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*My First Steps*

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## INTRODUCTION



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We are placing in your hands a manual/book that contains **"MY FIRST STEPS"** towards your spiritual development. Each lesson is developed in great detail with the sole purpose to consolidate your life in Christ, lead you away from becoming a Christian that does not know where they are headed, nor how to resolve obstacles that come your way. We intend to have you acquire spiritual maturity after having just given your life to Christ. We hope that you take these spiritual beginnings and make them part of your new life.

This manual will teach you how to overcome any adversity that may come between your walk with Jesus Christ. We need to accept that sin exists and that we are sinners, which is how the Bible says, "Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus, death spread to all men because all sinned" **Romans 5:12**.

We need to renounce from sin, repent with all our heart so that salvation can enter our lives, which is given through our Lord Jesus Christ, who provides a life full of victories. We desire to express our joy through your desire to follow Jesus Christ (which is the best decision you could have made).



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### **This manual contains:**

- 10 topics with homework assignments
- 2 review quizzes
- 2 exams
- 1 final review quiz
- 1 final exam
- Certificate

### **Outline:**

- Each topic includes questions, answers with biblical citations, and a homework assignment.
- The 10 topics are divided in two parts. This means that by the end of studying five topics there will be a review quiz and an exam.
- At the end of the 10 topics, there will be a final review quiz and a final exam which will include questions from all the topics studied.

### **Graduation is granted through:**

- Attendance
- Completion of homework assignments
- Completion of exams

The purpose of this manual is for everyone to pass with an A+ (100%). People who do not know how to read or write have passed. KEEP GOING!

I firmly believe that God will bless your life through “MY FIRST STEPS” and that you will be equipped to instruct others on these topics.

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# Topic 1.

# Sin



# 1. Sin

## INTRODUCTION

Sin is such a strong offense that it can only be cleaned through death. As sinners, we deserved eternal death, but Jesus, in his unfailing love, gave his life to die in our place. During his moment of death, Jesus was burdened with all the sins of humanity. When he died he paid for our sins and freed us from that curse.

**Isaiah 53:6** *All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, everyone, to his own way; And the LORD has laid on HIM the iniquity of us all.*

### 1. What is sin?

**A=** Whatever a person does that is against God's will.

### 2. What has provoked sin?

**A=** A barrier between God and man that only Jesus Christ could remove.

- **Note:** We can see that sin is doing the contrary to God's plan and a consequence to this is the division between man and his creator.

### 3. Where did sin originate from?

**A=** Heaven

**Isaiah 14:12-14** *"How you are fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How you are cut down to the ground, You who weakened the nations! For you have said in your heart: 'I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God; I will also sit on the mount of the congregation on the farthest sides of the north; I will ascend above the heights of the clouds, **I will be like the Most High.**' (Instructor, please read until verse 21).*



- **Note:** The devil tried to be like God, so he was cast from the kingdom of God.

#### 4. To whom do the practices of sin belong to?

**A=** The devil.

**1 John 3:8** *He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose, the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.*

#### 5. Who did sin begin with in humanity?

**A=** Adam and Eve.

**Genesis 3:17, 23-24** *Then to Adam said, "Because you have heeded the voice of your wife, and have eaten from the tree of which I commanded you, saying, 'You shall not eat of it': "Cursed is the ground for your sake; in toil you shall eat of it all the days of your life. (23) Therefore, the Lord God sent him out of the Garden of Eden to till the ground from which he was taken. 24 So He drove out the man; and He placed cherubim at the east of the Garden of Eden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way to the tree of life.*

- **Note:** Adam and Eve disobeyed God when they ate of the said tree. This is how sin began in the world; with the human race.

#### 6. What should our attitude be towards sin?

**A=** Reject and flee from it.

**1 John 1:8-10** *If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us.*

**7. What do we have to do to receive forgiveness from our sins?**

**A=** Wholeheartedly repent and ask God for forgiveness.

**1 John 2:1** *My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate (Intercessor) with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.*

**8. Who did king David sin against?**

**A=** Against God.

**2 Samuel 12:12-13 12** *For you did it secretly, but I will do this thing before all Israel, before the sun. 13 So David said to Nathan, "I have sinned against the Lord." And Nathan said to David, "The Lord also has put away your sin; you shall not die."*

**9. What did king David have to do so that God would forgive him?**

**A=**Repent and plead for forgiveness.

- **Note:** The king repented and received forgiveness. Man tries to hide sin, however, God cannot be fooled. God knows it and he knows everything. If a seed of sin is planted, then that is the harvest we will receive. However, repentance means a change in attitude.

