e) To the word. 2 Pet. 1:19.
  - (f) How we build. 1 Cor. 3:10.
  - (g) Lest we fall. 1 Cor. 10:12.
  - (h) Lest we be spoiled. Col. 2:8.
  - (i) Unto flock. Acts 20:28.

## THE CONQUEROR

Text: Rev. 17:14.

### Who is he?

1. The one with Christ. Rev. 17:14.

The called. Rev. 17:14.

- (a) Not directly.
- (b) Not from burning bush.
- (c) Not by still small voice. 1 Kings 19:12.
- (d) Through the gospel. 2 Thess. 2:13, 14.

He is called:

- (a) Unto God. Acts 2:39.
- (b) Unto the light. 1 Pet. 2:9.
- (c) Into the kingdom. 1 Thess. 2:12.
- (d) Unto salvation. 2 Thess. 2:13, 14.
- (e) Eternal life. 1 Tim. 6:12.
- (f) Unto glory. 1 Pet. 5:10.

He is chosen:

- (a) Through faith. 2 Thess. 2:13. Titus 1:1.
- (b) In Christ. Rom. 16:13; Eph. 1:4.
- (c) Through sanctification. 2 Thess. 2:13.
- (d) By being poor, but rich. Jas. 2:5.
- (e) Diligence. 2 Pet. 1:10.

He is faithful:

- (a) In Christ. Eph. 1:1; Col. 1:2.
- (b) In teaching. 1 Tim. 2:2.
- (c) In stewardship. 1 Cor. 4:2.
- (d) In little things. Luke 16:10; 19:17.
- (e) In love. 3 John 5:6.
- (f) In service. Matt. 24:45.
- (g) In ministry. Col. 1:7; 4:7.

- (h) In all things. 1 Tim. 3:11.
- (i) Unto death. Rev. 2:10.

## **THE DOCTRINE**

**Text: 1 Tim. 6:3.**

### **What kinds are there ?**

1. Divine. Titus 2:10.
2. Human. Matt. 15:9; Col. 2:22.
3. Demonical. 1 Tim. 4:1.

### **Why teach and follow the divine ?**

1. We are so charged. 1 Tim. 1:3.
2. Lest we worship in vain. Matt. 15:9.
3. Lest our work perish. Col. 2:22.
4. Lest we be puffed up. 1 Tim. 6:3, 4.
5. Lest we cause division. Rom. 6:17.
6. Lest we know not. 1 Tim. 6:3, 4.
7. Lest we have not God. 2 John 9.
8. It is profitable. 1 Tim. 3:16; Heb. 13:9.
9. Lest we fall. 1 Tim. 4:1.
10. Lest we be children. Eph. 4:14.

### **What kind of doctrine is it?**

1. One. 1 Tim. 1:3; 6:3.
2. Good. 1 Tim. 4:6.
3. Sound. Titus 2:1.
4. Godly. 1 Tim. 6:3.

### **What is our duty toward it?**

1. Know it. John 7:17; 2 Tim. 3:10.
2. Preach it. Titus 2:1.
3. Keep it pure. Titus 2:7.
4. Follow it. 1 Tim. 4:6.
5. Continue in it. Acts 2:42.
6. Exhort in it. Titus 1:9.



7. Convince with it. Titus 1:9.
8. Adorn it. Titus 2:10.
9. Not blaspheme it. 1 Tim. 6:6.
10. Obey its form. Rom. 6:17.

## **THE THREE CLASSES**

**Text: 1 Pet. 4:18.**

### **What are they?**

1. Natural-Sinner. 1 Cor. 2:14; 1 Pet. 4:18.
2. Carnal-Ungodly. 1 Cor. 3:1; 1 Pet. 4:18.
3. Spiritual- Righteous. 1 Cor. 2:15; 3:1; 1 Pet. 4:18.

### **What are the characteristics of:**

1. Natural.
  - (a) Receive not. 1 Cor. 2:14.
  - (b) Obey not. 1 Pet. 4:17.
  - (c) Understand and see not. John 3:3; 1 Cor. 2:14.
  - (d) They are foolishness. 1 Cor. 2:14.
2. Carnal.
  - (a) Jealousy. 1 Cor. 3:3.
  - (b) Strife. 1 Cor. 3:3.
  - (c) Walking after men. 1 Cor. 3:3.
  - (d) Lacking love. Rev. 2:4.
3. Spiritual.
  - (a) Minding things of God. Matt. 16:23; Rom. 8:5, 6.
  - (b) Well-doing. 1 Pet. 4:18, 19.
  - (c) Good fruits. Col. 1:9, 10.
  - (d) Abiding in Christ. Eph. 1:3.

### **Illustrations:**

1. Israel.
  - (a) In Egypt-Bondage. 1 Cor. 10:1,2.
  - (b) Ten spies and others, lusted and afraid. 1 Cor. 10:3-12.
  - (c) Joshua and Caleb, different spirit. Num. 13:30; 14:6, 24, 38.
2. Lazarus.
  - (a) Dead physically. John 11:14, 39.
  - (b) Alive, but bound. John 11:44.
  - (c) Liberated to serve. John 11:44;12:10, 11.

### **Why be in class three?**

1. Lest we perish. Rom. 8:5, 6; 1 Cor. 10:6-10.
2. To be saved. 1 Pet. 4:18; 1 Cor. 15:1, 2.
3. To have life and peace. Rom. 8:6.

## **THE FLESH AND THE SPIRIT**

**Text: Romans 8:5, 6.**

### **The flesh is:**

1. The living physical body. Rom. 7:18, 24, 25.

### **The Spirit includes:**

1. The heart. Psalms 51:10; 78:8, 37.
2. The conscience. Rom. 2:15. Heb. 10:22; 13:18; 1 Pet. 3:21.
3. The soul. Heb. 4:12. 1 Pet. 1:22.

### **The flesh is:**

1. Corrupt. Mark 7:20-23. Eph. 4:22.

2. Void of good. Romans 7:18.
3. Sinful. Romans 8:3.
4. Enmity against God. Romans 8:7.
5. Not in right way. Jer. 10:23.
6. Opposing the Spirit. Gal. 5:17.  
1 Pet. 2:11.
7. Disqualifying us. Matt. 23:24; 15.  
1-9.
8. To die. Romans 8:6, 13. James  
2:26.

**The Spirit is:**

1. Not fanatical. Eccl. 7:16. Rom. 14:  
13-22.
2. Obedient. Matt. 26:38-42. Romans  
8:5.
3. Righteous. Psalms 51:10. Eph. 4:  
24.
4. Holy. 1 Cor. 7:34. 2 Cor. 7:1. Eph.  
4:24.
5. Clean. Matt. 23:26. 2 Cor. 7:1.  
1 Pet. 1:22.
6. Fruitful. Gal. 5:22, 23.
7. Life. Romans 8:6.
8. Peace. Romans 8:6.

**How cleanse and exalt the Spirit?**

1. By knowledge. John 8:32; 15:3.  
Eph. 6:17.
2. By faith. Acts 15:9.
3. By repentance. Matt. 21:29. Rom.  
2:28, 29.
4. By baptism. Acts 22:16. Rom. 6:  
17. 1 Pet. 3:21.
5. By exercising godliness. 1 Tim.  
4:7,8.

6. By Obedience. Rom. 13:14; 15:30.  
1 Pet. 1:22.
7. By being led by the Spirit. Rom. 8:14.

## **THE SPIRITUAL BIRTH**

**Text: John 3:5.**

**From whence is it?**

1. God. John 1:11-13.

**What are the parts of a birth?**

1. Begetting.
2. Bringing forth.

**What part is affected in this birth?**

1. The Spirit.

**Who begets?**

1. God. John 5:1.

**How does he beget?**

1. By the Spirit. John 3 :3-5.
2. Through the word. 1 Cor. 4:15;  
1 Pet. 1:2, 3. Jas. 1:18.

**Who is begotten of God ?**

1. The hearer. John 2:3-8.
2. Believers. John 1:12, 13. 1 John 5:1.
3. He who loves. 1 John 4:7.
4. He who has died to sin. 1 John 3:9; 5:18.

**How are we brought forth?**

1. In baptism. John 3:5. Titus 3:5.

**Why be born again?**

1. It is necessary. John 3:7.

2. To be pure in heart. 1 Peter 1:22, 23.
3. To be God's children. John 1:11-13.
4. To enter the kingdom. John 3:5.
5. To be righteous. 1 John 2:29.
6. To overcome. 1 John 5:4.
7. To be kept. 1 John 5:18.
8. To be heirs. Rom. 8:16, 17.
9. To be saved. Titus 3:5.

## **THE SPIRIT AND HIS MISSION**

**Text: Rom. 8:9.**

### **What is he?**

1. Part of the God-head. Matt. 20:19.
2. The truth. 1 John 5:7.

### **What kind is he?**

1. Holy. Eph. 4:30.
2. Eternal. Heb. 9:12.
3. Good. Psalms 143:10; Neh. 9:20.

### **What do with the Spirit?**

1. Not resist. Acts 7:51.
2. Not quench. 1 Thess. 5:19.
3. Not grieve. Eph. 4:30.
4. Not do despite unto. Heb. 10:29.
5. Not blaspheme. Matt. 12:31; Mark 3:29.
6. Receive. John 20:22; Acts 19:2.

### **Who can receive Him?**

1. Hearers. Gal. 3:2.
2. Believers. John 7:39.
3. The obedient. Acts 2:38; 5:32.
4. God's children. Gal. 4:6.
5. Christ's. Rom. 8:9.

### **What is his mission?**

1. To reveal. John 4:26. Eph. 3 :5.
2. Lead. Rom. .8:16; Gal. 5:18.
3. Bear witness. John 15:26; Rom. 8:16.
4. Comfort. John 16:7. Acts 9:31.
5. Help. Rom. 8:26. Eph. 3:16.
6. Intercede. Rom. 8:26.
7. To beget. John 3:5.
8. Glorify Christ. John 16:14.
9. Resurrect. Rom. 8:11.
10. To seal. Eph. 1:13; 4:30.

## **THE JEWS**

**Text: Rom. 2:28, 29.**

**Are descendants of Abraham. John 8:39.**

**They thought themselves better. Rom. 3:9.**

**There is no distinction, now. Rom. 10:12.**

**What advantage had they ?**

1. Christ came through the Jews.  
John 4:22.
2. Bible came by them. Rom. 3 :1-3.
3. Gospel first preached to them.
4. Not in salvation:
  - (a) Gospel power to both. Rom. 16.
  - (b) If believed. Rom. 16:17.
  - (c) Both must repent. Acts 17:30.
  - (d) Both must confess Christ.  
Phil. 2:11.
  - (e) Both must be baptized. 1 Cor. 12:13.
  - (f) Both saved through Grace.  
Acts. 15:11.

5. Not in worship:
  - (a) Both must worship in Spirit and in Truth. John 4:20-24; Phil. 3:3.
6. Both were called. Rom. 9:28; 1 Cor. 1:24.
7. Both sinned. Rom. 3:9, 23.
8. Both have same God. Rom. 3:29, 30.
9. Both have same Lord. Rom. 10:12.
10. Both have same hope. Acts 24:15.
11. Punishment and reward the same. Rom. 2:9, 10.
12. Neither caused to stumble. 1 Cor. 10:32.
13. Paul counted all loss. Phil. 3:3-8.

**What promises did God make?**

1. Land promises. Gen. 12:1-3; Josh. 21:43; 23:14.
2. Spiritual promises. Gal. 3:8; 16, 29.
3. New Covenant. Heb. 8:8, 9.

**THE VERILIES OF CHRIST**

1. Law passing away. Matt. 5:18.
2. Hypocrites reward. Matt. 6:25.
3. So great faith. Matt. 8:10.
4. Privilege and responsibilities. Matt. 10:15.
5. Rewards. Matt. 10:42. Luke 18:29, 30.
6. Christ coining in his kingdom. Matt. 16:28.
7. Faith. Matt. 17:20.
8. Conversion. Matt. 18:3.

9. Riches. Matt. 19:23.
10. Following and judging. Matt. 19:28.
11. Faithful shall reign. Matt. 24:47.
12. I know you not. Matt. 25:12.
13. In so much as ye. Matt. 25:40-45.
14. Memorial of her. Matt. 26:13.
15. Betrayal. Matt. 26:21.
16. Deny me. Matt. 26:34.
17. Unpardonable sin. Mk. 3:28, 29.
18. Giving. Matt. 12:43.
19. Receiving kingdom. Mk. 10:15.
20. Drinking it new in Kingdom. Mk. 14:25.
21. Regeneration. John 3:3, 5.
22. Bearing witness. John 3:11.
23. Immortal life. John 5 :25.
24. Out of death into life. John 5:24.
- 25. Reasons for seeking him. John 6:26.
26. Bread of life. John 6:32, 33.
27. Eating Christ. John 6:53.
28. Bondage. John 8:34.
29. Keeping His word. John 8:51.
30. I am the door. John 10:7.

## **THE CHURCH OF THE EPHESIANS**

### **What else is it called ?**

1. The body. Eph. 2:16; 3:6; 1:23; 4:4; 5:23.
2. The fullness. Eph. 1:23.
3. One new man. Eph. 2:15.
4. Household. Eph. 2:19.
5. Holy Temple. Eph. 2:21.
6. Family. 3:14, 15.



7. Bride 3:22-24, 31, 32.
8. Heavenly place. Eph. 1:3; 2:6.

### **What is Christ to the Church?**

1. Head. 1:22; 5:23.
2. Savior. Eph. 5:23.
3. Lover. Eph. 5:25.
4. Purchaser. Acts 20:28. Eph. 5:25.
5. Sanctifier. Eph. 5:26.
6. Cleanser. Eph. 5:26.
7. Nourisher. Eph. 5:29.
8. Cherisher. Eph. 5:29.
9. Creator. Eph. 2:14, 15.
10. Reconciler. Eph. 2:16.
11. Foundation. Eph. 2:20.
12. Presenter. Eph. 5:27.

### **What is the duty of the Church?**

1. Be subject. Eph. 5:24.
2. To teach. Eph. 3:10.
3. To glorify God. Eph. 3:21.
4. To build itself up. Eph. 4:16.
5. To keep unity. Eph. 4:3, 4.

## **THE KINGDOM OF CHRIST**

**Text: Matt. 16:28.**

### **What kind is it?**

1. Heavenly. Jno. 18:36.
2. Everlasting. Isa. 9:6. 2 Pet. 1:11.

### **When was it established ?**

1. In the latter days. Isa. 2:2.
2. During the reign of the universal kings. Dan. 2:44.
3. After Christ's birth. Isa. 9:6, 7.
4. After Christ's death. Luke 22:18. Acts 20:28.

5. After Christ's resurrection. Acts 1:3, 6.
6. After Christ received power. Mark 9:1. Acts 1:6-8.
7. When all could enter it. Isa. 2:2. Matt. 28:19.
8. During the life of the apostles. Matt. 16:28.

#### **How can we enter into his Kingdom ?**

1. By hearing the gospel. Matt. 24:14. Acts 20:25.
2. By faith. James 2:5.
3. By repentance. Luke 24:47. Acts 1:3. Matt. 4:17.
4. By baptism. John 3 :5.
5. By loving the Lord. James 2:5.
6. By doing his will. Matt. 7:21.
7. By righteousness. Matt. 5:20.
8. By being converted. Matt. 18:3.

#### **How can we remain in his Kingdom ?**

1. By adding Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
2. By rendering acceptable service. Heb. 12:28.
3. By not causing stumbling. Matt. 13:41.
4. By avoiding sin. Matt. 13:41.

#### **Why enter the Kingdom ?**

1. It is everlasting. Isa. 9:6. 2 Pet. 1:11.
2. To have peace. Rom. 14:17.
3. To be happy. Matt. 5 :3, 10. Rom. 14:17.

# THE GREAT PHYSICIAN

Text: Jer. 8:22.

## Who is he?

1. Christ. Matt. 9:12.

## What is his balm?

1. His blood. 1 John 1:7.
2. His gospel. Psalms 107:20; Rom. 1:16.

## What kind is he?

1. All wise. John 2:24, 25; 21:17.
2. Infallible. John 6:37; Heb. 7:25.
3. Sympathetic. John 11:35; Heb. 4:15.
4. Faithful. Heb. 3:2; 13:5.

## What can he cure?

1. Sin. Psalms 41:4; 1 John 1:7.

## What are its stages ?

1. Love of sin. 2 Tim. 4:10; 1 John 2:14,15.
2. Practice of sin. Isa. 1:2-6.
3. Guilt of sin. Jas. 1:15.

## What is his remedy?

1. Faith. Matt. 9:28-30.
2. Repentance. Psalms 147:3; Luke 3:31; 13:5.
3. Confession. 1 John 1:9.
4. Baptism. John 9:7-11; Acts 22:16.
5. Prayer. Acts 8:22.

## Why are not all healed ?

1. They will not come. John 5:40.
2. They will not believe. John 8:24.
3. They will not follow direction. Luke 6:46; Heb. 5:9.

### **Who needs him?**

1. Not the whole. Matt. 9:12.
2. The sick. Luke 5:31.

## **THE WORDS OF CHRIST**

**Text: Rom. 10:17.**

### **What kind are they?**

1. Life. John 6:63.
2. Spirit. John 6:63.
3. Sound. 1 Tim. 6:3; 2 Tim. 1:13.
4. Abiding. Matt. 28:35; 1 Pet. 1:13.
5. Faithful. Titus 1:9.
6. God given. John 14:10; 17:8.
7. Of truth. Eph. 1:13; Col. 1:5.
8. Of reconciliation. 2 Cor. 5:19.
9. Of the cross. 1 Cor.
10. Of eternal life. John 6:68.

### **What can they do ?**

1. Produce faith. Rom. 10:17, 18.
2. Cleanse. John 15:3.
3. Build up. Acts 20:32; 1 Pet. 2:2.
4. Judge. John 12:48.
5. Save. Rom. 1:16.
6. Make free. John 8:31, 32.

### **What do with them?**

1. Not reject. John 12:48.
2. Not be ashamed of. Mark 8:38.
3. Not pervert. Gal. 1:7.
4. Not stumble at them. 1 Pet. 2:8.
5. Preach them. Mark 16:15 ; 1 Thess. 1:8.
6. Hear them. Mark 7:24; 17:5.
7. Believe them. John 2:22; 5:47.
8. Obey them. 2 Thess. 1:8.

