

**Bible Lessons  
for  
THE CHURCH OF GOD  
7th Day**

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**FOR  
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TO BE USED WITH THE BIBLE**

**Workers are needed, for the harvest  
is great, but laborers are few...**

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## Lesson for January 2, 1982

### THE BIBLE - ITS ORIGIN

Scripture reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-24.

Memory verse: Deuteronomy 4:8.

1. How is the word of God described in Hebrews? Hebrews 4:12.
2. What is the word called in Hebrews 4:12?
3. What is it called in Romans 1:1, 2?
4. What is every word of God said to be? Proverbs 30:5.
5. What scriptures did Jesus mean when He said "Search the Scriptures"? John 5:39.
6. Whose words did Moses write? Exodus 24:4.
7. Who gave Moses the pattern of the sanctuary? Hebrews 8:5.
8. Where did God tell Joshua to keep the book of the law? Joshua 1:8.
9. How often were they read to the Jews in the New Testament? Acts 15:8, 21.
10. Who wrote the letter to the Corinthians? 1 Corinthians 1:1, 2.
11. Should we add or take away from the Holy Words of the Lord? Revelation 22:18, 19.
12. By what power were the Holy men of old motivated when they wrote the Holy Scriptures? 2 Peter 1:21.
13. What should we always preach? 2 Timothy 4:2.

**Note.** — The Holy Bible is an inspired book. Moses, to whom the Genesis is accredited, could not have given us that history, which was thousands of years before his birth, unless he was inspired by God. He began the work of the Old Testament, and Malachi finished it. It covered a period of more than! 000 years, and was written under various circumstances, yet all are in perfect agreement.

## Lesson for 9, 1982

### THE BIBLE - THE INSPIRED BOOK

Scripture reading: John 1:1-14.

Memory verse: 2 Timothy 3:16, 17.

1. Who gave Moses his records? Numbers 33:2.
2. Who spoke unto Joshua? Joshua 1:1.

3. Through what source have our prophecy's come? 2 Peter 1:19-21.
4. When Balaam was to curse Israel, what did he say? Numbers 23:26-28.
5. How did Balaam speak concerning Israel? Numbers 23:7-10.
6. What did Balak say to Balaam? Numbers 23:11.
7. Who put these words into Balaam's mouth? Numbers 23:12.
8. What portion of the prophetic word should we believe? Luke 24:25.
9. Did Peter accept Paul's writings equal to the rest of the Scriptures? 2 Peter 3:15, 16.
10. From what source did Paul receive his wisdom? Galatians 1:11, 12.
11. Are the Psalms of David inspired? Acts 1:16, 20.
12. How long will God's Holy word's endure? Matthew 24:35.

**Note.** — Inspiration does not leave a man to speak as he pleases. If this were so the Bible would have been relegated to the waste basket a long time ago. On the contrary, God has preserved it against all the fires of the past ages, that were designed by Satan to extinguish its precious rays of light, unto this very day.

### Lesson for January 16, 1982

#### FUTURE HOME OF THE SAINTS

**Scripture reading: Psalms 37.**

**Memory verse: Matthew 5:5.**

1. For what purpose was this earth created? Isaiah 45:18.
2. Will there ever be a time when this whole earth will be completely desolate? Genesis 8:21, 22.
3. According to Christ's instructions, how are we to pray? Matthew 6:9, 10.
4. When will the righteous be removed from this earth? Proverbs 10:30.
5. To whom does the heaven belong? Psalms 115:16.
6. What was Abraham and his seed to inherit for an eternal everlasting possession? Genesis 13:14, 15; 17:3.
7. Did the ancient saints ever receive this promise? Hebrews 11:8-13.
8. What promises are there in store for the meek? Matthew 5:5.
9. In what may we be comforted? John 14:1-3.
10. According to Paul do we expect to go to these mansions, or do we expect the

City to come to us? Hebrews 13:14; Matthew 6:10.

11. What was the apostle John privileged to behold of this heavenly city?

Revelation 3:12; Revelation 21:1, 2, 10.

12. In order to enter this holy city, what does our passport call for? Revelation

22:14; Matthew 19:16, 17.

