

Content Overview

Wisdom Booklets 29–54



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If a suggested resource does not seem to “match” the academic topics listed in the Content Overview, it is because a Parent Guide Planner project springboards from the listed academic subject to another subject. The recommended resource is for use with that project. Please refer to the Parent Guide Planner to determine how the resource relates to the Wisdom Booklet content.

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Wisdom Booklet 29

Loving your enemies is a test of perfection.



Scripture Passage:

“Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbor, and hate thine enemy. But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you; that ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust. For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so? Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect” (Matt. 5:43–48).

Character Development

- What it means to “be perfect” 10–12

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 13–17
- Greek word study 4, 10–12

Optional resources:

- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest
- Ten Boys Who Changed the World*, Irene Howat, ISBN: 978-1-85792-579-1
- Hero for Humanity: A Biography of William Wilberforce*, Kevin Belmonte, ISBN: 978-1-57683-354-4
- Through Gates of Splendor*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-8423-7152-0
- Spurgeon & Son: The Forgotten Story of Thomas Spurgeon and His Famous Father, Charles Haddon Spurgeon*, Craig Skinner, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3699-4
- Social Graces: Manners, Conversation, and Charm for Today*, Ann Platz, Susan Wales, and Kathryn Andrews Fincher, ISBN: 978-0-7369-0112-3
- The Gregg Reference Manual*, McGraw-Hill
- The Name Book*, Dorothy Astoria, ISBN: 978-1-55661-982-3
- Dictionary of American Family Names*, Patrick Hanks, ed., ISBN: 978-0-19-508137-4

History and Geography

- Adoniram Judson, missionary in Burma 18–29

Optional resources:

- The Life of Adoniram Judson*, Edward Judson, 1883 edition reprinted by IBLP
- The Flavor of Asia*, Reynaldo Alejandro, ISBN: 978-0-86636-010-4
- Operation World: When We Pray God Works*, Patrick Johnstone and Jason Mandryk, ISBN: 978-1-85078-357-2

Science

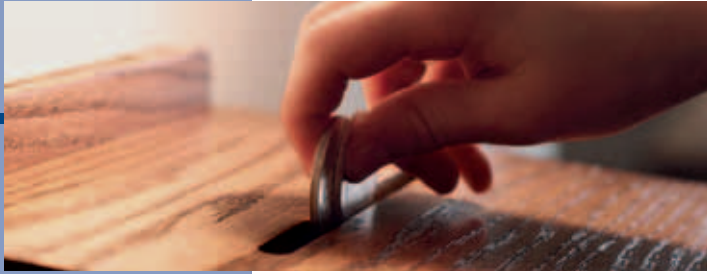
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Optional resources:

- Ten Cannons of God’s Law*, Ray Comfort, IBLP



Wisdom Booklet 30

Doing alms must glorify God.

Scripture Passage:

“Take heed that ye do not your alms before men, to be seen of them: otherwise ye have no reward of your Father which is in heaven. Therefore when thou doest thine alms, do not sound a trumpet before thee, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. But when thou doest alms, let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth: that thine alms may be in secret: and thy Father which seeth in secret himself shall reward thee openly” (Matt. 6:1–4).

Character Focus:

Hospitality
Cheerfully sharing food, shelter, and spiritual refreshment with those whom God brings into my life

Character Development

- Exposing wrong motives for doing alms 10–11

Optional resources:

- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Commands of Christ*, Series Six, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Unfading Beauty: The Story of Dolley Madison*, Tracy M. Leininger, ISBN: 978-1-929241-20-0
- Character First! Education, Series One, Truthfulness, CTI

Language and Communications

- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–18
- Greek and English infinitives 4, 10–11

Optional resources:

- Story of the boy who cried wolf

History and Geography

- R. G. LeTourneau and the development of earthmoving vehicles 9–31

Optional resources:

- Little Bear Live: The Story of Sergeant York*, Richard Wheeler, Mantle Ministries (VHS)
- Sergeant York and the Great War*, Tom Skeyhill, ISBN: 978-1-889128-46-5
- The Hoover Dam*, Patra McSharry Sevastiades, ISBN: 978-0-8239-5021-8

- The Bill of Rights*, Michael Burgan, ISBN: 978-0-7656-0151-8
- Grunts: U.S. Infantry in Vietnam*, Christopher J. Anderson, ISBN: 978-0-7910-5377-5

Science

- Animals that draw attention to themselves 32–39

Mathematics

- Sets and complements 40–46
- Symbols for sets 40–42
- Subsets and union of sets 41–42

Optional resources:

- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Character First! Education, Series One, Truthfulness, CTI

Law and Government

- U.S. welfare system 47–62
- Causes of poverty 55–57
- Effects of welfare 59–62

Optional resources:

- Names of God*, Nathan Stone, ISBN: 978-0-8024-5854-4

Health and Medicine

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Scripture Passage:

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Character Development

- Learn to “stand in the gap” through effectual prayer 13–17

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Four, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character First! Education, Series One, CTI
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest

Language and Communications

- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 14–17
- Greek word study 4, 10–12

Optional resources:

- Character First! Education, Series One, CTI
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest
- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

History and Geography

- John Hyde, missionary to India 18–26

Optional resources:

- The Hour That Changes the World*, Dick Eastman, ISBN: 978-0-8007-9313-5

- Taj Mahal*, Myra Weatherly, ISBN: 978-1-56006-723-8
- Operation World: When We Pray God Works*, Jason Mandryk and Patrick Johnstone, ISBN: 978-1-85078-357-2
- John Hyde: The Apostle of Prayer*, Francis McGaw, ISBN: 978-0-87123-909-9

Science

- Animals that live in secret 28–38

Optional resources:

- Home Training Tools*, www.hometrainingtools.com
- Sorting Out Worms and Other Invertebrates*, Samuel G. Woods, ISBN: 978-1-56711-371-6
- Empty Cities*, Moody Science Classics, ISBN: 978-1-57567-035-5 (VHS)

Mathematics

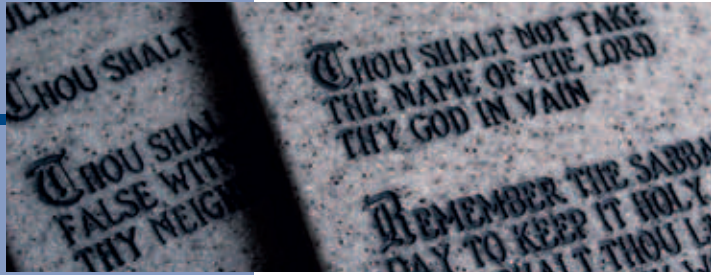
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Optional resources:

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Our first concern must be to keep God's name holy.

Scripture Passage:
 "After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name"
 (Matt. 6:9).

Character Focus:
 Persuasiveness
 Guiding vital truths around another's mental roadblocks

Theme Song:
 "Blessed Be the Name of the Lord"

Command of Christ:
 35. Be a House of Prayer (Matt. 21:13)

Further Study Focus:
 • Canada
 • Birds

Character Development

- How to hallow the names of God14–22

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Five, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader's Digest

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–13
- Vocabulary: names of God14–22

Optional resources:

- Eric Liddell: Running for a Higher Prize*, Renee Taft Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-230-5
- George Washington Carver: From Slave to Scientist*, Geoff and Janet Bengel, ISBN: 978-1-883002-78-7
- Let Me Die in Ireland: The True Story of Patrick*, David W. Bercot, ISBN: 978-0-924722-08-0
- Sergeant York and the Great War*, Tom Skeyhill, ISBN: 978-1-889128-46-7
- Shadow of the Almighty: The Life and Testament of Jim Elliot*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-06-062213-8
- The Gregg Reference Manual*, McGraw-Hill
- The Analytical Greek Lexicon*
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3416-7
- 101 More Hymn Stories*, Kenneth Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3420-4

- Al Smith's Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B00070TQY4
- Treasury of Great Hymns: and Their Stories*, Guye Johnson, ISBN: 978-0-89084-249-2

History and Geography

- Jonathan Goforth, missionary to China 23–36

Optional resources:

- Jonathan Goforth: Never Give Up*, Renee Taft Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-242-8
- Jonathan Goforth*, Rosalind Goforth, ISBN: 978-0-87123-842-9
- 40 Fascinating Conversion Stories*, Samuel Fisk, ISBN: 978-0-8254-2639-1
- Constrained by His Love: A New Biography of Robert Murray McCheyne*, L. J. Van Valen, ISBN: 978-1-85792-793-1

Science

- The attributes and behaviors of male animals 37–53

Law

- Legal responsibilities and obligations of the father 55–63

Optional resources:

- The Golden Thread*, Lamplighter Publishing
- The Hedge of Thorns*, Lamplighter Publishing

Medicine

- Medical responsibilities of the father 64–70



Wisdom Booklet 33

When two wills are yoked, one must defer to the other.

Scripture Passage:
 “Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven” (Matt. 6:10).

Character Focus:
 Deference
 Limiting my freedom in order not to offend the tastes of those whom God has called me to serve

Theme Song:
 “Teach Me Thy Will, O Lord”

Command of Christ:
 25. Take My Yoke (Matt. 11:28–30)

Character Development

- Discerning God’s will 10–13
- Making wise decisions by honoring God’s principles 15–23

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Four, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Beauty and the Best*, Beneth Peters Jones, ISBN: 978-0-89084-123-5

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–13
- Vocabulary 16–23
- Dress and appearance 18–23

Optional resources:

- The Gregg Reference Manual*, McGraw-Hill
- “*The Road Not Taken*,” Robert Frost
- Life Purpose Planning Workbook*, IBLP
- Sing & Be Happy*, Alfred B. Smith, Al Smith Ministries, www.asaphmusic.com
- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

History and Geography

- Founding of Jamestown and Massachusetts 24–33
- Influence of Lord Delaware 23–28

Optional resources:

- The Matchlock Gun*, Walter D. Edmonds, ISBN: 978-0-698-11680-1
- Squanto and the Miracle of Thanksgiving*, Eric Metaxas, ISBN: 978-0-8499-5864-9

Science

- Formation of minerals into rocks 34–43
- Common minerals and their chemical formulas 34

Optional resources:

- The Geology Book*, John David Morris, ISBN: 978-0-89051-281-4
- Grand Canyon: A Different View*, Tom Vail, ISBN: 978-0-89051-373-6

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- Utopianism 50–57
- Separation of church and state 52–54

Optional resources:

- Have You Heard of the Four Spiritual Laws?*, Bill Bright, Campus Crusade for Christ

Health and Medicine

- How to discern God’s will when dealing with sickness 58–68
- Role of man’s will in sickness 66



Wisdom Booklet 34

God gives bread through work.

