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Anger

Psalm 145:8 *The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.*

Psalm 30:5 *For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.*

Nehemiah 9:17 *They refused to obey and were not mindful of the wonders that you performed among them, but they stiffened their neck and appointed a leader to return to their slavery in Egypt. But you are a God ready to forgive, gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and did not forsake them.*

Ecclesiastes 7:9 *Be not quick in your spirit to become angry, for anger lodges in the bosom of fools.*

Proverbs 14:17 *A man of quick temper acts foolishly, and a man of evil devices is hated.*

Proverbs 15:18 *A hot-tempered man stirs up strife, but he who is slow to anger quiets contention.*

Proverbs 29:22 *A man of wrath stirs up strife, and one given to anger causes much transgression.*

Ephesians 4:26 *Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger.*

Matthew 5:22 *But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, 'You fool!' will be liable to the hell of fire.*

James 1:19 *Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger.*

Colossians 3:8 *But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth.*

Genesis 28:15 *Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."*

Job 34:12 *Of a truth, God will not do wickedly, and the Almighty will not pervert justice.*

Psalm 20:7 *Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.*

Psalm 50:15 *And call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me."*

Psalm 55:22 *Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.*

Psalm 68:19 *Blessed be the Lord, who daily bears us up; God is our salvation. Selah*

Psalm 86:7 *In the day of my trouble I call upon you, for you answer me.*

Proverbs 3:5-6 *Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight*

Isaiah 40:11 *He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.*

Isaiah 41:13 *For I, the LORD your God, hold your right hand; it is I who say to you, "Fear not, I am the one who helps you."*

Matthew 11:28 *Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.*

John 16:33 *I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the*

world

you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world."

Belief

Joshua 1:12 *And to the Reubenites, the Gadites, and the half-tribe of Manasseh,*
Joshua
said, "Remember the command that Moses, the servant of the Lord,
gave you."

Acts 16:31 *And they said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you*
and
your household."

John 6:35 *Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall*
not
hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.

Mark 9:23 *And Jesus said to him, "If you can! All things are possible for one who*
believes."

Love and Charity

Psalm 41:1 *Blessed is the one who considers the poor! In the day of trouble the LORD*
delivers him.

Proverbs 19:17 *Whoever is generous to the poor lends to the LORD, and he will repay him*
for
his deed.

Ecclesiastes 11:1 *Cast your bread upon the waters, for you will find it after many days.*

Luke 6:38 *Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken*
together,
running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will
be
measured back to you."

Proverbs 28:27 *Whoever gives to the poor will not want, but he who hides his eyes will get*
many
a curse.

Proverbs 11:24 *One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he*
should give,

and only suffers want.

Isaiah 58:10 *If you pour yourself out for the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then shall your light rise in the darkness and your gloom be as the noonday.*

Comfort

Psalm 138:7 *Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life; you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies, and your right hand delivers me.*

Psalm 18:2 *The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.*

Psalm 37:24 *Though he fall, he shall not be cast headlong, for the LORD upholds his hand.*

Numbers 14:9 *Only do not rebel against the LORD. And do not fear the people of the land, for they are bread for us. Their protection is removed from them, and the LORD is with us; do not fear them."*

Deuteronomy 31:6 *Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the LORD your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you."*

Psalm 27:10 *For my father and my mother have forsaken me, but the LORD will take me in.*

Psalm 46:7 *The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Selah*

Psalm 73:23 *Nevertheless, I am continually with you; you hold my right hand.*

Psalm 94:14 *For the LORD will not forsake his people; he will not abandon his heritage.*

Psalm 103:17 *But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him, and his righteousness to children's children.*

Isaiah 41:17 *When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue is parched with thirst, I the LORD will answer them; I the God of Israel will not forsake them.*

Nahum 1:7 *The LORD is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge in him.*

Psalms 55:22 *Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.*

John 16:33 *I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world."*

Matthew 11:28 *Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.*

II Corinthians 1:5 *For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too.*

Psalms 9:9 *The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.*

Lamentations 3:31 *For the Lord will not cast off forever, but, though he cause grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; for he does not willingly afflict or grieve the children of men.*

Contentment

Proverbs 17:22 *A joyful heart is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones.*

Proverbs 15:15 *All the days of the afflicted are evil, but the cheerful of heart has a continual feast.*

Proverbs 14:30 *A tranquil heart gives life to the flesh, but envy makes the bones rot.*

I Timothy 6:6 *Now there is great gain in godliness with contentment.*

Correction by God

Proverbs 3:12 *For the LORD reproveth him whom he loves, as a father the son in whom he delights.*

Psalm 94:12 *Blessed is the man whom you discipline, O LORD, and whom you teach out of your law.*

I Corinthians 11:32 *But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world.*

II Corinthians 4:16 *So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day.*

Hebrews 12:6 *For the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives."*

Courage

Psalm 27:14 *Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD!*

Psalm 37:28 *For the LORD loves justice; he will not forsake his saints. They are preserved forever, but the children of the wicked shall be cut off.*

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2 Kings 6:16 *He said, "Do not be afraid, for those who are with us are more than those who are with them."*

Psalm 37:3 *Trust in the LORD, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.*

Isaiah 40:29 *He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases*

strength.

Psalm 31:24 *Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the LORD*

Death

Psalm 23:4 *Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil,
for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.*

1 Corinthians 15:55 *O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?*

Proverbs 14:32 *The wicked is overthrown through his evildoing, but the righteous finds refuge
in his death.*

Romans 5:9 *Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be
saved by him from the wrath of God.*

Hebrews 2:14 *Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook
of the same things, that through death he might destroy the one who has the power
of death, that is, the devil.*

John 8:51 *Truly, truly, I say to you, if anyone keeps my word, he will never see death.*

Psalm 48:14 *That this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever.*

Psalm 73:26 *My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.*

Psalm 49:15 *But God will ransom my soul from the power of Sheol, for he will receive me. Selah*

Isaiah 25:8 *He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all
faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth,
for the LORD has spoken.*

Hosea 13:14 *Shall I ransom them from the power of Sheol? Shall I redeem them from Death? O
Death, where are your plagues? O Sheol, where is your sting?
Compassion is*

hidden from my eyes.