### **Lesson for January 23, 1982**

#### **DIVISION AND DISCORD**

**Scripture reading: 1 Corinthians 12:14, 31.**

**Memory verse: 1 Corinthians 1:10.**

1. How long did Jesus say that the Church would stand? Matthew 16:18.
2. What would be the duration of the Church of God if division and discord were prevailing factors? Matthew 12:25.
3. Does discord and confusion come from God? 1 Corinthians 14:33.
4. Was it the will of the Apostle Paul that there be divisions in the church? What did he beseech the people to do? 1 Corinthians 1:10.
5. What is the cause of division and jangling (quarrels)? 1 Timothy 1:5, 6.
6. A warning is given those who fail to keep the law of love in dealing with their fellow man, what is it? Galatians 5:14, 15.
7. What steps are we to follow if a brother or sister does us wrong? Matthew 18:15-17.
8. How does the Lord regard a person that sows discord among brethren? Proverbs 6:16-19.
9. What great care should be exercised in restoring a brother who has been at fault? Galatians 6:1.

### **Lesson for January 30, 1982**

#### **THE PROOF OF GOD'S LOVE**

**Scripture reading: 1 Corinthians 13th chapter.**

**Memory verse: John 3:16.**

1. What is God said to be? 1 John 4:8.
2. How did God manifest Himself to the world? John 3:16.

3. How was the first promise of a redeemer made? Genesis 3: 15.
4. How did God prevent man from becoming a perpetual sinner? Genesis 3:22-24.
5. How extensive is the love of God? Proverbs 10:12.
6. Why is conversion necessary? James 5:19, 20.
7. Why did the good Lord send the flood upon the earth? Genesis 6:5-8.
8. Why did God save Nineveh? Jonah 3:3-5.
9. Because God loved Israel, what did He do for them, and how did they treat His messengers? 2 Chronicles 36:14-17.
10. When David strayed away from God's love, what did God do? 2 Samuel 12:9-13.
11. How did Jesus show His love for Peter? Luke 22:31, 32.
12. What blessing is pronounced on those who have their sins covered by the Blood of the Lamb? Psalms 32:1, 2.

**Note.** --- It is utterly impossible to make a lesson which in its scope would be able to cover the love of God. The love of God is inexpressible and boundless. The ever trusting soul regardless of how weak it may be in human eyes is accepted by the Lord, providing that their sins are under the Blood of the Lamb.

### Lesson for 6, 1982

#### THE MESSAGE OF RECONCILIATION

**Scripture reading: 2 Corinthians 5.**

**Memory verse: 2 Corinthians 5:19.**

1. By whom are we reconciled? 2 Corinthians 5:18.
2. What has been committed unto us? 2 Corinthians 5:19.
3. What makes reconciliation possible? Acts 2:38.
4. What are the ministers of Christ called? 2 Corinthians 5:20.
5. What is the gift of God? Romans 6:23.
6. What must we do after we are reconciled to God? Romans 12:1.
7. Unto what should we not conform? Romans 12:2 (first part).
8. Unto what should we be transformed? Romans 12:2 (last part).
9. What kind of promises come with reconciliation? 2 Peter 1:4.

10. What gave life to the Word of God? John 6:63.
11. What should the reconciled person live by? Matthew 4:4.
12. What is the Holy Scriptures able to do? 2 Timothy 3:15.

**Note.** --- Many find it so hard to live a Christ-like life. The reason is though they have been reconciled and their sins forgiven, their minds were not wholly transformed to things spiritual; this being that the old time anger, wrath, stubbornness, love of the world's fads and fashions, still have hold on them. Others, like newborn babes, have desired the sincere milk of the word, and are growing in the image of Christ, and are a blessing to others.