Scripture Passage:
 “Give us this day our daily bread”
 (Matt. 6:11).

Character Focus:
Contentment
 Realizing that God has provided everything I need for my present happiness

Theme Song:
 “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

Command of Christ:
31. Beware of Covetousness
 (Luke 12:15)

Further Study Focus:
 • National welfare program
 • Nutrition

Character Development

- Consequences that result when government provides daily bread . . . 48–57

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Five, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–14
- Vocabulary and usage 15–25

Optional resources:

- The Gregg Reference Manual*, McGraw-Hill
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest
- Sentence Analysis*, IBLP
- Handbook of Grammar and Composition*, A Beka
- The Pineapple Story Series*, Otto Koning, IBLP (CD set)

History and Geography

- History of white bread 26–30
- Role of bread in the French Revolution 28–29

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- How yeast works 33–35

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Mathematics

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Optional resources:

- The Search for Significance*, Robert S. McGee, ISBN: 978-0-8499-4091-0

Law and Government

- Agricultural consequences of a government welfare system 48–57

Optional resources:

- Maker of Machines: A Story About Eli Whitney*, Barbara Mitchell, ISBN: 978-1-57505-603-6

Health and Medicine

- How increasing fiber decreases risk of disease 58–68

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Wisdom Booklet 35

The offended must initiate reconciliation.

Scripture Passage:

“And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. . . . For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you: But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses” (Matt. 6:12, 14–15).

Character Focus:

Forgiveness

Clearing the record of those who have wronged me and allowing God to love them through me

Theme Song:

“And Can It Be That I Should Gain?”

Command of Christ:

30. Go to Offenders (Matt. 18:15)

Character Development

- How scar tissue reveals the nature of forgiveness 58–62

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Five, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary and usage 12–19

Optional resources:

- Treasures of the Snow*, Patricia St. John, ISBN: 978-0-8024-6575-7
- Treasures of the Snow*, ISBNs: 978-1-885955-10-4 (DVD), 978-1-885955-00-5 (VHS)

History and Geography

- Biography of Corrie ten Boom 20–32
- German concentration camps 25–30

Optional resources:

- The Hiding Place*, Corrie ten Boom, ISBN: 978-0-8007-9405-7
- Billy Graham Presents: The Hiding Place*, 20th Century Fox, ISBN: 978-1-57748-919-1 (DVD)

Science

- Chemistry: reactions of acids and bases 33–42
- Periodic table of the elements 43

Mathematics

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Optional resources:

- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP
- John Newton*, Catherine Swift, ISBN: 978-1-55661-305-0
- George Muller*, Basil Miller, ISBN: 978-0-87123-182-6
- Fanny Crosby*, Bonnie C. Harvey, ISBN: 978-0-7642-2166-8
- George Washington Carver: His Life and Faith in His Own Words*, William J. Federer, ISBN: 978-0-9653557-6-6
- George Washington Carver*, Sam Wellman, ISBN: 978-1-57748-365-6
- The Name Book*, Dorothy Astoria, ISBN: 978-1-55661-982-3

Law and Government

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Optional resources:

- Surviving the Money Jungle*, Larry Burkett, ISBN: 978-0-929608-77-8
- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

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Wisdom Booklet 36

Our lusts determine God’s tests.

Scripture Passage:

“And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen” (Matt. 6:13).

Character Focus:

Patience

Accepting a difficult situation from God without giving Him a deadline to remove it

Theme Song:

“Be Thou Exalted”

Command of Christ:

45. Watch and Pray (Matt. 26:41)

Character Development

- How the eagle illustrates a believer rising above evil 37–41

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Seven, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–12
- Vocabulary and usage 13–28

Optional resources:

- Book of Job
- Children’s Institute Songbook*, IBLP
- Al Smith’s Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B0006XVGNQ
- The Name Book*, Dorothy Astoria, ISBN: 978-1-55661-982-3
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Rebuilder’s Guide*, IBLP
- The Giant Killer*, Lamplighter Publishing, ISBN: 978-1-58474-116-9
- Alumni Supplement 13—The Overlooked Requirements for Riches, Honor, and Life*, IBLP
- Humility: The Journey Toward Holiness*, Andrew Murray, ISBN: 978-0-7642-2560-4
- Absolute Surrender*, Andrew Murray, ISBN: 978-0-8024-0560-9

History and Geography

- World War II: the “Miracle of Dunkirk” 29–33
- George Washington and the Battle of Long Island 34–36

Optional resources:

- Paul Revere’s Ride*, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, ISBN: 978-0-14-055612-4
- The Bulletproof George Washington*, David Barton, ISBN: 978-1-932225-00-6
- The Light and the Glory*, Peter Marshall and David Manuel, ISBN: 978-0-8007-5054-1
- The Light and the Glory for Children*, Peter Marshall and David Manuel, ISBN: 978-0-8007-5448-8

Science

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- How thermals affect flight 38–40
- How the eagle’s wing structure increases its ability to soar 38–39

Optional resources:

- Children’s Institute Songbook*, IBLP
- Dictionary of Birds of the United States*, Joel Ellis Holloway, ISBN: 978-0-88192-600-2
- The Wright Brothers*, Charles Ludwig, ISBN: 978-0-88062-141-0
- To Conquer the Air: The Wright Brothers and the Great Race for Flight*, James Tobin, ISBN: 978-0-7432-5536-3
- The Eagle Story*, IBLP, ISBN: 978-0-916888-07-7
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP



Wisdom Booklet 37

Fasting brings focus and insight on a higher level.

Scripture Passage:

“Moreover when ye fast, be not, as the hypocrites, of a sad countenance: for they disfigure their faces, that they may appear unto men to fast. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. But thou, when thou fastest, anoint thine head, and wash thy face; That thou appear not unto men to fast, but unto thy Father which is in secret: and thy Father, which seeth in secret, shall reward thee openly”

(Matt. 6:16–18).

Character Focus:

Determination

Purposing to accomplish God’s goals in God’s time—regardless of the opposition

Theme Song:

“Jesus Paid It All”

Character Development

- How personal disciplines helped prepare a messenger of God 20–30

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Four, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–14
- Vocabulary and usage 15–19

Optional resources:

- Book of Jonah
- Fasting for Spiritual Breakthrough*, Elmer L. Towns, ISBN: 978-0-8307-1839-9
- Fasting for Spiritual Breakthrough: A Guide to Nine Biblical Fasts*, Elmer L. Towns, ISBN: 978-0-8307-1847-4
- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC

History and Geography

- The Great Awakening: George Whitefield 20–30
- Anton van Leeuwenhoek and the development of magnifying glasses 38

Optional resources:

- The Light and the Glory*, Peter Marshall and David Manuel, ISBN: 978-0-8007-5054-1
- George Whitefield: God’s Anointed Servant in the Great Revival of the Eighteenth Century*, Arnold A. Dallimore, ISBN: 978-0-89107-553-0
- Al Smith’s Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B0006XVGNQ
- Treasury of Great Hymns and Their Stories*, Guye Johnson, ISBN: 978-0-89084-249-2
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0825434167
- 101 More Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3420-4
- William Wilberforce*, Lou Fendel, ISBN: 978-1-58660-395-3
- Isaac Newton*, John Hudson Tiner, ISBN: 978-0-915134-95-3
- George Frideric Handel*, Charles Ludwig, ISBN: 978-0-88062-048-2
- John Wesley*, Basil Miller, ISBN: 978-0-87123-272-4
- Susanna Wesley*, Katherine McReynolds, ISBN: 978-0-7642-2003-6

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Optional resources:

- McGowan v. Maryland* case
- A Tale of Two Cities*, Charles Dickens, ISBN: 978-0-486-40651-0
- Eric Liddell*, Catherine Swift, ISBN: 978-1-55661-150-6

Health and Medicine

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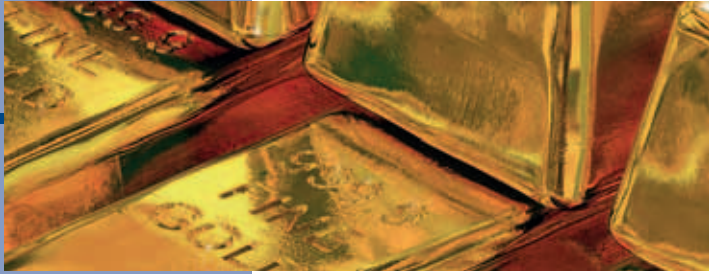
Optional resources:

- Fasting Can Save Your Life*, Herbert M. Shelton, ISBN: 978-0-914532-42-2
- Basic CARE Bulletin 4, How to Discover the Rewards of Fasting*, MTIA

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Command of Christ:
28. Deny Yourself
 (Luke 9:23)

Further Study Focus:
 • **Gastrointestinal system**



Wisdom Booklet 38

What you treasure will capture your heart.

Scripture Passage:

“Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also” (Matt. 6:19–21).