9. Remember them. Acts 20:35; Jude 17.
10. Let them dwell in us. Col. 3 :16.
11. Abide in them. John 8:31; 15:7.
12. Keep them. John 14:23.
13. Hold them. Titus 1:9.
14. Glorify them. Acts 13:48; 2 Thess. 3:1.

## **THE BLESSED MAN**

**Text: Psalms 1st**

### **The blessed man:**

1. Hears. Prov. 8:34; Luke 11:28.
2. Believes. Luke 1:45; Gal. 3:9.
3. Obeys. John 13:17; Rev. 22:14.
4. Is in the kingdom. Luke 14:15.
5. Is righteous. Psalms 5:12.
6. Fears God. Psalms 112:1.
7. Is forgiven. Psalms 32:1, 2.
8. Is chosen of God. Psalms 65:4.
9. Takes refuge in him. Psalms 2:12.
10. Considers the poor. Psalms 41:1.
11. Dwells in God's house. Psalms 84:4.
12. Is faithful. Prov. 28:20.
13. Is poor in spirit. Matt. 5 :3.
14. Mourns. Matt. 5:4.
15. Is meek. Matt. 5:5.
16. Hungers after righteousness. Matt. 5:6.
17. Is merciful. Matt. 5:7.
18. Is pure in heart. Matt. 5:8.
19. Makes peace. Matt. 5 :9.
20. Is persecuted. Matt. 5:10.
21. Stumbles not at Christ. Luke 7:23.
22. Gives unselfishly. Luke 14:15,

23. Watches. Luke 12:37; Rev. 16:15.
24. Endures. Jas 1:12, 25; 5:11.
25. Dies in the Lord. Rev. 14:13.

## **THE LORD'S**

**Text: Luke 20:25.**

### **What is the Lord's?**

1. The word. Matt. 24:35; John 8:47.
2. His will. Matt. 26:42; Acts 21:14.
3. His way. Isa. 55 :8, 9; Acts 13:10.
4. His righteousness. Rom. 10:1-4.
5. The day. Rev. 1:10.
6. Fellow-workers. 1 Cor. 3:9.
7. The building. 1 Cor. 3:9.
8. The husbandry. 1 Cor. 3 :9
9. The table. 1 Cor. 10:21.
10. The supper. 1 Cor. 11:20.
11. His body. 1 Cor. 11:29.
12. His death. 1 Cor. 11:26.
13. The elect. Rom. 8:33; Titus 1:1.
14. The kingdom. Luke 18:29; John 18:36.
15. The church. Matt. 16:18; Col. 1: 24.
16. Heritage. 1 Pet. 5 :3.
17. Side. Ex. 32:26.
18. His People. 2 Kings 11:17.
19. Mercy. Lam. 3:22.
20. Blood. Matt.-26:28.
21. Glory. Ezek. 10:4.
22. Earth and fullness.
23. Throne. Heb. 1:8.
24. Power. Luke 1:35.
25. Salvation. Psalms 3 :8.

### **What should we do with them ?**

1. Render them to God. Luke 20:25.
2. Not lord it over them.
3. Not lay anything to the charge.
4. Use them.
5. Stand by them.

## **THE TATOR FAMILY**

### **Members of this family:**

1. Spectator:
  - (a) Bethshemeshites. 1 Sam. 6:19.
  - (b) David. 2 Sam. 11:2.
  - (c) Zachaeus. Lk. 19:1-4.
  - (d) Melitians. Acts 28:6.
2. Imitator:
  - (a) Of God. Eph. 5:1.
  - (b) Of Christ. 1 Cor. 11:1.
  - (c) Of good. 3 Jno. 11.
  - (d) Of no evil. 3 Jno. 11.
3. Agitator:
  - (a) Wrothful. Prov. 15:18.
  - (b) Hatred. Prov. 10:12.
  - (c) Asiatic Jews. Acts 21 :27.
  - (d) Thessalonians. Acts 17:13.
  - (e) Unbelievers. Acts 14:2.
  - (f) Libertines. Acts 6:9-12.
  - (g) Christ. Lk. 23:5.
4. Dictator:
  - (a) Pharaoh.
  - (b) Diotrephes. 3 Jno. 9, 10.
5. Meditator:
  - (a) On God's law. Ps. 1:2.
  - (b) On God's works. Ps. 77:12;  
143:3.
  - (c) On God's help. Ps. 63:6, 7.

- (d) Acceptable. Ps. 19:14.
- (e) Understandable. Ps. 49:3.
- 6. Devastator:
  - (a) Not our brother. Rom. 14:15, 20.
  - (b) By being sinners. Eccl. 9:18.
  - (c) Through ignorance. Hos. 4:6.
  - (d) Of devil's work. 1 Jno. 3 :8.
- 7. Hesitator:
  - (a) Lot. Gen. 19:16.
  - (b) Disciples. Mt. 8:21; Lk. 9:57-61.
  - (c) Felix. Acts 24:24.

## **THINGS WE NEED TO ENABLE US TO MEET THE PROBLEMS OF LIFE**

### **Things we need and the amount:**

1. Advice of real friends.
  - (a) To keep us balanced. 1 Kings 12:4-11; Prov. 3:17.
2. Knowledge.
  - (a) To guard our zeal. Rom. 10:1-4; Mt. 22:29; Acts 18:25.
3. Faith.
  - (a) To move us. Heb. 11:7; Jas. 2. 14.
4. Prayer for wisdom. Jas. 1:5.
  - (a) To guide us right. Prov. 23: 19.
5. Love.
  - (a) To be unselfish. Lk. 7:47; 1 Cor. 13 :5.
6. Sympathy.
  - (a) To be helpful. Lk. 10:33-35.



7. Mercy.
  - (a) To forgive. Mt. 18:32-35; Jas. 3:17.
8. Confidence.
  - (a) To hold fast Heb. 3:14.
9. Fear.
  - (a) To do right. Prov. 3:7; Acts 10:35.
10. Influence.
  - (a) To move others. Jno. 12:10, 11.
11. Courage.
  - (a) To stand. Acts 20:24; 1 Thes. 3:3.
12. Interest.
  - (a) To win others. 1 Cor. 9:19-22; 1 Pet. 3:1-3.
13. Conviction.
  - (a) To do our duty. 1 Cor. 9:16.
14. Religion.
  - (a) To keep clean. Jas. 1:27.
15. Experience.
  - (a) To have good judgment. Heb. 5:12-14.
16. Zeal.
  - (a) To keep busy. 2 Thes. 3:8; 2 Tim. 4:2.
17. Determination.
  - (a) To press on. 1 Cor. 2:2; Phil. 3:14.

## **THE WRONG GLORYING**

**Texts: Jas. 4:16; Jer. 9:23, 24.**

**What is it?**

I. In wisdom of men.

(a) It shall perish. Isa. 29:14.

- (b) It often perverts life. Isa. 47: 10.
- (c) It sometimes misleads. Jer. 4: 22.
- (d) It is used the wrong way. Ezek. 28:4-7.
- (e) It has a low estimate. Rom. 1: 22, 1 Cor. 1:19-21 ;tSfrL9. ,
- (f) It detracts. 1 Cor. 2:4-6.

II. In human might.

- (a) God destroys it. Jer. 49:34, 35.
- (b) Examples.
  1. Babylon. Jer. 51:29,30.
  2. The Zidonians. Ezek. 32: 30.
  3. Benhadad. 1 Kings 20:9-12.

III. Earthly riches.

- (a) Their value limited. Prov. 11: ' 4.
- (b) They are vanity. Eccl. 6:2.
- (c) Do not commend us to God. Zeph. 1:18.
- (d) They are uncertain. Job 20:8; Ps. 49:10; Prov. 23:5.
- (e) Are a snare to many. 1 Tim. 6:9.

IV. In vauntings. Jas. 4:16.

V. In wickedness. 1 Cor. 5:1-7, 13.

VI. In the law. Rom. 2:23.

VII. Over the branches. Rom. 11:18.

VIII. In our works. Eph. 2:9.

IX. In shame. Phil 3:19.

**Why avoid it?**

1. Lest we fail in the right kind. Gal. 6:4.

2. Lest we be disappointed. Isa. 10:4-4.
3. Lest we be condemned.
4. It is evil. Jas. 4:16.
5. It is not good. 1 Cor. 5 :6.

## **THEY MAKE US**

**Text: 2 Pet. 1:8.**

1. Purging makes us :
  - (a) Honorable. 2 Tim. 2:21.
  - (b) Sanctified. 2 Tim. 2:21.
  - (c) Meet. 2 Tim. 2:21.
  - (d) Prepared. 2 Tim. 2:21.
2. Faith makes us strong. Heb. 11:33.
3. Hope makes not ashamed. Rom. 5:5.
4. Love makes us generous. 1 Jno. 3:17.
5. Truth makes us free. Jno. 8:32.
6. Obedience makes us happy. Jno. 13:17.
7. Chastening makes us peaceable. Heb. 12:11.
8. Trials make us patient. Jas. 1:2-4.
9. Works make our faith perfect. Jas. 2:22.
10. Knowledge makes us vain. 1 Cor. 8:1.
11. Wisdom makes us shine. Eccl. 8:1.
12. Extortion makes us foolish. Eccl. 7:7.
13. Pride makes us conspicuous. Matt. 23:5.

14. Anger and violence make us odious.  
Gen. 34:30; 49:5-7.
15. Riches make us self-sufficient.  
Prov. 30:8, 9; Rev. 3:17.
16. Poverty makes us steal. Prov. 30:9.
17. Bad company makes us corrupt. 1  
Cor. 15:33.
18. Scriptures make us wise. 2 Tim.  
3:15; Ps. 19:7.
19. Diligence makes us rich. Prov. 10:  
4.
20. Slackness makes us poor. Prov. 10:  
4.
21. Good words make us glad. Prov.  
12:25.
22. Spirit makes us willing. Ex. 25 :2;  
35 :2.
23. Godly sorrow makes us penitent.  
2 Cor. 7:9, 10.
24. Righteousness makes us brave.  
Prov. 28:1.
25. Christian graces make us fruitful.  
2 Pet. 1:5-8.

## **THE GOOD MAN**

**Text: Rom. 5:7.**

### **Examples of good men:**

1. David. 1 Sam. 29:9.
2. Ahimaaz. 2 Sam. 18:27.
3. Joseph. Luke 23 :50.
4. Barnabas. Acts 11:24.

**Good men do not only what is right, but go  
the second mile, as:**

1. Philemon. Phile. 14:21.

2. The householder. Matt. 20:1-15.
3. The Samaritan. Luke 10:33-37.
4. Joseph. Luke 23:50-53.
  - (a) Asked for Christ's body,
  - (b) Prepared it for burial.
  - (c) Put it in a new tomb.
5. Barnabas.
  - (a) Gave beyond requirements. Acts 4:36.
  - (b) Defended Paul. Acts 9:27.

### **Why be a good man?**

1. To obtain favor. Prov. 12:2.
2. It delights the Lord. Psalms 37:23.
3. It affords satisfaction. Prov. 14:14.
4. To leave an inheritance. Prov. 13:22.
5. To produce good. Matt. 12:33.
6. To bring a good message. 2 Sam. 18:27.
7. The Lord desires it. Hos. 6:6.
8. That good may come. Psalms 125:4. Luke 6:45.
9. To overcome. Rom. 12:21.
10. To add people. Acts 11:24.
11. To be loved. Tit. 1:8.
12. To be an example. Prov. 2:20.

## **THINGS CONCERNING THE KINGDOM AND THE NAME OF CHRIST**

**Text: Acts 8:12.**

1. Prophecies of:
2. When established.

- (a) Last days. Isa. 2:2.
- (b) During reigns of kings. Dan. 2:44.
- (c) After Christ's birth. Isa. 9:6-7.
- (d) After Christ's death. Luke 22:18; Acts 20:28.
- (e) After Christ's resurrection. Acts 1:3, 6.
- (f) After Christ received power. Mk. 9:1.
- (g) During life of apostles. Mt. 16:29.

#### How enter.

- 1. By hearing. Acts 20:25.
- 2. By faith. Jas. 2:5.
- 3. By repentance. Lk. 24:47; Acts 1:3.
- 4. Baptism. Jno. 3:8.
- 5. By loving the Lord. Jas. 2:5.
- 6. By doing his will. Mt. 7:21.
- 7. By righteousness. Mt. 5:20.
- 8. By being converted. Mt. 18:3.

#### Name of Christ.

- 1. High. Phil. 2:9.
- 2. Excellent. Heb. 1:2-4.

#### In his name is.

- 1. Salvation. Acts 4:12.
- 2. Justification. 1 Cor. 6:11.
- 3. Remission of sin. Acts 10:43.
- 4. Life. John 20:31.

What do with it.

1. Believe on it. John 1:12.
2. Call on it. Rom. 10:13.
3. Suffer for it. Acts 5:41.
4. Glorify it. 2 Thess. 1:13.
5. Hold it. Rev. 2:25.
6. Not deny it. Rev. 3:8.
7. Magnify it. Acts 10:17.

## **THE FOUR NOTS**

What not fear?

1. Self. Mt. 25:25.
2. What man can do. Mt. 10:28; Heb. 13:6. -
3. Want. 1 Kings 17:13; Lk. 12:22-32.
4. That God cares. Mt. 10:30, 31.
5. Loneliness. Isa. 43 :1-3.
6. Weakness. Isa. 41:10.
7. That Christ has power. Rev. 1:17, 18.

Fret not.

1. Because of evil doers. Ps. 37:1; Prov. 24:19.
2. It tends to evil. Ps. 37:8.
3. Because of prosperity. Ps. 37:7.
4. It is against God. Prov. 19:3.
5. Because of hunger. Isa. 8:21.

Faint not, because of:

1. Unbelief. Gen. 45:26; Ps. 27:13.
2. Fear. Lk. 21:26.
3. Weariness. Heb. 12:3; Gal. 6:9.
4. Tribulations. Eph. 3:13.
5. Sufferings. 2 Cor. 4:16-18.

6. Adversity. Prov. 24:10.
7. You are rebuked. Heb. 12:5.

We fail not because we have:

1. Love. 1 Jno. 4:18.
2. Faith. Acts 15:11.
3. Confidence. 2 Tim. 1:12.
4. Contentment. Phil. 4:11.
5. Strength. Prov. 24:10; Isa. 57:10.
6. Faith in God's goodness. Ps. 27:13.
7. Kindness. Job 6:14.
8. Mercy. 2 Cor. 4:1.
9. Have been waiting for God. Isa. 40:31.

## **THE FOUR WHEELS OF DIVINE PROMISE**

**Text: Isa. 42:6.**

**Called us:**

1. Through gospel. 2 Thess. 2:14.
2. For set purpose, Isa. 42:6; Rom. 8:28.

**He holds our hands:**

1. To help. Isa. 41:13.
2. To remove fear. Isa. 41:13 ; 51:18.
3. To lead or guide. Psalms 73:22, 23; Isa. 51:18.

**What kind of hands will he hold ?**

1. Not unclean. 1 Sam. 24:11; Jas. 4:8; Isa. 59:1-3.
2. Willing. Lam. 5 :6.
3. Holy. 1 Tim. 2:8.

**He keeps us:**

1. By his power. 1 Pet. 1:5.



2. In the right way. Psalms 17:8.
3. From evil. Psalms 121:7; Jno. 17:15.
4. From trials. Rev. 3:10.
5. In perfect peace. Isa. 26:3.
6. Unto salvation. 1 Pet. 1:5.
7. From stumbling. Jude 24.

**Who does he keep?**

1. Men of faith. 1 Pet. 1:5.
2. Stedfast souls. Isa. 26:3; Ps. 121:7.
3. Those who trust him. Isa. 26:3.
4. Those who keep his word. Rev. 3:10.
5. His saints. 1 Sam. 2:9.

**Results:**

1. Unity. Jno. 17:11.
2. Inheritance reserved. 1 Pet. 1:4, 5.

**He uses us:**

1. To rescue his people. Isa. 42:6; Gal. 6:1.
2. For a light. Isa. 42:6.
3. To open eyes. Isa. 42:6.
4. To free. Isa. 42:6.

**Who can he use?**

1. The purified. 2 Tim. 2:21.
2. The spiritual. Gal. 6:1.
3. The faithful. 2 Tim. 2:2.

**THE GOLDEN CHAIN  
THAT BINDS**

Text: 1 Pet. 2:25.

**Unto what does it rebind us ?**

1. God. 1 Pet. 3:18; Heb. 10:31.

### **What are the links?**

1. God's love. Jno. 3:16; Jer. 31:3.
2. God's goodness. Rom. 2:4.
3. Christ. Jno. 14:6; Rom. 5:2; 1 Pet. 3:18
4. The Spirit. Rev. 22:17; Gen. 6:3.
5. The word. Acts. 2:39; 2 Thess. 2:14; Acts 18:5.
6. The church. Acts 2:41, 47; Rev. 22:17. Luke 8.
7. Baptism. Acts 2:41; 1 Cor. 12:13.
8. Confession. Matt. 10:32; Jno. 14:6.
9. Repentance. Isa. 55:7; Acts 26:20.
10. Believing. Heb. 11:6.
11. Learning. Jno. 6:44, 45.
12. Hearing. Jno. 6:45.

### **Why return to God ?**

1. That God may return. Mal. 3:7.
2. To be healed. Jer. 3 :22.
3. Sin has separated us. Isa. 59:2; 1 Pet. 2:25.
4. To find mercy. Isa. 55:7.
5. To be saved. Heb. 7:25.
6. To have peace. Rom. 5:1, 2.
7. To be rewarded. Heb. 11:6.
8. To be glorified. Col. 3 :3, 4.
9. To be forgiven. Isa. 55:7.
10. To find grace. Heb. 4:16.

