



THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

I. Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

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

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

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

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

VI. Thou shalt not kill.

VII. Thou shalt not commit adultery.

VIII. Thou shalt not steal.

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

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

Sabbath School Study

July — August — September

CAUSE FOR THOUGHT

Third Quarter 2021

The Teachings of Jesus Christ

And now I say unto you, Refrain from these men, and let them alone: for if this counsel or this work be of men, it will come to nought: But if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; lest haply ye be found even to fight against God. (Acts 5:38, 39)

The Secret of Bible Study

Study IT through - Never begin a day without reading and understanding one of the questions of the next Sabbath's Lesson.

Pray about IT - Never leave your Bible until the text you have read and studied is a part of your very being.

Write IT down - The thoughts that God gives you put it on your margin or in a note book, etc. Refer to this when having the review or the study of the lesson in Sabbath school.

Work IT out - Live the truth you receive throughout the rest of the day and think about it as you go to sleep.

Pass IT on - Seek to tell somebody, your family, neighbour or friend, what you have learned and perhaps your listener will start to do the same thing as you. You will surely soon after have the beginnings of a Sabbath school.

HOW TO MEMORIZE THE GOLDEN TEXTS

THINK through the whole verse after reading a verse before and after. APPLY the verse personally. SAY the verse out loud. Check yourself for word perfection. USE the verse in your daily meditation and witness. REVIEW your verse every day of the week before the Sabbath — this is the real secret of memorization. LEARN at least one verse every week.

Determine to make your mind an obedient servant.

The intent and purpose of this set of lessons are that we familiarize ourselves with the power of God and the way of a meaningful life. The journey of a saint goes from day to day. The saint will have trials and tribulations. Smiles and tears, but God will turn his tears into a fountain of joy. Far from fainting and falling, the saint goes forth from strength to strength.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 25, 2021

THE TWO PRIESTHOODS

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 7.

Golden Text: Hebrews 7:11.

1. Who were given the charge to do the service of the tabernacle? Numbers 3:6, 7.
2. What portion was given the Levites for their inheritance? Numbers 18:21.
3. By what authority did the sons of Levi receive the tithes? Hebrews 7:5.
4. To what priest was the tribe of Levi given? Numbers 3:6, 9.
5. What things were observed by this priesthood? Leviticus 10:12, 13; 17:5.
6. To whom did Abraham give a tenth part of all? Hebrews 7:1, 2.
7. Instead of the offering of sacrifices what did this priest bring forth? Genesis 14:18.
8. What necessitated the change in the priesthood that it might be continual? Hebrews 7:3, 8.
9. After what order is our unchanging priesthood? Hebrews 7:15-17.
10. Who is our great high Priest? Hebrews 5:5, 6, 8-10.
11. What is our strong consolation? Hebrews 6:18-20.
12. Could salvation or perfection be attained under the Levitical priesthood? Hebrews 7:11.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 18, 2021

THE REIGN OF JESUS CHRIST

Scripture Reading: Revelation 20.

Golden Text: Revelation 19:16.

1. In computing time how long shall Christ reign? Revelation 11:15.
2. How many years are equivalent to "forever and ever"? Revelation 20:6 and last part of verse 4.
3. Where will the reign of Christ be? Revelation 5:9, 10.
4. Over how much of this world will Christ reign? Daniel 7:27; Zechariah 14:9.
5. What is this period of time called before Christ return? Acts 3:20, 21.
6. What happens to Satan during the reign of Christ for 1,000 years? Revelation 20:1-3.
7. Why is the reign of Christ to be for 1,000 years? 1 Corinthians 15:24-26.
8. How will the Saints both dead and alive come to be with Jesus? 1 Thessalonians 4:16, 17.
9. With what words were the disciples comforted? John 14:1-3.
10. What is the name of this place which God and His Son has prepared for the saints? Revelation 3:12; 21:2.
11. What will take place between the Lamb of God and His saints at His coming? Revelation 19:7-9.
12. Who will receive the kingdom of Christ at the end of the 1,000 years? 1 Corinthians 15:24-27.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, JULY 3, 2021

LOVE, THE MASTER LAW

Scripture Reading: 1 John 4.