Character Focus:

Thriftiness

Not letting myself or others spend that which is not necessary

Theme Song:

“Take the World, but Give Me Jesus”

Character Development

- How personal goals reveal a thrifty or a miserly mindset 12–17
- How desiring eternal treasure taught managing earthly treasure 18–37

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP
- A Christmas Carol*, Charles Dickens, ISBN: 978-0-8125-0434-7
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek verb tenses 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–17

Optional resources:

- John Wesley*, Basil Miller, ISBN: 978-0-87123-272-4

History and Geography

- Biography of businessman John Wanamaker 18–37

Optional resources:

- Borden of Yale*, Mrs. Howard Taylor, ISBN: 978-1-55661-014-1
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Science

- Destructive insects 38–43
- How rust is destructive 41–43

Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP
- How to Turn a Business Collapse Into a Triumphant Victory*, IBLP (VHS)
- Making Brothers and Sisters Best Friends*, Sarah, Stephen, and Grace Mally, ISBN: 978-0-9719405-0-5
- The Five Love Languages*, Gary Chapman, ISBN: 978-1-881273-15-8

Mathematics

- Depreciation 44–47
- Inflation 47–51
- Appreciation 51–53

Optional resources:

- Amy Carmichael*, Kathleen White, ISBN: 978-1-55661-302-9
- Hudson Taylor*, J. Hudson Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-87123-951-8
- Eric Liddell*, Catherine Swift, ISBN: 978-1-55661-150-6
- Borden of Yale*, Mrs. Howard Taylor, ISBN: 978-1-55661-014-1
- “Blue Book” for automobiles

Law and Government

- Federal Reserve System 54–55
- Death taxes 54–55
- Probate procedures and charges 55–58
- Trusts 60

Wisdom Booklet 39

Darkness is natural. Light requires energy.



Scripture Passage:

“The light of the body is the eye: if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness!”

(Matt. 6:22–23).

Character Focus:

Generosity

Realizing that all I have belongs to God and using it for His purposes

Theme Song:

“Higher Ground”

Command of Christ:

48. Receive God’s Power (Luke 24:49)

Character Development

- How we can know whether or not we have an “evil eye”? 13–19

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Seven, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–12
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 13–19

Optional resources:

- Hind’s Feet on High Places*, Hannah Hurnard, ISBN: 978-1-57748-918-4
- The Pilgrim’s Progress*, John Bunyan, ISBN: 978-0-486-42675-4
- Little Pilgrim’s Progress*, Helen L. Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-8024-4926-9
- The Giant Killer*, Lamplighter Publishing, ISBN: 978-1-58474-116-9
- Sir Knight of the Splendid Way*, W. E. Cule, ISBN: 978-1-58474-044-5
- George Washington Carver: Man’s Slave Becomes God’s Scientist*, David Collins, ISBN: 978-0-915134-90-8
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- The Gettysburg Address*
- Hudson Taylor: Founder, China Inland Mission*, Vance Christie, ISBN: 978-1-57748-222-2
- Gladys Aylward: Missionary in China*, Sam Wellman, ISBN: 978-1-57748-222-2

History and Geography

- Amy Carmichael, missionary to India and Japan 20–37
- Johnny Appleseed 17
- Debt of King Charles II 16

Optional resources:

- Al Smith’s Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B0006XVGNQ
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest
- God’s Madcap*, Nancy Robbins, ISBN: 978-0-87508-604-0
- The Story of Amy Carmichael*, UPC: 727985008400 (DVD)
- If*, Amy Carmichael, ISBN: 978-0-87508-071-0
- A Chance to Die*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-8007-1535-9
- Amy Carmichael*, Kathleen White, ISBN: 978-1-55661-302-9

Science

- How nocturnal animals respond to light 38–41
- Electromagnetic spectrum 42–44
- How window glass is transparent 42–44

Optional resources:

- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

Law and Government

- Distortions of U.S. law 45–54
- Jurisprudence 45
- Common law 45–46
- Precedent 46



Wisdom Booklet 40

Serving reveals our first love.

Scripture Passage:

“No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon” (Matt. 6:24).

Character Focus:

Enthusiasm

Expressing with my soul the joy of my spirit

Theme Song:

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Command of Christ:

39. Love the Lord

(Matt. 22:37)

Character Development

- How to discern whether you are trying to serve both God and mammon 14–20
- How magnets illustrate our inability to serve two masters 4, 10–11

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Six, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek: four moods 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–18
- Synonyms 12–18

Optional resources:

- George Washington Carver: From Slave to Scientist*, Janet and Geoff Benge, ISBN: 978-1-883002-78-7
- Harriett Tubman: Freedombound*, Janet and Geoff Benge, ISBN: 978-1-883002-90-9
- George Washington Carver: His Life and Faith in His Own Words*, William J. Federer, ISBN: 978-0-9653557-6-6
- George Washington Carver*, Sam Wellman, ISBN: 978-1-57748-365-6
- Frederick Douglas*, Rachael Phillips, ISBN: 978-1-59310-388-0
- Samuel Morris: The Apostle of Simple Faith*, Terry Whalin, ISBN: 978-1-55748-878-7
- Harriet Tubman*, Rebecca Price Janney, ISBN: 978-0-7642-2182-8
- By Searching: My Journey Through Doubt Into Faith*, Isobel Kuhn, ISBN: 978-0-8024-0053-6

- Isobel Kuhn*, Lois H. Dick, ISBN: 978-0-87123-976-1
- George Müller*, Renee Taft Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-232-9
- Hudson Taylor*, Renee Taft Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-234-3
- Hudson Taylor*, Hudson Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-87123-951-8
- The Autobiography of George Müller*, George Müller, ISBN: 978-0-88368-159-6

History and Geography

- Biography of William Borden of Yale 19–31

Optional resources:

- Borden of Yale*, Mrs. Howard Taylor, ISBN: 978-1-55661-014-1
- In His Steps*, Charles Sheldon, ISBN: 978-0-8007-8608-3
- The Costly Call*, Emire Fethi Caner and H. Edward Pruitt, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3555-3
- Lives of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence*, Benson J. Lossing, ISBN: 978-0-925279-45-3
- Creating With Mosaics*, Anna Freixenet, ISBN: 978-1-56711-440-9
- R. G. LeTourneau: Mover of Men and Mountains*, R. G. LeTourneau, ISBN: 978-0-8024-3818-8
- What Would Jesus Do*, Helen Haidle, ISBN: 978-1-57673-053-9
- How to Pray*, R. A. Torrey, ISBN: 978-0-8024-3709-9
- How to Study the Bible*, R. A. Torrey, ISBN: 978-0-88368-164-0
- The Person and Work of the Holy Spirit*, R. A. Torrey, ISBN: 978-0-88368-384-2

Science

- Characteristics of magnets 32–38
- Magnetic induction (field) 32–38

Wisdom Booklet 41

Future concerns hinder present achievement.



Scripture Passage:

“Therefore I say unto you, Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment? Behold the fowls of the air: for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are ye not much better than they?” (Matt. 6:25–26).

Character Focus:

Security

Structuring my life around that which is eternal and cannot be destroyed or taken away

Theme Song:

“Living for Jesus”

Character Development

- The consequences of “taking thought” 12–15

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Seven, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–15

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- The Eiffel Tower*, Sudipta Bardhan-Quallen, ISBN: 978-0-7377-3150-7
- Al Smith’s Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B0006XVGNQ
- Treasury of Great Hymns and Their Stories*, Guye Johnson, ISBN: 978-0-89084-249-2
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3416-7
- 101 More Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3420-4

History and Geography

- Biography of Gladys Aylward, missionary to China 16–41
- Japanese invasion of China 31–41

Optional resources:

- Gladys Aylward*, Catherine Swift, ISBN: 978-1-55661-090-5
- Gladys Aylward: The Little Woman*, Gladys Aylward, ISBN: 978-0-8024-2986-5
- Gladys Aylward: Missionary in China*, Sam Wellman, ISBN: 978-1-57748-222-2
- Hudson Taylor*, J. Hudson Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-87123-951-8
- The Autobiography of George Müller*, George Müller, ISBN: 978-0-88368-159-6
- The Discovery of Genesis*, C. H. Kang and Ethel R. Nelson, ISBN: 978-0-570-03792-7
- The Heavenly Man: The Remarkable True Story of Chinese Christian Brother Yun*, Brother Yun and Paul Hathaway, ISBN: 978-0-8254-6207-8
- Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai Shek: Christian Liberators of China*, Basil Miller, ISBN: 978-1-4179-9047-4
- Chinese in 10 Minutes a Day*, Kristine K. Kershul, ISBN: 978-0-944502-10-5
- New York Times Obituaries: www.nytimes.com

Science

- How birds gather food 42–45

Optional resources:

- The Bird Alphabet Book*, Jerry Pallotta, ISBN: 978-0-88106-451-3
- Conquer the Air: The Wright Brothers and the Great Race for Flight*, James Tobin, ISBN: 978-0-7432-5536-3

Mathematics

- Geometric axioms 46–50



Wisdom Booklet 42

To reject a design is to reject the Designer.

Scripture Passage:
 “Which of you by taking thought can add one cubit unto his stature?” (Matt. 6:27).

Character Focus:
Flexibility
 Not setting my affections on ideas or plans that could be changed by God or others

Theme Song:
 “God Will Take Care of You”

Command of Christ:
31. Beware of Covetousness
 (Luke 12:15)

Character Development

- How to be free from taking thought about our statures 13–16
- How turkey vultures show flexibility 34–37

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Five, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–12
- Hebrew word study 4, 10–12
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 13–16
- Art: drawing in proportion 38–41

Optional resources:

- DNA Is Here to Stay*, Dr. Fran Balkwill, ISBN: 978-0-87614-638-5
- Easy-to-Make Decorative Paper Snowflakes*, Brenda Lee Reed, ISBN: 978-0-486-25408-1
- Treasury of Great Hymns and Their Stories*, Guye Johnson, ISBN: 978-0-89084-249-2
- The Genesis Flood*, John C. Whitcomb and Henry M. Morris, ISBN: 978-0-87552-338-5
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP

History and Geography

- Biography of Joseph Merrick, the Elephant Man 17–33

Optional resources:

- The Elephant Man*, Michael Howell and Peter Ford, ISBN: 978-0-85031-531-8
- Poem: “O What a Happy Soul am I!” Fanny Crosby
- John Bell Hood*, Richard M. McMurry, ISBN: 978-0-8032-8191-2
- Samuel Morris*, Lindley Baldwin, ISBN: 978-0-87123-950-1
- Samuel Morris: The Apostle of Simple Faith*, Terry Whalin, ISBN: 978-1-55748-878-7

Science

- DNA “ladders” 5
- Comparisons between turkey vultures and eagles 34–37
- How proportions change as the human body matures 38–41

Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vols. I–III, IBLP
- Drawing Faces*, Rosie Dickins, ISBN: 978-0-7945-0097-9
- I Can Draw People*, Ray Gibson, ISBN: 978-0-7460-3704-1

Law and Government

- Legal and spiritual aspects of the artificial insemination debate 42–48

Optional resources:

- A Full Quiver*, Rick and Jan Hess, ISBN: 978-0-943497-83-9



Wisdom Booklet 43

Faith grows out of wisdom.