### Lesson for 13, 1982

#### ETERNAL LIFE

**Scripture reading: John 3:1-21.**

**Memory verse: John 10:10.**

1. Did Christ come to condemn the world? John 3:17.
2. What is it that condemns us? John 3:18.
3. Why do men love darkness? John 3:19.
4. Why are the evil afraid of the light? John 3:20, 21.
5. If we believe, what are we? 1 John 5:9, 10.
6. What witness shall we receive? 1 John 5:9, 10.
7. How do we the believers receive eternal life? 1 John 5:11.
8. Through whom do we have this eternal life? 1 John 5:12.
9. By whom is this eternal life sealed? Ephesians 1:13.
10. What should we not do to the Spirit? Ephesians 4:30.
11. When can we claim sonship with the Lord? 1 John 3:1, 2.
12. For what do we as Christians wait? Romans 8:19.

**Note.** — Faith is the substance of things hoped for. It is faith that leads us to the Lord. Some are waiting on feelings or emotions; when we accept Jesus, we know that we are sinners and that Jesus is our Saviour. We talk to Him in prayer about our lost condition, we confess and repent, and He gives us the witness in our souls that we are forgiven, and that He takes His abode in our lives and makes all things new, Praise Him!

Lesson for 20, 1982  
MIRACLES OF MOSES

Scripture reading; Exodus 4:13-31.

Memory verse: Exodus 4:11.

1. What did the Lord say concerning Him and His children? Isaiah 8:18.
2. When God called Moses, of what was he afraid? Exodus 4:1.
3. How did God show Moses that He would be with him? Exodus 4:2, 3.
4. What further was he told to do? Verse 4.
5. What was the reason for God doing this? Verse 5.
6. What other miracles were performed? Verses 6, 7.
7. What assurance did God give Moses? Verse 8.
8. But in case they wouldn't believe, what would He further do? Verse 9.
9. What further excuse did Moses make? Verse 10.
10. What was God's reply to Moses? Verses 11, 12.
11. Was the Lord pleased with Moses's reply? Verse 13-17.
12. What was the final result of this plan? Verses 29-31.

**Note.** — We observe from the Scriptures, and from practical experience,, that those who are most qualified for the work of the Lord, are the ones who are the most reticent to accept the call for the service, while many who are unqualified always crave to be called. God can better use a humble man who thinks he is unqualified. Such an one, when convinced to go, will depend solely upon God, as what to do, what to say, and where to go. This gives God the opportunity to use such an one to His glory.

Lesson for February 27, 1982  
SIGNS BY MOSES AND AARON

Scripture reading: Exodus 7.

Memory verse: Exodus 7:5.

1. When Pharaoh asked for a sign, what was Moses to do? Exodus 7:9.
2. When Moses and Aaron appeared before Pharaoh, what did he do? Verse 10.
3. When Pharaoh's magicians performed the same miracle, what happened? Verse 11, 12.
4. What did God pronounce upon Pharaoh? Verse 17, 18.

5. What did Moses and Aaron do next? Verse 19, 20.
6. What happened next? Verse 22.
7. What other terrible plagues came upon Egypt? Exodus 8: 5, 6.
8. What did Pharaoh's magicians do? Verse 7.
9. What effect did this have upon Pharaoh? Verse 8.
10. How did Pharaoh react to God's mercy? Verse 15.
11. What was the next plague? Verses 16, 17.
12. What did the magicians fail to do? Verse 18.

**Note.** — Signs and miracles are not the only evidence of God's power. Satan can counterfeit this today as he did years gone by in Egypt. However, he has not all power as God has. By the almighty power of God, Moses's rod swallowed the Egyptian's rods. When the signs of which Jesus speaks of in Mark 16:17, 18. are with us, we too will show superior power as we go forth with the message of salvation through the shed blood of God's only beloved son, Jesus the Christ.

**Lesson for March 6, 1982**  
**SIGNS OF MOSES AND AARON**  
**(Continued)**

**Scripture reading: Exodus 8:20-32.**

**Memory verse: Exodus 8:22.**

1. What admission did the magicians make to Pharaoh? Exodus 8:19.
2. What was the next plague? Verse 24.
3. How did this plague affect Pharaoh? Verse 25.
4. What was Pharaoh's decision? Verse 28.
5. Who did Moses call upon? Verse 30.
6. Did God hear the prayer of Moses? Verse 31.
7. Did Pharaoh keep his word? Verse 32.
8. What was God's message to Pharaoh now? Exodus 9:1.
9. How would God punish Pharaoh if he refused to obey? Verses 2-5.
10. What was the result of this plague? Verse 6.
11. How did God send boils on the Egyptians? Verse 8-10.