### **When return to God ?**

1. Today. Isa. 55:6, 7. 2 Cor. 6:2.
2. Now. Jer. 25:5.

### **Keeping bound. Rom. 8:39.**

1. By following Christ. Jno. 10:27, 28.

2. By heeding. Heb. 3:12.
3. By holding fast. Heb. 3:14.

## **THE TRIAL OF FAITH**

**Text: 1 Pet. 1:3-9.**

### **Those whose faith was tried.**

1. Abraham. Rom. 4:16-21.
2. Job. Job 1:6-22; 2:1-10.
3. Rahab. Josh. 6:22-25; Heb. 11.
4. Joshua. Josh. 24:14, 15.
5. Gideon. Judges 6:36-40.
6. Elijah. 1 Kings 18th and 19th chapters.
7. Widow of Zarephath. 1 Kings 17: 8-24.
8. Prophet's widow. 2 Kings 4:1-7.
9. The three Hebrew children. Dan. 3:28.
10. Paul in storm. Acts 27:21-44.

### **What tries our faith ?**

1. Seducing spirits. 1 Tim. 4:1.
2. False teachers. 1 Jno. 4:1-6.
3. Worshiping with a few. Matt. 18: 20; 1 Chro. 16:19.
4. Giving liberally. Rom. 12:6-8.
5. Attending regularly. Heb. 10:25.
6. Worldly pleasures. 2 Tim. 4:9, 10.
7. The tongue. Jas. 3:1-12.
8. Persecutions. 1 Pet. 3:14-17.

### **What is associated in this trial ?**

1. Love. Gal. 5:6; 1 Tim. 1:14; 2 Tim. 1:13.
2. Patience. Heb. 6. 2 Thess. 2:4.

3. Hope. Rom. 4:18; Gal. 5:5; 1 Pet. 1:21.
4. Works. Jas. 2:14-22.

**What are the results ?**

1. We are guarded now. 1 Pet. 1:5.
2. Rejoicing now. 1 Pet. 4:12, 13.
3. Salvation eternal. Heb. 5 :8, 9.
4. At Christ's coming."
  - (a) Praise. 1 Pet. 1:6, 7.
  - (b) Honor. 1 Pet. 1:6, 7.
  - (c) Glory. 1 Pet. 1:6, 7.

## **THE THREE WALKS**

**Text: 1 Peter 4:3.**

**What was the past walk?**

1. Not uprightly. Gal. 2:14.
2. As men. 1 Cor. 3 :3.
3. Craftily. 2 Cor. 4:2.
4. As Gentiles. Eph. 4:17.
5. According to the world. Eph. 2:2
6. According to prince of air. Eph. 2-2
7. Disorderly. 2 Thess. 2:6; 3:11.
8. Disobediently. Col. 3:5-7.
9. In darkness. 1 Jno. 1:6; 2:11.
10. After own way. Acts 14:16.
11. After lusts. Jude 16:18.
12. In lasciviousness. 1 Pet. 4:3.
13. As enemies. Phil. 3:18, 19.

**The present walk is:**

1. In newness of life. Rom. 6:4.
2. By faith. 2 Cor. 5 :7.
3. In the light. 1 Jno. 1:7.
4. In love. Eph. 5:2.

5. In the truth. 3 Jno. 3:4.
6. In wisdom. Eph. 5:15. Col. 4:3.
7. In fear of God. Acts 9:31.
8. In lowliness. Mic. 6:8; Eph. 4:1, 2.
9. In good works. Eph. 2:10.
10. In his commandments. Luke 1:6; 2 Jno. 6.
11. According to divine ruler. Phil. 3:17; Gal. 6:16.
12. In the spirit. Gal. 5:16.
13. Honestly. Rom. 13:13; 1 Thess. 4:12.
14. Worthily. Eph. 4:1; Col. 1:10.

**The future walk is to be:**

1. With Christ. Rev. 3:4.
2. In white. Rev. 3:4.
3. In the light. Rev. 21:24.

## **THE SEVEN WALKS OF THE EPHESIANS**

**What are they?**

1. Once in sin. Eph. 2:1-3.
2. No longer as the Gentiles. Eph. 4:17.
3. In good works. Eph. 2:10.
4. Worthily. Eph. 4:1-3.
5. In love. Eph. 5 :2.
6. In the light. Eph. 5 :8.
7. In wisdom. Eph. 5:15.

**Not as the Gentiles.**

1. It shall perish. Psalms 1 :1-6.
2. It is hard. Prov. 13:15.
3. It leads to death. Rom. 6:21.

**Not in sin because:**

1. It is vain. Eph. 4:17, 18.
2. It alienates. Eph. 4:17, 18.
3. It hardens. Eph. 4:17, 18.

**In good works.**

1. It was so prepared. Eph. 2:10.
2. It is of God. 3 Jno. 11.
3. It glorifies God. Matt. 5 :16; 1 Pet. 2:1.

**Worthily.**

1. With lowliness. Eph. 4:1-2.
2. With meekness. Eph. 4:1-2.
3. With longsuffering. Eph. 4:1-2.

**In love.**

1. It is the most excellent way. 1 Cor. 12:31.
2. To imitate the. Lord. Eph. 5:1, 2.
3. Lest we fail. 1 Cor. 13:8.

**In the light.**

1. To have fellowship. 1 Jno. 1:6, 7.
2. It is of life. Jno. 8:12.
3. Its fruit is good. Eph. 5 :8, 9.

**In wisdom.**

1. It is the principle thing. Prov. 4:7.
2. To redeem time. Eph. 5:15, 16.
3. It is safe. Matt. 7:24, 25.

**THINGS THAT CANNOT BE**

**Text: John 3:5.**

**You can't:**

1. Be saved.
  - (a) Without faith. Acts 16:30, 31.

- (b) Without repentance. 2 Cor. 7:10; Luke 13:5.
  - (c) Without confessing. Rom. 10: 9, 10.
  - (d) Without baptism. Mark 16: 16; 1 Pet. 3:21.
  - (e) Without enduring. Matt. 10: 22.
  - (f) With dead faith. Jas. 2:14.
  - (g) Out of the church. Acts 2.
2. Enter the kingdom.
- (a) Unless you are born again. Jno. 3:5.
  - (b) Without being converted. Matt. 18:3.
  - (c) Without being translated. Col. 1:13.
  - (d) Without righteousness. Matt. 5:20.
  - (e) Without doing God's will. Matt 7:21.
3. Come to Christ.
- (a) Without invitation. Matt. 11: 28.
  - (b) Without being drawn. Jno. 6:44.
  - (c) Without hearing. Jno. 6:45.
  - (d) Without learning. Jno. 6:45.
  - (e) Without self-denial. Luke 9:23.
- A. Be a disciple.
- w (a) Without renouncing all. Luke 14:33.
  - (b) Without following Christ. Luke 14:27.

- (c) Without loving Christ best. Luke 14:26.
  - (d) Without bearing cross. Luke 14:27.
  - (e) Without abiding in his word. Jno. 8:21.
5. Go to heaven.
- (a) Without faith. Jas. 2:5: Rev. 21:18.
  - (b) Without love. Jas. 2:5.
  - (c) In your sins. Jno. 8:21.
  - (d) Without Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-7.
  - (e) Through flesh and blood. 1 Cor. 15:50.
  - (f) Without overcoming. Rev. 21:1-7.
  - (g) Without obedience. Rev. 22:14.

## **THE GREATEST THINGS**

**Text: 1 Cor. 13:13.**

### **What are they?**

1. God—Of all.
2. Christ—Savior.
3. Book—Bible.
4. Work—Saving souls.
5. Possession—Eternal treasures.
6. Place—Heaven.
7. Time—Now.
8. Commandment—Love.
9. Name for man—Christian.
10. Creature—Man.
11. Organization—The Church.
12. Privilege—Being child of God.
13. Religion—Pure.



14. Blessing—Spiritual.
15. Comfort—Hope.
16. Thing—Salvation.
17. Wisdom—From above.
18. Life—Eternal.
19. Godliness—True.

**These are greater than:**

1. Wealth
2. Power
3. Pleasure
4. Ease
5. Fame
6. Education
7. Physical charm
8. Fine homes

## **THE THREE ADVENTS**

**What are they?**

1. Creation—man's advent.
2. Incarnation—Christ's advent.
3. Christ's coming—Second advent.

**What events cluster around man's advent ?**

1. Creation of world. Gen. 1:1.
2. Creation of man. Gen. 1:26, 27.
3. The fall of man. Gen. 3 :1-8.
4. The curse. Gen. 3:17-19.
5. Promise of a redeemer. Gen. 3:15.

**What events cluster around Christ's advent ?**

1. The incarnation. John 1:14.
2. Manifestation. Jno. 2:11; 1 Tim-3:16.
3. Crucifixion. 1 Cor. 1:23; 2:2, 8.
4. Resurrection. Luke 24:7, 46.
5. Ascension. Luke 24:50, 51.

**What events cluster around the second advent ?**

1. Destruction of world. 2 Pet. 3:10.
2. Resurrection of man. 1 Thess. 4:16.
3. Judgment. 1 Cor. 4:4,5.
4. Punishment. 2 Thess. 1:7-9.
5. Glorification. Col. 3:4; 2 Thess. 1:7-10.

**Which advent prepare for?**

1. Christ's second advent.

**How prepare for it?**

1. By being ready.
2. By being bold. 1 Jno. 1:28.
3. By abiding in Him. 1 Jno. 1:3-8.
4. By waiting for Him. Heb. 9:27.
5. By being holy. 2 Pet. 3:10, 11.
6. By being godly. 2 Pet. 3:10, 11.
7. By being sober. 1 Pet. 1:13.
8. By being unreprouable. 1 Cor. 1:7.
9. By holding fast. Rev. 2:25.

## **THE IMPORTANCE OF CHRIST'S RESURRECTION**

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:12-19.**

**Why is it so important?**

1. Because upon it depends:
  - (a) The establishment of the church. Matt. 6:16-18.
  - (b) Our salvation. Rom. 10:9.
  - (c) Foundation of our faith. 1 Cor. 15:17.
  - (d) Genuineness of our preaching. 1 Cor. 15:14.

- (e) Remission of sins. Luke 24: 46,47; 1 Cor. 15:17.
- (f) Justification. Rom. 6:9.
- (g) Hope. 1 Pet. 1:3.
- (h) Christ's divinity. Rom. 1:4.
- (i) Christ's exaltation. Eph. 1:20, 21.
- (j) Christ's intercession. Rom. 8: 34.
- (k) Our light. Acts 26:23.
- (l) Our resurrection. 1 Thess. 4: 14.
- (m) The judgment. Acts 17:31.
- (n) Eternal life. 1 Cor. 15:17-19.
- (o) Our going to heaven. Col. 3: 1-4.

**How can we show its importance ?**

1. By preaching it. 1 Cor. 15:1-4, 12-14.
2. By believing it. Rom. 10:9.
3. By repenting because of it. Luke 24:46, 47.
4. By confessing a raised Christ. Rom. 9:10.
5. By imitating it. Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12; 3:1.
6. By remembering it. 2 Tim. 2:8.
7. By worshipping on the first day of week. Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:2.
8. By seeking things above. Col. 3: 1, 12.

**THE JORDAN RIVER**

Is 134 miles straight line.  
About 200 miles long.

About 3/4 way below sea level.  
To 1300 below at Dead Sea.  
It falls about 22 feet per mile, 3000 feet.  
Width from 80 to 180 feet.  
Depth from 5 to 12 feet.  
First mentioned in Lot's day. Gen. 13:11.  
Jacob crossed it. Gen. 32:10.  
Moses forbidden to. Deut. 3:27.  
Gideon crossed it. Judg. 8:4.  
David crossed it. 2 Sam. 17:22.  
Absalom. 2 Sam. 17:24.  
Miraculously divided by:  
1. Priest's feet. Josh. 3:17.  
2. Elijah. 2 Kings 2:8.  
3. Elisha. 2 Kings 2:14.  
Naaman cleansed in it. 2 Kings 5:14.  
Iron swims in it. 2 Kings 6:4.  
John baptizes in it. Matt. 3 :6.  
Jesus baptized in it. Mark 1:9.  
Is a type of death.

## **THE LAST VOYAGE**

**Text: Psalms 107.**

**Why is it the last voyage?**

1. We pass but once.

**How can it be made?**

1. In ship. Psalms 107:23.
2. Alone. Psalms 107:23-27.
  - (a) By trusting in self.
    1. Wisdom. Prov. 23 :4.
    2. Strength. Jer. 9:23.
    3. Riches. Prov. 11:28.
3. With men. Acts 27:9-41.
  - (a) Trusting science.
  - (b) Trusting government.
  - (c) Trusting capital.

4. With the Lord.
  - (a) By trusting him. Psalms 4:5.
  - (b) By calling on him. Psalms 107:28.
  - (c) By obeying him. Acts 5:29.

**Why make the voyage with God ?**

1. Lest we get into trouble. Psalms 107: 23-28.
2. Lest we wreck. Acts 27:41.
3. Lest wind be contrary. Luke 6: 45-52.
4. Lest we perish. Luke 8:23, 24.
5. He brings us out. Psalms 107:28.
6. To have calm. Psalms 107:29.
7. To be glad. Psalms 107:30.
8. To reach desired haven. Psalms 107:30.
9. He can go all the way. Psalms 23:4.
10. To succeed. Rom. 8:31.
11. We can praise him. Psalms 107: 31.

**THE WILDERNESS JOURNEY**

People murmur for meat. Num. 11.  
 Miriam becomes leprous. Num. 12.  
 Spies sent out and people refuse to enter Canaan. Chapters 13 and 14 of Numbers.  
 Attempt to enter Canaan. Num. 14:32-45.  
 Rebellion of Korah. Num. 16:1-40.  
 They murmur. Plague. Num. 16:40-50.  
 Aaron's rod. Num. 17:1-11.  
 Miriam dies at Kadesh. Num. 20:1.  
 Waters of Meribah. Num. 20:2-13.  
 Edom refuses passage. Num. 20:14-21.

Aaron's death. Num. 20:22-29.  
 Fiery serpents sent for murmuring. Num.  
 21:4-9.  
 Victory over Amorites. Num. 21:21-32.  
 Balaam tries to curse Israel and teaches  
 Balak to cast a stumbling block. Num.  
 chapters 22, 24.  
 Sin of Peor and zeal of Phinehas. Num.  
 25.  
 The people murmur. Num. 26.  
 Inheritance of the daughters of Zelophe-  
 had. Num. 27:1-11.  
 Moses told of his death. Num. 27:12-15.  
 Joshua appointed leader of Israel. Num.  
 27:15-23; Deut. 31:14-23.  
 Midianites slaughtered and booty divided.  
 Num. 31.  
 2½ tribes stay beyond Jordan. Num. 32.  
 Death of Moses. Deut. 34:1-8.

## WHAT DOES THE TRUTH DO FOR US?

**Text: Jno. 8:32.**

### What does the truth do?

1. Makes angry—If it doesn't suit. 2 Kings 5:10-12.
2. Makes enemies—By being told. Gal. 4:16.
3. Leads to delusion—If it is not loved. 2 Thess. 2:10-11.
4. It damns—Because it is not believed. 2 Thess. 2:12.
5. Causes blasphemy—Because of prejudice. Acts 18:6.
6. Gives hope—If it is heard, received. Col. 1:5.

7. Begets—If it is believed. Jas. 1: 18; 1 Jno. 5:1.
8. Gives understanding—If it is read. Prov. 3:4; Matt. 24:15.
9. Protects—If it is put on. Psalms 91:4; Eph. 6;14.
10. Leads—If it is followed. Psalms 43:3.
11. Sanctifies—If it is accepted. Jno. 17:17, 19; 2 Thess. 2:13.
12. Supports—If it is girded on. Eph. 6; 14.
13. Purifies—If it is obeyed. 1 Pet. 1:22.
14. Brings favor—If kept. Prov. 3:3, 4.
15. Preserves—If it is declared. Psalms 40:10,11.
16. Saves—If it is received. Jas. 1:21.
17. Give thanks—If it is magnified. Psalms 138:21.
18. Gives pardon—If it is sought. Jer. 5:11.
19. Causes growth—If it is spoken. Eph. 4:15.
20. Gives recovery—If it is acknowledged. 2 Tim. 2:25, 26.
21. Makes free—If known. Jno. 8:32.
22. Gives joy—If walked in. 3 Jno. 3, 4.
23. Gives assurance—If we love. 1 Jno. 3:18, 19.
24. Establishes—If it is with us. 2 Pet. 1:12.
25. Makes upright—If followed. Gal. 2:14,

## WHAT KIND OF SPIRIT HAVE YOU?

**Text: Rom. 8:9.**

1. Defiled. 2 Cor. 7:1.
2. Fainting. Ezek. 21:7.
3. Proud. Eccl. 7:8; 16:18.
4. Sad. 1 Kings 21:5.
5. Troubled. Gen. 41:8.
6. Of anguish. Ex. 6:9.
7. Hasty. Prov. 14:29.
8. Excellent. Dan. 5:12; 6:3..
9. Of grace. Zech. 12:10.
10. New. Ezek. 11:19; Rom. 7:6.
11. Of knowledge. Isa. 11:2.
12. Of wisdom. Isa. 11:2; Ex. 28:3.
13. Of fear. Isa. 11:2.
14. Lowly. Prov. 16:19; 29:23.
15. Cool. Prov. 17:27.
16. Contrite. Psalms 34:18.
17. Right. Psalms 51:10.
18. Faithful. Prov. 1:13.
19. Gentle. Acts 1 :1; 1 Cor. 4:21; Gal. 6:1
20. Guileless. Psalms 32:2.
21. Dependent. Matt. 5:3.
22. Rejoicing. Luke 1:47.
23. Fervent. Acts 18:25; Rom. 12:11.
24. Willing. Psalms 51:12; Matt. 26: 41.
25. Confident. Num. 14:6-9, 24; 3:30.
26. Holy. 1 Cor. 7:34.
27. Of love. 2 Tim. 1:7.
28. Patient. Eccl. 7:8; Psalms 78:8.
29. Broken. Prov. 15:12; 18:14.
30. Overwhelmed. Psalms 142:3; 143:4.