Scripture Passage:

“And why take ye thought for raiment? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin; and yet I say unto you, That even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Wherefore, if God so clothe the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is cast into the oven, shall he not much more clothe you, O ye of little faith?” (Matt. 6:28–30).

Character Focus:

Availability
Making my own schedule and priorities secondary to the wishes of those I am serving

Theme Song:

“All Your Anxiety”

Character Development

- Measuring faith 10–12

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Five, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–12
- Vocabulary and usage 13–17

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- The New Foxe’s Book of Martyrs*, John Foxe, ISBN: 978-0-88270-875-1
- Living Stories of Famous Hymns*, Ernest K. Emurian, ISBN: 978-0-8010-3260-8
- Christian Modesty and the Public Undressing of America*, Jeff Pollard, ISBN: 978-1-929241-34-7
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

History and Geography

- Biography of hymn writer Philip P. Bliss 18–34

Optional resources:

- Al Smith’s Treasury of Hymn Histories*, Alfred B. Smith, ASIN: B0006XVGNQ

- D. L. Moody*, Bonnie Harvey, ISBN: 978-1-59789-116-5
- D. L. Moody—Soul Winner*, Chester Mann, ISBN: 978-1-84030-007-9
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3416-7
- 101 More Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3420-4
- Sankey: The Singer & His Song*, Helen Rothwell, ISBN: 978-1-898787-64-8

Science

- Botany: lilies and other plants 35–41
- Parts of a complete flower (lily) 39
- Process of pollination 40
- Topography of the earth 42–49
- Preventing erosion 56–57

Optional resources:

- Journey of Life*, Moody Science Classics, ISBNs: 978-1-57567-260-1 (DVD), 978-1-57567-044-7 (VHS)

Law and Government

- How environmental protection laws keep the earth “clothed” 50–57

Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Health and Medicine

- Dangers of hypothermia 58–62
- How to treat hypothermia 61–62



Wisdom Booklet 44

Right priorities result in provision.

Scripture Passage:

“Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek:) for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof” (Matt. 6:31–34).

Character Focus:

Initiative
Recognizing and doing what needs to be done before I am asked to do it

Character Development

- Seeking first the kingdom of God includes loving children 13–26

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Hebrew and Greek word studies 4, 10–12
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 13–26

Optional resources:

- Marriage To a Difficult Man: The Uncommon Union of Jonathan and Sarah Edwards*, Elisabeth Dodds, ISBN: 978-0-9742365-0-6
- Jonathan Edwards*, Stephen J. Nichols, ISBN: 978-0-87552-194-7
- The Bulletproof George Washington*, David Barton, ISBN: 978-1-932225-00-6
- Oswald Chambers: Abandoned to God*, David McCasland, ISBN: 978-1-57293-050-6
- Autobiography of Charles G. Finney*, Charles G. Finney and Helen Wessel, ISBN: 978-0-7642-0156-1
- The Hiding Place*, Corrie Ten Boom, ISBN: 978-0-553-25669-7
- George Mueller: A Father to the Fatherless*, Rebecca Davis, ISBN: 978-1-59166-255-6
- Autobiography of George Müller*, George Müller, ISBN: 978-0-88368-159-6
- D. L. Moody*, Bonnie Harvey, ISBN: 978-1-59789-116-5

- A Chance to Die: The Life and Legacy of Amy Carmichael*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-8007-3089-5
- Amy Carmichael: Rescuing the Children*, Renee Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-233-6
- Gladys Aylward: The Little Woman*, Gladys Aylward, ISBN: 978-0-8024-2986-5
- Gladys Aylward: Daring to Trust*, Renee Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-228-2
- Hudson Taylor’s Spiritual Secret*, Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-929239-20-0
- Requirements for Riches, Honor, and Life*, IBLP
- The Declaration of Independence*, Cynthia Klingel and Robert B. Noyed, ISBN: 978-1-56766-959-6
- Who Was Thomas Alva Edison?*, Margaret Frith, ISBN: 978-0-448-43765-1
- Lives of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence*, B.J. Lossing, ISBN: 978-0-925279-45-3

History and Geography

- Biography of Susanna Wesley 27–43
- Demography: the study of the human population 55–59

Optional resources:

- Biographies of Charles Wesley and John Wesley
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3416-7
- The Spiritual Secret of Hudson Taylor*, Howard Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-88368-950-9
- Hudson Taylor*, Hudson Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-87123-951-8
- Grace Abounding to the Chief of Sinners*, John Bunyan, ISBN: 978-0-14-043280-0



Wisdom Booklet 45

Righteous judgment requires “due process.”

Scripture Passage:

“Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again. And why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother’s eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye? Or how wilt thou say to thy brother, Let me pull out the mote out of thine eye; and, behold, a beam is in thine own eye? Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother’s eye”
(Matt. 7:1–5).

Character Focus:

Justice
Personal responsibility to God’s unchanging laws

Character Development

- How Biblical principles of judgment keep us from judging others . . . 10–13
- How to turn a desire to judge into a mirror for self-examination . . . 14–19

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–13
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 14–19

Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

History and Geography

- The opium trade in China 20–28
- The Opium War 24
- The Boxer Rebellion 24–27

Optional resources:

- Physicians’ Desk Reference*, Thomson PDR, ISBN: 978-1-56363-568-7

Science

- How airplane flight instruments work 29–37

Optional resources:

- Signposts Aloft*, Moody Science Classics, ISBN: 978-1-57567-265-6 (DVD)
- Carry On, Mr. Bowditch*, Jean Lee Latham, ISBN: 978-0-618-25074-5
- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

Mathematics

- Principles of perspective and drawing 38–42

Optional resources:

- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

Law and Government

- Abuse of tort laws 43–55

Optional resources:

- Treasures of the Snow*, Patricia St. John, ISBN: 978-0-8024-6575-7
- Treasures of the Snow*, ISBNs: 978-1-885955-10-4 (DVD), 978-1-885955-00-5 (VHS)
- Gaining Favor with God and Man*, William M. Thayer, ISBN: 978-1-889128-38-2
- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

Health and Medicine

- Rejection of early medical pioneers and their discoveries 57–61



Wisdom Booklet 46

Spiritual treasures must be protected.

Scripture Passage:

“Give not that which is holy unto the dogs, neither cast ye your pearls before swine, lest they trample them under their feet, and turn again and rend you” (Matt. 7:6).

Character Focus:

Discretion

The ability to avoid words, actions, and attitudes which could result in undesirable consequences

Theme Song:

“He Is Able to Deliver You”

Command of Christ:

16. Do Not Cast Pearls (Matt. 7:6)

Character Development

- Types of fools that confirm the warning of Matthew 7:6 10–20
- How God transformed a committed fool into an obedient servant . . 25–43

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Roots of Hebrew words 4, 10–20
- Vocabulary 21–24
- Greek word study 4, 10

Optional resources:

- The Pilgrim’s Progress*, John Bunyan, ISBN: 978-0-486-42675-4
- The Pilgrim’s Progress in Modern English*, John Bunyan, ISBN: 978-0-88270-757-0
- Little Pilgrim’s Progress*, Helen Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-8024-4926-9
- Your Growing Child*, Time-Life Books
- Write Better, Speak Better*, Reader’s Digest
- The Way of the Master*, Ray Comfort and Kirk Cameron, ISBN: 978-0-88270-220-9
- Martin Luther*, Stephen J. Nichols, ISBN: 978-0-87552-556-3
- Martin Luther: A Man Who Changed The World*, Paul L. Maier, ISBN: 978-0-7586-0626-6

- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP

History and Geography

- Biography of John Newton 25–43

Optional resources:

- New England Primer*
- Imitation of Christ*, Thomas à Kempis, ISBN: 978-1-56563-436-7
- The Runaway’s Revenge: John Newton*, Dave and Neta Jackson, ISBN: 978-1-55661-471-2
- 101 Hymn Stories*, Kenneth W. Osbeck, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3416-7
- Hero for Humanity*, Kevin Belmonte, ISBN: 978-0-310-27488-9
- Amazing Grace in the Life of William Wilberforce*, John Piper, ISBN: 978-1-58134-875-0

Science

- Characteristics of hogs and dogs 44–47

Optional resources:

- Lessons From A Sheep Dog*, Phillip Keller, ISBN: 978-0-8499-1765-3
- John Hyde: Apostle of Prayer*, Captain E.G. Carre, ed., ISBN: 978-0-88270-541-5

Mathematics

- Percentages 48–54
- Opinion polls and quotas 48–54

Wisdom Booklet 47

Prayer requires effort.



Scripture Passage:

“Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you: For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. Or what man is there of you, whom if his son ask bread, will he give him a stone? Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?” (Matt. 7:7–11).

Character Focus:

Resourcefulness
Wise use of that which others would normally overlook or discard

Character Development

- How seeking the Lord is affected by our heart attitudes 12–21
- How presumption hindered asking, seeking, and knocking 12–21

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ*, Series Six, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–21

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Joni*, Joni Eareckson Tada, ISBN: 978-0-310-24001-3
- A Step Further*, Joni Eareckson Tada, ISBN: 978-0-310-23971-0
- David Livingstone: Africa’s Trailblazer*, Janet and Geoff Bengé, ISBN: 978-1-57658-153-7
- The Power of Spoken Blessings*, Dr. Bill Gothard, ISBN: 978-1-59052-375-9
- The Pineapple Story*, Otto Koning, IBLP, ISBN: 978-0-916888-03-9
- The Pineapple Story Series*, Otto Koning, IBLP (CD set)
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

History and Geography

- Biography of William Carey, missionary to India 22–32

Optional resources:

- Operation World: When We Pray God Works*, Patrick Johnstone and Jason Mandryk, ISBN: 978-1-85078-357-2
- The Name Book*, Dorothy Astoria, ISBN: 978-1-55661-982-3

Science

- Development and effect of ocean waves 33–36
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Optional resources:

- How to Make an Appeal*, IBLP

Health and Medicine

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Wisdom Booklet 48

Love fulfills the Law.