**10. What does the Word of God say about forgiveness of sins?**

**A= Micah 7:19** *He will again have compassion on us, and will subdue our iniquities. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.*

- **Note:** No one has ever gone to the depths of the sea, and no one will ever go there because that is how God has established it. It is the place where God places our sins and he will never think of them again. Never forget that God's mercy is big.

**11. What is the wage of sin?**

**A=** Death.

**Romans 6:23** *For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.*

- **Note:** The word death means separation and when we mention spiritual death, it means a separation from God. God wants us to reach forgiveness through the sacrifice Jesus Christ made and through eternal life.

**12. What is the solution to not having spiritual death?**

**A=** Accept Jesus Christ and confess that we want him to live within us.

**John 3:16** *For God so loved the World that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.*

**Romans 10:9-10** *That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For with the*

*heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*

- **Note:** As sinners we deserved eternal death, but in his everlasting love, Jesus offered his life so that he could die in our place. During his moment of death, Jesus was burdened with all the sins of humanity, and when he died, he paid for our sins and freed us from that curse. Now, it is our job to respond with love and faithfulness to the beautiful sacrifice Jesus Christ did. There is no other way but giving our lives and hearts to Christ and acknowledging him at every moment.

**Isaiah 53:6** *All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.*

✦ **God bless you and remember:**

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”* **2 Timothy 2:15**









# HOMWORK 1

- Answer the following:

1. Write what sin is (Section 1)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What has provoked sin? (Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. With who did the sin of humanity begin with? (Section 5)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What must our attitude be before sin? (Section 6)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

5. What do we need to do to receive forgiveness from sin? (Section 7)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

6. ¿What is the wage of sin? (Section 11)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

7. Write the following verse: (Section 12)

**John 3:16**

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# Topic 2.

# Repentance



## 2. Repentance

### INTRODUCTION

Repentance means to return or come back from. It is a voluntary change in the life and mind of a person; it is to change direction.

#### 1. What is repentance?

**A=** To recognize that we are sinners, and accept that without God we behave incorrectly.

**Luke 15:7** *I say to you that likewise there will be more joy in Heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine just persons who need no repentance.*

- **Note:** When there is genuine repentance, there is joy in the heavens and God begins to act immediately.

#### 2. Does God give an opportunity to everyone?

**A=** Yes. God wants us all to achieve repentance and for no one to get lost.

**2 Peter 3:9** *The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, **not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.***

- **Note:** God has not come to make judgement, thanks to His great love. He (patiently) wants us all to proceed towards repentance. Let us not put an end to God's patience. Instead let us reflect on the fact that He is coming soon and we need to repent from our way of life.

#### 3. What can we repent from?

**A=** By nature we are sinners who need to repent.

**Galatians 5:19-21** *Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, **that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.***

- **Note:** Every human being is found on the list of those who will not inherit the kingdom of God, which is why we need to wholeheartedly repent.

#### **4. If people who are worse sinners than us exist, then why don't they repent?**

**A=** We all sin and we all have to repent; regardless of how big or small the sin may be; sin is sin.

**Luke 13:2-3** *And Jesus answered and said to them, "Do you suppose that these Galileans were worse sinners than all other Galileans, because they suffered such things? **3** I tell you, no; but unless you repent you will all likewise perish.*

- **Note:** It is not valid to think that others are the ones that need to repent and not you. We are all sinners in the big and in the small. We need to repent!

#### **5. How do we need to repent?**

**A=** Opening our hearts to God, being honest and sincere with ourselves and with our creator.

**2 Chronicles 7:14** *If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from Heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.*

- **Note:** There are three conditions in order to be heard by God: be humble, pray and change; it is then when God will listen to you, forgive your sins and heal your heart.

## 6. Is there crying during repentance?

**A=** In genuine repentance, there is crying.

**Luke 22:61-62** *And the Lord turned and looked at Peter. Then Peter remembered the word of the Lord, how He had said to him, "Before the rooster crows, you will deny Me three times." 62 So Peter went out and wept bitterly.*

- **Note:** Peter kept saying that he would never fail the Lord, however we can see that in one night he denied Him three times. The same way, we need to recognize that we too fail the Lord and that we need to repent. When Peter cried bitterly, genuine repentance led to change.