## WHAT ARE YOU DOING FOR THYSELF?

**Text: Rom. 2:5, 21.**

1. Treasuring wrath. Rom. 5:5.
2. Teach. Rom. 2:21.
3. Save. Acts 2; 1 Tim. 4:16.
4. Looking to. Gal. 6:1; 2 John 8.
5. Showing self-approved. 2 Tim. 2:15; 2 Cor. 7:11.
6. Condemning. Rom. 14:22; 2:1.
7. Exercise. 1 Tim. 4:7.
8. Showing self example. Mark 9:20; Titus 2:7.
9. Harming. Acts 16:28.
10. Opposing. Acts 18:6.
11. Justifying. Luke 16:15.
12. Keeping:
  - (a) From:
    1. Sin. Acts 15:29.
    2. Idols. 1 John 5:21.
  - (b) Pure. 1 Tim. 5:22; Jas. 1:27.
  - (c) In God's love. Jude 21.
13. Take heed. Luke 17:3; 21:34; Acts 20:28.
14. Yielding to God. Rom. 6:13, 16.
15. Examining. 1 Cor. 11:28; 2 Cor. 13:5.
16. Building up. Jude 20.
17. Laying up treasures. Matt. 6:19, 20.
18. Avenging. Rom. 12:19.
19. Denying. Matt. 16:24.
20. Humbling. Matt. 18:4; 23:12.
21. Deceiving. 1 Cor. 3:18.
22. Purifying. 1 John 3:3.
23. Making friends. Luke 16:9.

24. Well. Psalms 49:18.
25. Judging. Acts 13:46.

## WHY WAS CHRIST RAISED?

**Text: Rom. 1:4.**

### **Christ was raised:**

1. Through God's glory Rom. 6:4.
2. To prove his divinity. Rom. 1:4.
3. To make intercession. Rom. 8:34.
4. To justify us. Rom. 4:25; 8:24;  
Acts 13:37, 38.
5. To proclaim light. Acts 26:23.
6. To save man. Rom. 10:9; 1 Cor.  
15:17.
7. To fulfill God's promise. Acts 13:  
33.
8. To bless us. Acts 3:26.
9. To assure our resurrection. Rom.  
8:11; 2 Cor. 4:14; 1 Thess. 4:14.
10. For remission of sins. Luke 24:46,  
49; Acts 13:37.
11. To give hope. 1 Cor. 16:17-19; 1  
Pet. 1:3,21.
12. To assure the judgment. Acts 17:  
31.
13. So we can bear fruit. Rom. 7:4.
14. To show God's power. Eph. 1:19,  
20.
15. So we can live unto him. 2 Cor.  
5:15.
16. To be placed on the throne. Acts  
2:29-32.
17. To show victory over death. Acts  
2:24.
18. To establish the church. Matt. 16:  
18.

19. To give life. Rom. 6:8-11.
20. So we can imitate it. Col. 2:12; 3:1.
21. To fulfill prophecies:
  - (a) Of prophets. Acts 26:22, 23.
  - (b) Of Moses. Acts 26:22, 23.
  - (c) Of David. Psalms 16:10; Acts 2:31; John 2:19.
  - (d) Of Christ. Matt. 16:21; 26:32; Mark 9:9.
22. To be exalted. Acts 2:32; Eph. 1:20, 21:

### **WHAT WE KNOW**

- 1. We know him. 1 John 2:3, 4.
2. We are in him. 1 John 2:5, 6.
3. That it is the last hour. 1 John 2:18.
4. All things. 1 John 2:20.
5. The truth. 1 John 2:21.
6. He is righteous. 1 John 2:29.
7. Doers of right are righteous. 1 John 2:29.
8. We shall be like him. 1 John 3:2.
9. He takes away sin. 1 John 3:5.
10. We have passed from death, to life. 1 John 3:14.
11. Murderer has not eternal life. 1 John 3:15.
12. What love is. 1 John 3:16, 17.
13. We are of the truth. 1 John 3:19.
14. He abides in us, 1 John 3:24.
15. The spirit of God. 1 John 4:2.
16. The spirit of truth and error. 1 John 4:6.
17. We abide in him. 1 John 4:13.

18. God's love. 1 John 4:16.
19. We love God's children. 1 John 5:2.
20. We have eternal life. 1 John 5 :13.
21. God hears us. 1 John 5:15.
22. The begotten sins not. 1 John 5: 18.
23. We are of God. 1 John 5:19.
24. That Christ is come. 1 John 5:20.
25. Him who is true. 1 John 5:20.  
Let John's positiveness make us brave and sure.

## **WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING FOR?**

**Text: 2 Pet. 3:12-14.**

### **What look for?**

1. Not an easy way to Heaven. Matt. 7:14.
2. Not just our own. Phil. 2:4.
3. Not faults in others. Matt. 7:3.
4. God. Isa. 8:17.
5. The light. Isa. 59:9.
6. The kingdom. Mark 15:43.
7. Salvation. Isa. 59:11.,
8. Mercy. Jude 21.
9. The right way. John 7:17.
10. Something good to do. Mark 14:7.
11. What is good for man. Eccl. 2:3; 12:13.
12. Blessed hope. Titus 2:13.
13. Glory. Titus 2:13.
14. Much. Hag. 1:9.
15. Day of the Lord. Lam. 2:16; 2 Pet. 3:12.
16. New Heaven. Heb. 11:10; 2 Pet. 3:13.

### **What will be the results?**

1. You may be disappointed.
2. You will find. John 7:17.
3. You will obey. Eccl. 2:3; 12:13.
4. You will be ready. Luke 12:36-40.
5. You will turn from sin. Isa. 59:1-2.
6. You will be diligent:
  - (a) To be found in peace. 2 Pet. 3:14.
  - (b) To be spotless. 2 Pet. 3:14.
  - (c) To be blameless. 2 Pet. 3:14.
7. You will live:
  - (a) Holy. 2 Pet. 3:11-13.
  - (b) Soberly. Titus 2:13.
  - (c) Righteously. Titus 2:13.
  - (d) Godly. Titus 2:13.

### **WHAT DO WITH THE FAITH?**

**Text: 2 Tim. 4:7.**

#### **What do with it?**

1. Not depart from it. Acts 13:8; 1 Tim. 4:1.
2. Not overthrow it. 2 Tim. 2:18.
3. Not deny it. 1 Tim. 5:8; Rev. 2:13.
4. Not err concerning it. 1 Tim. 6:10, 21.
5. Not wreck it. 1 Tim. 1:15.
6. Obey it. Acts 6:7; Rom. 1:15.
7. Preach it. Rom. 10:8. Gal. 1:23.
8. Make it grow. 2 Cor. 10:15. 2 Thess. 1:3.
9. Contend for. Jude 3. Phil. 1:27.
10. Build it up. Jude 20.
11. Be sound in it. Tit. 1:13; 2:2.

12. Straighten it. Acts 16:5. Rom. 4:20.
13. Put it to work. Gal. 5:6. 2 Thess 1:11.
14. Keep its unity. Eph. 4:13.
15. Add to it. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
16. Show it. Rom. 1:8. James 2:18.
17. Be established in it. **1 Cor. 16:13.** Col. 2:7.
18. Continue in it. Acts 14:22. Col. 1:23. 1 Tim. 2:15.
19. Perfect it. 1 Thess. 3:10. James 2:20.
20. Keep it. 2 Tim. 4:7.
21. Die in it. Heb. 11:13. Rev. 2:10.

Why do these things?

1. To avoid many sorrows. 1 Tim. 6:10.
2. Lest we displease God. Heb. 11:6.
3. To be saved. 1 Tim. 2:15.
4. To save others. 1 Cor. 1:21. Gal. 1:23.
5. To be protected. Eph. 6:16. 1 Thess. 5:8.
6. To be presented to Christ. Col. 1:22, 23.
7. To enter eternal kingdom. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
8. To be crowned. 2 Tim. 4:7, 8.
9. To have eternal life. Jude **20.**

## WHAT IS FIRST?

Text: Matt. 6:33.

The first:

1. Man. 1 Cor. 15:45, 47.

2. Covenant. Heb. 8:7, 13.
3. Tabernacle. Heb. 9:8.
4. Stone. John 8:7.
5. State. Matt. 12:45. 2 Pet. 2:20.
6. Commandment. Mark 12:29, 30.
7. Pledge. 1 Tim. 5:12.
8. Proved. 1 Tim. 3:10.
9. Love. 1 John 4:19; Rev. 2:4.
10. Work. Rev. 2:5.
11. Lord's servant. 1 Kings 17:13.
12. Fruits. Rom. 8:23; 16:5; Rev. 14:4.
13. Gift. 2 Cor. 8:5, 12.
14. Kingdom and righteousness. Matt. 6:33.
15. Inside of cup. Matt. 23:26.
16. Consider. Luke 14:28, 32.
17. Christ must be. Luke 9:59-62.
18. Day of week. Acts 20:7. 1 Cor. 16:2.
19. Being first. Mark 9:35; 10:44.
20. Heaven and earth. Rev. 21:1.
21. Willingness. 2 Cor. 8:12.
22. Piety. 1 Tim. 5:4.
23. Purity. Jas. 3:17.
24. Reconciliation. Matt. 5:23, 24.
25. Casting out beam. Matt. 7:5.
26. Born. Heb. 12:23.
27. Resurrection. Rev. 20:5, 6.

## **WHAT IS THE MEASURE?**

**Texts: Rev. 11:1; Matt. 6:27.**

### **Of Life:**

1. Not years.
2. Not pleasure. Eccl. 2nd Chapter.
3. Not possessions. Luke 12:15.

4. Service:
  - (a) God. Eccl. 12:13.
  - (b) Man. Mark 10:43-45.

**Of Giving. Luke 6:38.**

1. What we have. 2 Cor. 8:12.
2. Prosperity. 1 Cor. 16:2.
3. Sacrifice. Mark 12:41-44.
4. Cheerfulness. 2 Cor. 9:7.

**Of Service.**

1. Not eye-service. Col. 3:22.
2. With good will. Eph. 6:7; Col. 3:23.
3. Ability. Matt. 25:15. Acts 11:28.
4. Opportunity. Gal. 6:10.

**Of the Church.**

1. Foundation. Matt. 16:18; 2 Tim. 2:19.
2. Head. Eph. 1:22., Col. 1:18.
3. Doctrine. Acts 2:42. Eph. 3:10. 2 John 9.
4. Name. Acts 20:28. Rom. 16:16.

**Of Worship.**

1. Not place. John 4:20, 21.
2. Object. Rom. 1:25. Matt. 4:10. Rev. 22:9.
3. Spirit. John 4:23, 24.
4. Truth. John 4:23, 24.

**Of Character.**

1. Not appearance. 1 Sam. 16:7. Matt. 23:27, 28.
2. Christ-likeness. Eph. 4:13.



3. Treatment of least. Matt. 25:34-46.
4. What God knows. Psalms 139:1-6. John 2:24.

## **WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH THE LORD?**

**Text: Matt. 27:22.**

### **What ought we to do with him ?**

1. Not deny him. Jude 4.
2. Not only call him so. Luke 6:46.
3. Know him. Heb. 8:11.
4. Believe him. Acts 9:42; 16:31.
5. Confess him. Rom. 10:9; Phil. 2:11.
6. Do his will. Acts 21:14; Jas. 4:15.
7. Put him on. Rom. 13:14.
8. Call upon him. Rom. 10:13; 2 Tim. 2:23; Acts 22:16.
9. Turn to him. Acts 11:21.
10. Be added to him. Acts 11:24.
11. Cleave to him. Acts 11:23.
12. Seek him. Acts 17:27.
13. Sanctify him. 1 Pet. 3:15.
14. Magnify him. Acts 19:17.
15. Fear him. Acts 9:31.
16. Follow him. Luke 9:6.
17. Serve him. Acts 20:19; Rom. 12:11.
18. Please him. 1 Cor. 7:32; Col. 3:20.
19. Imitate him. 1 Thess. 1:6.
20. Thank him. 1 Tim. 1:12.
21. Have confidence in him. 2 Thess. 2:11; Phil. 2.
22. Give ourselves to him. 2 Cor. 8:5.

23. Love him. 1 Cor. 16:22; Eph. 6:24.
24. Praise him. Rom. 15:11.
25. Recognize his authority. Col. 3:17.
26. Remember him. 1 Cor. 11:23, 24.
27. Glorify him. Acts 21:20; 2 Cor. 8:19.
28. Meet him. 1 Thess. 4:17.

## **WEARINESS**

**Text: Gal. 6:9.**

### **Who can become weary?**

1. God. Isa. 7:13; Mal. 2:17.
2. Christ. John 4:6.
3. Christians. 2 Cor. 11:27; 2 Thess. 2:13.
4. Souls. Jer. 31:25.
5. Self. Prov. 23:4.
6. Men. Isa. 7:13.

### **What makes weary ?**

1. Words. Mal. 2:17.
2. Sins. Isa. 43:24.
3. Visiting too often. Prov. 25:17; Luke 18:5.
4. Multitude of counsels. Isa. 49:13.
5. Length of the way. Isa. 57:10.
6. The Lord and his worship. Isa. 43:22; Mal. 1:13.
7. Study. Eccl. 12:11.
8. Labor. Eccl. 10:15.
9. Wrong folk. Gen. 27:46.
10. Fighting. 2 Sam. 23:10.
11. Vain worship. Isa. 11:14.
12. The Lord. Isa. 42:22; Micah 6:13.

13. Repenting too often. Jer. 15:6.

**The remedy for weariness.**

1. Rest. Job 3:17; Lam. 5:5; John 4:6.

**We should** not weary self.

1. At Lord's reproof. Prov. 3:11.
2. To commit iniquity. Jer. 9:5.
3. To be rich. Prov. 23:4.
4. Doing well. Gal. 6:9.
5. Vanity. Hab. 2:13.

**The results of weariness.**

1. Hating. Prov. 25:17.
2. Fainting. Heb. 12:3.

How avoid weariness?

1. By waiting on the Lord. Isa. 40:31.
2. By sustaining words. Isa. 50:4.
3. By considering Christ. Heb. 12:3.

## **WHAT ARE YOU BRINGING**

Text: Matt. 12:35.

What should we bring?

1. Not evil. Isa. 59:4; Matt. 12:35.
2. Not vain things. Isa. 1:13.
3. Not self low. Prov. 29:23.
4. Not heresy. 2 Pet. 2:1.
5. Not destruction to self. 2 Pet. 2:1.
6. Not wicked devices. Psalms 37:7.
7. Not reproach. Prov. 19:26.
8. Not a curse. 1 Sam. 3:13.
9. Whole tithe. Mal. 3:10; Acts 5:2.
10. To mind. Isa. 46:8.
11. Reasons. Isa. 41:21.
12. Honor. Prov. 4:8.

13. Fruit. Psalms 1:3; 92:14:
  - (a) Not unto death. Rom. 7:5.
  - (b) Worthy of repentance. Matt. 3 '8
  - (c) Good. Matt. 7:17.
  - (d) Unto God. Rom. 7:4.
14. Body under. 1 Cor. 9:27.
15. Thoughts into captivity. 2 Cor. 10:5.
16. Children up. Pro v. 22:6; Eph. 6:4.
17. Forth wisdom. Prov. 10:31.
18. Things new and old. Matt. 13:52.
19. Others to Christ. John 1:40-42.
20. Good tidings. Isa. 52:7.
21. The doctrine. 2 John 10.
22. Good things. Matt. 12:35.
23. In sheaves. Psalms 126:6.

**Who is to bring?**

1. The willing hearted. Ex. 35:5.

**How much should we bring?**

1. Too much. Ex. 36:3-7.

**WHY AND HOW TO LIVE THE  
BEST LIFE**

**Text; 1 Pet. 4:2.**

**Why live the best life ?**

1. To have God. 2 Cor. 13:11.
2. To glorify God.
3. It is profitable. 1 Tim. 4:8.
4. To have hope and glory. Titus 2:12, 13.
5. To live forever. John 6:58; 1 Tim. 4:8.

### **How live?**

1. Not in error. 2 Pet. 2:18.
2. Not after the flesh. Rom. 8:12, 13.
3. Not unto ourselves. 2 Cor. 5:15.
4. Soberly. Titus 2:12.
5. Righteously. Titus 2:12; 1 Pet. 2:24.
6. Godly. Titus 2:12; 2 Tim. 3:12.
7. Holy. 2 Pet. 3:12.
8. Peaceably. Rom. 12:18; 2 Cor. 13:13.
9. Honorably. Heb. 13:18.
10. By Christ. John 6:57.
11. In the Spirit. Gal. 5:25.
12. In good conscience. Acts 23:1.

### **How prepare to live it?**

1. Choose life. Deut. 30:19.
2. By self-denial. Titus 2:12.
3. By accepting Christ. John 6:57, 58.
4. By dying to sin. Rom. 8:13; 1 Pet. 2:24.
5. By believing. John 20:31.
6. By obedience. Heb. 12:9; Matt. 19:17; Rom. 6:4.
7. By loving. Luke 10:27, 28. 1 John 3:14.

### **How is it sustained ?**

1. Not by bread alone. Matt. 4:4.
2. By God's power. 2 Cor. 13:4.
3. By the word. Luke 4:4.
4. By faith. Rom. 1:17; Gal. 2:20.
5. Not by pleasure. 1 Tim. 5:6.
6. By righteousness. Prov. 11:19, 30; 12:28.

# WHICH WAY ARE YOU GOING?

Text: Jer. 7:24.

## Which way can we go ?

1. Backward. Jer. 7:24.
2. Forward. Jer. 7:24.

## To what go back?

1. Not the weak. Gal. 4:9.
2. Not the beggarly. Gal. 4:9.
3. Not to the old life. Num. 11:4-6.
4. Not from God's way. Psalms 44:  
18.
5. Not to the law. Gal. 5:1-4.
6. Not away from Christ. John 6:66.
7. Not from God. Zeph. 5:1-6.
8. Not from enemies. Josh. 7:8, 12.
9. To God. 1 Kings 18:37; Luke 15:  
13-18.
10. To the Bible.

## How do we go backward?

1. By sinning. 2 Chron. 29:6.
2. By being rebellious. Deut. 1:26;  
Isa. 50:5.
3. By refusing teaching. Jer. 32:33.
4. Through lack of fear. Jer. 2:19.
5. By trusting idols. Isa. 42:17.

## To what go forward ?

1. To meet the future. Phil. 3:13.
2. To perfection. Heb. 6:1.
3. To the goal. Phil. 3:14.
4. To take possession. Num. 13:30.

## How go forward?

1. By laying aside weights. Heb. 12:1.
2. By forgetting the past. Phil. 3:14.

3. By faith. 2 Cor. 5:7; Heb. 11:8.
4. By diligence. 1 Tim. 4:15.
5. By being wholehearted. 1 Tim. 4:15.
6. By being confident. Num. 13:30.
7. By God's help. Deut. 1:42.