Psalm 37:37 *Mark the blameless and behold the upright, for there is a future for the man of peace.*

John 3:15 *That whoever believes in him may have eternal life.*

Romans 8:38 *For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present
nor things to come, nor powers.*

Despair

Psalm 46:1 *God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.*

Psalm 100:5 *For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to
all generations.*

Psalm 119:116 *Uphold me according to your promise, that I may live, and let me not be put to
shame in my hope!*

Isaiah 40:29 *He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength.*

Isaiah 51:6 *Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look at the earth beneath; for the heavens
vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment, and they who dwell in it
will die in like manner; but my salvation will be forever, and my righteousness will
never be dismayed.*

Jeremiah 32:17 *Ah, Lord GOD! It is you who has made the heavens and the earth by your great
power and by your outstretched arm! Nothing is too hard for you.*

Ezekiel 34:16 *I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I
will feed them in justice.*

Daniel 2:23 *To you, O God of my fathers, I give thanks and praise, for you have given me wisdom and might, and have now made known to me what we asked of you, for you have made known to us the king's matter.*

Haggai 2:4 *Yet now be strong, O Zerubbabel, declares the LORD. Be strong, O Joshua, son of Jehozadak, the high priest. Be strong, all you people of the land, declares the LORD. Work, for I am with you, declares the LORD of hosts.*

Ephesians 1:18 *Having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints.*

II Thessalonians 3:3 *But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one.*

Hebrews 10:35 *Therefore do not throw away your confidence, which has a great reward.*

James 1:12 *Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.*

Enemies

Psalms 37:40 *The LORD helps them and delivers them; he delivers them from the wicked and saves them, because they take refuge in him.*

Deuteronomy 20:4 *For the LORD your God is he who goes with you to fight for you against your enemies, to give you the victory.'*

Job 5:20 *In famine he will redeem you from death, and in war from the power of the sword.*

Psalm 60:12 *With God we shall do valiantly; it is he who will tread down our foes.*

Isaiah 54:17 *No weapon that is fashioned against you shall succeed, and you shall confute every tongue that rises against you in judgment. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD and their vindication from me, declares the LORD."*

Psalm 118:7 *The LORD is on my side as my helper; I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.*

Proverbs 16:7 *When a man's ways please the LORD, he makes even his enemies to be at peace with him.*

Psalm 112:8 *His heart is steady; he will not be afraid, until he looks in triumph on his adversaries.*

Isaiah 54:15 *If anyone stirs up strife, it is not from me; whoever stirs up strife with you shall fall because of you.*

Proverbs 25:26 *Like a muddied spring or a polluted fountain is a righteous man who gives way before the wicked.*

Isaiah 41:11 *Behold, all who are incensed against you shall be put to shame and confounded; those who strive against you shall be as nothing and shall perish.*

Hebrews 13:6 *So we can confidently say, "The Lord is my helper; I will not fear; what can man do to me?"*

Faith

Hebrews 11:1 *Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.*

Amos 1:5 *I will break the gate-bar of Damascus, and cut off the inhabitants from the Valley of Aven, and him who holds the scepter from Beth-eden; and the people of Syria shall go into exile to Kir," says the LORD.*

Colossians 2:6 *Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him.*

Ephesians 2:8 *For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing;
it is the gift of God,*

2 Corinthians 5:7 *For we walk by faith, not by sight.*

Galatians 5:22 *But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, Faithfulness.*

Mark 11:22 *And Jesus answered them, "Have faith in God."*

Faithfulness of God

Deuteronomy 7:9 *Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps
covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations.*

Psalms 105:8 *He remembers his covenant forever, the word that he commanded, for a thousand
generations.*

Numbers 23:19 *God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his
mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it?*

Hebrews 10:23 *Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who
promised is faithful.*

II Timothy 2:13 *If we are faithless, he remains faithful- for he cannot deny himself.*

II Peter 3:9 *The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient
toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach
repentance.*

Isaiah 25:1 *O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you; I will praise your name, for you have
done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure.*

Psalms 9:10 *And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O*

*LORD, have not
forsaken those who seek you.*

Psalm 119:89 *Forever, O LORD, your word is firmly fixed in the heavens.*

1 Samuel 15:29 *And also the Glory of Israel will not lie or have regret, for he is not a man, that he should have regret.*

Isaiah 54:10 *“For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my steadfast love shall not depart from you, and my covenant of peace shall not be removed,” says the LORD, who has compassion on you.*

Fear

Mark 4:40 *He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?"*

Luke 12:32 *Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.*

Isaiah 41:13 *For I, the LORD your God, hold your right hand; it is I who say to you, "Fear not, I am the one who helps you."*

Proverbs 1:33 *But whoever listens to me will dwell secure and will be at ease, without disaster.*

Matthew 10:28 *And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell.*

Proverbs 3:25 *Do not be afraid of sudden terror or of the ruin of the wicked, when it comes.*

II Timothy 1:7 *For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.*

Isaiah 14:3 *When the LORD has given you rest from your pain and turmoil and the hard service with which you were made to serve.*

Proverbs 3:24 *If you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet.*

I Peter 3:12 *For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But*

the face of the Lord is against those who do evil." Now who is there to harm you if you

are zealous for what is good? ¹⁴ But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you

will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled.

Isaiah 54:14 *In righteousness you shall be established; you shall be far from oppression, for you shall*

not fear; and from terror, for it shall not come near you.

Romans 8:15 *For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received*

the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!"

Hebrews 13:6 *So we can confidently say, "The Lord is my helper; I will not fear; what can man do to*

me?"

Psalm 46:1 *God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.*

Isaiah 51:12 *I, I am he who comforts you; who are you that you are afraid of man who dies, of the son*

of man who is made like grass.

Proverbs 29:25 *The fear of man lays a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is safe.*

Psalm 91:4 *He will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his*

faithfulness is a shield and buckler. You will not fear the terror of the night, nor the

arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in darkness, nor the destruction that

wastes at noonday.