## 7. Does God see the repentance of the heart?

**A=** Yes, those with broken and humble hearts

**Joel 2:13** *So tear your hearts, and not your garments; Return to the Lord your God, For He is gracious and merciful, Slow to anger, and of great kindness; And He relents from doing harm.*

- **Note:** God motivates us to achieve repentance of the heart. He does not care for the sacrifices Man could offer because Man always goes back to the sin they had (supposedly) repented from. God knows your heart and He cannot be fooled. He is happy with the simple and humble hearted.

**8. What is the difference between genuine and false repentance?**

**A=** Genuine repentance brings salvation, but false repentance brings death.

**2 Corinthians 7:10** *For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death.*

- **Note:** If you feel the sadness that God feels because you've done something wrong, repent; He will forgive and save. And if you feel remorse from the world or false sadness, then prepare yourself to receive death.

**9. What fruits must we have with repentance?**

**A=** Fruits worthy of repentance.

**Matthew 3:8** *Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance.*

**Acts 26:20** *But declared first to those in Damascus and in Jerusalem, and throughout all the region of Judea, and then to the Gentiles, **that they should repent, turn to God, and do works befitting repentance.***

- **Note:** When there is genuine repentance, our heart will be clean and we will seek to do things worthy of repentance.

**10. What characteristics must we have with repentance?**

**A=** Completely change our attitude.

**Ephesians 4:25-32** *Therefore, putting away lying, "Let each one of you speak truth with his neighbor," for we are members of one another. **26** "Be angry, and do not sin": do not let the sun go down on your wrath, **27** nor give place to the devil. **28** Let him*

*who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need. 29 Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers. 30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. 31 Let all bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and evil speaking be put away from you, with all malice. 32 And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.*

- **Note:** The Lord motivates us to show such characteristics when there is genuine repentance. Christ is in our hearts, so we should give him the opportunity to work in our lives, which will lead to an easier path to fulfilling His purpose. With false repentance, it will always be impossible to continue the walk of Christ.

#### **11. If someone did something wrong to us and repents, should we forgive them?**

**A=** Yes, the same way that God forgives us, he desires for us to do the same with others.

**Luke 17:3-4** *Take heed to yourselves. If your brother sins against you, rebuke him; and if he repents, forgive him. 4 And if he sins against you seven times in a day, and seven times in a day returns to you, saying, 'I repent,' you shall forgive him."*

- **Note:** The Lord Jesus Christ notices the repentance man has with Him, but He also motivates us to forgive all of those who have offended or hurt us.



**12. Does God rejoice in repentance?**

**A=** Yes, he rejoiced with all those who repent.

**Jonah 3:9-10** *Who can tell if God will turn and relent, and turn away from His fierce anger, so that we may not perish? 10 Then God saw their works that they turned from their evil way; and God relented from the disaster that He had said He would bring upon them, and He did not do it.*

- **Note:** When God sees the heart of a person, of an entire people group, city, or nation, he rejoices and extends his forgiveness and mercy. I motivate you all to pray for repentance of our families, colonies, town, city and countries so that God can change everyone.

**13. Are there people who know of God's forgiveness and make themselves insensitive?**

**A=** Yes, and they listen more to their friends and the devil.

**Proverbs 23:35** *Let your father and your mother be glad and let her who bore you rejoice.*

**Ephesians 4:18-20** *Having their understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart; 19 who, being past feeling, have given themselves over to lewdness, to work all uncleanness with greediness. 20 But you have not so learned Christ (the Messiah).*

- **Note:** People suffer and need repentance, but sometimes our pride is bigger and we begin to think about what our friends will say. These people pay more attention to what the devil says, and what sin and vengeance says, that it leads them to be insensitive towards the forgiveness they can receive from God.