### **WHY DOES GOD NOT ANSWER SINNERS?**

1. They refuse to hear. Prov. 28:9; 1:24-30.
2. They believe not. Mark 11:24.
3. They obey not. 1 John 3:22; John 9:31.
4. They please not God. 1 John 3:22.
5. They are not in Christ. John 15:7.
6. God's word is not in them. John 15:7.
7. They are not righteous. Jas. 5:16; Prov. 15:29.
8. They have not forgiven. Mark 11:25.
9. They doubt. Jas. 1:6, 7.
10. They follow not his will. Matt. 7:21; 1 John 3:14.
11. They are self righteous. Luke 18:11-14.
12. God is not their father. Matt. 6:7-11; Gal. 6:6.

#### **For what could sinners pray?**

1. Not for light. Psalms 119:105; 130.
2. Not for grace. Titus 2:11.
3. Not for faith. John 20; 31; Rom. 10:1.
4. Not for religion. Jas. 1:27.

5. Not for a pure heart or soul. 1 Pet. 1:22; Acts 15:9.
6. Not for regeneration. John 3:5.
7. Not for saving power. Rom. 1:16.
8. Not to persuade God. 1 Tim. 2:4; 2 Pet. 3:9.
9. Not for God's love. John 3:16; Rom. 5:8.
10. Not for forgiveness. Acts 2:38; 10:35; Luke 23:34.
11. Not for God to accept him. Acts 10:35.
12. Not for peace. Rom. 5:1; 1 Pet. 5:14.

**Cases to consider:**

1. Publican. Luke 18:9-14.
2. Simon, the sorcerer. Acts 8:21-24.
3. Saul of Tarsus. Acts 9:10-12; 22:16.
4. Cornelius, not saved. Acts 11:14.

## **WHAT KIND OF A HEART HAVE YOU?**

**Text: Heb. 10:22.**

1. A broken heart—Confesses sins. Psalms 51:17.
2. An open heart—Receives the word. Acts 16:14.
3. A single heart—Serves faithfully. Eph. 6:5.
4. A pure heart—Calls on the Lord. 2 Tim. 2:22.
5. A true heart—Draws near to God. Heb. 10:22.



6. A pure heart—Loves fervently. 1 Pet. 1:22.
7. A purposed heart—Cleaves to God. Acts 11:23.
8. An evil heart—Brings forth evil. Gen. 6:5, 6; Luke 6:45. Departs from God. Heb. 3:12.
9. A cheerful heart—Heals. Prov. 17:22.
10. A wise heart—Instructs. Prov. 16:23.
11. A deceived heart—Turns aside. Isa. 44:20.
12. A satan filled heart—Holds back. Acts 5:3; Lies. Acts 5:3. Betrays. John 13:2.
13. A word filled heart—Sins not. Psalms 119:11.
14. A good heart—Brings forth good. Luke 6:45.
15. An honest heart—Brings fruit. Luke 8:15.
16. A pricked heart—Leads to repentance. Acts 2:37, 38.
17. An uncircumcised heart—Resists. Acts 7:51.
18. An enlightened heart—Puts not to shame. Rom. 5:5.
19. A factious heart—Brings confusion. Jas. 3:14, 16.
20. A jealous heart—Produces vile deeds. Jas. 3:14, 16. V
21. A hardened heart—Falleth into mischief. Prov. 28:14.
22. A wayward heart—Finds no good. Prov. 17:20.

23. A compassionate heart. Gives. Col. 3:12; 1 John 3:17.
24. A tender heart—Forgives. Eph. 4:32.
25. A stout heart—Far from righteousness. Isa. 46:12.
26. A willing heart—Brings offerings. Ex. 35:5; 21, 29.
27. A stirred heart—Comes to work. Ex. 36:2.
28. A perfect heart—Offers willingly. 1 Chr. 29:9.

## **WHO IS YOUR FATHER?**

Text: John 8:42-44.

**Who** is your father?

1. Abraham. John 8:39; Gal. 3:29.
2. God. John 8:45.
3. Satan. John 8:44.

How is this proved ?

1. By our faith. Rom. 4:11, 12-16.
2. By works. John 8:39, 41.
3. By being Christ's. Gal. 3:29.

**What** shows a wrong father?

1. Lying. Acts 5:3.
2. Murder. 1 John 3:12.
3. Persecution. Matt. 23:29-33.
4. Unrighteousness. 1 John 3:10.
5. Hatred. 1 John 3:10.
6. Jealousy. Jas. 3:14, 15; 1 John 3:11.
7. Perverting. Acts 13:10.
8. Betraying. John 6:70; 13:2.
9. Tares. Matt. 13:38.
10. Faction. Jas. 3:14, 15.

## **What manifests God's children?**

1. Receiving Christ. John 1:11.
2. Believing. John 1:11-13; Gal. 3:26.
3. Regeneration. John 1:11-13; 3:5.
4. Righteousness. 1 John 2:29; 3:10.
5. Obedience. Phil. 2:12-14.
6. Being merciful. Luke 6:36.
7. Coming out. 2 Cor. 6:17, 18.
8. Loving. Matt. 5:45; 1 John 3:10.
9. Peacefulness. Matt. 5:9.
10. Holiness. 1 Pet. 1:14, 15.
11. Overcoming. Rev. 21:7.

## **WHAT HAVE YOU LOST?**

**Text: Eccl. 3:6.**

1. Anything. John 6:12.
2. Influence. Matt. 5:13.
3. Opportunities. Jer. 8:20.
4. Reward. Matt. 10:42.
5. Things that were wrought. 2 John 8.
6. Soul. Matt. 16:26.
7. Self. Luke 9:25.
8. Hope. Ezek. 37:11; 19:5.
9. Faith. 2 Tim. 4:8.
10. Love. Rev. 2:4.
11. Good name. Prov. 22:1.
12. Friends. Prov. 19:4, 7; Gal. 4:16.
13. Zeal. Heb. 6:11, 12.
14. Words. Prov. 23:8.
15. Time. Heb. 5:12.
16. Gain. Phil. 3:8.
17. All things. Phil. 3:8.
18. Life. Matt. 16:25.

19. Works. 2 Cor. 3:15.
20. Material things. Acts 27:10; Luke 15:8,9.

### **Why lose?**

1. For Christ's sake. Matt. 10:39; Phil. 3:7.
2. For knowledge. Phil. 3 :8.
3. To find. Matt. 10:39.
4. For the gospel. Mark 8:35.
5. To save. Matt. 16:25.

### **Why do we lose ?**

1. Through misplaced love. John 12: 25.
2. By not looking. 2 John 8.
3. Through ignorance. Luke 12:39.
4. Through indifference. 1 Kings 20: 40.
5. Through procrastination. Acts 24: 25.

## **WHICH SHALL IT BE?**

Text: 1 Tim. 4:6.

Which shall it be?

1. Faith or opinion. 1 Cor. 2:5; 1 Tim. 4:6.
2. Doctrine or doctrines. 1 Tim. 4:6.
3. Right or wrong. Psalms 33:4; Eph. 6:1; Col. 3:25; Acts 7:26.
4. Saved or lost. Mark 16:4-16.
5. Safe or sorry. 1 Thess. 5:1-6.
6. Crown or crucify. Heb. 6:6; 1 Pet. 3:15.
7. Church or world. Col. 1:24; 2 Tim. 4:10.
8. God or man. Matt. 16:23.

9. Life or death. Deut 30:19.
10. Give or withhold. Acts 4:36, 37; 5:1-5.
11. Lift or lean. Matt. 23:4.
12. Confess or deny. Matt. 10:32, 33.
13. Freedom or bondage. 2 Tim. 2: 25, 26.
14. Love or hate. Matt. 6:24; Heb. 1: 9.
15. Obey or neglect. 2 Thess. 1:7-9. Heb. 2:1-3.
16. Knowledge or ignorance. 2 Pet. 3:15-18.
17. Blessing or curse. Deut. 30:1, 19.
18. Hope or despair. 2 Cor. 1:6-10.
19. Good or bad. 2 Cor. 5:10.
20. Pride or shame. 2 Tim. 2:15; 1 John 12:28.
21. Riches or poverty. Jas. 2:5; Rev. 2:9.
22. Peace or confusion. 1 Cor. 14:33.
23. True God or idols. 1 Kings 18:21.
24. Truth or a lie. Rom. 1:25; 3:4.
25. Endure or give up. Matt. 24:10-13.

## **WHAT MAN IS, KNOWS, AND HAS**

**Text: 1 Cor. 3:16-23.**

### **What is man ?**

1. God's creature. Mal. 2:10.
2. A dual being. Jas. 2:26; Gal. 5: 16-26.
3. Mortal and eternal. Eccl. 12:7; Heb. 9:27; Mark 9:48.
4. Creature of choice. Deut. 30:19.

5. Responsible creature. Rom. 14:12.
6. Greatest of creation. Heb. 2:6-8.
7. God's temple. 1 Cor. 3:16, 17.
8. Very valuable. Matt. 10:31; 12:12; 16:26.
9. A vapor. Jas. 4:14.
10. Weak. Matt. 26:41.

**What does and can man know ?**

1. What he has learned. 2 Tim. 3:14, 15.
2. God and Christ. John 17:3; 1 John 2:3, 4.
3. The truth. John 8:32; 1 Tim. 2:4.
4. What is right. John 7:17.
5. God respects not persons. Eph. 6:9.
6. Death comes and is not end. 2 Cor. 5:1; Heb. 9:27.
7. All works for good. Rom. 8:28.
8. That he will be judged. 2 Cor. 5:10; Heb. 9:27.
9. That we have life. 1 John 3:14; 5:13.
10. We shall be like him. 1 John 3 :2.

**What does, or can man have ?**

1. What he has received. 1 Cor. 4:7.
2. The gospel. Mark 16:15; Titus 2:11.
3. Opportunities. Gal. 6:9.
4. God and Christ. 2 John 9.
5. All things. 1 Cor. 3:21.
6. The world. 1 Cor. 3:22.
7. Things present. 1 Cor. 3:22.
8. Life. 2 Cor. 3:22.
9. The promises. 2 Cor. 7:1.
10. Things to come. 2 Cor. 3:22.

## WHAT TO DO WITH GOD'S WORD

1. Hear it. Isa. 1:10; 28:14.
2. Meditate upon it. Psalms 119:48.
3. Remember it. Psalms 119:16; Jas. 1:25.
4. Lay it up in our hearts. Psalms 119:11.
5. Trust in it. Psalms 119:42.
6. Hope in it. Psalms 119:74, 114.
7. Speak it. Isa. 8:20; Acts 4:31.
8. Not despise it. Isa. 30:12.
9. Tremble at it. Isa. 66:2, 5.
10. Not steal it from others. Jer. 23:30.
11. Seek it. Amos 8:12.
12. Not go beyond it. Num. 22:18; 2 John 9.
13. Not be ashamed of it. Mark 8:38.
14. Believe it. John 2:22; 4:50.
15. Continue in it. John 8:31.
16. Preach it. Acts 8:42; 2 Tim. 4:2.
17. Receive it. Acts 11:1.
18. Not corrupt it. 2 Cor. 2:17.
19. Not handle it deceitfully. 2 Cor. 4:2.
20. Hold it forth. Phil. 2:16.
21. Let it dwell in us. Col. 3:16.
22. Obey it. 2 Thess. 3:14; 1 Pet. 3:1.
23. Hold it fast. 2 Tim. 1:13.
24. Rightly divide it. 2 Tim. 2:15.
25. Not blaspheme it. Titus 2:5.
26. Do it. Jas. 1:22.
27. Not stumble at it. 1 Pet. 2:8.
28. Taste it. Heb. 6:5.
29. Live by it. Matt. 4:4.

## WHO IS WHO

### Who:

1. Is mother and brethren ? Mark 3: 33-35.
2. Is greatest? Matt 18:1-3.
3. Then can be saved? Matt. 19:25.
4. Is faithful? Matt. 24:45.
5. Can forgive sins? Mark 2:7.
6. Is my neighbor? Luke 10:29.
7. Has sinned? John 9:2.
8. Condemneth? Rom. 8:34.
9. Repliest against God? Rom. 9:20.
10. Hath known? Rom. 11:34; 1 Cor. 2:16.
11. Hath been God's counselor? Rom. 11:34.
12. Hath first given? Rom. 11:35.
13. Art thou that judgest? Rom. 14: 4; Jas. 4:12.
14. Maketh thee to differ? 1 Cor. 4:7.
15. Hindered you? Gal. 5:7.
16. Is wise? Jas. 3:13.
17. Will harm you? 1 Pet. 3:13.
18. Is a liar? 1 John 2:22.
19. Overcometh? 1 John 5:5.
20. Shall stand? Rev. 6:17.
21. Shall separate us? Rom. 8:35.
22. Can be against us? Rom. 8:31.
23. Is on the Lord's side ? Ex. 32:26.
24. Knoweth what is good. Eccl. 6:12.
25. Darkeneth counsel? Job 38:2.
26. Shall dwell? Psalms 15th chapter.



## WHICH WAY WILL YOU TAKE?

Text: Jer. 21:8; Psalms 119:30.

### Which way?

1. Of sinners. Psalms 1:1.
2. Old Job. Job 22:15.
3. Of the violent. Psalms 17:4.
4. False. Psalms 119:104, 128.
5. Of the wicked. Psalms 1:6; Prov. 4:19.
6. Of man. Prov. 5:21; Jer. 10:23; 32:14.
7. Of a fool. Prov. 12:15.
8. Of the transgressor. Prov. 13:15.
9. Of the guilty. Prov. 21:8.
10. Broad. Matt. 7:13.
11. Which seems right. Prov. 14:12; 16:25.
12. Of death. Prov. 14:12; Jer. 21:8.
13. Of the sluggard. Prov. 15:19.
14. Of the perverse. Prov. 22:5.
15. Of the adulterous. Prov. 30:20.
16. Right. 1 Sam. 12:23.
17. Good. 2 Chron. 6:27; Jer. 6:16.
18. To light. Job 38:19.
19. Perfect. Psalms 101:2.
20. Faithfulness. Psalms 119:30.
21. Of life. Prov. 6:23; Jer. 21:8.
22. Of peace. Isa. 59:8; Luke 1:79.
23. Of holiness. Isa. 35:8.
24. Of God. Matt. 22:16.
25. Of salvation. Acts 16:17.
26. Straitened. Matt. 7:14.
27. New. Heb. 10:20.
28. Living. Heb. 10:20.
29. Of escape. 1 Cor. 10:13.

## WHERE AND THERE

### Where love is, there is:

1. Generosity. 1 John 3:17.
2. Mercy. 1 Pet. 4:8.
3. Obedience. John 14:15, 23; 1 John 2:5; 5:3.
4. Great value. Prov. 15:17.
5. Profit. 1 Cor. 13:1-3.
6. Endurance. 1 Cor. 13:7.
7. Hope. 1 Cor. 13:7.
8. Unselfishness. 1 Cor. 13:5.

### Where name is, there is:

1. God's presence. Ex. 20:24.
2. Blessings. Ex. 20:24.

### Where jealousy and factions are, there is:

1. Confusion. Jas. 3:16.
2. Vile deeds. Jas. 3:16.

### Where treasure is, there is:

1. The heart. Matt. 6:21.

### Where carcass is, there are:

1. The eagles. Matt. 24:28; Luke 17:37.

### Where the spirit of the Lord is, there is:

1. Liberty. 2 Cor. 3:17.
2. Evidence we are his. Rom. 8:9.

### Where remission is, there is:

1. No more offering. Heb. 10:18.

### Where testament is, there is:

1. The death of testator. Heb. 9:16.

### Where no law is, there is:

1. No transgression. Rom. 4:15.

**Where we gather in his name, there is:**

1. Christ. Matt. 18:20.

**Where Christ is, there will:**

1. His servants be. John 12:26; 14:3.

**Where true faith is, there is:**

1. Assurance. Heb. 10:22.
2. Work. Jas. 2:14-18.
3. Victory. 1 John 5:4, 5.
4. Inheritance. Jas. 2:5.

## **WHAT IS YOUR NATIONALITY?**

**Text: Matt. 21:43; 1 Pet. 2:9.**

**What are the nations ?**

1. Condemnation.
  - (a) Self. Rom. 14:22.
  - (b) By God. Mark 16:16; Luke 19:22.
  - (c) By words. Matt. 12:37.
2. Hallucination;
  - (a) From not loving truth. 2 Thess. 2:10, 11.
3. Discrimination.
  - (a) Evil 1 Cor. 4:7; Jas. 2:4.
4. Procrastination.
  - (a) Is dangerous. Acts 24:25; 2 Cor. 6:2; Heb. 3:15.
5. Abomination.
  - (a) Rejected. Luke 16:15; Titus 1:16; Rev. 21:27.
6. Hibernation. 1 Cor. 15:34.
  - (a) Get out of it. Eph. 5:14; 1 Thess. 5:6.

7. Imagination.
  - (a) Evil and vain. Gen. 6:5; Rom. 1:21.
  - (b) Cast it down. 2 Cor. 10:5.
8. Elimination. 1 Pet. 2:12.
  - (a) Of all wrong. Col. 3:8; Eph. 4:22.
9. Determination.
  - (a) To teach and do right. 1 Cor. 2:2; 7:37; 2 Cor. 2:1.
10. Illumination. Matt. 6:22.
  - (a) By word, entering. Psalms 119:105, 130; Heb. 10:32.
11. Donation. Matt. 10:8; 2 Cor. 9:7.
  - (a) It blesses. Luke 6:38; Acts 20:35.
12. Examination.
  - (a) By self and God. Acts 25:26. 1 Cor. 9:3; 11:28.
13. Explanation.
  - (a) Scripture and position. Matt. 13:36; 1 Pet. 3:15.
14. Resignation.
  - (a) Not to evil. Prov. 7:21; Rom. 1:16.
  - (b) To God and good. 2 Chron. 30:8; Rom. 6:16, 19.