**Note.** — All of these plagues which fell upon Egypt were literal. These plagues



are the anti-type of the seven last plagues. As God severed the Israelites from the Egyptians during these plagues, no harm came to the Israelites in the land of Goshen; God has a way of escape for His people during the time when the seven last plagues will fall upon the ungodly.

**Lesson for March 13, 1982**  
**SIGNS BY MOSES AND AARON**  
**(Continued)**

**Scripture reading: Exodus 9:1-26.**

**Memory verse: Exodus 9:16.**

1. How did the plagues of the boils affect the magicians? Exodus 9:11.
2. What was the next plague? Verses 22-25.
3. What land did not receive the plagues? Verse 26.
4. What was Pharaoh's confession? Verse 27.
5. What did Pharaoh ask of Moses and Aaron? Verse 28.
6. What happened to Pharaoh again? Verses 34, 35.
7. What other plagues did the Lord send? Exodus 10:12-15.
8. What about the heart of Pharaoh now? Verse 20.
9. What was the next plague? Verses 22, 23.
10. What did Pharaoh say then, and what is said of his heart? Verses 24-26.
11. What did Pharaoh say unto Moses? How did Moses reply? Verses 28, 29.
12. What did the Lord tell Israel, what were they to do? Exodus 11:1-3.

**Note.** — God showed His signs on the magicians also. He allowed them to exhibit their power for some time, then they were stopped, that they might know they were only dust. Yet Pharaoh's heart was hardened. One of the greatest lessons we may learn from God's dealings with Pharaoh, is, that God is a God of patience and long suffering. When God's clock struck the zero hour, He revealed to Moses that He would not see Pharaoh's face any more. The cup of his iniquity was full. He was now to reap the fruits of his rebellion against God.

**Lesson for March 20, 1982**

## THE SIGN OF THE FIRST BORN

Scripture reading: Exodus 20:1-26.

Memory verse: Exodus 12:26, 27.

1. Why was there a great cry in the land of Egypt? Exodus 12:29, 30.
2. What command did Pharaoh give at this time? Verses 31-33.
3. What did Israel do? Verses 35, 36.
4. What is said of this night? Verse 42.
5. How did the Lord lead Israel? Exodus 13:21, 22.
6. Where did Israel encamp? Exodus 14:1, 2.
7. Why did God have Israel encamp here? Verses 3, 4.
8. Where did Pharaoh overtake Israel? Verses 8, 9.
9. Did Israel fear, and of what were they afraid? Verses 10-12.
10. How did Moses comfort them? Verses 13, 14.
11. What did the Lord do? Verses 15-22.
12. What happened to the Egyptians? Verses 23-31.

**Note.** — Though the Lord is longsuffering and of tender mercies, His will is always carried out whether man desires to cooperate with Him or not. Here He brought pressure to bear on Pharaoh and his officers. When all of their first born was slain, their hardened hearts were melted. Stricken with fear of death to themselves, they let Israel go. God does not manifest His signs independent of His people. We are the instruments through whom He manifests His great power.

Lesson March 27, 1982

## THE COMFORTER - THE HOLY SPIRIT

Scripture reading: John 14.

Memory verse: Verse 18.

1. What did Jesus say the Comforter was? John 14:26.
2. If the Comforter is the Holy Spirit, when did He come? Acts 1:8; 2:1-4, 17.
3. How long was this comforting Spirit to abide? John 14:16.
4. Who did Paul say this Spirit was? 2 Corinthians 3:17.
5. By what Spirit did Paul say we are changed from glory to glory? Verse 18.
6. How great is this Spirit that changes our lives? 1 John 4:4.