Isaiah 43:2 *When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you.*

John 14:27 *Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.*

Deuteronomy 1:17 *You shall not be partial in judgment. You shall hear the small and the great alike. You shall not be intimidated by anyone, for the judgment is God's. And the case that is too hard for you, you shall bring to me, and I will hear it.*

Deuteronomy 7:21 *You shall not be in dread of them, for the LORD your God is in your midst, a great and awesome God.*

I Chronicles 16 25-26 *For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and he is to be held in awe above all gods. For all the gods of the peoples are idols, but the LORD made the heavens.*

Nehemiah 4:14 *And I looked and arose and said to the nobles and to the officials and to the rest of the people, "Do not be afraid of them. Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, and fight for your brothers, your sons, your daughters, your wives, and your homes."*

Psalm 4:8 *In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for you alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.*

Psalm 28:7 *The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him.*

Psalm 56:3 *When I am afraid, I put my trust in you.*

Proverbs 16:6 *By steadfast love and faithfulness iniquity is atoned for, and by the fear of the LORD one turns away from evil.*

Isaiah 35:4 *Say to those who have an anxious heart, "Be strong; fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance, with the recompense of God. He will come and save you"*

Isaiah 41:10 *Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.*

Jeremiah 15:20 *And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze; they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you, for I am with you to save you and deliver you, declares the LORD.*

Joel 3:16 *The LORD roars from Zion, and utters his voice from Jerusalem, and the heavens and the earth quake. But the LORD is a refuge to his people, a stronghold to the people of Israel.*

II Corinthians 1:10 *He delivered us from such a deadly peril, and he will deliver us. On him we have set our hope that he will deliver us again.*

Philippians 4:9 *What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.*

Hebrews 13:6 *So we can confidently say, "The Lord is my helper; I will not fear; what can man do to me?"*

Desperate and Depressed Feelings

Psalm 30:5 *For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.*

Psalm 34:18 *The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.*

Psalm 40:1-2 *I waited patiently for the LORD; he inclined to me and heard my cry. He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.*

Psalm 42:11 *Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.*

Psalm 126:5 *Those who sow in tears shall reap with shouts of joy!*

Zechariah 3:17 *The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.*

John 10:10 *The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.*

Forgiveness

Matthew 5:44 *But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.*

Mark 11:25 *And whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.*

Matthew 6:14 *For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you.*

Romans 12:20 *To the contrary, "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink; for by so doing you will heap burning coals on his head.*

Luke 6:35 *But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful. Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.*

Proverbs 20:22 *Do not say, "I will repay evil"; wait for the LORD, and he will deliver you.*

For Those Feeling Weak

I Chronicles 16:11 *Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!*

Psalm 37:10-11 *In just a little while, the wicked will be no more; though you look carefully at his place, he will not be there. But the meek shall inherit the land and delight themselves in abundant peace.*

Psalm 55:18 *He redeems my soul in safety from the battle that I wage, for many are arrayed against me.*

Psalm 62:11 *Once God has spoken; twice have I heard this: that power belongs to God.*

Psalm 72:13 *He has pity on the weak and the needy, and saves the lives of the needy.*

Psalm 142:3 *When my spirit faints within me, you know my way! In the path where I walk they have hidden a trap for me.*

Psalm 147:6 *The LORD lifts up the humble; he casts the wicked to the ground.*

Isaiah 57:15 *For thus says the One who is high and lifted up, who inhabits eternity,
whose name is
contrite and
contrite.* *Holy: "I dwell in the high and holy place, and also with him who is of a
lowly spirit, to revive the spirit of the lowly, and to revive the heart of the
contrite."*

Jeremiah 10:6 *There is none like you, O LORD; you are great, and your name is great
in might.*

Habakkuk 3:19 *GOD, the Lord, is my strength; he makes my feet like the deer's; he
makes me tread
on my high places. To the choirmaster: with stringed instruments.*

II Corinthians 12:9 *But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is
made perfect
in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my
weaknesses, so that
the power of Christ may rest upon me.*

Ephesians 3:16 *That according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be
strengthened with
power through his Spirit in your inner being,*

Fruitfulness

John 15:1-5 *I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch of
mine that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does
bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. Already you are clean
because of the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me, and I in
you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the
vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the
branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much
fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.*

Psalm 1:3 *He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its
season, and its
leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.*

Jeremiah 31:12 *They shall come and sing aloud on the height of Zion, and they shall be radiant over the goodness of the LORD, over the grain, the wine, and the oil, and over the young of the flock and the herd; their life shall be like a watered garden, and they shall languish no more.*

Psalm 92:14 *They still bear fruit in old age; they are ever full of sap and green.*

Hosea 14:5 *I will be like the dew to Israel; he shall blossom like the lily; he shall take root like the trees of Lebanon.*

II Peter 1:8 *For if these qualities are yours and are increasing, they keep you from being ineffective or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

Gossip

Leviticus 19:16 *You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD.*

Proverbs 18:8 *The words of a whisperer are like delicious morsels; they go down into the inner parts of the body.*

Proverbs 20:19 *Whoever goes about slandering reveals secrets; therefore do not associate with a simple babbler.*

Proverbs 11:13 *Whoever goes about slandering reveals secrets, but he who is trustworthy in spirit keeps a thing covered.*

Psalm 52:2 *Your tongue plots destruction, like a sharp razor, you worker of deceit.*

Proverbs 25:23 *The north wind brings forth rain, and a backbiting tongue, angry looks.*

Psalm 34:13 *Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking deceit.*

Proverbs 26:20 *For lack of wood the fire goes out, and where there is no whisperer, quarreling ceases.*

As charcoal to hot embers and wood to fire, so is a quarrelsome man for kindling

strife. The words of a whisperer are like delicious morsels; they go down into the inner parts of the body.

Grief

Psalm 34:7 *The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.*

Psalm 71:20-21 *You who have made me see many troubles and calamities will revive me again; from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again. You will increase my greatness and comfort me again.*

Psalm 116:15 *Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints.*

Psalm 119:28 *My soul melts away for sorrow; strengthen me according to your word!*

Psalm 119:50 *This is my comfort in my affliction, that your promise gives me life.*

Psalm 121:5-8 *The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.*

Isaiah 43:2 *When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you.*

II Corinthians 1:3-4 *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.*

Growth in Grace

John 15:8 *By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples.*

Philippians 1:9 *And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment.*

II Thessalonians 1:3 *We ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing.*

I Thessalonians 4:1 *Finally, then, brothers, we ask and urge you in the Lord Jesus, that as you received from us how you ought to live and to please God, just as you are doing, that you do so more and more.*

Philippians 1:11 *Filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.*

II Peter 1:5 *For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue, and virtue with knowledge.*

Job 17:9 *Yet the righteous holds to his way, and he who has clean hands grows stronger and stronger.*

II Corinthians 3:18 *And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.*

Psalm 138:8 *The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me; your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever. Do not forsake the work of your hands.*

Colossians 1:6 *Which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and growing, as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth.*