## **WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH YOU?**

**Text: 1 Cor. 4:7.**

**What is the matter with you?**

1. That you are hindered. Gal. 5:7.
2. That you are bewitched. Gal. 3 :1-4.
3. That you are holding out. Acts 5: 1-10.

4. That you are carnal. Romans 8:6;  
1 Cor. 3:3.
5. That you neglect. Heb. 2:1-4.
6. That you are puffed up. 1 Cor. 4:  
6; 13:4.
7. That you misrepresent. Acts 3:12;  
1 Cor. 4:7.
8. That you destroy. Romans 14:15;  
2 Pet. 2:12.
9. That you stand in the way. Psalms  
1:1.
10. That you do not know. 1 Cor. 8:2;  
1 Tim. 6:4.
11. That you doubt. Matt. 14:31;  
James 1:6.
12. That you do not. Matt. 23 :3. Luke  
6:46.
13. That your prayers are not an-  
swered. James 4:3.
14. That you are not able. 1 Cor. 3:2;  
10:13'
15. That you are not growing. Heb.  
5:12-14.
16. That you are not shining. Matt. 5:  
15, 16.
17. That you are satisfied. Rev. 3:17.
18. That you forgive not. Matt. 18:35.
19. That you attend not. Acts 2:42;  
Heb. 10:25.
20. That you are not adorning. Titus  
2:10.
21. That you are not happy. John 13:  
17.
22. That you are afraid. Matt. 25 :25;  
John 14:27.

23. That you are careless. 1 Cor. 7:32-34.
24. That you are proud. Luke 1:51; James 4:6.
25. That you love not. 1 John 4:11, 19, 20.
26. That you are not ready. Matt. 25:1-13.
27. That you are lukewarm. Rev. 3:15, 16.
28. That you are not sure. 2 Pet. 1:10.

## **WHO IS RECOMMENDING YOU?**

**Text: 2 Cor. 10:18.**

### **Who can recommend us ?**

1. Self. 2 Cor. 10:18.
2. Men. 2 Cor. 3:1.
3. The Lord. 2 Cor. 10:18.

### **Who recommended self?**

1. Most every one. Prov. 20:6.
2. Pharisees. Luke 18:11, 12.
3. King Saul. 1 Sam. 15:13.
4. Nebuchadnezzar. Daniel 4:28-30; 5:20.
5. The many. Matt. 7:22.
6. The one talent man. Matt. 25:24, 25. ' "
7. The Laodiceans. Rev. 3:16.

### **Who were recommended by men?**

1. Sarah. Genesis 12:11, 15.
2. The unjust steward. Luke 16:8.
3. Simeon. Luke 2:25.
4. Barnabas. Acts 11:22-26.

5. Paul and Silas. Acts 15:40.
6. Phebe. Romans 16:1, 2.
7. Timothy. Phil. 2:19-21.

**Who were recommended by the Lord?**

1. Abel. Heb. 11:4-6.
2. Noah, Gen. 6:8, 9; 7:1.
3. Abraham. Gen. 18:17-19; James 2:21-23.
4. Job. Job 1:8.
5. David. Acts 13:22.
6. Nathanael. John 1:47.
7. Mary. Mark 14:6-9.

**Who commends us ?**

1. Not food. 1 Cor. 8:8.
2. Faith. Heb. 11:4-6.
3. Truth, 2 Cor. 4:2.
4. Wisdom. Prov. 12:8.
5. Good. Romans 13:3.

**WHAT HAVE THEY SEEN?**

**Text: 2 Kings 20:15.**

**What have they seen ?**

1. Your faith. Jas, 2:18-26.
  - (a) To prove it is alive.
2. Good works. Matt. 5:16.
  - (a) That God may be glorified.
3. Boldness. Acts 4:13.
  - (a) Showing you have been with Christ.
4. In wrong place. 1 Cor. 8:10.
  - (a) It means bad influence.
5. Not walking uprightly. Gal. 2:14.
  - (a) It brings reproof.

6. Your light. Phil. 2:14, 15.
  - (a) Through your obedience.
7. You worthy of imitation. Phil. 4:9.
  - (a) That God will be with us.
8. You sinning. Acts 8:23; 1 John 5:16.
  - (a) You need prayer and repentance.
9. Your wisdom. 2 Chron. 9:36.
  - (a) It brings admiration and praise.
10. In thy house. 2 Kings 20:15.
  - (a) Authority. Prov. 1:7-9; Eph. 6:2.
    1. Recognized by children.
  - (b) Training. Prov. 22:6; 23:13; 29:15.
    1. In right way and work.
  - (c) Good example. Phil. 3 :20, 21. As Timothy had. 2 Tim. 1:5.
  - (d) Hospitality. 1 Tim. 5:10; 1 Pet. 4:9.
    - To strangers.
    2. Brethren. 1 Pet. 4:9.
  - (e) Good literature.
    - Good books.
    2. Religious journals.
  - (f) Good association.
    1. Evil association corrupts. 1 Cor. 15:33.
    - Good association blesses. Psalms 1:1, 2; Prov. 2:20; 13:20.



## WHAT ARE YOU BECOMING?

Text: Heb. 5:12.

### What are you becoming?

1. Dull of hearing. Heb. 5:11.
2. Vain. 2 Kings 17:15; Rom. 1:21.
3. Foolish. Rom. 1:22.
4. Needing Milk. Heb. 5:12.
5. Unfruitful. Matt. 13:22.
6. A reproach. Psalms 79:4; Dan. 9:16.
7. Unprofitable. Rom. 3:12.
8. A stumbling. 1 Cor. 8:9.
9. Judges. James 2:4.
10. Unfaithful. Isa 1:21-23.
11. Children of God. John 1:11-13.
12. Servants. Rom. 6:18-22.
13. All to all men. 1 Cor. 9:22.
14. An imitator. 1 Thess. 1:6; 2:14.
15. Fishers. Mark 1:17.
16. As children. Matt. 18:3.
17. God's people. Deut. 27:9; 1 Pet. 2:9.
18. An enemy. Gal. 4:16.
19. Rich. Rev. 3:17, 18.

### What was the cause ?

1. Sin. Dan. 9:16. Psalms 79:4, 8.
2. Unbelief. 2 Kings 17:14, 15.
3. Lack of appreciation. Rom. 1:21.
4. Trusting own wisdom. Rom. 1:21.
5. Not using time. Heb. 5:12.
6. Wrong friends. Judges 16:17.
7. Lack of love. 1 Cor. 13:1.
8. Evil thoughts. James 2:4.
9. Turning aside. Rom. 3:12.
10. Speak the truth. Gal. 4:16.

## WHY GOD'S WILL IS NOT DONE

Text: 1 Tim. 1:13.

Why is it **not** done ?

1. Because of ignorance. 1 Tim. 1:13.
2. Because of unbelief.
3. Because of stubbornness. Rom. 2:5.
4. Because of neglect. Heb. 2:3.

Why are men ignorant?

1. They have not been taught. John 6:45; Acts 8:31.
2. They are deceived.
3. Not because it is God's will. 1 Tim. 2:4.
4. They refuse to know. Rom. 1:28.
5. They do not study. 2 Tim. 2:15.

Why do not all believe ?

1. Not for lack of evidence. John 14:11:20,31.
2. Because they do not consider. Isa. 1:3.
3. They are not honest.
4. They do not love the truth. 2 Thess. 2:8.
5. They are deceived. 2 Cor. 4:4; 11:3; 1 Tim. 2:13.
6. They trust their feelings. Gen. 37:31; 35:44.

Why are people stubborn?

1. They are creatures of choice.
2. Because of love of self. 2 Tim. 3 :2.
3. Because of pride. Neh. 9:29; Dan. 5:20.

4. Because of hardheartedness. Ex. 32:9; 33:3; 2 Chr. 30:8; 36:13.
5. Because of the deceitfulness of sin. Heb. 3:13.
6. Because of delayed punishment. Eccl. 8:11.

**Why do men neglect?**

1. Other interests. 1 Kings 20:40; Luke 14:18-20.
2. There is time enough yet. Luke 12:45.
3. Because of fear. Matt. 25:25.
4. Waiting for more convenient time. Acts 24:25.
5. The examples of others. Heb. 4:11.

**What are the results ?**

1. Alienation. Eph. 4:18; Heb. 3:12.
2. Destruction. Prov. 29:1, 2; 2. Thess. 1:7-9.

## **WHAT ARE YOU LIKE?**

**Text: Luke 12:36.**

**What are you like?**

1. A wave. Jas. 1:6.
2. Chaff. Psalms 1:4.
3. Cain. 1 John 3:12.
4. Esau. Heb. 12:16.
5. Liars. John 8:55.
6. Heath in desert. Jer. 17:5, 6; 48:6.
7. Foolish man. Luke 6:48.
8. Man looking in mirror. Jas. 1:23.
9. Those wishing to be seen. Matt. 6:8.

10. The inconsistent. Luke 7:31-35.
11. Creatures without reason. Jude 10.
12. Whited sepulchres. Matt. 23:27.
13. Carnal. 1 Cor. 3:1.
14. Grasshoppers. Num. 13:33.
15. What you love. Hosea 9:10.
16. What you worship. Psalms 115:8.
17. What you think. Prov. 23:7.
18. Wise man. Luke 6:47.
19. Fruitful tree. Psalms 1 :1-3; 92:12.
20. Householder. Matt. 13:52.
21. Good Samaritan. Luke 10:37.
22. Christ. Matt. 10:25.
23. The holy One. 1 Pet. 1:15.
24. A child. Matt. 18:3, 4.
25. Paul. Acts 16:29; Gal. 4:12.
26. Children of light. Eph. 5:8.
27. Good soldier. 2 Tim. 2:3.
28. Good steward. 1 Pet. 4:10.
29. Men looking for the Lord. Luke 12:36.

## **WHERE IS TRUE SALVATION?**

**Text: Acts 4:12.**

### **Who is the author of this salvation?**

1. God. 1 Timothy 4:10.
2. Christ. Heb. 2:10; Heb. 5:9.

### **Where is this salvation?**

1. Not in the world John 3:17.
2. Not in human institutions.
3. Where the Lord placed it.

Examples or illustrations

- (a) In the Ark. Heb. 11:7: 1 Peter 3:20.
- (b) In the Red Sea. Ex. 14:13, 30; 15:2; Jude 5.

- (c) In house of the Jews. Ex. 12: 22, 23.
  - (d) In house of Rahab. Josh. 2: 12-21.
  - (e) In Cities of Refuge. Numbers 35:26-28.
  - (f) In Jordan River. 2 Kings 5: 10-14.
  - (g) In Pool of Siloam. John 9:6, 7.
  - (h) In the ship. Acts 27:31.
- True salvation
- (i) In the Gospel. Rom. 1:16, 17.
  - (j) In Christ. Acts 4:12.
  - (k) In Christ's Name. Acts 4:12.
  - (l) In Blood of Christ. Rev. 1: 15; Eph. 2:13.
  - (m) In the Church. Isa. 46:13; Acts 2:46.
  - (n) In Heaven. Matt. 25:34, 46; Heb. 5:9.

**Who can find this salvation?**

1. The hearer. 1 Tim. 4:16.
2. The believer. Acts 16:31.
3. The penitent. 2 Cor. 7:10.
4. He who confesses Christ. Rom. 10: 9.
5. He who' is baptized. Mark 16:16; 1 Pet. 3:21.
6. The worker. Phil. 2:12.
7. He who holds fast. 1 Cor. 15:1, 2.

**WHAT WE KNOW  
ACCORDING TO JOHN**

1. Christ, a teacher from God. John 3 :2.
2. What we worship. John 4:22.

3. Savior of the world. John 4:42.
4. That Thou art the holy One. John 6:69.
5. That God hears not sinners. John 9:31.
6. That he shall rise again. John 11:24.
7. Testimony is true. John 21:24.
8. That we know Him. 1 John 2:3.
9. That we are in Him. 1 John 2:5.
10. That it is the last hour. 1 John 2:17.
11. All things. 1 John 2:20.
12. We shall be like him. 1 John 3 :2.
13. Love. 1 John 3:16.
14. We have passed out of death. 1 John 3:14.
15. We are of the truth. 1 John 3 :19.
16. That he abides in us. 1 John 3 :24.
17. The spirit of God. 1 John 4:2.
18. God's love. 1 John 4:16.
19. We love the children of God. 1 John 5:2.
20. We have eternal life. 1 John 4:13.
21. That he heareth us. 1 John 5:15.
22. That we have the petition. 1 John 5:15.
23. Whosoever is born of God, sins not. 1 John 5:18.
24. We are of God. 1 John 5:19.
25. That the Son is come. 1 John 5 :20.
26. Him that is true. 1 John 5 :20.
27. The spirit of truth. 1 John 4:6.
28. That we abide in him. 1 John 4:13 ; 5:21.

# WHAT KIND OF MAN ARE YOU?

Text: Acts 13:22.

What kind of man are you ?

1. Sinful. Luke 5:8.
2. Foolish. Luke 24:25; 1 Pet. 2:15.
3. Wicked. 1 Cor. 5:13.
4. Wretched. Rom. 7:24.
5. Double-minded. Jas. 1:8.
6. Vain. Jas. 2:20.
7. Hard. Matt. 25:24.
8. Deceitful. Psalms 5:6.
9. Slothful. Prov. 12:27; 15:19.
10. Wise. 1 Cor. 6:5.
11. Mighty. Jud. 6:12; Psalms 78:65.
12. Liberal. Prov. 19:6.
13. Perfect. Psalms 37:37; Jas. 3:2.
14. Peaceful. Psalms 37:37.
15. Godly. Psalms 12:1; 1 Tim. 2:10.
16. Righteous. Rom. 5:7; Jas. 5:16.
17. Good. Rom. 5:7.
18. Blessed. Jas. 1:1; 25.
19. Upright. Job 1:8; 2:3.
20. Prudent. Acts 13:7; Prov. 13:16;  
12:23.
21. After God's heart. Acts 13:22.
22. Devout. Acts 10:2; 22:12.
23. Eloquent. Acts 10:24; 18:24.
24. Merciful. Prov. 11:17.
25. Faithful. Prov. 20:6; 28:20.
26. Young. Psalms 119:9; Eccl. 11:9;  
Titus 2:5, 8.
27. Aged. Prov. 16:31; Titus 2:12.

## WHAT ARE YOU MAKING?

Text: Luke 16:9.

### You ought to make:

1. Not idols. Ex. 20:4; Acts 19:26.
2. Not provisions for the flesh. Rom. 13:14.
3. Not an abomination. Rev. 21:27.
4. Not a lie. 1 John 1:10; Rev. 21:27.
5. Not a mock of sin. Prov. 14:9.
6. Not a den of thieves. Matt. 21:13.
7. Not shipwreck. 1 Tim. 1:19.
8. Not mischief. Prov. 24:8.
9. Not self, an enemy of God. Jas. 4:4.
10. Not churches. Matt. 17:4.
11. Not trouble. Josh. 6:18.
12. Not excuse. Luke 14:18.
13. Not merchandized. 2 Pet. 2:3.
14. Friends. Luke 16:9; Prov. 18:24; 22:24.
15. Treasures. Luke 12:33.
16. Ready. Luke 12:47.
17. Peace. Matt. 5:9; Jas. 3:18.
18. It sure. Matt. 27:65; 2 Pet. 1:10.
19. Self-willing. Ex. 25:2.
20. Glad. Prov. 10:1; 27:11.
21. Sorry. 2 Cor. 2:2; 7:8, 9.
22. Prayers. Luke 5:33; 20:47; Acts 12:5; 16:13.
23. Self-eunuch. Matt. 19:12.
24. Confession. Rom. 10:10.
25. Level paths. Prov. 24:26.
26. Firm. Job 4:4.
27. Garments. Acts 9:39.
28. Not accursed. Luke 14:18.



# WHEN THE LORD IS ON OUR SIDE

Text: Psalms 118:6, 7.

## When is he on our side?

1. When we hear. Rev. 3:20.
2. When we invite him in. Rev. 3:20.
3. When we believe. Eph. 3:17.
4. When we trust him. Isa. 26:3, 4.
5. When we obey him. John 14:23.
6. When we love him. John 14:23.
7. When we are brave. Josh. 1:9.
8. When we are strong. Josh. 1:9.
9. When we get rid of sin. Josh. 7:12, 13.
10. When we teach his word. Matt. 28:18; 20.
11. When we are his saints. Psalms 37:28.
12. When we are his people. Psalms 94:14.
13. When we abide in his doctrine. 2 John 9.
14. When we live in peace. 2 Cor. 13:11.
15. When we confess him. 1 John 2:23; 4:15.
16. When we imitate Paul. Phil. 4:9.
17. When we are faithful. Rev. 17:14.

## Why have him on our side ?

1. He is wise. Job 12:13; Dan. 2:20.
2. He is mighty. Psalms 62:11; Dan. 2:20.
3. He is right. Deut. 32:4; 14:9.
4. To be free from fear. Josh. 1:9.
5. To be helped. Psalms 118:7.

6. To be great. 2 Sam. 5:10.
7. To have our desires granted.  
Psalms 118:7.
8. To be strengthened. Isa. 4:10.
9. To overcome. Rev. 17:14.
10. To be glorified. Rom. 8:17.

**When do we need him on our side?**

1. In life. 2 Tim. 2:12.
2. In death. Psalms 23:4.

**WHAT ARE YOU?**

**Text: Luke 1:6.**

1. Righteous: As Zacchaeus.
  - (a) In your own sight. Luke 8:9, 14; 20:20.
  - (b) Before men. Prov. 14:12; Rom. 10:4.
  - (c) According to the law. Rom. 9:31; Phil. 3:9.
  - (d) Indeed. Luke 20:20; 2 Cor. 11:15.
  - (e) Before God. Luke 16.
2. Sound: As old and young.
  - (a) In faith. Titus 1:13; 2:2.
  - (b) In mind. 2 Tim. 1:7; 1 Pet. 4:7.
  - (c) In speech. Titus 2:8.
  - (d) In patience. Titus 2:2.
  - (e) In doctrine. 2 Tim. 4:3; Titus 1:9; 2:1.
3. Wise: As Solomon.
  - (a) In this world, only. 1 Cor. 3:18.
  - (b) In own conceit. Rom. 11:25; 12:16.