Scripture Passage:

“Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets” (Matt. 7:12).

Character Focus:

Sensitivity

Exercising my senses so I can perceive the true spirit and emotions of those around me

Theme Song:

“Make Me a Blessing”

Command of Christ:

18. Do Unto Others (Matt. 7:12)

Character Development

- How does the Law guard the Golden Rule? 10–15
- How can future pain be avoided through the standard of love? 16–21

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–19

Optional resources:

- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Pollyanna*, Eleanor H. Porter, ISBN: 978-0-14-036682-2
- Through Gates of Splendor*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-8423-7151-3
- The Savage My Kinsman*, Elisabeth Elliot, ISBN: 978-0-8307-3486-3
- The Way of the Master*, Ray Comfort and Kirk Cameron, ISBN: 978-0-88270-220-9
- The Power of Spoken Blessings*, Bill Gothard, ISBN: 978-1-59052-375-9

History and Geography

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- Leaning Tower of Pisa 20–27

Optional resources:

- Men’s Manual*, Vol. II, IBLP

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Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP

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- Lines and graphs 45–46
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Law and Government

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Optional resources:

- God and Government: Issues in Biblical Perspective*, Vol. II, Gary DeMar, ISBN: 978-0-915815-01-2

Health and Medicine

- How the spinal reflexes work 56–62
- How diseases and injury hinder reflexes 61–62

Optional resources:

- Louis Pasteur: Founder of Modern Medicine*, John Hudson Tiner, ISBN: 978-0-88062-159-5



Wisdom Booklet 49

Following requires trust.

Scripture Passage:

“Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it”

(Matt. 7:13–14).

Character Focus:

Orderliness

Preparing myself and my surroundings so I will achieve the greatest efficiency

Theme Song:

“Nothing but the Blood”

Command of Christ:

19. Choose the Narrow Way (Matt. 7:13–14)

Character Development

- How the words “straight” and “strait” explain the way to life 12–17

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary, etymology, and usage 12–17

Optional resources:

- Corrie ten Boom: Shining in the Darkness*, Renee Taft Meloche, ISBN: 978-1-57658-231
- The Heavenly Man: The Remarkable True Story of Chinese Christian Brother Yun*, Brother Yun and Paul Hathaway, ISBN: 978-0-8254-6207-8
- Imprisoned in Iran*, Dan Baumann, ISBN: 978-1-57658-180-3
- Little Pilgrim’s Progress*, Helen L. Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-8024-4924-5
- Evidence Not Seen*, Darlene Deibler Rose, ISBN: 978-0-06-067020-7
- The Hiding Place*, Corrie ten Boom, ISBN: 978-1-57748-919-1
- Corrie ten Boom: Keeper of the Angel’s Den*, Janet and Geoff Bengé, ISBN: 978-1-57658-136-0
- The New Foxe’s Book of Martyrs*, John Foxe, ISBN: 978-0-88270-672-6
- The Light and the Glory*, Peter Marshall and David Manuel, ISBN: 978-0-8007-5054-1

History and Geography

- Biography of Dwight L. Moody 18–39

Optional resources:

- Sankey: The Singer and His Song*, Helen Rothwell, ISBN: 978-1-898787-64-8
- The Power of Spoken Blessings*, Bill Gothard, ISBN: 978-1-59052-375-9
- D. L. Moody*, Bonnie C. Harvey, ISBN: 978-1-59789-116-5
- D. L. Moody: Soul Winner*, Chester Mann, ISBN: 978-1-84030-007-9
- C. T. Studd—Cricketer & Pioneer*, Norman Grubb, ISBN: 978-0-87508-202-85

Science

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Optional resources:

- Liquids and Gases: Principles of Fluid Mechanics*, Paul Fleisher, ISBN: 978-0-8225-2988-0
- Hands-On Science*, John Graham, ISBN: 978-0-7534-5440-4

Authority Through Accuracy

- The strategic significance of the Strait of Gibraltar 47–50

Optional resource:

- Flame in the Wind*, Unusual Films, ISBNs: 978-1-59166-224-2 (DVD), 978-1-57924-012-7 (VHS)
- Special Wonders of the Sea World*, Buddy and Kay Davis, ISBN: 978-0-89051-253-1



Wisdom Booklet 50

Evil is most dangerous when disguised with partial truth.

Scripture Passage:

“Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep’s clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves” (Matt. 7:15).

Character Focus:

Alertness

Being aware of that which is taking place around me so I can have the right response to it

Theme Song:

“Sound the Battle Cry”

Command of Christ:

20. Beware of False Prophets (Matt. 7:15–16)

Further Study Focus:

- U.S. western expansion, Spanish-American War, Mexican War

Character Development

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- How to recognize characteristics of a false prophet17–22
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Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Three, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. II, IBLP

Language and Communications

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- Greek word study4, 10–13
- Deceptive and manipulative sales tactics14–24

Optional resources:

- The Queen’s Smuggler*, Dave and Neta Jackson, ISBN: 978-1-55661-221-3
- The New Foxe’s Book of Martyrs*, John Foxe, ISBN: 978-0-88270-875-1
- Men’s Manual*, Vol. I, IBLP
- Basic Seminar Textbook*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP
- Even the Sound Waves Obey Him: Bible Stories Brought to Life With Science*, Nancy B. Kennedy, ISBN: 978-0-7586-0985-4

History and Geography

- Biography of Joseph Smith25–35
- Beginning of the Mormon religion25–35
- History of rock music25–35

Optional resources:

- The Kingdom of the Cults*, Walter Martin, ISBN: 978-0-7642-2821-6
- The Mexican-American War*, Don Nardo, ISBN: 978-1-56006-495-4
- The Mexican-American War: Chronicles of America’s Wars*, Ruth Tenzer Feldman, ISBN: 978-0-8225-0831-1
- The Battle of Little Bighorn*, Edward F. Dolan, ISBN: 978-0-7614-1457-5
- More Than a Hobby: How a \$600 Startup Became America’s Home and Craft Superstore*, David Green and Dean Merrill, ISBN: 978-0-7852-0831-0
- Hudson Taylor*, J. Hudson Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-87123-951-8
- The Autobiography of George Müller*, George Müller, ISBN: 978-0-88368-159-6

Science

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Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vols. I and II, IBLP

Law and Government

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Wisdom Booklet 51

Every Christian must be a fruit inspector.

Scripture Passage:

“Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles? Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them”

(Matt. 7:16–20).

Character Focus:

Discernment

The God-given ability to understand why things happen

Theme Song:

“Channels Only”

Character Development

- How Scripture clarifies the nature of a false prophet 10–13

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Two, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vols. II and III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–11
- Vocabulary 12–19

Optional resources:

- The New Manners and Customs of Bible Times*, Ralph Gower, ISBN: 978-0-8024-5954-1
- The Power of Spoken Blessings*, Bill Gothard, ISBN: 978-1-59052-375-9
- So What’s the Difference? How World Faiths Compare to Christianity*, Fritz Ridenour, ISBN: 978-0-8307-1898-6
- Martin Luther*, Edward Prince Booth and Daniel E. Harmon, ISBN: 978-1-55748-727-8
- Martin Luther: The Great Reformer*, J. A. Morrison, ISBN: 978-1-930092-16-7
- For Kirk and Covenant: The Stalwart Courage of John Knox*, Douglas Wilson, ISBN: 987-1-57748-738-8
- The Case for Christ*, Lee Strobel, ISBN: 978-0-310-20930-0

History and Geography

- The results of the humanistic reasoning of Hegel, Marx, and Hitler . . 20–24

Optional resources:

- Russia and the USSR, 1905–1991*, Philip Ingram, ISBN: 978-0-521-56867-8
- Hitler’s War Against the Jews: A Young Adult’s Version of the War Against the Jews, 1933–1945*, David A. Altshuler and Lucy S. Dawidowicz, ISBN: 978-0-87441-222-2
- The Holocaust: The World and the Jews*, Seymour Rossel, ISBN: 978-0-87441-526-1
- Dietrich Bonhoeffer: Called by God*, Elizabeth Raum, ISBN: 978-0-8264-1554-7
- Let the Waters Roar: Evangelists in the Gulag*, Georgi Vins, ISBN: 978-0-8010-9308-1
- The New Foxe’s Book of Martyrs*, John Foxe, ISBN: 978-0-88270-875-1
- Konshaubi*, Georgi Vins, ISBN: 978-0-8010-9305-0

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- Cross-pollination 34
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Optional resources:

- City of the Bees*, Moody Science Classics, ISBNs: 978-1-57567-255-7 (DVD), 978-1-57567-033-1 (VHS)



Wisdom Booklet 52

To know Christ is to do the will of the Father.

Scripture Passage:

“Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity”

(Matt. 7:21–23).

Character Focus:

Diligence

Visualizing each task as a special assignment from the Lord and using all my energies to accomplish it

Character Development

- How the will behind our works can reveal iniquity 10–13

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Seven, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vol. III, IBLP
- The Westminster Shorter Catechism*

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–13
- Vocabulary 14–20

Optional resources:

- The New Manners and Customs of Bible Times*, Ralph Gower, ISBN: 978-0-8024-5954-1

History and Geography

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Optional resources:

- Tower of Babel*, Jon Taylor, ISBN: 978-0-89051-487-0
- Empty Cities*, Moody Science Classics, ISBNs: 978-1-57567-249-6 (DVD), 978-0-8024-6148-3 (VHS)

Science

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- Names and the meanings of the stars 40–45
- Methods of navigation 40–45
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Optional resources:

- Eternity in Their Hearts*, Don Richardson, ISBN: 978-0-8307-3837-3

Law and Government

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Optional resources:

- The Pineapple Story*, Otto Koning, IBLP, ISBN: 978-0-916888-03-9
- The Pineapple Story Series*, Otto Koning, IBLP (CD set)

Health and Medicine

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Optional resources:

- City of the Bees*, Moody Science classics, ISBNs: 978-1-57567-255-7 (DVD), 978-1-57567-033-1 (VHS)
- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

Wisdom Booklet 53

Strong foundations endure storms.



