- 6. Will the wicked ever be resurrected? John 5:28, 29.
- 7. For what purpose will the wicked be resurrected? 2 Peter 2:9.
- 8. When the wicked are resurrected where will they appear? Rev. 20:11-13.

NOTE. The judgment is for the wicked, since the righteous went to judgment when they confessed their sins, were born again and became obedient unto the word of the Lord; thus they passed from death unto life and became members of the family of God. 1 Tim 5:24, John 5:24.

9. What will the final end of the wicked be? Rev. 20:13-15, 21:8

- 4. Are there limitations as to what we can do? 1 Cor. 3:6, 7.
- 5. Who then is our great Co-worker? Verses 8 and 9.
- 6. What warning has been given in connection with our work with Christ Jesus? Verse 10.
- 7. Should one ever consider starting a work of his own? Verse 11.
- 8. What is the advantage of having one's work grow into that which is to be permanent? Verses 13, 14.
- 9. What are some other admonitions given in this chapter as to the manner in which we are to labor for Him? Verses 18, 19, and 21.
- 10. What encouragement did the prophet Azariah give to King Asa at one time? 2 Chron. 15:1-7.
- 11. What was the happy result? Verses 8-15.
- 12. In what kind of work must we abound, and will it be in vain? 1 Cor. 15:58.
- 13. Is there a record in heaven of our work, and our prayers here on earth? Acts 10:1-4.

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"Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee." Psalms 122:6



THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT IN THE LIFE

Scripture reading: Romans 8:1-14. Memory verse: Romans 8:11.

- 1. In order to be free from condemnation, how must the people of God walk? Rom. 8:1.
- 2. How can we judge rightly and know that we are walking in the spirit? Rom. 8:4.
- 3. What is the reward both temporal and eternal to those who are spiritual-minded? Rom 8:6.
- 4. What is a sure index of a person's life? Matt. 12:34, 37.
- 5. What should be the daily prayer of everyone seeking a home in the Kingdom of God? Psa. 19:14.
- 6. When the people of the Lord are spiritual-minded, what will their conversation be? Psa. 50:23.
- 7. Is it possible to please God when we are in the natural ways of the flesh? Rom. 8:8.
- 8. What is it that is necessary to abide in each child of God, that he may not follow the flesh? Rom. 8:9.
- If this spirit takes up its abode within us and remains, what work will finally be wrought? Rom. 8:11.
- 10. How can we acquire the indwelling of the Holy Spirit? Luke 11:11-13.

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Lesson for January 4, 2020.

THE PROMISED SEED

Scripture Reading: Romans 11:1-25. Memory Verse: Romans 11:27.

- 1. What proportion of Israel did the Lord say would be saved? Isaiah 10:21,22; Romans 9:27.
- 2. What is said of their spiritual standing? Romans 10:2
- 3. How long were they given to settle their acceptance with God as a nation? Daniel 9:24.
- 4. From what year were the seventy weeks to be numbered? Daniel 9:25.
- 5. What would happen to the Messiah near the end of the seventy weeks? Daniel 9:26.
- 6. How long would the Abrahamic covenant be confirmed? What would happen in the midst of the last prophetic week? Daniel 9:27.

NOTE: This is 70 prophetic weeks, or 490 years. This rule of counting is found in Numbers 14:34, where the Lord gives a day for a year. Counting from the going forth of the year which was 457 B.C., 490 years would extend to 33 A.D. Sacrifices were to cease in the midst of the

THE RESURRECTIONS

Scripture reading: 1 Cor. 15:1-58. Memory Verse: 1 Cor. 15:22

- 1. Will everybody be resurrected? John 5:28, 29.
- When will the righteous be resurrected unto life eternal? 1 Cor. 15:22-23; Rev. 20:4-6; 1 Thess. 4:16.
- 3. What will happen to the saints who will be alive at the appearing of Jesus? 1 Thess. 4:17; 1 Cor. 15:51-53.
- 4. Where will the resurrected saints dwell, and what will be their work during the millennium? Rev. 5:10; Dan. 7:27.

NOTE. What a wonderful blessing awaits all the faithful in Christ Jesus! All who have died in the lord will be made alive at the appearing of Jesus, while the living saints will be changed in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, and they will live and reign with Christ for a thousand years. During this time Jesus will be reigning upon the throne of David.