Golden Text: 1 John 5:3.

1. What is love? 1 John 4:7
2. What is the fruit spoken of in John 15:8, 16-18?
3. Why is love the fulfilling of the law? Romans 13:7-10.
4. What is the love of God? 1 John 5:3.
5. What is the great commandment of the law? Matthew 22:37, 38.
6. What is second to it? Matthew 22:39.
7. By what are disciples (followers) of Jesus known? John 13:34, 35.
8. How did God manifest His love for the world? 1 John 4:9, 10; John 3:16.
9. What should we do in return for His wonderful grace? 1 John 4:11.
10. What is required as a qualification for eternal life? 1 John 3:14, 15.
11. In summarizing the teaching, in what is the law fulfilled? Galatians 5:14; James 2:8; Matthew 19:19; 22:39; Mark 12:31.
12. What is the answer to the lawyer's question, "And who is my neighbour?" Read Luke 10:30-37 and give answer from last verse.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, JULY 10, 2021

A LIVING SACRIFICE

Scripture Reading: Romans 12.

Golden Text: Romans 12:1.

1. How can one present himself a living sacrifice? Romans 12:2.
2. What kind of service is our reasonable service? Philippians 2:14-16.
3. In what way is a Child of God said to have been crucified unto the world? Galatians 6:14, 15.
4. How does a Believer become new creature? 2 Corinthians 5:17.
5. How does a Saint deny himself? Matthew 16:24-26.
6. In presenting ourselves unreservedly unto God, how should we think? Romans 12:3.
7. What advantages are there in working with a church group rather than working alone? Philippians 2:1-4; Galatians 6:10.
8. What consideration should be manifested one toward another? Hebrews 10:24, 25.
9. In presenting one's self a living sacrifice what should be his attitude toward others? Romans 12:10-18.
10. With what example should we assemble ourselves? Acts 2:42, 46, 47.
11. Why do some forsake the assembling of themselves together? Jude 17-19.
12. What will prevent the fulfilling of the lusts of the flesh? Romans 13:14.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

WORSHIPPING UNDER THE NEW DISPENSATION

Scripture Reading: John 4:21-42.

Golden Text: Romans 15:30.

1. What are some of the first words recorded which Jesus spoke at the beginning of His ministry? Matthew 4:10
2. What type of worship was desired by Christ? Matthew 15:4-9; Mark 7:7, 8.
3. How did Jesus practice worshipping the Father? Luke 4:14-16.
4. Did the Disciples of Christ continue this mode? Acts 3:1.
5. Is it possible to worship in the solitude of our mind? Ephesians 5:19.
6. When we congregate together, how should our worship be conducted? Colossians 3:16.
7. How does Paul describe the effect of the worship of Jesus? Hebrews 5:7-9.
8. What two examples of worship does Jesus give? Luke 18:9-14.
9. How shall we come before the throne of God? Hebrews 4:16; Ephesians 3:12-15.
10. In the new dispensation of Christ who is our high priest that sacrifices for us? Hebrews 10:9-14, 21-22.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 4, 2021

JOINT HEIRS WITH CHRIST

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:1-25.

Golden Text: Romans 8:16,17.

1. How do we become sons of God? Romans 8:14-16; Galatians 3:26.
2. What is meant by the "earnest of our inheritance"? Ephesians 1:13, 14.
3. What is meant by the "earnest of the Spirit"? 2 Corinthians 1:20-22; 5:5.
4. When will Children of God come into full inheritance of God's promises? 1 Peter 1:3-5.
5. Was the promise to be heir of the world made to Abraham by the law or faith? Romans 4:13, 16.
6. After becoming Children of God, for what are we eligible? Romans 8:17.
7. Through whom do we become an heir of God? Galatians 4:7.
8. What power can we experience if we accept or receive Christ? John 1:12.
9. Is baptism necessary for heirship with Christ? Galatians 3:27.
10. Was the promise of eternal inheritance made to Abraham for the Jews only? Galatians 3:28.
11. Through whom are we Abraham's seed and heirs according to the promise? Galatians 3:29.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, JULY 17, 2021

UNSPOTTED FROM THE WORLD

Scripture Reading: James 4.