**14. Who are the ones that don't repent?**

**A=** The ones with hardened hearts.

**Revelations 9:20-21** *But the rest of mankind, who were not killed by these plagues, did not repent of the works of their hands, that they should not worship demons, and idols of gold, silver, brass, stone, and wood, which can neither see nor hear nor walk. 21 And they did not repent of their murders or their sorceries or their sexual immorality or their thefts.*

**Revelations 16:9** *And men were scorched with great heat, and they blasphemed the name of God who has power over these plagues; and they did not repent and give Him glory.*

- **Note:** As you can see, there are people that don't repent even though they know that there is a God and there is judgement, which for this reason they will not reach salvation.

✦ **God bless you and remember:**

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”* **2 Timothy 2:15**









## HOMWORK 2

- Respond to the following:

1. **What is repentance?** (Section 1):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. **What can we repent from?** (Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. **How should we repent?** (Section 5):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. **What is the difference between genuine and false repentance?** (Section 8):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. **Who are the ones that do not repent?** (Section 14):

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# Topic 3.

# Forgiveness





# 3. Forgiveness

## INTRODUCTION

God desires that every believer lives a Christ like, victorious, life. However, God knows that there will be moments of temptation where we will fall and give in to sin. In his grace, God has planned the way towards repentance through confession in order to be forgiven and cleansed of all sin. God provides forgiveness to all people at all times because Christ died and resurrected. He entered the presence of God with an offering of his own blood so that humanity could be purified and forgiven of their sins. If we believe in Him and his healing work, God will forgive our sins.

### 1. What is forgiveness?

**A=** Forgiveness is the key to blessing. Forgiveness and repentance open our hearts and allow God's mercy and river to flow openly in us. The meaning of the term 'forgiveness' is to remove the sin from a person.

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

- **Note:** When we are forgiven by God, we become special treasure for him and we rest from everything we've carried of pain, anguish, and sadness.

### 2. Who is the only one who can forgive us?

**A=** God

**Micah 7:18-19** *Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant of His heritage? He does not retain His anger forever, Because He delights in mercy. 19 He will again have compassion on us, and will subdue our iniquities. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.*

- **Note:** God is calling all of his creation to a place of repentance and forgiveness. The heavens open as people discover that mercy triumphs over judgement.

### 3. By what means does God forgive us?

**A=** Through the sacrifice of his son Jesus Christ. He offered himself for us so that we may be forgiven.

**John 3:16** *For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.*

- **Note:** The biggest crime committed by humanity was when the Son of God was killed on the cross over two thousand years ago. He endured everything for us because there had to be an expiatory payment for our sins. Because he was innocent, he paid our debt as if he were the one guilty. “Do not waste this great gift.”

### 4. How does forgiveness come to our lives?

**A=** Confessing our sins to God.

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

- **Note:** Humanity had a huge debt that was paid through Jesus' sacrifice on the cross (which was the biggest price in the entire universe, which we will return). *God, the Son himself, already paid what we owed. Let us sincerely draw near to him and let us plead for forgiveness.*

## 5. What happens to those who are forgiven a lot?

**A=** Love more

**Luke 7:47** *Therefore I say to you, her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she loved much. But to whom little is forgiven, the same loves little.*

- **Note:** The verse previously mentioned speaks about a “sinful” woman who is forgiven a lot and loves a lot. When she found out that Jesus was nearby, she went to him, humbled herself as she washed and kissed his feet (which was something very humbling in the Jewish culture), not caring of what others might say. This is the reason why Jesus Christ forgave all of her sins. If we want to achieve mercy and forgiveness from God the way this “sinful” woman did, then we need to be more like her (follow her example).

## 6. If God has forgiven us, do we need to forgive our peers?

**A=** Yes, God motivates us to forgive our peers.

**Matthew 6:14-15** *“For if you forgive men their trespasses (failures/offenses), your heavenly Father will also forgive you. 15 But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses (failures/offenses).”*

**Mark 11:25-26** *“And whenever you stand praying, if you have anything against anyone, forgive him that your Father in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses. 26 But if you do not forgive, neither will your Father in heaven forgive your trespasses.”*

- **Note:** If we desire to be in peace with God and with our peers, then we need to learn to forgive those who have hurt us. A simple act of lack of forgiveness can lead a person to spiritual ruin.