5. Where will the wicked dead be during this millennial reign of the Lord Jesus? Rev. 20: 5, 6.

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- 6. What is prophesied about the troubled condition of the hearts of men, and distress in the nations of the world, just before the coming of the Lord? Luke 21:24-27.
- 7. When the time of trouble is threatening throughout the world, what will the nations be doing to try to prevent disaster? Isaiah 8:9,10.
- 8. What does the Lord say for His people not to do? Verse 12.
- 9. Who are we to look upon for help? Verse 13; Zephaniah 2:3.
- 10. What particular message will God's people be deeply concerned about? Isaiah 8:16.
- 11. By what great standard are people of earth to be judged by? Verse 20; Revelation 12:17; 14:12.
- 12. What will happen to the unprofitable servant at that time? Matthew 25:30; Luke 12:46.
- 13. What will be the condition throughout the earth as Gentile times end? Luke 21:26, 27, 34, 35.

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11. Will the true elect person, called of the Heavenly Father for eternal life, be fruitful or unfruitful in the work of the Lord at this time? 2 Peter 1:8.

- 11. What important Christian virtue does the Holy Spirit shed abroad in our hearts? Rom. 5:5.
- 12. In what way and by what power can we overcome the natural ways of the flesh? Rom. 8:13, 14.
- 13. When led by the Spirit, where will we be storing our treasures? Matt. 6:19-21.

Lesson for February 8, 2020.

THE LIFE OF THE APOSTLES

Scripture Reading: Acts 2. Memory Verse: Acts 2:42.

- 1. Whose example did the Apostle Peter say that the followers of the Lord should use? I Peter 2:21; I John 2:6; Ephesians 5:1.
- 2. In following the steps of Jesus, how zealous and enthusiastic were the apostles of Jesus; in response to the heavenly calling? Matthew 4:18-22; Mark 10:28.
- 3. After forsaking their private engagements (works) for the sake of the Gospel, how did some, who were servants and top officials of the government of their country react? Luke 5:27-32; Philippians 3:7,8; Luke 19:1-8.

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70th week, and this was the date of the Crucifixion.

- 7. After this probationary time is ended, what would be evident in their experience according to prophecy? Romans 11:8-12,15.
- 8. As a result of their falling and breaking off, what has come to the Gentiles? Romans 11:17,19,20.
- 9. What promise is still held out to them? Romans 11:23,24.
- 10. How long will this blindness remain on them? Romans 11:25.
- 11. Whom did Paul say would be saved? Romans 11:26.
- 12. What will save them? Romans 11:17-20; Romans 9:32; Ephesians 2:8,9,16-19.

- 4. Through what means were these devoted disciples of Jesus earning their livelihood? I Corinthians 4:12; Acts 18:3.
- 5. Was there a unanimous and singleness of mind and heart in their midst? Acts 4:32; 2:46.
- 6. What was the apostle's attitude towards the calamity and welfare of their fellow-brethren? Ephesians 1:15-19.
- 7. How did they suffer for the sake of Jesus and the Gospel? Hebrews 11:36-38.
- 8. How generous were they? Acts 2:45; 4:32.
- 9. How did they behave themselves towards the souls which were won to the Lord through their preaching? 1 Thessalonians 2:2; 5:7-10.
- 10. What was their attitude towards persecution, afflictions and those who maltreated them? Acts 5:40,41; 2 Corinthians 12:10.
- 11. How did Matthias get numbered with the eleven apostles? Was it by partiality, nomination, nepotism, voting or by casting of lot? Acts 1:23-26.
- 12. How did they regard the assembling together of the brethren? Acts 2:42-46.

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Lesson for January 11, 2020.

THE HOUSE OF DAVID

Scripture reading: Psalms 89:1-37. Memory verse: Revelation 22:16.

- 1. From what tribe of Israel was David? Matthew 1:3-6.
- 2. Who anointed him king over Israel? 1 Samuel 16:13; Psalms 89:20.
- 3. Because of his faithfulness, what did the Lord promise him? 2 Samuel 7:8, 12-16.
- 4. What is written in the Psalms about this covenant? Psalms 89:3,4,27,29.
- 5. If his descendants sin what will be the results? Psalm 89:30-32.
- 6. Will this cause the good Lord to break His covenant? Psalms 89:33-34.
- 7. How long will this covenant with David continue? Psalms 89:35-37.
- 8. Will he ever want a son to sit on his throne? Jer. 33:21
- 9. How sure is this covenant? Jer. 33:19-22.

NOTE. The Sun, Moon and stars are still in the firmament, so must David's seed always be on the throne.

12. To what should we constantly look with joy and anticipation? Titus 2:13; 2 Timothy 4:8, [last part].

Lesson for March 7, 2020.