Golden Text: James 1:27.

1. What does James enumerate as things of the world? James 4:1, 2, 5, 11.
2. What worldly characteristics are listed in Titus 3:3?
3. What are some of the evidences of a carnal mind? 1 Corinthians 3:3.
4. What worldly practices will bar us from the kingdom of God? Galatians 5:19-21; 1 Corinthians 6:9, 10.
5. How can we keep ourselves unspotted from the world? Galatians 5:1.
6. What should we receive that we might recognize the things of God? 1 Corinthians 2:12.
7. How can we avoid the carnal things of the world? Ephesians 5:1, 2; James 4:7, 10.
8. How are we justified, and by Whom are we saved? Titus 3:4-7.
9. What was purchased with the shed blood of Jesus? Acts 20:28.
10. Why did He give Himself for the church? Ephesians 5:26, 27.
11. In what condition spiritually should we be found when Jesus comes? 1 Thessalonians 5:5-11.
12. How will God provide for us when temptations come? 1 Corinthians 10:13, 14.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, JULY 24, 2021

GODLY FELLOWSHIP

Scripture Reading: 1 John 1.

Golden Text: 1 John 1:7.

1. If we walk in darkness (error) can we have fellowship with Christ? 1 John 1:6.
2. With whom do we have true fellowship? 1 John 1:3.
3. What is the basis for true Godly fellowship? Philippians 2:1,2.
4. Can fellowship exist between those who believe and those who believe not? 2 Corinthians 6:14, 15.
5. If we are among those who teach error what are we commanded to do? 2 Corinthians 6:16-18.
6. Are we warned against being deceived? Ephesians 5:6.
7. If we have come out of darkness what should we do? Ephesians 5:8.
8. What are we told is acceptable unto the Lord? Ephesians 5:9; Galatians 5:22, 23.
9. To have fellowship with the Holy Spirit what mind should we have? Philippians 2:5.
10. By whom are we called unto true fellowship? 1 Corinthians 1:9.
11. How did Paul say we were to speak? 1 Corinthians 1:10.
12. What did the believers continue to do after Pentecost? Acts 2:42.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, AUGUST 28, 2021

THE RESURRECTION OF THE DEAD

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-23, 35-44.

Golden Text: John 5:28,29.

1. What was one of the principal teachings of the early church? Acts 4:33.
2. What resurrection will the saints take part in? Revelation 20:6; John 5:25.
3. Of what was Paul called in question before Ananias the high priest? Acts 23:6.
4. What was the belief of the Sadducees? Acts 23:8.
5. How important is it that we believe in a resurrection? 1 Corinthians 15:16-18.
6. What did Paul define as "the word of faith"? Romans 10:8, 9.
7. In what order will the dead be resurrected? 1 Corinthians 15:23.
8. What questions will be asked concerning the resurrection of the dead? 1 Corinthians 15:35-38.
9. For what is Job waiting? Job 14:14, 15.
10. What does Daniel 12:2 teach?
11. With what words shall we comfort one another? 1 Thessalonians 4:16, 17.
12. When will the gift of eternal life be given to the righteous? 2 Timothy 4:7, 8.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, AUGUST 21, 2021

THE GOOD OLIVE TREE

Scripture Reading: Romans 11.

Golden Text: Romans 11:21.