Scripture Passage:

“Therefore whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: and the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock. And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: and the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it”

(Matt. 7:24–27).

Character Focus:

Dependability

Fulfilling what I consented to do even if it means unexpected sacrifice

Character Development

- How servanthood allows us to do the sayings of Christ 15–25

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Six, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP
- Character Sketches*, Vols. I and III, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–14
- Analyzing writing 10–14
- Characteristics of a servant 15–25

Optional resources:

- The Little Book of Etiquette*, Dorothea Johnson, ISBN: 978-0-7624-0009-6

History and Geography

- Marriages of great Christians 26–29
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- John and Idelette Calvin 23–25
- John and Molly Wesley 26–28
- John and Elizabeth Bunyan 28–30
- Hudson and Maria Taylor 30–34
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Optional resources:

- The Wedding Covenant*, IBLP
- Establishing Biblical Standards of Courtship*, IBLP
- Understanding How Others Misunderstand You*, Ken Voges and Ron Braund, ISBN: 978-0-8024-1106-8
- This Was John Calvin*, Thea B. Van Halsema, ISBN: 978-0-8010-9283-1
- The Pilgrim’s Progress in Modern English*, John Bunyan, ISBN: 978-0-88270-757-0

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Optional resources:

- The Gate: The True Story of the Design and Construction of the Golden Gate Bridge*, John Van Der Zee, ISBN: 978-0-595-09429-5
- Bridges!: Amazing Structures to Design, Build and Test*, Carol A. Johmann and Elizabeth J. Rieth, ISBN: 978-1-885593-30-6
- Exploring Planet Earth*, John Hudson Tiner, ISBN: 978-0-89051-178-7

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Wisdom Booklet 54

Life messages astonish others.



Scripture Passage:

“And it came to pass, when Jesus had ended these sayings, the people were astonished at his doctrine: For he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes”

(Matt. 7:28–29).

Character Focus:

Love

Giving to others’ basic needs without having as my motive personal reward

Theme Song:

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

Command of Christ:

49. Make Disciples
(Matt. 28:19–20)

Further Study Focus:

- Modern Egypt
- Kingdom Fungi

Character Development

- How creation illustrates the astonishing nature of Christ 10–18

Optional resources:

- The Power for True Success*, IBLP
- Achieving True Success*, IACC
- Commands of Christ*, Series Seven, IBLP
- Commands of Christ Memorization and Meditation Journal*, IBLP

Language and Communications

- Greek word study 4, 10–18
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Optional resources:

- Advanced Seminar Textbook*, IBLP

History and Geography

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Optional resources:

- My Utmost for His Highest*, Oswald Chambers, ISBN: 978-0-916441-42-5
- A Biographical Sketch of C. H. Spurgeon*, Ken Connolly, ISBN: 978-1-56186-418-8
- A Pictorial Biography of C. H. Spurgeon*, Bob Ross, ISBN: 978-1-56186-205-4
- Spurgeon and Son*, Craig Skinner, ISBN: 978-0-8254-3699-4
- Her Utmost For His Highest: The Bidley Chambers Story*, Marsha Drake and Norman B. Rohrer, ISBN: 978-1-4143-1467-9

- The Gregg Shorthand Manual Simplified*, John R. Gregg, Louis A. Leslie, and Charles E. Zoubek, ISBN: 978-0-07-024548-8
- Course in Isaac Pitman Shorthand*, Isaac Pitman, ISBN: 978-1-60424-126-6
- Oswald Chambers: Abandoned to God: The Life Story of the Author of My Utmost for His Highest*, David McCasland, ISBN: 978-1-57293-050-6

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Optional resources:

- Character Sketches*, Vol. I, IBLP

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- The Tempting of America*, Robert Bork, ISBN: 978-0-684-84337-7
- Alexander Graham Bell*, Patricia Ryon Quiri, ISBN: 978-0-531-20022-3

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Insights Through Investigation—headings

1. Why are there different languages?
2. What title of Jesus Christ is drawn directly from the Greek alphabet?
3. Why should we study word meanings in Scripture?
4. How do Greek tenses unlock the secret of becoming a true mourner?
5. How can special tools uncover the meanings of New Testament words?
6. What is the precise meaning of the righteousness for which we are to hunger and thirst?
7. What is the precise definition of the word “mercy” in the Greek language?
8. Discover the meanings of Greek words
9. What is the true function of a peacemaker? (Walter Lewis Wilson)
10. What does Greek grammar reveal?
11. Learn how reviling strengthens our faith
12. How should the “mood” of Christ’s teaching influence believers?
13. How does the personal pronoun in Greek intensify a statement?
14. How does the voice of Greek verbs confirm the problem of savorless believers?
15. Do you know the “road signs” of the Greek New Testament?
16. How can study references illuminate Scripture?
17. What makes a good work “good”?
18. How do Greek negatives emphasize that Christ did not come to destroy the Law?
19. How does a subjunctive verb confirm the permanence of Scripture?
20. How does a special Greek superlative emphasize the need to obey God’s Law?
21. How can an understanding of “hell fire” stop us from calling anyone a fool?
22. What Greek words did Paul use to encourage reconciliation?
23. How does Greek identify the believer’s most crucial enemy?
24. How does the Greek confirm the danger of partners’ defiling their marriage by lust?
25. How the Greek word for “offend” emphasizes the need for self-control
26. How does a threefold test confirm the meaning of the exception clause?
27. How does the Greek word for “evil” reveal the true nature of swearing?
28. What tests regulate the meaning of “resist not evil”?
29. How does “telios” clarify the meaning of “be ye perfect”?
30. How does a Greek infinitive expose wrong motives for doing alms?
31. How does the word for “closet” reveal insights about its function?
32. What valuable tools can help uncover hidden nuggets of truth?
33. How does the Greek structure reveal the true meaning of this verse?
34. How the word “bread” reveal God’s way to riches, honor, and life
35. What does the history of the Greek word “forgive” reveal?
36. How do Greek words define “lead us not into temptation”?
37. What is the true meaning of “secret” fasting?
38. How does the Greek text clarify “laying up treasures”?
39. How does the meaning of “single” reveal rich truths of Scripture?
40. How does Greek reveal the impossibility of serving two masters?
41. How can “taking no thought” give us freedom and direction?
42. How Hebrew explains the folly of taking thought for one’s stature
43. How did Jesus measure His disciples’ faith?
44. How does God’s first command relate to seeking His Kingdom?
45. How Biblical principles of judgment keep us from judging others
46. How do types of fools confirm the warning of Matthew 7:6?
47. How does God’s description of “good things” differ from ours?
48. How does the Law guard the “Golden Rule”?
49. How do the words “straight” and “strait” explain the way to life?
50. What is God’s way to wisely respond to false prophets?
51. How does Scripture clarify the nature of a false prophet?
52. How can the will behind our works reveal iniquity?
53. How can we gain fresh insight from a passage?
54. How does the word “schoolmaster” reveal Jesus’ authority?

Power Through Precision—headings

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2. Establish the valuable discipline of keeping your own journal
3. Learn words that describe the true condition of the heart
4. How does true mourning lead to genuine repentance?
How to break up the “fallow ground” in your heart
5. Discover the wisdom of meekness
6. How to express the desire to hunger and thirst after righteousness
7. Learn words that will define the scope of showing mercy
8. What are the prerequisites for and the process of “seeing” God?
9. Learn words that define the scope of peacemaking
10. Learn words that will clarify persecution and give direction in responding to it
11. Learn words that give wise perspective to verbal persecutions
12. Discover the disciplines of rejoicing that are necessary in persecution
13. Learn words that define our responsibility to retard evil
14. Learn words that describe the process of diminishing savor
15. Learn words that describe how to be light in darkness
16. How to give light to the lives of others
17. How can our good works cause others to glorify God?
18. Learn words that explain how Old Testament Law relates to New Testament believers
19. Learn words which explain how Old Testament Law gives light to New Testament commands
20. Learn words that describe what it means to keep the Law
21. How is anger defined and overcome?
22. Learn words that explain how to be reconciled
23. How can we agree with an adversary quickly?
24. Learn words that define the difference between normal and abnormal desire
25. What is the only motivation strong enough to keep us morally pure?
26. Discover the meanings of the words used to describe marriage
27. How do careless words cause us to unknowingly forswear ourselves?
28. How can “turning the other cheek” overcome wrong attitudes?
29. How does “blessing” fulfill the command to love your enemies?
30. Learn words that reveal needs of those to whom we are to do alms
31. Learn to “stand in the gap” through effectual secret prayer
32. Learn to hallow God’s name by praying in Jesus’ name
33. Seven questions to help you discern the will of God in daily decisions
34. How does Scripture reveal the way God gives us daily bread?
35. Learn five terms that describe ineffective attempts to forgive
36. How are the giants in David’s life like the temptations we face?
37. How does God direct us to fast and reward us for doing it?
38. How do personal goals reveal a thrifty or miserly mindset?
39. How can we know whether or not we have an “evil eye”?
40. How to discern whether you are trying to serve both God and mammon
41. What are the consequences of “taking thought”?
42. How to be free from taking thought about our statures
43. How do the lilies of the field confirm why God covers nakedness?
44. How can couples avoid traps in order to seek God’s Kingdom first?
45. How to turn a desire to judge into a mirror for self-examination
46. How to answer questions without casting pearls before swine
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48. How can future pain be avoided through the standard of love?
49. How being broad-minded leads to the road of destruction
50. How to recognize the characteristics of a false prophet
51. Discerning factious believers, fallen brethren, and false prophets
52. How can our words and deeds be done in the name of Jesus?
53. How does a servant’s spirit enable us to obey God’s instruction?
54. How the Sermon on the Mount teaches us to speak with authority