THE TIME OF THE END AND DELIVERANCE

Scripture Reading: Psalms 91. Memory Verse: Daniel 12:1.

- 1. Just before the dead are resurrected, what conditions will prevail on the earth? Daniel 12:1,2; Revelation 11:18.
- 2. What city will be made burdensome to all nations; against which they will direct their armies during the time of trouble? Zechariah 12:2,3; 14:1-3.
- 3. What is especially said about those who are wise in the knowledge of God during the time of the end? Daniel 12:3, 4, 10.
- 4. What is further said of God's watchmen? Isaiah 52:8,9.
- 5. What is said about the chariots (modern means of travel), when the message of God's preparation is going forth in these last days? Nahum 2:3, 4.

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Lesson for March 28, 2020.

THE SOURCE AND NEED OF BIBLE PROPHECY

Scripture reading: 2 Peter 1:1-21. Memory verse: 2 Peter 1:21.

- 1. How is all Scripture given? 2 Timothy 3:16.
- 2. For what purpose are they given? 2 Timothy 3:17.
- 3. Are these prophecies for us today? And what will they do? Deuteronomy 29:29.
- 4. What is the last book in the Bible called? Revelation 1:1.
- 5. What did the Lord God promise those who read these prophecies? Revelation 1:3.
- 6. How are the Old Testament prophecies given? 2 Peter 1:21.
- 7. What is said of the interpretation of these prophecies? 2 Peter 1:20.
- 8. Did the Spirit of Christ have anything to do with the prophets? 1 Peter 1:11.
- 9. How was the coming of Christ revealed to Peter? 1 Peter 1:11, 12.
- 10. What are these prophecies to us in our day? 2 Peter 1:19; 1 Corinthians 10:11; Romans 15:4.

- 2. What did he admonish his people to preach, and what of the use of doctrine? 2 Timothy 4:2.
- 3. What prophecy did he give of the people's attitude towards sound doctrine? 2 Timothy 4:3.
- 4. How did he say the people of the last days would generally consider truth, and to what would they be turned? 2 Timothy 4:4.
- How did he instruct Timothy relative to affliction in connection with the work before him? 2 Timothy 4:5.
- 6. Was Paul reconciled to his fate and ready to lay down his life? 2 Timothy 4:6.
- 7. Was he thoroughly satisfied with the battle of his life he had so incessantly fought, and did he know he had won the victory? 2 Timothy 4:7.

NOTE: Every child of God should be satisfied with his life. He should know day by day that he is fighting the good fight of faith.

- 8. What was now Paul's great comfort and hope, and to what time did he look, expectant of receiving his reward? 2 Timothy 4:8 [last part].
- 9. Who was it that stood by Paul, giving him strength to fight the battle of life? 2 Timothy 4:17.
- 10. Was Paul the most concerned about deliverance from afflictions or from evil work? 2 Timothy 4:18.
- 11. In Paul's last admonition to Titus what did he say about denying ungodliness and lust? Titus 2:12.

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NOTE: Jerusalem was destroyed in the year 70A.D., and He did not want their flight to be on that day.

- Did the holy women keep the Sabbath day after the Saviour was put in the grave? Luke 23:55-56.
- 9. Did Paul keep the Sabbath day, and did he say it still remained? Acts 13:42-44, 16:13-15, 18:1-4; Hebrews 4:9.
- 10. Were people put to death for working on the Sabbath? Numbers 15:32-36.

NOTE: The Sabbath is still sacred and binding today just as it always was, and it is an act of disobedience to desecrate it. Six days are given to us for our work, but the Sabbath belongs to the Lord, and is not our property. We have no right to covet it, or to steal it, and use it for our own labour and business.

PETER - FISHER OF MEN

Scripture reading: John 21:3-17. Memory verse: Matthew 4:19.

- 1. Matthew 4:18-20 tells of the calling of Simon Peter and his brother Andrew. With what intriguing promise did Jesus call them? How did they respond?
- 2. Compare this account with John 1:35-42.
- 3. Discuss the occasion, the account of which Matthew 14:28 is a part. Does it reveal Peter's character?
- 4. Perhaps the most glorious part of Peter's association with Jesus is recorded in Luke 9:28-36. How did he regard it? Why did they keep it a secret? Matthew 17:9.
- 5. What was the most bitter experience in his association with Jesus? Matthew 26:69-75. What was the result of this experience in Peter's life?
- 6. What was Christ's charge to Peter? John 21:15-17.
- 7. Did Peter obey this command? Discuss Acts 2:14, 37-40; 5:12-16.
- 8. How does Peter's admonition in 2 Peter 3:11-14 conform to his own life? Is it sound advice?