1. Why were the natural branches of the good olive tree broken off? Romans 11:20.
2. Who took the place of these natural branches that were broken off? Romans 11:17.
3. Should the Gentiles boast against Israel? Romans 11:18.
4. Why did God turn away from Israel to the Gentiles? Romans 10:21.
5. How do we become Children of God? Galatians 3:26.
6. How did Paul address Jews and Gentiles? Acts 13:26.
7. What good olive tree, or righteous man, did the Jews claim for their righteousness? John 8:39, 40.
8. If we are grafted into Abraham, how do we get to be his direct seed? Galatians 3:28, 29.
9. Who is the father of all? Romans 4:16, 17.
10. What is said about those who claim to be Jews and are not? Revelation 2:9; 3:9.
11. What did God bring upon Israel for unrighteous works? Romans 11:7, 8.
12. How long shall this blindness be and who will deliver them? Romans 11:25, 26.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, JULY 31, 2021

VAIN WORSHIP

Scripture Reading: Matthew 15:1-20.

Golden Text: Mark 7:7.

1. What is vain worship defined to be? Matthew 15:9.
2. What will be the answer to many who say they have done wonderful works? Matthew 7:22, 23.
3. What will be the fate of the unfruitful? Matthew 7:19, 20.
4. What is said of those who speak contrary to God's word? Isaiah 8:20.
5. What will deceive a man's own heart? James 1:26.
6. What accusation did Malachi bring against Israel? Malachi 3:13, 14.
7. What is said of our conversation? 1 Peter 1:18-20.
8. What things should not be named among saints? Ephesians 5:3, 4.
9. What did Paul say of those who practiced the lusts of the flesh? Galatians 5:19-21.
10. What law is continually warring against the law of our minds? Romans 7:23-25.
11. What is said of those who turn away from hearing the law? Proverbs 28:9.
12. Under what circumstances will the righteousness of the righteous become vain? Ezekiel 18:24; 33:18.
13. What is said of false apostles and deceitful workers? 2 Corinthians 11:13-15.
14. What shall the people be turned to as a form of vain worship? 2 Timothy 4:3,4.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, AUGUST 07, 2021

THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 2.

Golden Text: Romans 11:33.

1. Why did the Lord have a controversy with the inhabitants of the land? Hosea 4:1.
2. In what did Paul admonish the brethren at Colosse? Colossians 1:10.
3. How shall we find the knowledge of God? Proverbs 2:3-5.
4. How extensive will the knowledge of the Lord be during the reign of Christ? Isaiah 11:9.
5. What will be accomplished in our lives by having the knowledge of the Son of God? Ephesians 4:13.
6. From what source comes the word of knowledge? 1 Corinthians 12:8; 1 Corinthians 1:30
7. To what should we apply our hearts? Proverbs 22:17; Matthew 17:5.
8. What is the beginning of knowledge? Proverbs 1:7.
9. What was of greater value than sacrifice and burnt offerings? Hosea 6:6; Matthew 9:13.
10. Is it possible to measure the depth of God's knowledge? Romans 11:33.
11. What can be achieved by using the spiritual weapons of our warfare? 2 Corinthians 10:4, 5.
12. How may we acquire the knowledge of God? 2 Timothy 2:15.

LESSON FOR SABBATH, AUGUST 14, 2021

THE NATURE OF MAN

Scripture Reading: Job 14.

Golden Text: Genesis 2:8.

1. What was the origin of man? Genesis 2:7.
2. What does man, as a living soul, know? Ecclesiastes 9:5.
3. When man dies, is there a part of him that remains conscious? Ecclesiastes 9:5; Psalms 146:4.
4. How long does man remain in the earth after death? Job 14:10-13.
5. What is God's decree concerning all flesh? Job 34:15; Ecclesiastes 3:19, 20.
6. What returns to God after man returns to the dust? Ecclesiastes 12:7.
7. What did God give man to make him a "living soul?" Genesis 2:7.
8. What two things came by man? 1 Corinthians 15:21.
9. What admonition does Isaiah give concerning mortal man? Isaiah 2:22.
10. What two appointments are predestined for man to meet? Hebrews 9:27.
11. In whose image was man created? Genesis 1:26.
12. What happened to all the men of faith of old? Hebrews 11:13.
13. Through whom shall all be made alive? 1 Corinthians 15:22.