## 7. Did Jesus experiment with forgiveness?

A= Yes

**Luke 23:34-35** *Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.” And they divided His garments and cast lots. 35 And the people stood looking on. But even the rulers with them sneered, saying, “He saved others; let Him save Himself if He is the Christ (the Messiah), the chosen of God.”*

- **Note:** Even the Lord who was crucified because of humanity’s rebellion had to go through derision (his garments were taken) and in those moments he said “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.” In our lives we have passed and will continue to pass difficult moments where we will have to say the same thing Jesus said on the cross.

## 8. Does the Lord motivate us to forgive each other?

A= Yes, He delights in forgiveness

**Ephesians 4:32** *And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.*

**Colossians 3:13** *Bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do.*

- **Note:** Forgiveness will always accompany a good Christian.

## 9. Is prayer and forgiveness related?

A= Yes

**James 5:15** *And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.*

- **Note:** Prayer is transformational dialogue with the Heavenly Father. Jesus would make prayer a priority and his moments with the father were valuable and versatile.

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## HOMWORK 3

- Answer the following:

1. **What is forgiveness?** (Section 1)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. **Who is the only one who can forgive us?** (Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Write the following verse:** (Section 4)

1 John 1:9: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. **What is the reason why we should forgive people?** (Section 6)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

5. **What relationship do forgiveness and prayer have?** (Section 9)

A= \_\_\_\_\_

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# Topic 4. Salvation



## 4. Salvation

### INTRODUCTION

We have seen the previous topic of “Forgiveness” and as a result of that, God gives us “salvation” through his son Jesus Christ.

#### 1. What is salvation?

**A=** It is deliverance from sin and its consequences.

**John 3:16** *For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.*

- **Note:** In order for us to be saved, God had to provide a way to be saved, which is what He did through His son Jesus. We need to understand that salvation changes lives. Living hope is the result of having experienced God’s salvation.

#### 2. Does God desire for all of humanity to be saved?

**A=** Yes, He desires it with all his heart.

**2 Peter 3:9** *The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.*

**1 Timothy 2:3-4** *For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, 4 who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.*

### 3. Can we reach salvation only through Jesus Christ?

**A=** Yes, salvation can only be achieved through Jesus Christ, for he is the one who gave his life for humanity.

**Acts 4:12** *Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under Heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”*

**1 Timothy 2:5** *For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus.*

- **Note:** There are people who say that all religions and beliefs lead to God and that we can be saved by following them. However, God says that we can be saved only in the name of Jesus Christ, the Son (salvation is through no one else but Him).

### 4. How do we acquire salvation?

**A=** Believing in our Lord Jesus Christ and confessing salvation with our mouths.

**Romans 10:10** *For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*

- **Note:** If we want salvation, then we need to believe with our hearts that Jesus Christ died for our sins and we must have genuine repentance as we ask God for forgiveness. We need to confess with our mouths that we are saved because one of Satan's biggest tricks is making believers doubt about their salvation. Let us not fall into his trap.

## 5. How should we take care of our salvation?

**A=** With fear and trembling.

**Philippians 2:12** *Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling.*

**Hebrews 2:3** *How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation, which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed to us by those who heard Him.*

## 6. How should we fight for our salvation?

**A=** We fight day after day until the end.

**Matthew 24:13** *But he who endures to the end shall be saved.*

## 7. Is it impossible to be saved?

**A=** No, for God nothing is impossible.

**Matthew 19:25-26** *When His disciples heard it, they were greatly astonished, saying, "Who then can be saved?" 26 But Jesus looked at them and said to them, "With men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible."*

- **Note:** If we have God in our hearts, there is nothing deemed impossible that will stop us from being saved. If we trust in the strength of men, then everything will be impossible. It is necessary to have Jesus in our hearts to achieve salvation.



## 8. Did Jesus Christ come to judge the World or to save it?

**A=** To save it. The salvation of the whole World is important to Him.

**John 12:47** *And if anyone hears My words and does not believe, I do not judge him; for I did not come to judge the world but to save the world.*

**John 3:17** *For God did not send His Son into the World to condemn the world, but that the World through Him might be saved.*

- **Note:** God is not on his throne judging people. Instead He took the shape of a man, gave us His word and died for his love for us.

## 9. How can our family can be saved?

**A=** By believing in the Lord Jesus.

**Acts 16:30-31** *And he brought them out and said, "Sins, what must I do to be saved?"*  
**31** *So they said, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household."*

- **Note:** We must remain in the salvation that the Lord Jesus Christ give us, and our testimony will bring our family to eternal salvation.