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- 10. What descendants of David shall finally sit on his throne? Matthew 1:1; Isaiah 9:6, 7.
- 11. How long will His reign continue? Luke 1:31-33.
- 12. Into what reign will His kingdom finally blend? 1
 - Co. 15:24; Zec. 14:9.

Lesson for January 18, 2020.

THE PRICE AND RESULT OF PRIDE

Scripture reading: Psa. 10. Memory verse: Prov. 28:25.

- 1. How are the evils of the proud described in God's Holy Word? Isa. 2:11-13.
- 2. What did pride bring to a city of Moab? Jer. 49:13-16.
- 3. What is the source of all pride? 1 John 2:16.
- 4. What is listed first among the seven things which the Lord hates? Prov. 6:16, 17.
- 5. What will pride do to the person who is filled with it? Prov. 16:5.
- 6. What did pride bring to Nebuchadnezzar? Dan. 5:18-21.

PAUL, THE GREAT EVANGELIST

Scripture Reading: Acts 9:10-20. Memory Verse: 2 Timothy 4:7.

1. What do we know about Paul's early life? Acts 22:3. Smith's Bible Dictionary suggests that he was probably taken to Jerusalem as a boy for his education.

NOTE: Saul means "asked, "desired". Paul means "small" or "little". These names are very appropriate to the life of the Apostle. He was desired of men, very prominent and highly trusted by the leaders. After his conversion, however, he was very humble.

- 2. Discuss the following points in the story of Paul's conversion (Acts 9). The mission to Damascus. Saul's vision. Ananias' part.
- 3. What did Paul do? Why did he leave Damascus? Acts 9:22-25.
- 4. How was he received at Jerusalem, and where did he go from there? Acts 9:26-30.
- 5. Discuss Acts 11:19-30; 12:24-25; 13:2,3.6.

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- Instead of endeavoring to lift ourselves to high stations in this life, what should we be doing? Rom. 12:16.
- 8. How does true, genuine honor come to the faithful of the Lord our God? 1 Pet. 5:1-4.
- 9. Even though man may be in a high place and state, does it excuse him for being proud? Psa. 39:5; 18:27.
- 10. Does a man's greatness consist of the things he possesses? Luke 12:15.
- 11. What will happen to the exalted man who trusteth in himself? Luke 12:16-21.

Lesson for January 25, 2020.

THE REWARD OF ACCEPTING JESUS

Scripture reading: Matt. 19:23-30. Memory verse: Matt. 16:27.

- 1. What is the bounteous reward of forsaking all and following Jesus? Matt. 19:27-29.
- 2. What else is necessary in order to receive this reward? Matt. 10:37-39.
- 3. Does our labour for Him necessarily have to be of a great nature? Verse 42.

- 6. Did they carry out their mission? Romans 15:25-28; 1 Corinthians 16:1-3; 2 Corinthians 8:1-5; 9:1-12.
- 7. Discuss Acts 20:22,23; 21:10,11,33.

NOTE: From the day that Agabus' prophecy was fulfilled in A.D. 58, Paul was a prisoner of the Roman Empire until the year 63, at which time he was permitted to dwell in his own house (Acts 28:30). He was again arrested in A.D. 65 and beheaded in A.D. 67 or 68.

8. What have you to say about his conduct while he was under arrest.

Lesson for February 29, 2020.

PAUL'S FINAL MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH

Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 4:1-8. Memory Verse: 1 Timothy 5:7.

1. Before whom did Paul give his final charge, and at what time did he say the living and the dead would be judged? 2 Timothy 4:1.

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Lesson for March 21, 2020.

WHICH DAY IS THE SABBATH?

Scripture reading: Hebrews 4:1-16. Memory verse: Jer. 17:21-22.

- 1. Can we tell what day is the Sabbath? Matt. 28:1.
- Did Moses know what day was the Sabbath before it was given on Mt. Sinai? Exod. 16:23-25.
- 3. How long was the Sabbath day to be kept? Exod 31:16, 17.

NOTE: Perpetual means unending; no end to it.

- 4. Will the Sabbath day be kept in the Millenium reign of the Saviour? Isa. 66:23.
- 5. What is the sign to the people to prove they are sanctified (set apart)? Ezek. 20:12, 20; Exod. 31:13, 14.
- 6. What did the Saviour say in regard to the Sabbath? Was it just for the Jews, or for all men? Mark 2:27.
- 7. Did the Saviour have respect for the Sabbath day? Matt. 24:20; Luke 4:16-18.