7. How can a sinner receive this gift of the Holy Spirit? Acts 2:38-39.
8. Could it be possible for the comforting Spirit to come if the Saviour had not returned to His Father? John 16:7.
9. What did He say this comforting Spirit of truth would do when it came? Verse 13.
10. How did Paul say we are all baptized into one body? 1 Corinthians 12:13.
11. If we are all made to drink into one Spirit, what will flow out from us? John 7:38-39.
12. What did Paul call this Spirit when he wrote to the Romans? Romans 8:9-10. What did he say was the hope of glory? Colossians 1:27.
13. How willing is the Father to give the Holy Spirit? Luke 11:11-13,  
**Note.** — Paul calls the Holy Spirit a mystery, and said it hath been hid from ages and from generations, and now is made manifest to His saints. So let us study this mystery carefully, which is Christ in you the hope of glory. --- Colossians 1:27 (last part).

**These additional lessons are undated and can be used anytime (such as when future lessons arrive late, for home study, etc.):**

### THE MIRACLE OF CONVERSION

**Scripture reading:** 2 Cor. 5.

**Memory verse:** 2 Cor. 5:17.

1. Since the fall of Adam, how is our coming into this world described? Psa. 51:5.
2. How is the heart described? Jer. 17:9.
3. What illustration shows to what depth sin penetrates the heart? Jer. 17:1.
4. How does the apostle Paul further describe man's condition? Rom. 3:10-18.  
**Note.** — This is just what God sees of man in his natural condition. A heart like the above cannot do good. If there is to be a change then a miracle must be performed.
5. How is the impossibility of changing ourselves described? Jer. 13:23.

6. How does God through Ezekiel describe the operation that changes a man's heart? Ezekiel 36:24-26.
7. After this operation is performed, and the Spirit of God comes in, what effect will it have upon us? Verse 27.
8. What is the obligation of every sinner, if he must obtain pardon? Prov. 28:13.
9. How is this principle emphasized in the New Testament? Acts 2:38, 3:19.
10. What proves the miracle of conversion? Gal. 5:22, 23.

### CONSECRATION FOR SERVICE

**Scripture reading: Romans 12.**

**Memory verse; Romans 12:1.**

1. What was Paul's expressed desire of the Church of God at Rome?  
Rom. 12:1.
2. What should they do? What transformation was recommended? Verse 2.  
**Note.** — All the sacrifices required in the old dispensation were living ones; then while they were offered they died. So with us; we offer ourselves as living sacrifices, then we become dead to sin, but alive unto righteousness.
3. What was the process of consecration in the days of Moses? Lev. 8:1-3, 6-12, 30.  
**Note.** — Though this seems a mechanical way of consecration, it was God's way, and there was something vital about it which we shall now see.
4. What instruction was given these consecrated ones in their duties? Ex. 30:9.
5. What was the result when they violated this law? Lev. 10:1-2.
6. What was Moses comment about this? What was Aaron's attitude? Verse 3.
7. What further instructions did Moses give to Aaron and his sons? Verse 6.
8. Why was there danger in acting this way? Verse 9.

9. What similar thing took place under the anointing of the Spirit in the New Testament? Acts 5:1, 10.
10. What will a consecrated person not do? What was Paul's advice on this? Rom. 12:3.
11. How will a consecrated person perform his work? Verse 6-8.

### **GOD'S CARE FOR US**

**Scripture reading: Matthew 6:19-34.**

**Memory verse: 1 Peter 5:6, 7.**

1. What promise of continual care has the Lord made to us? Hebrews 13:5.
2. What may we boldly say? Verse 6.
3. What prayer is appropriate for all Christians? Pi. 31:3.
4. Whom has the Lord promised to guide in judgment? Ps. 25:9; Prov. 3:6.
5. What are some of the ways by which the Lord will guide His people? Ps. 32:8, 73:24; Isa. 30:21.
6. How does God compare His people with flowers and birds? Matt. 6:26-30.  
**Note.** — The little brown sparrow is watched over by providence. The flowers of the field and the grass that carpets the earth share the care of the Heavenly Father. How much more does He care for man who was created in the image of God?
7. For what should we have no great anxiety? Upon what conditions may we claim the promises that the necessary things of life will be given unto us? Vs. 31-34.
8. In what spirit should we constantly, come before the Lord? Phil. 4:6.
9. How constant is the Lord's watchfulness over us? What protection does He promise? Ps. 121:3-8.