- (c) In the word. 2 Cor. 3:15.
- (d) In good. Jer. 4:22; Rom. 16:19.
- (e) In Christ. 1 Cor. 4:10.
- 4. Honest and sincere: As Zacchaeus.
  - (a) In prayer. Matt. 6:5, 8; Luke 20:47.
  - (b) In giving. Matt. 6:3, 4.
  - (c) In communion. 1 Cor. 5:8.
  - (d) In preaching. 2 Cor. 2:17; Phil. 1:17.
  - (e) In behavior. 2 Cor. 1:12.
- 5. Ready: As Paul.
  - (a) Unto good works. 2 Tim. 2:21; Titus 3:1.
  - (b) To go in. Matt. 25:10.
  - (c) To distribute. 1 Tim. 6:18.
  - (d) To answer. 1 Pet. 3:15.
  - (e) To preach. Rom. 1:15.
- 6. Meek: As Moses.
  - (a) In receiving the word. Jas. 1:21.
  - (b) In teaching. 2 Tim. 2:25.
  - (c) In restoring. Gal. 6:1.
  - (d) In spirit. 1 Pet. 3:4.
  - (e) In our walk. Eph. 4:1; 2.

## **WHAT CHRISTIANS HAVE THROUGH THE SPIRIT**

**Text: Heb. 6:4.**

**What do we have through the spirit?**

1. Comfort. Acts 9:31.
2. Witness. Rom. 8:16.
3. A leader. Rom. 8:14; Gal. 5:18.
4. Help. Rom. 8:26.
5. Intercession. Rom. 8:26.

6. Freedom. Rom. 8:2.
7. The earnest. 2 Cor. 1:22; 5:5.
8. Access to God. Eph. 2:18; Jude 20.
9. Fruit. Gal. 5:22; Eph. 5:9.
10. Seal. Eph. 1:13; 4:30.
11. The sword. Eph. 6:17.
12. Fellowship. Phil. 2:1.
13. Strength. Eph. 3:16.
14. Supply. Phil. 1:19.
15. Love. Col. 1:8; Rom. 5:5.
16. Justification. 1 Cor. 6:11.
17. Sanctification. 1 Cor. 6:11; 2 Thess. 2:13.
18. Warning. 1 Tim. 4:1.
19. Guard. 2 Tim. 1:14.
20. Salvation. Titus 3:5.
21. God abiding in us. 1 John 3:24; 4:13.
22. Life. John 6:63; Rom. 8:11, 13.
23. Joy. Rom. 14:17; 15:13; 1 Thess. 1:6.
24. Peace. Rom. 14:17; 15:13.
25. Communion. 2 Cor. 13:14.
26. Power to destroy works of the flesh. Rom. 13.
27. Teaching. 1 Cor. 2:13.

## **WHAT KIND OF CHILDREN ARE WE?**

**Text: 1 John 3:10.**

**What kind of children?**

1. Of the world. Luke 16:8.
2. Of the devil. 1 John 3:10.
3. Of wrath. Eph. 2:3.
4. Of the kingdom. Matt. 8:12.

5. Of disobedience. Col. 3:6.
6. Of transgression. Isa. 57:4.
7. Lying. Isa. 30:9.
8. That will not hear. Isa. 30:9.
9. Cursed. 2 Pet. 2:14.
10. Backsliding. Jer. 3:14, 22.
11. Rebellious. Isa. 30:1.
12. Sottish. Jer. 4:22.
13. Impudent. Ezek. 2:4.
14. Of God. Rom. 8:16; Gal. 3:26.
15. Of the highest. Luke 6:35.
16. Of Zion. Psalms 139:2; Joel 2:22.
17. Of promise. Gal. 4:28.
18. Of Abraham. Gal. 3:7, 29.
19. Of the light. John 12:36.
20. Of wisdom. Luke 7:35.
21. That deal not falsely. Isa. 63:8.
22. Of the day. 1 Thess. 5:5.
23. Obedient. 1 Pet. 1:14.
24. Faithful. Titus 1:6.
25. Beloved. Eph. 5:1.
26. Of the resurrection. Luke 20:36.

#### **How prove we are God's children?**

1. By faith. John 12:36; Gal. 3:26.
2. By being baptized. John 3 :8; Gal. 3:26, 27.
3. By loving the brethren. 1 John 3:10.
4. By doing righteousness. 1 John 3:10.
5. By doing good. Luke 6:35.
6. By watching. 1 Thess. 5:5.
7. By imitating God. Eph. 5:1.
8. By being holy. 1 Pet. 1:14.

#### **Why be God's children?**

1. To be heirs. Rom. 8:16, 17.

## WHO IS ABLE TO STAND?

Text: Rev. 6:17.

When?

1. At the judgment. 2 Cor. 5:10.
2. In the day of wrath. Rev. 6:16, 17.

Before whom stand?

1. His Lord. Rom. 14:4.

**Who shall be able to stand ?**

1. Not the wicked. Psalms 1:5.
2. Not he who knows not God. 2 Thess. 1:7, 9.
3. Not the disobedient. Rom. 2:8; Eph. 5:6; 2 Thess. 1:7, 9.
4. Not the arrogant. Psalms 5:5.
5. Not the divided. Matt. 12:25; Rom. 2:8.
6. Not the unbeliever. Rev. 21:8.
7. Not the fearful. Rev. 21:8.
8. Not the liar. Rev. 21:8.
9. Not the neglectful. Luke 12:45, 48.
10. Not the miss-led. Matt. 7:22, 23.
11. Not the lazy. Matt. 25:25, 30.
12. Not the hardened. Rom. 2:5.
13. Not the impenitent. Rom. 2:5.
14. Not the ungodly. Rom. 1:18.
15. Not he who hinders the truth. Rom. 1:18.
16. Not the unrighteous. Rom. 1:18; 2:8.
17. Believers. John 3:36.
18. Those who flee. Matt. 3:7.
19. The obedient. Eph. 6:13.
20. The forgiven. Psalms 130:3, 4.
21. The righteous. Prov. 12:7.

22. The benevolent. Matt. 25:34, 40.
23. Watchers. Luke 21:36.
24. The praying. Luke 21:36.
25. The diligent. 2 Pet. 1:5, 11.
26. The good. Matt. 25:21, 23.
27. The faithful. Matt. 25:21, 23.

## WHAT WILL THE LORD SAY?

1. Thou knowest. Matt. 25:26.
2. Thou oughtest. Matt. 25:27.
3. Thou wicked and slothful. Matt. 25:26.
4. I know thee not. Matt. 25:12.
5. I never knew thee. Matt. 7:23.
6. How earnest thou. Matt. 22:12.
7. Ye did it not. Matt. 25:45.
8. Depart. Matt. 7:23; 25:41.
9. Bind him. Matt. 22:13.
10. Cast him out. Matt. 22:13.
11. Take away. Matt. 25:28.
12. I deny thee. Matt. 10:33.
13. I confess thee. Matt. 10:32.
14. Well done. Matt. 25:21.
15. Thou hast been faithful.
16. Come, ye blessed. Matt. 25:34.
17. Inherit. Matt. 25:34.
18. Enter thou into. Matt. 25:21.
19. Good and faithful. Matt. 25:21.
20. Walk with me in white. Rev. 3:4.
21. They are worthy. Rev. 3:4.
22. Gather and burn. Matt. 13:30.
23. I will give thee a crown. Rev. 2:10.
24. I will give the right to the tree of life. Rev. 2:7.
25. I will give a new name. Rev. 3:13.

## WHAT ARE YOU PRACTICING?

Text: Rom. 1:32.

### What did some practice?

1. Mischief. 1 Sam. 23:9.
2. Wickedness. Psalms 141:4.
3. Profaneness. Isa. 32:6.
4. Evil and iniquity. Micah 2:1.
5. Augury. Lev. 19:26; Deut. 18:10.
6. Magical arts. 19:19.
7. Things worthy of death. Rom. 1:32.
  - (a) Unrighteousness. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (b) Covetousness. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (c) Malice. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (d) Envy. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (e) Strife. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (f) Deceit. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (g) Backbiting. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (h) Hating. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (i) Insolence. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (j) Boasting. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (k) Disobedience. Rom. 1:29-32.
  - (l) Covenant breaking. Rom. 1:29-32.

### We should practice Christianity:

1. By being honest. Luke 8:15.
2. By considering Christ and his teaching. Heb. 3:1.
3. By doing good. 1 Tim. 2:10.
4. By being faithful. Heb. 10:23.
5. By showing mercy. Luke 10:37.

### Examples of those who failed to practice it:

1. The many. Matt. 7:21-23.



2. Scribes and Pharisees. Matt. 23: 2, 3.
3. Foolish virgins. Matt. 25:1-12.
4. Unbelievers. Titus 1:15, 16.
5. Those without excuse. Rom. 1: 20-22.
6. The Laodiceans. Rev. 3 :15-17.

## **WHAT SIN CAN DO FOR US**

### **Sin can:**

1. Separate us from God. Isa. 59:2; Col. 1:21.
2. Deliver us. Heb. 3:13.
3. Withhold good. Jer. 5:25.
4. Blind us. 2 Cor. 4:4; Eph. 4:17-19.
5. Harden our hearts. 1 Tim. 4:2; Heb. 3:6-10.
6. Make us cowards. Prov. 28:1; Gen. 3:6-10.
7. Makes slaves. Rom. 6:6, 16, 21.
8. Corrupt us completely. Isa. 1:4-6.
9. Make us a tool of Satan. Jno. 8:44.
10. Make the way hard. Prov. 13:15; 1 Pet. 4:14, 15.
11. Rob us of peace. Isa. 39:8.
12. Curse us. Gen. 3:17; Mal. 2:2, 3, 9.
13. Make us loathe ourselves. Ezek. 36:31.
14. Kill sense of shame. Phil. 3:19.
15. Make us foolish. Rom. 1:21, 22.
16. Make us suffer. Gen. 3:16; 4:13; Lk. 23:39-41.
17. Cause God to give us up. Rom. 1: 24, 32.

18. Cause us to be last. Jas. 5; 19:20.
19. Cause death. Jas. 1:15.
20. Keeps us out of heaven. 1 Cor. 6:9, 10.

**What do with sins:**

1. Not cover them. Prov. 28:13.
2. Not love them. Jno. 3 :19.
3. Not enjoy them. Heb. 11:25.
4. Hate them. Heb. 1:9; Rom. 12:9.
5. Confess them. Prov. 28:13; 1 Jno. 1:8, 10.
6. Forsake them. Prov. 28:13.
7. Wash them away. Acts 22:16.
8. Overcome them. Rom. 12:21; 1 Jno. 2:14.

**WHAT OWEST THOU?**

**Text: Luke 16:5.**

**What owest thou the Lord ?**

1. Thy own self. 1 Cor. 6:19; 2 Cor. 8:5.
2. Worship. Jno. 4:23.
3. Faith. Jno. 14:1; Rom. 10:16, 17.
4. Obedience. Jno. 14:15, 23.
5. Service. Rom. 12.
6. Fear. 1 Pet. 2:17.
7. Glory. 1 Pet. 4:11.
8. Love. Mt. 22:37; 1 Cor. 16:22.
9. Faithfulness. Acts 16:15; 1 Tim. 1:12.

**What owest thou the home congregation ?**

1. Good example. 1 Tim. 4:12.
2. To show thyself friendly.
3. To support its leaders. Heb. 13:17.

4. To attend all of its services. Heb. 10:25.
5. Your hands to work. Mk. 13:34.
6. Your liberal contribution, even when absent. 2 Cor. 9:13.
7. To win souls to make it grow. 1 Pet. 3:1-6.
8. Your heart with its warmth of love. 1 Pet. 1:22.

**What owest thou** your family?

1. Good example. 1 Pet. 3:1-4.
2. Teaching and training. Eph. 6:4.
3. Encouragement. Col. 3:21.
4. Support. 1 Tim. 5:8.
5. Prayers. 1 Tim. 2:1.
6. Love. Eph. 5:28; Tit. 2:4.
7. The gospel. Rom. 1:14, 15.
8. To put Christ and church first.

## **WHAT CAN WE DO?**

**Text: Phil. 4:13.**

**Why can we do. 2 Tim. 2:19**

1. The foundation stands. Ps. 11:13.
2. Because of his strength. Phil. 4:13.
3. It has been done.
  - (a) By Noah.
  - (b) By Abraham.
  - (c) By Lot.
  - (d) By Joseph,
  - (e) By Daniel.
4. The scriptures show the way. 2 ...Tim, .3.16.

**What can we do ?**

1. Hear. Rev. 2:7, 11, 17.
2. Understand. Eph. 5:17.

3. Believe. Jno. 20:31.
4. Repent. Acts 11:18.
5. Confess. Phil. 2:11.
6. Be baptized. Acts 10:46.
7. Be saved. 1 Tim. 2:4; Tit. 2:11.
8. Use what we have. Acts 3:6.
9. Endure temptation. 1 Cor. 10:13.
10. All things. Mt. 28:20; Phil. 4:13.
11. Our best. Mk. 14:8.
12. Watch. Mk. 13:37; Mt. 26:40.
13. Be for the truth. 2 Cor. 13 :8.
14. Be faithful. Rev. 2:10.
15. Love. John 5:2, 3.

**How can we do ?**

1. Heartily. Col. 3:23.
2. In Christ's name. Col. 3:17.
3. From the heart. Mt. 18:35; Rom. 6:17.
4. In love. 1 Cor. 16:14.
5. In peace. Eph. 4:3; Heb. 12:14.
6. Faithfully. 3 Jno. 5.

**WHAT IS YOUR ATTITUDE?**

**Text: Luke 12:41-48.**

**What is your attitude ?**

1. Toward sin.
  - (a) Love it. Micah 3:2; John 3:19; 2 Pet. 2:15.
  - (b) Condone it. Rom. 1:32.
  - (c) Abhor it. Rom. 12:9.
  - (d) Hate it. Heb. 1:9.
2. Toward the truth.
  - (a) Exchange it. Rom. 1:25.
  - (b) Hinder it. Rom. 1:18.

- (c) Preach and support it. 1 Tim. 2:7; 1 Tim. 3:15.
- (d) Love it. 2Thess. 2:10.
- 3. Toward salvation.
  - (a) Love it. Ps. 40:16.
  - (b) Neglect it. Heb. 2:3.
  - (c) Accept it. 2 Cor. 6:2.
  - (d) Make it known. Acts 16:17.
- 4. Toward the church?
  - (a) Fight it. Acts 8:1.
  - (b) Despise it. 1 Cor. 11:22.
  - (c) Put it first. Matt. 6:33..
  - (d) Build it. Eph. 4:16.
- 5. Toward work.
  - (a) Avoiding it. 2 Thess. 3:11.
  - (b) Doing it poorly. 2 Tim. 2:15.
  - (c) Working faithfully. 3 Jno. 5.
  - (d) Glorify it. Rom. 11:13.
- 6. Toward giving.
  - (a) Of necessity. 2 Cor. 9:7.
  - (b) Sparingly. 2 Cor. 9:6.
  - (c) Liberally and cheerfully. Rom. 12:8; 2 Cor. 9:7.
  - (d) Grudgingly. 2 Cor. 9:7.
- 7. Toward Christ's second coming.
  - (a) Not coming. 2 Pet. 3:4.
  - (b) Delays his coming. Mt. 24: 48-51.
  - (c) Expecting always. Rev. 22: 20.
  - (d) Ready for it. Mt. 24:44.

**WE BELIEVE AND  
THEREFORE**

**Text: 2 Cor. 4:13.**

**What we are depends on:**

1. What we believe about God.

- (a) Is he fatalistic?
  - (b) Is he changeable? James 1: 17.
  - (c) Is he a principle?
  - (d) Is he a person?
  - (e) Is he right? Deut. 32:4.
2. What we believe about Christ.
- (a) Is he God's son? Acts 8:37.
  - (b) Is he the same? Heb. 13 :8.
  - (c) Is he able to save? Heb. 7:25.
  - (d) Is he willing to save? Lk. 19: 10.
  - (e) Will he come again? Jno. 14: 3.
3. What you believe about the Spirit.
- (a) Is he a person ? Rom. 8:16.
  - (b) Does he operate through the word? Eph. 6:17.
  - (c) Can he be blasphemed? Mk. 3 :29.
  - (d) Does he abide in Christians? 1 Jno. 3 :24.
  - (e) Can he be resisted? Acts 7:51.
4. What we believe about the Bible.
- (a) Is it inspired? 2 Tim. 3:16.
  - (b) Is it sufficient? 2 Tim. 3:16, 17.
  - (c) Is it complete? Jas. 1:25; 2 Pet. 1:3.
  - (d) Is it eternal? 1 Pet. 1:25.
5. What we believe about the church.
- (a) Is the one? Eph. 4:4.
  - (b) Is it necessary? Eph. 1:22, 23.
  - (c) Should we support it?
  - (d) Will it stand? Dan. 2:44; Mt. 16:18.

6. What we believe about man.
- (a) Is he totally depraved? Mt. 18:3; 19:14.
  - (b) Is he material? 1 Thess. 5:23.
  - (c) Is he responsible? Rom. 14:12; Gal. 6:5.
  - (d) Can a professor fall? Gal. 5:4; Heb. 6:4-6.

## **WHAT PROMISE HAVE YOU?**

**Texts: 2 Cor. 7:1; 2 Pet. 2:19.**

### **1. Of salvation, if so you:**

- (a) Have heard. 1 Tim. 4:16.
- (b) Have believed. Acts 16:31.
- (c) Have repented. 2 Cor. 7:10.
- (d) Have confessed. Rom. 10:10.
- (e) Have been baptized. Mk. 16:16.
- (f) Have entered in. Jno. 10:9.
- (g) Have called on the Lord. Acts 2:21.
- (h) Are enduring. Mt. 10:22.

### **2. Of answer to prayer, if so you:**

- (a) Do not refuse to hear. Prov. 28:9.
- (b) Ask in faith. Jas. 1:5-7.
- (c) Ask according to God's will. 1 Jno. 3:14; 1 Jno. 1:5-7.
- (d) Worship and do his will. Jno. 9:31.

### **3. Of peace, if so you:**

- (a) Are justified. Rom. 5:1.
- (b) Are in Christ. Jno. 16:33.

- (c) Are spiritually minded. Rom. 8:6.
- (d) Are walking by the rule. Gal. 6:16.