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2. The revolt of the Maccabees
3. Does music express or determine the spirit of an age?
4. The man whose sermon God used to begin the “Great Awakening” (Jonathan Edwards/”Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God”)
5. How did an ineffective missionary receive God’s power after learning meekness? (Otto Koning)
6. How a failing student became a wise scholar by seeking God’s righteousness (Adam Clarke)
7. How the blindness of one person caused millions to “see” (Fanny Crosby)
8. How the hand of God was moved by a man with a pure heart (George Müller)
9. How God has prepared every culture in the world for the message of His peacemakers
10. How a Godly response to persecution changed history (the Wesley)
11. How a persecuted pilgrim influenced the world (John Bunyan)
12. How does God use persecution to spread the Gospel?
13. How did “salt” in one man’s life create “thirst” in the lives of thousands? (Hudson Taylor)
14. What causes dynamic, Godly ministries to lose their savor?
15. How did the light of Scripture shine in Europe before the Reformation? (Peter Waldo and the Waldensians)
16. How was the light of Scripture hidden by those who tried to protect it? (Essenes/monasteries)
17. How did the Battle of Solferino awaken the world to the need for good works? (Henri Dunant)
18. Why was it impossible for Christ to destroy the Law or the prophets?
19. How have the details of Scripture been preserved and confirmed throughout history?
20. How did the “guardians” of God’s Law eventually become a law unto themselves?
21. How did anger spark the Bolshevik Revolution?
22. How did eight unfortunate words change a man’s life? (David Brainerd)
23. How did English debtors’ prisons illustrate paying the “last farthing”?
24. How does a person’s morality dictate his theology and his philosophy? (Socrates, Plato, Aristotle, Marx, Neitzsche, Hitler)
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25. How the pleasures and treasures of Egypt made Moses’s choice significant?
26. How did a sixteenth-century humanist influence today’s views on divorce and remarriage? (Erasmus)
27. Was it right for Rahab to lie in order to protect the spies?
28. How did “resist not evil” influence nonresistance movements?
29. How did one man’s love open a hostile country to the Gospel? (Adoniram Judson)
30. How God rewarded alms with the ability to move mountains (R. G. LeTourneau)
31. How did God openly reward the secret prayer life of John Hyde?
32. How one man conquered what armies could not (Jonathan Goforth)
33. How did the Pilgrims seek to carry out God’s will on earth?
34. How has rejection of daily bread resulted in a quest for white bread?
35. How did forgiving offenders free a prisoner? (Corrie ten Boom)
36. How did God demonstrate His power to deliver from death? (Battle of Dunkirk)
How did prayer deliver a Godly general and his troops? (George Washington)
37. How did personal disciplines help prepare a messenger of God? (George Whitefield)
38. How desiring eternal treasure taught how to manage earthly treasure (John Wanamaker)
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40. How did a young millionaire serve God rather than money? (William Whiting Borden)
41. How did a humble maid face obstacles by “taking no thought”? (Gladys Aylward)
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50. How did immoral appetites dictate a man's theology?
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51. How a false prophet unleashed a "wolf" who devoured others
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4. Insights from agriculture on God's purpose for mourning
5. How does a grain of wheat illustrate the principle of meekness?
6. What ten eating habits of sheep reveal secrets of meditation?
7. How do the ways that herbs serve man illustrate mercy?
8. How does the refiner's fire relate to the purifying of our hearts?
9. How do stars illustrate the glory of peacemakers?
10. How do the tactics of predators illustrate the methods of Satan in pursuing the righteous?
11. How does the palm tree teach believers to withstand persecution?
12. How does the world of nature illustrate the benefits of struggle?
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21. How do active volcanoes illustrate the destructive works of anger?
22. What insights do wolves give into the nature of reconciliation?
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23. How do nuclear reactions confirm the need to agree quickly?
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25. How pruning reveals the need to cut hindrances from our lives
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36. How is the eagle an illustration of a believer rising above evil?
37. How does a black bear illustrate the benefits of fasting?
38. How do moths and rust corrupt our earthly treasures?
39. How do animals illustrate ways an "evil eye" responds to light?
40. How do magnets illustrate our inability to serve two masters?
41. How does God feed the fowls of the air?
42. How does the turkey vulture show flexibility?
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48. How is the Golden Rule clarified by symbiosis in the world of nature?
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51. How does a good tree bring forth good fruit?
52. How has man opposed God's will by perverting the meaning of the stars?
53. How the Golden Gate Bridge shows the value of building on a rock
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3. How does mathematics emphasize our total dependence on God?
4. What mathematical calculations prompted God to spare Nineveh?
5. How did God use mathematics to develop meekness in Moses's life?
6. How can determining proper body weight help regulate diet?
7. How are mercy and mathematics related?
8. How does learning about fractions help us to understand being pure in heart?
9. How can mathematics motivate us to be peacemakers?
10. How do the properties of friction allow us to understand the forces of persecution?
11. How does the development of wind give insight to the rise of persecution?
12. How do the laws of the harvest relate to our rewards in heaven?
13. How do the characteristics of salt illustrate God's design for believers?
14. What causes salt and believers to lose their savor?
15. How does the speed of light illustrate the light of believers?
16. How does light reveal the need for effective witnesses?
17. How do the laws of reflection illustrate the laws of doing good works?
18. How does algebra show the need for indestructible laws?
19. How does the study of details increase our understanding of God's Word?
20. How do measurements express God's character and His requirements for righteousness?
21. How do mathematical sets condemn Pharisees?
22. How does balancing a bank statement illustrate reconciliation?
23. (No Authority Through Accuracy Resource in this booklet)
24. How can graphs help us visualize the consequences of lust?
25. When is it beneficial to discard insignificant digits?
26. How do prime numbers illustrate the principle of "one flesh"?
27. How do extraneous words in defining problems increase the risk of error?
28. How does compound interest demonstrate the rewards of giving?
29. How does mathematics show God's point of view regarding perfection?
30. How do mathematical sets illustrate God's standard for doing alms?
31. How does the zero reveal the true nature of vain repetitions?
32. (No Authority through Accuracy Resource in this booklet)
33. How do lines and angles illustrate following God's will?
34. What requirement for daily bread cannot be overlooked?
35. What can we learn from Christ's teaching about forgiving debt?
36. How does God use math to express "forever"?
37. How do binoculars illustrate three benefits of fasting?
38. How do earthly treasures corrupt?
39. How does transparency illustrate a "single eye"?
40. How do time payments rob us of the freedom to serve God?
41. How do geometric axioms illustrate that life is more than meat?
42. How does God's forethought make drawing a person easy?
43. How does topography reveal God's design for clothing the earth?
44. How does the study of demography relate to the Kingdom of God?
45. How principles of perspective drawing relate to judging others?
46. How can opinion polls become "swine" that trample wisdom?
47. How do equations illustrate asking, seeking, and knocking?
48. How do horizontal and vertical lines illustrate Law and the prophets?
49. How does the Strait of Gibraltar illustrate the nature of a strait gate?
50. How are the practices of false prophets used to deceive customers?
51. How does a fruit inspector select the best fruit?
52. How navigation methods illustrate ways of seeking God's Kingdom?
53. How is believing in a worldwide Flood like building on the rock?
54. How do fiber optics illustrate the authority of transmitting the truth?

Law Resource—headings

1. How does God see law differently than man sees law?
2. How did the law system of the United States come into being?
3. Why must laws be based on God's justice rather than on man's fairness?
4. Ten cardinal rules of cross-examination
5. How is the covenant of marriage a classroom for learning meekness?
6. How did a hunger for righteousness bring the United States into existence?
7. How is mercy in the court regulated by jurisdiction?
8. The hidden dangers of a "pluralistic" society
9. How was the founding of the American republic influenced by a peacemaker in Europe? (John Calvin)
10. How has humanism taken over a Biblically based law system?
11. How do courts define and deal with libel and slander?
12. How do the benefits of suffering enable us to rejoice in persecution?
13. What is the relationship between salt and legal agreements?
14. How did savorless believers allow the rise of a Godless dictator?
15. How do the commandments of the father and the laws of the mother give light?
16. How are the requirements of a legal witness and of a Christian witness similar?
17. How did one man glorify God in developing a nation? (John Adams)
18. How did the rejection of God's Law in France produce the reign of terror?
19. How does the perfection of God's Law allow us to apply it to new situations in our day?
20. How have the "keepers" of the law of the United States become a law unto themselves?
21. How did Christ reaffirm the real intent of the Sixth Commandment?
22. How do lie detector tests confirm the need for reconciliation?
23. What does it mean to pay the "uttermost farthing" in court?
How can due process be applied to agreeing with an adversary?
24. How is understanding the consequences of nakedness vital to making indecency laws?
25. (No Law Resource in this booklet)
26. What divorce laws are both unscriptural and unconstitutional?
27. How do U.S. laws reinforce God's law against forswearing?
28. Why is restitution important in the criminal law system?
29. How should laws be designed to encourage us to love our enemies?
30. How does welfare violate Biblical principles of almsgiving?
31. How does the "right to privacy" provide insights on secret prayer?
32. How does God clarify the legal responsibilities of earthly fathers?
33. How does "utopia" violate the concept of God's Kingdom
34. What consequences result when government provides daily bread?
35. How does God use laws to discipline both debtors and creditors?
36. How has God provided crying out for deliverance from evil?
37. How do laws that protect a day of rest encourage fasting?
38. How do U.S. laws penalize those who lay up treasures on earth?
39. How does rejecting light lead to intensified darkness?
40. How can citizenship reflect trying to serve two masters?
How is a partnership an example of trying to serve two masters?
41. How does "take no thought for your life" relate to insurance?
42. How is man's "dream" to "add a cubit" turning into a nightmare?
43. How do environmental protection laws help "clothe" the earth?
44. How does failure to seek the Kingdom of God bring death to children?
45. How does tort abuse show the consequences of judging others?
46. How did a Christian suffer when he cast pearls to "legal dogs"?
(William Jennings Bryan)
47. How does a petition to a court illustrate supplication?
48. How does the Law of Love stabilize a nation's economy?
49. Is a vote for democracy a vote for the strait way or the broad way?
50. How do false prophets use music to contribute to delinquency?
51. How are gambling laws like masks that disguise false prophets?
52. How does paying taxes relate to doing the will of God?
53. How does the United States illustrate building on rock and then sand?
54. When do judges speak as scribes rather than with authority?