Philippians 3:14 *I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. Let those of us who are mature think this way, and if in anything you think otherwise, God will reveal that also to you. Only let us hold true to what we have attained.*

Proverbs 4:18 *But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, which shines brighter and brighter until full day.*

Guidance

Isaiah 30:21 *And your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, "This is the way, walk in it," when you turn to the right or when you turn to the left.*

Psalm 48:14 *That this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever.*

Proverbs 16:9 *The heart of man plans his way, but the LORD establishes his steps.*

Psalm 37:23 *The steps of a man are established by the LORD, when he delights in his way.*

Isaiah 28:26 *For he is rightly instructed; his God teaches him.*

Proverbs 11:5 *The righteousness of the blameless keeps his way straight, but the wicked falls by his own wickedness.*

Proverbs 3:6 *In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.*

Psalm 32:8 *I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.*

Isaiah 42:16 *And I will lead the blind in a way that they do not know, in paths that they have not known I will guide them. I will turn the darkness before them into light, the rough places into level ground. These are the things I do, and I do not forsake them.*

Psalm 73:23 *Nevertheless, I am continually with you; you hold my right hand.*

Guilt

1 John 1:9 *If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

Isaiah 55:7 *Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.*

II Chronicles 30:9 *For if you return to the LORD, your brothers and your children will find compassion with their captors and return to this land. For the LORD your God is gracious and merciful and will not turn away his face from you, if you return to him.*

Psalm 103:12 *As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.*

I John 3:20 *For whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows*

everything.

Hebrews 8:12 *For I will be merciful toward their iniquities, and I will remember their sins no more."*

II Corinthians 5:17 *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away;
behold, the new has come.*

Jeremiah 31:34 *And no longer shall each one teach his neighbor and each his brother, saying, 'Know the LORD,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the LORD. For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more."*

Jeremiah 33:8 *I will cleanse them from all the guilt of their sin against me, and I will forgive all the guilt of their sin and rebellion against me.*

I John 2:12 *I am writing to you, little children, because your sins are forgiven for his name's sake.*

Isaiah 43:25 *I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins.*

I John 1:7 *But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another,
and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.*

Help in Trouble

Psalms 37:39 *The salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; he is their stronghold in the time of trouble.*

Psalms 146:8 *The LORD opens the eyes of the blind. The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;
the LORD loves the righteous.*

Nahum 1:7 *The LORD is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge*

in him.

Psalm 37:24 *Though he fall, he shall not be cast headlong, for the LORD upholds his hand.*

Psalm 32:7 *You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance. Selah*

Psalm 71:20 *You who have made me see many troubles and calamities will revive me again; from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again.*

Psalm 42:11 *Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.*

Psalm 73:26 *My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.*

Psalm 91:10 *No evil shall be allowed to befall you, no plague come near your tent.*

Psalm 126:5 *Those who sow in tears shall reap with shouts of joy!*

Psalm 31:23 *Love the LORD, all you his saints! The LORD preserves the faithful but abundantly repays the one who acts in pride.*

Psalm 68:13 *Though you men lie among the sheepfolds- the wings of a dove covered with silver, its pinions with shimmering gold.*

Job 8:20 *Behold, God will not reject a blameless man, nor take the hand of evildoers.*

Psalm 22:24 *For he has not despised or abhorred the affliction of the afflicted, and he has not hidden his face from him, but has heard, when he cried to him.*

Psalm 9:9 *The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.*

Psalm 138:7 *Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life; you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies, and your right hand delivers me.*

Psalm 18:28 *For it is you who light my lamp; the LORD my God lightens my darkness.*

Lamentations 3:31 *For the Lord will not cast off forever, but, though he cause grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; for he does not willingly afflict or grieve the children of men.*

John 16:33 *I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world."*

Hope

Romans 5:1-5 *Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through Him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.*

Psalm 39:7 *And now, O Lord, for what do I wait? My hope is in you.*

Psalm 62:5-8 *For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from Him. He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken. On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God. Trust in Him at all times, O people;*

pour out your heart before Him; God is a refuge for us.

Romans 12:12 *Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.*

Hebrews 10:23-25 *Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.*

I Timothy 4:9-10 *The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and strive, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Savior of all people, especially of those who believe.*

Psalm 42:11 *Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.*

I Peter 1:21 *Who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.*

I Peter 1:13 *Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ.*

I John 3:3 *And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.*

Colossians 1:5 *Because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel.*

Psalm 31:24 *Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the LORD!*

Psalm 71:5 *For you, O Lord, are my hope, my trust, O LORD, from my youth.*

Humility

Matthew 18:4 *Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.*

Psalm 10:17 *O LORD, you hear the desire of the afflicted; you will strengthen their heart; you will incline your ear*

Matthew 23:12 *Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted.*

Proverbs 16:19 *It is better to be of a lowly spirit with the poor than to divide the spoil with the proud.*

Proverbs 3:34 *Toward the scorners he is scornful, but to the humble he gives favor.*

James 4:6 *But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."*

Psalm 9:12 *For he who avenges blood is mindful of them; he does not forget the cry of the afflicted.*

Proverbs 22:4 *The reward for humility and fear of the LORD is riches and honor and life.*

Proverbs 15:33 *The fear of the LORD is instruction in wisdom, and humility comes before honor.*

Proverbs 29:23 *One's pride will bring him low, but he who is lowly in spirit will obtain honor.*

I Peter 5:6 *Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you.*

Jealousy

Deuteronomy 5:21 *And you shall not covet your neighbor's wife. And you shall not desire your neighbor's house, his field, or his male servant, or his female servant, his ox, or his*

donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.