**4. Of blessings, if so you:**

- (a) Are in Christ. Eph. 1:3; Rev. 14:13.
- (b) Humble. Mt. 5:3.
- (c) Are making place. Mt. 5:9.
- (d) Are pure. Mt. 5:8.
- (e) Are obedient. Rev. 22:14.

**5. Of eternal life, if so you: (1 Jno. 2:25)**

- (a) Believe. John 3:16.
- (b) Do your duty. Mt. 25:31-47.
- (c) Are following Christ. Lk. 18:22
- (d) Are faithful. Rev. 2:10.

**6. Of heaven, if so: (2 Pet. 2:12)**

- (a) You keep clean. 2 Pet. 2:12-14.
- (b) You obey. Rev. 22:14.
- (c) Add Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1:5-11.
- (d) You are overcoming. Rev. 21:7.

**WHY ARE YOU  
WHAT YOU ARE?**

**Text: 1 Cor. 15:10.**

**Why are we what we are?**

1. Not by creation.
2. By God's grace. 1 Cor. 15:10.
3. By what we think. Prov. 23:7.



4. Because of teaching. 2 Tim. 3:14, 15.
5. Because of what we believe. 2 Cor. 4:13.
6. Because of what we fear. Mt. 25: 25.
7. Because of what we love. 2 Tim. 4:10.
8. Because of what we worship. Ps. 115:8.
9. Because of what we see.
10. Because of what we desire. Col. 3:5; Heb. 13:18; 2 Thess. 1:11.
11. Because of what we do. 1 Jno. 3:7.
12. Because of our companions. 1 Cor. 15:33.
13. Because it is our choice. Josh. 24: 15.
14. Because of our conviction.
15. For gain. Titus 1:11.
16. Because we want heaven. Rev. 22: 14.
17. Because of our environments.
18. Because of inherited tendencies. 2 Tim. 1:5.
19. Because God loved us. 1 Jno. 4: 19.
20. Because we want our end to be:
  - (a) Not death. Rom. 6:21.
  - (b) Not perdition. Phil. 3:19.
  - (c) Not to be burned. Heb. 6:8.
  - (d) Salvation. 1 Pet. 1:9.
  - (e) Eternal life. Rom. 6:22.
  - (f) Happiness. Ps. 37:37.

## **YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WERE PATTERNS**

**Text: Titus 2:7, 8.**

1. Joseph endured all:  
In hope. Gen. 14:5.
2. Moses forsook all:  
In faith. Heb. 11:24.
3. David challenged all:  
In confidence. 1 Sam. 17:31-51.
4. Jonathan surrendered all:  
In love. 1 Sam. 18:1-3; 23:17.
5. Ruth found all:  
In loyalty. Ruth 2:11, 12; 4:13.
6. Esther risked all:  
For her people. Esther 4:13-17.
7. Solomon knew all:  
In wisdom. 1 Kings 3:7-12; 10:1-7.
8. Daniel triumphed over all :  
In obedience and trust. Dan. 1:8-21; 6:10-23.
9. Samuel told all:  
In faithfulness. 1 Sam. 3:17, 18.
10. Little maiden wanted all cleansed:  
In sympathy. 2 Kings 5th chapter.
11. Mary gave all:  
In devotion. Mark 14:3-9.
12. Timothy cared for all:  
In unselfishness. Phil. 2:19-22.

## **YOUR REPORT**

**Text: Acts 6:3; Rom. 10:16.**

**What kind can it be ?**

1. Evil. Gen. 37:2; Num. 13:32.
2. False. Ex. 23:1.

3. Slanderous. Rom. 3:8.
4. Good. Prov. 15:30.
5. Honest. Acts 6:3.
6. True. 1 Kings 10:6.
7. Well. 1 Tim. 5:10.
8. Actual. 1 Cor. 5:1.

**From whom do they come?**

1. Outsiders. 1 Tim. 3:7.
2. All men. 3 John 12.
3. Brethren. Gen. 37:2; Acts 16:2.
4. Self. Rom. 14:12; 2 Cor. 1:12.
- 5. God, eventually. Hab. 3:2; Heb. 11:4, 5.

**The cause of these reports:**

1. Sin. 1 Sam. 2:24; 1 Cor. 5:1.
2. Fear. Neh. 6:13.
3. Wisdom. 1 Kings 10:6.
4. Acts or deeds. 2 Chron. 9:5.
5. Good works. 1 Tim. 5:10.
6. Faith. Heb. 11:2, 39.
7. God in us. 1 Cor. 14:25.

**Results of reports:**

1. Discouragements. Num. 13:32; 14:1-4.
2. Fear and trembling. Deut. 2:25; Hab. 3:2.
3. Reproach. Neh. 6:13.
4. Glorifying. 1 Cor. 5:1-6.
5. Thinking. Phil. 4:8.
6. Rejoicing. 1 Kings 10:6.
7. Prosperity. Prov. 15:30.
8. Position. Acts 16:3; 1 Tim. 5:10.

## YET

Text: 1 Cor. 3:2, 3.

Yet:

1. Without understanding. Mt. 15:16.
2. Carnal. 1 Cor. 3:3.
3. Lacking. Lk. 18:22.
4. In sin.
  - (a) Because of vain faith. 1 Cor. 15:17.
5. There is room. Lk. 14:22.
6. Not justified. 1 Cor. 4:4.
7. Not seen. Heb. 11:7.
8. So far:
  - (a) Because of unbelief. Heb. 3:19.
  - (b) For the love of money. Mt. 19:16-22.
  - (c) Because of Pharisees, Jno. 12:42.
  - (d) Because of deception. Lk. 11:52.
  - (e) Because of disobedience. Heb. 3:18.
  - (f) Through procrastination. Acts 24:25.
  - (g) Because of carelessness. Mt. 25:1-2.
  - (h) For a lack of first love. Rev; 2:2-5.
9. Not able to bear. 1 Cor. 3:2.
10. Knoweth not:
  - (a) The scriptures. John 20:9.
  - (b) Egypt is destroyed. Ex. 10:7.
  - (c) As ye ought. 1 Cor. 8:2.
11. **Will** I trust Him. Job 13:15.
12. Not laid hold. Phil. 3:13.

13. Not the end. Matt. 24:6.
14. Not resisted unto blood. Heb. 12:4.
15. Not made manifest. 1 Jno. 3:2.
16. So as through fire. 1 Cor. 3:15.
17. Not able. 1 Cor. 3:2.
18. Many things to say. John 16:12.
19. Weak. Romans 5:6.

## **ZECHARIAH**

The son of Berechiah. 1:1.  
Righteous prophet. 1:1; Mt. 23:35.  
An appeal to return. 1:3.  
Many nations shall become God's people.  
2:10, 11.  
The branch typified by Joshua. Chron. 3.  
Vision of candlestick, 4:1-6; and olive  
trees. 4:11-14.  
The branch shall:  
    (a) Grow up.  
    (b) Build the temple.  
    (c) Bear glory.  
    (d) Rule upon his throne.  
    (e) Be Priest upon his throne.  
An appeal to do right refused. 7:8-12.  
So great wrath came. 7:12; and God  
refused to hear. 7:13.  
God will save his people. 8:7, 8.  
Their duty. 8:16, 17.  
The coming. King 9:9, 10.  
The price of betrayal. 11:12, 13.  
Looking on the pierced one. 12:10.  
Fountain opened. 13:1.  
The refining. 13:9.  
Jehovah is King. 14:16-21.

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19. One self-sufficient. Prov. 12: 15;  
Rom. 1: 22.
20. One who mocks sin. Prov. 14: 9.
21. A daredevil. 2 Sam. 3: 33.
22. One who delights in evil. Prov.  
11:23.
23. One who walks in darkness. Eccl.  
2: 14.
24. One who knows not God. Jer. 4:  
22.

### **What are the results?**

1. No joy. Prov. 17: 21.
2. Destruction. Prov. 18: 7.
3. God has no pleasure in us. Eccl.  
5: 4.
4. It is hard to get away from.  
Prov. 26: 11.
5. Affliction. Ps. 107: 18.
6. Shame. Prov. 3: 35.
7. Love of evil. Prov. 13: 19.

### **WHAT DO I LACK?**

**Text: Matt. 19: 20.**

1. Knowledge. Hos. 4:6.
2. Faith. 1 Thess. 3: 10.
3. Wisdom. James 1: 5.
4. Preparation. Matt. 25: 10.
5. Works. James 2: 14-17.
6. Love. Rev. 2: 4.
7. Christian graces. 2 Pet. 1: 9.
8. Forgiveness. Matt. 18:35.
9. Influence. Matt. 5: 13.
10. Teaching others. Prov. 5: 23.
11. Giving enough. Mal. 3: 8-10.
12. Courage. Matt. 25: 25.

13. Interest. Rev. 3: 15, 16.
14. Patience. James 1: 4.
15. Spirituality. 1 Cor. 3: 1.
16. Service. Phil. 2: 30.
17. Truth. Isa. 59: 15.
18. The Spirit of Christ. Rom. 8: 9.

**Why should we not lack?**

1. Lest we be blinded. 2 Pet. 1: 9.
2. Lest we forget. 2 Pet. 1: 9.
3. Lest we be destroyed. Hos. 4:6;  
Matt. 18: 35.
4. Lest we be cast out. Matt. 25 : 24-30.
5. To be perfect. James 1: 4.
6. To have life. Mark 10: 17-22.
7. To inherit. Heb. 10: 35.

**Why do we lack these things?**

1. We do not study. 2 Tim. 2: 15.
2. We do not consider. Isa. 1: 3.
3. We do not pray. James 1: 5.
4. We do not have mercy. Matt. 18: 32-35.

## **WITHIN AND WITHOUT**

**Text: Matt. 23: 26.**

**What does man see?**

1. The outside. 1 Sam. 16: 7.

**What causes it to vary from the inside?**

1. Hypocrisy. Matt. 23: 25.
2. Blindness. Matt. 23: 26.
3. Lack of love. 1 Cor. 13: 1-4.

**Outward appearances:**

1. Deceives. Matt 25: 27, 28.
2. Cause glorying. 2 Cor. 5: 12.

3. Cause wrong judgment. John 7: 15; James 2: 1-4.
4. Does not profit. 1 Cor. 13 4.

**What does God look at?**

1. The inside. 1 Sam. 16: 7.

**Where should the cleaning begin?**

1. On the inside. Matt. 23: 26.

**Why should we get right on the inside?**

1. To bear good fruit. Matt. 7: 16.
2. To glorify God. Matt. 5: 16.
3. To be right on the outside. Matt. 23: 26.
4. To be honorable. 2 Tim. 2: 21.

**Who is right within?**

1. He who has Christ's spirit. Rom. 8: 9; Eph. 4:23.
2. He whose motive is love. 1 Cor. 13: 1-4.
3. He who has a submissive will. Luke 22: 42.
4. He who forgives. Col. 3: 12, 13; Matt. 18: 35.
5. He who is, contented. Phil. 4: 3.
6. He who sees the pure and good. Tit.1: 15.
7. He who is meek and lowly? Matt. 11: 29; Col. 3: 12.

## **WHO IS YOUR FATHER?**

**Text: John 8: 42-44**

**Who is your father?**

1. Abraham. John 8:39; Gal. 3 29.
2. God. John 8: 45.
3. Satan. John 8:44;

### **How do we prove who is our father?**

1. By our faith. Rom. 4: 11-16.
2. By our works. John 8: 39, 41.
3. By being Christ's. Gal. 3: 29.

### **What shows that we have the wrong father?**

1. Lying. Acts 5: 3.
2. Murder. 1 John 3: 12.
3. Persecution. Matt. 23: 29-33.
4. Unrighteousness. 1 John 3: 10.
5. Hatred. 1 John 3: 10.
6. Jealousy. James 3: 14; 1 John 3:
  
7. Perverting. Acts 13 : 10.
8. Betraying. John 6: 70; 13: 2.
9. Tares. Matt. 13: 38.
10. Faction. James 3: 14, 15.

### **What makes us God's children?**

1. Receiving Christ. John 1: 11.
2. Believing. John 1: 11-13; Gal. 3: 26.
3. Regeneration. John 1: 11-13 ; 3 : 5.
4. Doing right. 1 John 2: 29; 3: 10.
5. Obedience. Phil. 2: 12-14.
6. Being merciful. Luke 6: 36.
7. Coming out. 2 Cor. 6:17, 18.
8. Loving. Matt. 5 : 45 ; 1 John 3 : 10.
9. Being peacemakers. , Matt. 5: 9.
10. Holiness. 1 Pet. 1:14, 15.
11. Overcoming. Rev. 21: 7.

## **WHAT TIME IS IT?**

**Text: 2 Cor. 6: 2.**

### **What time is it?**

1. Not the past. Eph. 2: 23; 1 Pet. 2: 10; 4: 3.

2. Not the future. 1 Pet. 1: 5.
3. The present. Rom. 8: 18; 2 Cor. 8: 14.

What time if it?

1. The acceptable. 2 Cor. 6: 2.
2. Convenient. Acts 24: 25.
3. To hear. Heb. 3: 7, 15.
4. To know. Acts 17: 30.
5. To believe. John 16: 30; Gal. 2: 20.
6. To repent. Acts 17: 30; Col. 3: 8.
7. To be baptized. Matt. 3: 15; Acts 16: 33; 22: 16.
8. To heed the invitation. Luke 14: 17; Heb. 3:7.
9. To fear. 1 Pet. 1: 17.
10. To consider. Eccl. 7: 14.
11. To exhort. Heb. 3: 13.
12. To teach. Heb. 5: 12; Eph. 3: 10.
13. To be profitable. Phile 11.
14. To work. John 9: 4.
15. To live right. 1 Pet. 4: 2.
16. To give. 1 Cor. 6: 2.
17. To awake. Rom. 13: 11.
18. To abide in Christ. 1 John 2: 28.
19. To be saved. 2 Cor. 6: 2.
20. To glorify God. 2 Pet. 3: 18.

What should we do with our time?

1. Improve it. Luke 19: 41-44.
2. Redeem it. Eph. 5: 16; Col. 4: 5.
3. Realize that it is short. Job 14: 1; Ps. 89: 47.
4. Realize that it is uncertain. Eccl. 9: 12; James 4: 13.
5. Realize that eternity is in it. Luke 16: 25.



# WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE LOST?

Text: Luke 19: 10.

Being **lost** is **described** as:

1. Perishing. Luke 13: 5; 2 Pet. 3: 9.
2. Condemnation. Mark 16: 16.
3. Damnation. Matt. 23: 33 ; 2 Thess. 2: 12.
4. Cast out. Matt. 25 : 30.
5. Bound. Matt. 22: 13.
6. Being in outer darkness. Matt. 25: 30.
7. Rejected. 1 Cor. 9: 27.
8. Vengeance. 2 Thess. 1: 7-9.
9. Misery. James 5: 1.
10. Weeping. Matt. 25: 30.
11. Gnashing of teeth. Matt. 25: 30.
12. Howling. James 5: 1.
13. Fearful expectation. Heb. 10: 27.
14. Shame. Dan. 12: 2.
15. Contempt. Dan. 12: 2.
16. Perdition. Phil. 3: 19.
17. Anguish. Luke 16: 24.
18. Haunting memory. Luke 16: 25.
19. Parched tongue. Luke 16: 24.
20. Destruction. 2 Thess. 1: 7-9.
21. Torment. Luke 16: 25.
22. No rest. Rev. 14: 11.
23. Eternal burning. Isa. 23: 14;  
Matt. 25:41.
24. Eternal punishment. Matt. 25 : 46.
25. Second death. Rev. 20: 14.
26. Fire and brimstone. Rev. 21: 8.

**What should this cause us to do?**

1. Watch. Mark 14: 38.
2. Pray. Mark 14: 38.

3. Work. John 9: 4.
4. Persuade men. 2 Cor. 5: 11.
5. Be faithful. Rev. 2: 10.

## **WHAT DO WITH SELF?**

**Text: Matt. 16: 24.**

### **What do with self?**

1. Know that we
  - (a) Have no assurance of our life. Deut. 28: 66.
  - (b) Are weak. Ps. 39:4.
  - (c) Are dependent. Acts 17: 25, 28.
  - (d) Have no good in our flesh. Rom. 7: 18.
  - (e) Have limitations. Jer. 10: 23.
  - (f) Have possibilities. Phile. 6.
  - (g) Can know our end. Ps. 39: 4.
2. Control our
  - (a) Thoughts. 2 Cor. 10: 5.
  - (b) Appetites. Prov. 23: 2.
  - (c) Tempers. Prov.' 16: 23 ; James 1': 19.
  - (d) Desires. 1 Cor. 10: 6.
  - (e) Tongues. James 3 : 2, 6, 8.
  - (f) Wills. Matt. 26: 39.
  - (g) Bodies. 1 Cor. 9: 27.
3. Deny
  - (a) Ungodliness. Tit. 2: 12.
  - (b) Worldly lusts. Tit. 2: 12-.
  - (c) Covetousness. Luke 12: 15; Heb. 13: 5.
  - (d) Desire for revenge. Rom. 12 : 19.

- (e) Self-pity. 1 Kings 19: 4, 10.
- (f) Self-exaltation. Matt. 23: 12.
- (g) Self-love. 2 Tim. 3: 1, 2.

**Why do these things with self?**

1. Lest we be abased. Luke 18: 14.
2. Lest we be rejected. 1 Cor. 9: 25-27.
3. Lest our religion be vain. James 1: 27.
4. To be a disciple. Matt. 16: 24.
5. To have hope. Tit. 2: 12-14.
6. To be saved. Tit. 2: 11, 12.
7. To enter the kingdom. 2 Pet. 1: 5-11.

**WITNESSES**

**Text: 2 Pet. 1: 16.**

**What is required of witnesses?**

1. Willingness and ability. Acts 26: 5.
2. Faithfulness. 3 John 12: Rev. Is 5; 3: 14.
3. That they have seen. John 1:34; 3: 11.
4. That they have heard. John 3 : 32 ; Acts 22: 15.
5. That they have been in contact. 1 John 1:1,2.
6. That they agree. Mark 14: 56, 59; 1 John 5:8.

**How many does the Bible require?**

1. Two or three. Matt. 18: 16; 2 Cor. 13: 1; Heb. 10: 28.

**How many witnesses did Christ have?**

1. His Father. Matt. 3: 17; John 5: 37.