Medicine Resource—headings

1. How does our sight affect our strength?
2. How do the functions of speech illustrate the principles of discipleship?
3. How does ptosis of the eyelids illustrate being poor in spirit?
4. How does mourning affect appetite?
5. How can the lack of meekness affect the teeth and the jaws?
6. How does hunger illustrate a Christian's need for God's Word?
7. How does a lack of mercy trouble the bones?
How do the ways that herbs serve man illustrate mercy?
8. How do "opportunistic" agents illustrate the need to be pure in heart?
9. How do problems in our feet illustrate conditions that hinder peacemakers?
10. How do physical benefits of pain reveal spiritual benefits of persecution?
11. How does the body's immune system illustrate the protection we need during verbal attacks?
12. How do the benefits of exercise illustrate the rewards of persecution?
13. How does the ear "taste" words as the tongue tastes food?
14. How does a lack of salt in the body show the danger of unsavory believers?
15. How does the laser illustrate the potential of unified Christians?
Learn ten ways to direct the eyes of others to your countenance
16. How can wise counsel give light in difficult situations?
17. How to give others the light of their names so that they will give glory to God
18. How do the holy days of Israel illustrate the development of a child in the womb?
19. What are the medical benefits of applying the principles of the ceremonial law?
20. How the worst plague in history confirmed the value of keeping every law of God
21. How does medical research confirm the harmful effects of anger on the heart?
22. How does the heart help the mind remember offenses to reconcile?
23. Why must we deal with both medical injuries and adversaries promptly?
24. How does the nature of venereal diseases illustrate the consequences of lust?
25. How does gangrene illustrate the danger of not removing lust?
26. How does genetics confirm the truth that "two shall be one flesh"?
27. How can you help hospitals and doctors avoid forswearing?
28. How does guilt produce physical and psychological disorders?
29. Which first-aid skills must a "good Samaritan" learn?
30. How does giving blood show the requirements of doing alms?
31. How does a hidden system illustrate secret prayer?
32. How do a father's responsibilities illustrate God's care?
33. How to discern God's will when dealing with sickness
34. How does increasing daily bread decrease the risk of disease?
35. How does scar tissue reveal the nature of forgiveness?
36. How do inherited traits affect the intensity of temptations?
37. What are some of the physiological benefits of fasting?
38. How do responses to aging determine the way we invest treasures?
39. How do abnormal eye conditions illustrate causes of spiritual darkness?
40. How do chelators demonstrate serving only one master?
41. How does God chasten those who "take thought" for the future?
42. How do man's attempts to "add stature" lead to his condemnation?
43. How does hypothermia confirm our need for clothing?
44. How do childbirth myths hinder the growth of the Kingdom of God?
45. How does the reticular formation require righteous judgment?
46. How pearls of medical wisdom have been trampled underfoot
47. How does the gallbladder transport good gifts?
48. How do spinal reflexes illustrate God's design for perfect love?
49. How does the circulatory system illustrate the strait way?
50. How do cancer cells behave like false prophets?
51. How does ribonucleic acid illustrate good and evil fruit?
52. How do honey and sugar illustrate the effects of good and evil works?
53. How does periodontal disease illustrate eroding foundations?
54. How Jesus showed authority during His death and resurrection

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1	Mt. 5:1a	God sees differently than we see.	Alertness	29. Receive Little Ones	“Open My Eyes That I May See”
2	5:1b–2	Discipleship requires a decision.	Self-Control	19. Choose the Narrow Way	“We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”
3	5:3	Humility comes by understanding depravity.	Gratefulness	34. Be a Servant	“Just as I Am”
4	5:4	Mourning requires visualization.	Humility	1. Repent	“Amazing Grace”
5	5:5	Meekness requires dying to self.	Meekness	2. Follow Me	“Is Your All on the Altar?”
6	5:6	Hunger is natural; appetite is learned.	Diligence	46. Feed My Sheep	“Break Thou the Bread of Life”
7	5:7	To receive mercy, we must give mercy.	Gentleness	21. Pray for Laborers	“There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy”
8	5:8	Purity is single-mindedness.	Sincerity	11. Be Perfect	“Take Time to Be Holy”
9	5:9	Peacemaking is a way of life.	Wisdom	49. Make Disciples 47. Baptize My Disciples	“Rescue the Perishing”
10	5:10	Every kingdom has an army.	Boldness	23. Fear Not	“Am I a Soldier of the Cross?”
11	5:11	Godliness brings verbal attacks.	Endurance	48. Receive God’s Power	“My Anchor Holds”
12	5:12	Rejoicing requires hope.	Joyfulness	3. Rejoice	“When We See Christ”
13	5:13a	Others “taste” Christ through us.	Initiative	42. Take, Eat, and Drink	“Take My Life, and Let It Be”
14	5:13b	Ineffectiveness brings harsh consequences.	Thoroughness	42. Take, Eat, and Drink	“Must I Go, and Empty-Handed?”
15	5:14	Light overcomes darkness.	Truthfulness	4. Let Your Light Shine 26. Honor Parents	“Let the Lower Lights Be Burning”
16	5:15	Defeated Christians need rekindling.	Compassion	46. Feed My Sheep	“Jesus Bids Us Shine”
17	5:16	Doing good to others is doing good to Christ.	Creativity	40. Love Your Neighbor	“Stepping in the Light”
18	5:17	All Scripture is profitable.	Obedience	5. Honor God’s Law	“How Firm a Foundation”
19	5:18	Testing verifies permanence.	Punctuality	41. Await Christ’s Return	“The Bible Stands”
20	5:19–20	Little compromises bring great consequences.	Virtue	27. Beware of Leaven	“More About Jesus”
21	5:21–22	Anger violates love.	Tolerance	32. Forgive Offenders	“My Redeemer”
22	5:23–24	God requires reconciliation before worship.	Responsibility	6. Be Reconciled	“At the Cross”
23	5:25–26	Agreeing quickly requires wisdom and humility.	Wisdom	22. Be Wise	“Only a Sinner”
24	5:27–28	Decisiveness requires convictions.	Decisiveness	7. Do Not Lust	“Fill All My Vision”
25	5:29–30	Lust is a deadly trap.	Self-Control	7. Do Not Lust	“All for Jesus”
26	5:31–32	Marriage vows are for life.	Loyalty	33. Honor Marriage	“Sweeter as the Years Go By”
27	5:33–37	Truthfulness requires few words.	Cautiousness	8. Keep Your Word	“I Know Whom I Have Believed”
28	5:38–42	Retribution must include restoration.	Reverence	9. Go the Second Mile	“Redeemed”
29	5:43–48	Loving your enemies is a test of perfection.	Faith	10. Love Your Enemies	“A Child of the King”

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30	Mt. 6:1–4	Doing alms must glorify God.	Hospitality	37. Bring In the Poor 12. Practice Secret Disciplines	“To the Work!”
31	6:5–8	Intimacy requires privacy.	Attentiveness	24. Hear God’s Voice	“Sweet Hour of Prayer”
32	6:9	Our first concern must be to keep God’s name holy.	Persuasiveness	35. Be a House of Prayer	“Teach Me to Pray”
33	6:10	When two wills are yoked, one must defer to the other.	Deference	25. Take My Yoke	“Teach Me Thy Will, O Lord”
34	6:11	God gives bread through work.	Contentment	31. Beware of Covetousness	“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”
35	6:12, 14–15	The offended must initiate reconciliation.	Forgiveness	30. Go to Offenders	“And Can It Be”
36	6:13	Our lusts determine God’s tests.	Patience	45. Watch and Pray	“Be Thou Exalted”
37	6:16–18	Fasting brings focus and insight on a higher level.	Determination	28. Deny Yourself	“Jesus Paid It All”
38	6:19–21	What you treasure will capture your heart.	Thriftiness	13. Lay Up Treasures 38. Render to Caesar	“Take the World, But Give Me Jesus”
39	6:22–23	Darkness is natural. Light requires energy.	Generosity	48. Receive God’s Power	“Higher Ground”
40	6:24	Serving reveals our first love.	Enthusiasm	39. Love the Lord	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”
41	6:25–26	Future concerns hinder present achievement.	Security	43. Be Born Again	“Living for Jesus”
42	6:27	To reject a design is to reject the Designer.	Flexibility	31. Beware of Covetousness	“God Will Take Care of You”
43	6:28–30	Faith grows out of wisdom.	Availability	34. Be a Servant	“All Your Anxiety”
44	6:31–34	Right priorities result in provision.	Initiative	14. Seek God’s Kingdom	“Children of the Heavenly Father”
45	Mt. 7:1–5	Righteous judgment requires “due process.”	Justice	15. Judge Not	“Cleanse Me”
46	7:6	Spiritual treasures must be protected.	Discretion	16. Do Not Cast Pearls	“He Is Able to Deliver You”
47	7:7–11	Prayer requires effort.	Resourcefulness	17. Ask, Seek, and Knock 36. Ask in Faith	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”
48	7:12	Love fulfills the Law.	Sensitivity	18. Do Unto Others	“Make Me a Blessing”
49	7:13–14	Following requires trust.	Orderliness	19. Choose the Narrow Way	“Nothing but the Blood”
50	7:15	Evil is most dangerous when disguised with partial truth.	Alertness	20. Beware of False Prophets	“Sound the Battle Cry”
51	7:16–20	Every Christian must be a fruit inspector.	Discernment	20. Beware of False Prophets	“Channels Only”
52	7:21–23	To know Christ is to do the will of the Father.	Diligence	44. Keep My Commands	“Nothing Between”
53	7:24–27	Strong foundations endure storms.	Dependability	39. Love the Lord	“The Solid Rock”
54	7:28–29	Life messages astonish others.	Love	49. Make Disciples	“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”









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