James 3:16 *For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice.*

James 4:5 *Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"?*

Psalm 37:7 *Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for him; fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil devices!*

Psalm 10:3 *For the wicked boasts of the desires of his soul, and the one greedy for gain curses and renounces the LORD.*

Proverbs 3:31 *Do not envy a man of violence and do not choose any of his ways.*

Proverbs 14:30 *A tranquil heart gives life to the flesh, but envy makes the bones rot.*

Proverbs 27:4 *Wrath is cruel, anger is overwhelming, but who can stand before jealousy?*

Galatians 5:26 *Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.*

Proverbs 23:17 *Let not your heart envy sinners, but continue in the fear of the LORD all the day.*

Luke 12:22 *And he said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat, nor about your body, what you will put on.*

Joy

Isaiah 55:12 *For you shall go out in joy and be led forth in peace; the mountains and the hills before you shall break forth into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands.*

Psalm 118:15 *Glad songs of salvation are in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the LORD does valiantly.*

Psalm 4:7 *You have put more joy in my heart than they have when their grain and wine abound.*

John 15:11 *These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.*

Habakkuk 3:18 *Yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will take joy in the God of my salvation.*

I Peter 1:8 *Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory,*

Loneliness

John 14:18 *I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you.*

Isaiah 58:9 *Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry, and he will say, "Here I am."
If you take away the yoke from your midst, the pointing of the finger, and speaking wickedness.*

Isaiah 43:4 *Because you are precious in my eyes, and honored, and I love you, I give men in return for you, peoples in exchange for your life.*

II Corinthians 6:18 *And I will be a father to you, and you shall be sons and daughters to me, says the Lord Almighty.*

Genesis 28:15 *Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.*

Colossians 2:19 *And not holding fast to the Head, from whom the whole body, nourished and knit together through its joints and ligaments, grows with a growth that is from God.*

Psalm 40:17 *As for me, I am poor and needy, but the Lord takes thought for me. You are my help and*

my deliverer; do not delay, O my God!

Brotherly Love

John 13:34 *A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.*

Romans 12:9 *Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good.*
1 Thessalonians 4:9 *Now concerning brotherly love you have no need for anyone to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another.*

I John 2:10 *Whoever loves his brother abides in the light, and in him there is no cause for stumbling.*

I Peter 1:22 *Having purified your souls by your obedience to the truth for a sincere brotherly love, love one another earnestly from a pure heart.*

I John 4:7 *Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God.*

I John 3:18 *Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.*

I John 4:11 *Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.*

Colossians 3:12 *Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience.*

God's Love

John 3:16 *For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.*

Deuteronomy 7:13 *He will love you, bless you, and multiply you. He will also bless the fruit of your womb and the fruit of your ground, your grain and your wine and your oil, the increase of your herds and the young of*

your flock, in the land that he swore to your fathers to give you.

Psalm 146:8
who are bowed

The LORD opens the eyes of the blind. The LORD lifts up those down; the LORD loves the righteous.

Proverbs 15:9
him who

The way of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD, but he loves pursues righteousness.

Isaiah 62:5
marry you, and as over you.

For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your sons the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice

Jeremiah 31:3
an everlasting

The LORD appeared to him from far away. I have loved you with love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

Zephaniah 3:17
he will rejoice over you with

The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult loud singing.

Hosea 14:4
turned from them.

I will heal their apostasy; I will love them freely, for my anger has

Jeremiah 32:41
in faithfulness,

I will rejoice in doing them good, and I will plant them in this land with all my heart and all my soul.

Ephesians 2:4-7
he loved us,

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together

with Christ- by us with him in the might show the Jesus.

grace you have been saved- and raised us up with him and seated heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the coming ages he immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ

I John 4:10 *In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.*

John 16:27 *For the Father himself loves you, because you have loved me and have believed that I came from God.*

I John 4:19 *We love because he first loved us.*

II Thessalonians 2:16 *Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace.*

Loving God

Deuteronomy 7:9 *Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations.*

Proverbs 8:17 *I love those who love me.*

1 Corinthians 2:9 *But, as it is written, "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him."*

Deuteronomy 11:13 *And if you will indeed obey my commandments that I command you today, to love the LORD your God, and to serve him with all your heart and with all your soul, he will give the rain for your land in its season, the early rain and the later rain, that you may gather in your grain and your wine and your oil. And he will give grass in your fields for your livestock, and you shall eat and be full. me, and those who seek me diligently find me.*

John 14:21 *Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me.*

And he

who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.

Proverbs 8:21 *Granting an inheritance to those who love me, and filling their treasuries.*

Psalm 37:4 *Delight yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.*

Psalm 145:20 *The LORD preserves all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.*

Ephesians 6:24 *Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.*

Psalm 91:14 *Because he holds fast to me in love, I will deliver him; I will protect him, because he knows my name.*

Lust

James 4:1-4 *What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask.*

You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God.

I John 2:16 *For all that is in the world- the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride in possessions- is not from the Father but is from the world.*

Matthew 5:27 *You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.'*

Proverbs 6:25-29 *Do not desire her beauty in your heart, and do not let her capture you*

with her

eyelashes; for the price of a prostitute is only a loaf of bread, but a married woman

hunts down a precious life. Can a man carry fire next to his chest and

his clothes not

be burned? Or can one walk on hot coals and his feet not be scorched?

So is he

who goes in to his neighbor's wife; none who touches her will go unpunished.

James 4:7
from you.

Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee

I Peter 1:14

*As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance,*¹⁵

¹⁶ *since it is*

but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct,

written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy."

II Timothy 2:22
peace, along with

So flee youthful passions and pursue righteousness, faith, love, and

those who call on the Lord from a pure heart.

Titus 3:3-5
various passions

For we ourselves were once foolish, disobedient, led astray, slaves to

and hating one

and pleasures, passing our days in malice and envy, hated by others

appeared, he

another. But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior

according to his own

saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but

mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 2:3-6
out the desires of

Among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying

rest of mankind.

the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the

loved us, even

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he

when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ -- by grace you have been saved -- and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

Galatians 5:24 And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

Jude 1:18-21 They said to you, "In the last time there will be scoffers, following their own ungodly passions." It is these who cause divisions, worldly people, devoid of the Spirit. But you, beloved, build yourselves up in your most holy faith; pray in the Holy Spirit; keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life.

Lying

Colossians 3:9-10 Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.

Leviticus 19:12 You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD.

Proverbs 25:18 A man who bears false witness against his neighbor is like a war club, or a sword, or a sharp arrow.

Zechariah 8:17 Do not devise evil in your hearts against one another, and love no false oath, for all these things I hate, declares the LORD.

Proverbs 14:5 A faithful witness does not lie, but a false witness breathes out lies.

I Kings 22:16 *But the king said to him, "How many times shall I make you swear that you speak to me nothing but the truth in the name of the LORD?"*

Proverbs 19:5 *A false witness will not go unpunished, and he who breathes out lies will not escape.*

Deuteronomy 19:16-19 *If a malicious witness arises to accuse a person of wrongdoing, then both parties to the dispute shall appear before the LORD, before the priests and the judges who are in office in those days. The judges shall inquire diligently, and if the witness is a false witness and has accused his brother falsely, then you shall do to him as he had meant to do to his brother. So you shall purge the evil from your midst.*

Revelation 21:8 *But as for the cowardly, the faithless, the detestable, as for murderers, the sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars, their portion will be in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur, which is the second death.*

Proverbs 19:9 *A false witness will not go unpunished, and he who breathes out lies will perish.*

Proverbs 24:28 *Be not a witness against your neighbor without cause, and do not deceive with your lips.*

Psalms 58:3 *The wicked are estranged from the womb; they go astray from birth, speaking lies.*

James 3:14 *But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth.*

Exodus 23:1 *You shall not spread a false report. You shall not join hands with a wicked man to be*

a malicious witness.

Proverbs 12:19 *Truthful lips endure forever, but a lying tongue is but for a moment.*

Meekness

Matthew 5:5 *Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.*

Isaiah 11:4 *But with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of
the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and
with the breath of
his lips he shall kill the wicked.*

Psalm 22:26 *The afflicted shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the LORD! May
your hearts live forever!*

Psalm 149:4 *For the LORD takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with salvation.*

Isaiah 29:19 *The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the LORD, and the poor among mankind shall exult
in the Holy One of Israel.*

Psalm 147:6 *The LORD lifts up the humble; he casts the wicked to the ground.*

Psalm 25:9 *He leads the humble in what is right, and teaches the humble his way.*

I Peter 3:4 *But let your adorning be the hidden person of the heart with the imperishable beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which in God's sight is very precious.*

Zephaniah 2:3 *Seek the LORD, all you humble of the land, who do his just commands; seek
righteousness; seek humility; perhaps you may be hidden on the day
of the anger of
the LORD.*

Psalm 37:11 *But the meek shall inherit the land and delight themselves in abundant peace.*

Proverbs 15:1 *A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.*

Mercy

Isaiah 30:18 *Therefore the LORD waits to be gracious to you, and therefore he exalts himself to show*

mercy to you. For the LORD is a God of justice; blessed are all those who wait for him.

Job 11:6 *And that he would tell you the secrets of wisdom! For he is manifold in understanding.*

Know then that God exacts of you less than your guilt deserves.

Psalm 103:13 *As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who*

fear him.

Psalm 103:7 *But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him,*

and his righteousness to children's children.

Exodus 33:19 *And he said, "I will make all my goodness pass before you and will proclaim before*

you my name 'The LORD.' And I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and

will show mercy on whom I will show mercy.

Hosea 2:23 *And I will sow her for myself in the land. And I will have mercy on No Mercy, and I*

will say to Not My People, "You are my people"; and he shall say, "You are my

God."

Isaiah 60:10 *Foreigners shall build up your walls, and their kings shall minister to you; for in my*

wrath I struck you, but in my favor I have had mercy on you.

Isaiah 48:9 *For my name's sake I defer my anger, for the sake of my praise I restrain it for you,*

that I may not cut you off.

Patience

James 5:7-8 *Be patient, therefore, brothers, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. You also, be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.*

I Peter 2:20 *For what credit is it if, when you sin and are beaten for it, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it you endure, this is a gracious thing in the sight of God.*

Galatians 6:9 *And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.*

Hebrews 10:2 *Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.*

Matthew 24:13 *But the one who endures to the end will be saved.*

Hebrews 6:12 *So that you may not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises.*

Hebrews 10:36 *For you have need of endurance, so that when you have done the will of God you may receive what is promised.*

James 1:2-4 *Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.*

Romans 5:3-4 *More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character*

produces hope.

Peace

Isaiah 57:19 *Creating praise on the lips of the mourners in Israel, Peace, peace, to the far and to the near, says the LORD, and I will heal them."*

Colossians 3:15 *And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.*

Psalms 85:8 *Let me hear what God the LORD will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but let them not turn back to folly.*

Philippians 4:7 *And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*

Isaiah 32:17 *And the effect of righteousness will be peace, and the result of righteousness, quietness and trust forever.*

Luke 7:50 *And he said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."*

Psalms 37:37 *Mark the blameless and behold the upright, for there is a future for the man of peace.*

II Thessalonians 3:16 *Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.*

John 14:27 *Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.*

Exodus 33:14 *And he said, "My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."*

Numbers 6:24-26 *The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and*

give you peace.

Psalm 85:8 *Let me hear what God the LORD will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints; but let them not turn back to folly.*

Psalm 119:165 *Great peace have those who love your law; nothing can make them stumble.*

Isaiah 26:3 *You keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you.*

Isaiah 32:17 *And the effect of righteousness will be peace, and the result of righteousness, quietness and trust forever.*

Isaiah 57:2 *He enters into peace; they rest in their beds who walk in their uprightness.*

Matthew 11:29-30 *Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.*

John 14:27 *Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.*

Romans 5:1-2 *Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.*

Ephesians 2:14 *For he himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the dividing wall of hostility*

Colossians 3:15
you were called in

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed one body. And be thankful.

Prayer

Matthew 7:7-8
and it will be

seeks finds, and

Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who to the one who knocks it will be opened.

Matthew 21:22
faith.

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have

Isaiah 30:19
no more. He will

hears it, he

For a people shall dwell in Zion, in Jerusalem; you shall weep surely be gracious to you at the sound of your cry. As soon as he answers you.

I John 5:14-15
anything

us in whatever we

him.

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of

Jeremiah 29:12
hear you.

Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will

Isaiah 65:24
hear.

Before they call I will answer; while they are yet speaking I will

Job 22:27
will pay your

You will make your prayer to him, and he will hear you, and you vows.

John 16:23-24
whatever you

In that day you will ask nothing of me. Truly, truly, I say to you, ask of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. Until now

*you have asked
be full.*

nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may

*James 5:16
another, that you may
working.*

*Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one
be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is*

*John 14:13-14
be glorified in*

*Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may
the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.*

*John 15:7
wish, and it will*

*If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you
be done for you.*

*Matthew 6:6
pray to your Father
you.*

*But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and
who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward*

*Psalm 50:15
you shall glorify*

*And call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and
me.*

*Isaiah 58:9
and he will say,
pointing of the*

*Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry,
“Here I am.” If you take away the yoke from your midst, the
finger, and speaking wickedness.*

*Proverbs 15:29
righteous.*

The LORD is far from the wicked, but he hears the prayer of the

*Psalm 91:15
trouble; I will rescue*

*When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in
him and honor him.*

Psalm 65:2

O you who hears prayer, to you shall all flesh come.

*Matthew 7:11
children, how*

If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your

safe.

Job 5:22
beasts of the

At destruction and famine you shall laugh, and shall not fear the earth.

Job 11:18-19
around and take

afraid; many will

And you will feel secure, because there is hope; you will look your rest in security. You will lie down, and none will make you court your favor.

Psalms 121:7-8
LORD will

forevermore.

The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The LORD will keep you going out and your coming in from this time forth and

I Peter 3:13
sleep will be

If you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet.

Proverbs 3:24
good?

Now who is there to harm you if you are zealous for what is

Deuteronomy 33:12
The High God

Of Benjamin he said, "The beloved of the LORD dwells in safety. The LORD surrounds him all day long, and dwells between his shoulders.

Psalms 112:7
LORD.

He is not afraid of bad news; his heart is firm, trusting in the

Psalms 91:9-10
High, who is

near your tent.

Because you have made the LORD your dwelling place- the Most High, who is my refuge- no evil shall be allowed to befall you, no plague come

Isaiah 43:1-2
who formed you,

by name, you are

through the

But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he O Israel: "Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire

you shall not be

burned, and the flame shall not consume you.

*Ezekiel 34:28
of the land
them afraid.*

They shall no more be a prey to the nations, nor shall the beasts devour them. They shall dwell securely, and none shall make

*Proverbs 1:33
without dread of*

But whoever listens to me will dwell secure and will be at ease, disaster.

*Psalm 4:8
make me dwell*

In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for you alone, O LORD, in safety.

*Psalm 27:1
LORD is the*

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

Repentance

*Mark 1:15
hand; repent and*

And saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at believe in the gospel."

Mark 6:12

So they went out and proclaimed that people should repent.

*Psalm 34:18
spirit.*

The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in

Psalm 147:3

He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.

*Job 11:14-15
dwell in your tents.*

If iniquity is in your hand, put it far away, and let not injustice

secure and will

Surely then you will lift up your face without blemish; you will be not fear.

*Ezekiel 18 21-22
committed and*

But if a wicked person turns away from all his sins that he has keeps all my statutes and does what is just and right, he shall

surely live; he shall

be remembered

*not die. None of the transgressions that he has committed shall
against him; for the righteousness that he has done he shall live.*

Righteousness

Psalm 84:11
favor and honor. No

*For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows
good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly.*

Psalm 34:10
LORD lack no

*The young lions suffer want and hunger; but those who seek the
good thing.*

Proverbs 10:24
righteous will

*What the wicked dreads will come upon him, but the desire of the
be granted.*

Proverbs 13:21
good.

Disaster pursues sinners, but the righteous are rewarded with

Proverbs 12:2
devices he

*A good man obtains favor from the LORD, but a man of evil
condemns.*

Matthew 6:33
these things will

*But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all
be added to you.*

Proverbs 11:28
flourish like a green

*Whoever trusts in his riches will fall, but the righteous will
leaf.*

Psalm 58:11
surely there is a

*Mankind will say, "Surely there is a reward for the righteous;
God who judges on earth."*

Psalm 5:12
with a shield.

For you bless the righteous, O LORD; you cover him with favor as

Psalm 3:8

Salvation belongs to the LORD; your blessing be on your

people! Selah

I Corinthians 3:22-23 *Whether Paul or Apollos or Cephas or the world or life or death or the present or the future- all are yours, and you are Christ's, and Christ is God's.*

Romans 8 :2 *He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?*

Isaiah 3:10 *Tell the righteous that it shall be well with them, for they shall eat the fruit of their deeds.*

Psalms 23:6 *Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.*

Seeking God

II Chronicles 15:2 *And he went out to meet Asa and said to him, "Hear me, Asa, and all Judah and Benjamin: The LORD is with you while you are with him. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will forsake you.*

Hosea 10:12 *Sow for yourselves righteousness; reap steadfast love; break up your fallow ground, for it is the time to seek the LORD, that he may come and rain righteousness upon you.*

Hebrews 11:6 *And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.*

Acts 17:27 *That they should seek God, in the hope that they might feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us.*

Lamentations 3:25 *The LORD is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him.*

Amos 5:4 *For thus says the LORD to the house of Israel: "Seek me and live."*

Jeremiah 29:13 *You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart.*

Deuteronomy 4:29 *But from there you will seek the LORD your God and you will find him, if you search after him with all your heart and with all your soul.*

Ezra 8:22 *For I was ashamed to ask the king for a band of soldiers and horsemen to protect us against the enemy on our way, since we had told the king, "The hand of our God is for good on all who seek him, and the power of his wrath is against all who forsake him."*

I Chronicles 28:9 *And you, Solomon my son, know the God of your father and serve him with a whole heart and with a willing mind, for the LORD searches all hearts and understands every plan and thought. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will cast you off forever.*

Job 8:5-6 *If you will seek God and plead with the Almighty for mercy, if you are pure and upright, surely then he will rouse himself for you and restore your rightful habitation.*

Psalms 9:10 *And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you.*

Shame

Romans 10:11 *For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame."*

Psalm 119:6
your
Then I shall not be put to shame, having my eyes fixed on all
commandments.

Romans 5:5
poured into our
And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been
hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

II Timothy 1:12
whom I have
Day what has
Which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know
believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that
been entrusted to me.

Romans 9:33
stumbling, and a rock of
As it is written, "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone of
offense; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame."

II Timothy 2:15
worker who has no
Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a
need to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth.

I Peter 4 16
let him glorify
Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but
God in that name.

Psalm 119:80
to shame!
May my heart be blameless in your statutes, that I may not be put

Slander and Reproach

Matthew 5:11-12
utter all kinds of
your reward is
Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and
evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for
great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were
before you.

I Peter 4:14
because the Spirit of
If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed,
glory and of God rests upon you.

Psalm 57:3
He will send from heaven and save me; he will put to shame him

*who tramples on
faithfulness!*

me. Selah God will send out his steadfast love and his

*Isaiah 51:7
heart is my law;*

*Listen to me, you who know righteousness, the people in whose
fear not the reproach of man, nor be dismayed at their revilings.*

*Psalm 31:20
men; you store*

*In the cover of your presence you hide them from the plots of
them in your shelter from the strife of tongues.*

*Job 5:21
fear destruction*

*You shall be hidden from the lash of the tongue, and shall not
when it comes.*

*Psalm 37:6
justice as the*

*He will bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your
noonday.*

Success

*Proverbs 15:6
befalls the*

*In the house of the righteous there is much treasure, but trouble
income of the wicked.*

*Proverbs 22:4
honor and life.*

The reward for humility and fear of the LORD is riches and

*Deuteronomy 30:9 The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all
the work of*

cattle and in the fruit

*your hand, in the fruit of your womb and in the fruit of your
of your ground. For the LORD will again take delight in
prospering you, as he
took delight in your fathers.*

*Isaiah 30:23
ground, and bread, the*

*And he will give rain for the seed with which you sow the
produce of the ground, which will be rich and plenteous. In that*

day your

livestock will graze in large pastures.

Ecclesiastes 3:13

Also that everyone should eat and drink and take pleasure in all

his toil- this is

God's gift to man.

*Deuteronomy 28:11-13
fruit of your womb*

ground, within the

LORD will open to

land in its season

many nations,

head and not the

commandments

careful to do

And the LORD will make you abound in prosperity, in the

and in the fruit of your livestock and in the fruit of your

land that the LORD swore to your fathers to give you. The

you his good treasury, the heavens, to give the rain to your

and to bless all the work of your hands. And you shall lend to

but you shall not borrow. And the LORD will make you the

tail, and you shall only go up and not down, if you obey the

of the LORD your God, which I command you today, being

them.

*Ecclesiastes 5:19
and power to enjoy*

God.

Everyone also to whom God has given wealth and possessions

them, and to accept his lot and rejoice in his toil- this is the gift of

*Job 22:28
and light will shine*

You will decide on a matter, and it will be established for you,

on your ways.

*Proverbs 8:18-19
righteousness. My fruit is*

Riches and honor are with me, enduring wealth and

better than gold, even fine gold, and my yield than choice silver.

*Psalms 112:3
endures forever.*

Wealth and riches are in his house, and his righteousness

*Job 22 24-25
the torrent bed,*

If you lay gold in the dust, and gold of Ophir among the stones of

then the Almighty will be your gold and your precious silver.

Deuteronomy 11:15 *And he will give grass in your fields for your livestock, and you shall eat and be full.*

Psalm 128:2 *You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands; you shall be blessed, and it shall be well with you.*

Isaiah 65:21-23 *They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit. They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat; for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands. They shall not labor in vain or bear children for calamity, for they shall be the offspring of the blessed of the LORD, and their descendants with them.*

Deuteronomy 28:2-6 *And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you, if you obey the voice of the LORD your God. Blessed shall you be in the city, and blessed shall you be in the field. Blessed shall be the fruit of your womb and the fruit of your ground and the fruit of your cattle, the increase of your herds and the young of your flock. Blessed shall be your basket and your kneading bowl. Blessed shall you be when you come in, and blessed shall you be when you go out.*

Times of Trouble

Psalm 9:12 *For he who avenges blood is mindful of them; he does not forget the cry of the afflicted.*

Psalm 34:7 *The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.*

Psalm 37:39-40 *The salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; he is their stronghold in the time of trouble. The LORD helps them and delivers them; he delivers them from the wicked and saves them, because they take refuge in him.*

Psalm 46:1. *God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.*

Psalm 50:15 *And call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.*

Psalm 121:5-8 *The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.*

Psalm 138:7 *Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life; you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies, and your right hand delivers me.*

John 16:33 *I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.*

Trust

Psalm 46:1-2 *God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea.*

Psalm 84:11-12 *For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows favor and honor. No good*

thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly. O LORD of hosts, blessed is the one who trusts in you!

Psalm 37:3-5 *Trust in the LORD, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness. Delight*

yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act.

Proverbs 3:5-6 *Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.*

Luke 12:32 *Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.*

Matthew 6:31-32 *Therefore do not be anxious, saying, "What shall we eat?" or "What shall we drink?" or "What shall we wear?" For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all.*

I Peter 5:7 *Cast all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.*

Psalm 40:4 *Blessed is the man who makes the LORD his trust, who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!*

Psalm 125:1 *Those who trust in the LORD are like Mount Zion, which cannot be moved, but abides forever.*

Wisdom

James 1:5 *If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.*

Isaiah 2:3 *And many peoples shall come, and say: "Come, let us go up to the*

*mountain of the
ways and that
the word of*

*LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his
we may walk in his paths.” For out of Zion shall go the law, and
the LORD from Jerusalem.*

*Psalm 32:8
counsel you with*

*I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will
my eye upon you.*

*Ecclesiastes 2:26
knowledge and joy, but to
to give to one*

*For to the one who pleases him God has given wisdom and
the sinner he has given the business of gathering and collecting, only
who pleases God. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.*

*Psalm 16:7
instructs me.*

I bless the LORD who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart

*Proverbs 2:5-7
knowledge of God. For*

*the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and
understanding; he
stores up sound wisdom for the upright; he is a shield to those who
walk in integrity.*

*Psalm 51:6
wisdom in the*

*Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach me
secret heart.*

*I John 5:20
understanding, so that*

*And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us
we may know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his
Son Jesus Christ.
He is the true God and eternal life.*

*II Corinthians 4:6
in our hearts to
Jesus Christ.*

*For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone
give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of*

*Proverbs 28:5
understand it*

Evil men do not understand justice, but those who seek the LORD

completely.

Word of God

Romans 1:16 *For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.*

Revelation 1:3 *Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it, for the time is near.*

II Peter 1:19 *And we have something more sure, the prophetic word, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts.*

Hebrews 4:12 *For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart.*

Psalms 119:130 *The unfolding of your words gives light; it imparts understanding to the simple.*

Proverbs 6:23 *For the commandment is a lamp and the teaching a light, and the discipline are the way of life.*

Psalms 119:105 *Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.*

John 5:39 *You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is they that bear witness about me.*

II Timothy 3:15-16 *And how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness.*

Romans 10:17 *So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.*

I Peter 2:2 *Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you*

*may grow up to
salvation.*

Deuteronomy 11:18 *You shall therefore lay up these words of mine in your heart and in your soul, and you shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes.*

Joshua 1:8 *This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.*

James 1:21-25 *Therefore put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like. But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing.*

I Peter 1:23 *Since you have been born again, not of perishable seed but of imperishable, through the living and abiding word of God.*

Acts 20:32 *And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified.*

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