## 10. Can we be saved by our works?

**A=** No, salvation is acquired by giving our lives to Jesus.

**Ephesians 2:8-9** *For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, **9** not of works, lest anyone should boast.*

**Titus 3:5** *Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit.*

- **Note:** Imagine if salvation was by works. Every evildoer with money would pay off all his wrongdoings and would continue to do them. God does not need our money or our great works. He wants humanity to come to genuine repentance, and ask God for forgiveness of our sins to finally reach salvation.

#### **11. Did Jesus Christ come to judge the World or to save it?**

**A=** The fragrance of Christ.

**2 Corinthians 2:15-16** *For we are to God the fragrance of Christ among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing. 16 To the one we are the aroma of death leading to death, and to the other the aroma of life leading to life. And who is sufficient for these things?*

- **Note:** If a person comes to the feet of Jesus, repents, and accepts the salvation of God, the person becomes a fragrant aroma of Christ. However, if this person does not repent and does not become saved, their aroma is of death.

#### **12. Did Jesus Christ come to judge the World or to save it?**

**A=** The fragrance of Christ.

**1 Peter 4:18** *Now "If the righteous one is scarcely saved, where will the ungodly and the sinner appear?"*

- **Note:** It is not acceptable to play with such a beautiful gift called salvation. God wants us to share it with others so that they can experience the same things as us and enjoy eternal life with Him.

### 13. What value does salvation need to have for us?

**A=** It is the best thing any human can have which is why we must treasure it.

**Philippians 3:7-9** *But what things were gain to me, these I have counted loss for Christ. 8 Yet indeed, I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ 9 and be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which is from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith;*

- **Note:** If we treasure salvation in our hearts, everything else we may have will not have value or prices that could compare to salvation.

### 14. If we are saved, should we worry about other people's salvation?

**A=** Yes, we can now be a conduit to other people's salvation.

**James 5:20** *Let him know that he who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul from death and cover a multitude of sins.*

- **Note:** We can be a blessing for many people and take a lot of fruit to the heavens with God. I motivate you to take salvation to all places and be a person that speaks about it.

✦ **God bless you and remember:**

*"Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."* **2 Timothy 2:1**



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## HOMWORK 4

- Answer the following:

1. **What is salvation?** (Section 1):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. **Write the following verse** (Section 3):

**Acts 4:12** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. **How should we use our salvation?** (Section 5):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. **Write the following verse** (Section 10):

**Ephesians 2:8-9** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. **What value should salvation have for us?** (Section 13):

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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# Topic 5.

# The New Birth





## 5. The New Birth

### INTRODUCTION

By natural birth, we enter the position of children in our family. We have become part of divine nature through our spiritual birth which we receive through our faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

#### 1. What do we need to be children of God?

**A=** We need to be born again by believing in Jesus and receiving him in our hearts.

**John 1:12** *But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name.*

- **Note:** Nicodemus (a leader full of intelligence) went one night to the Lord, and Jesus surprised him by showing him a new birth (John 3:1-21).

**John 3:3** Jesus answered and said to him, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.”

#### 2. Was it easy for Nicodemus to understand the new birth?

**A=** No.

**John 3:4-5** *Nicodemus said to Him, “How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born?”* **5** *Jesus answered, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God.*

- **Note:** To be born again is the act through which a person that was dead spiritually (separated from God) moves on to be spiritually alive (begins to have communion with God). This person becomes a son or daughter of God. Before this, the person was on a route to eternal condemnation, but now their eternal destiny is the house of the Lord.

### 3. Can we be saved through our works?

**A=** No. God gave us salvation as a gift. It is not earned by works.

**Ephesians 2:8-9** *For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, 9 not of works, lest anyone should boast.*

### 4. What condemnation is for those who have been saved?

**A=** None.

**Romans 8:1** *There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit.*

- **Note:** We need to seek the things of the Lord to feed our spirit. For example, reading the Bible, talking to God through prayer, and having intimate moments with Him, etc.. It is through this that we will not give an opportunity to the flesh.

### 5. What happens when we experience the new birth?

**A=** We are made a new creation.

**2 Corinthians 5:17** *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.*

- **Note:** Yes, the mechanics of this renovation can be invisible, mysterious, and the effects can be enormous. Yet, all of a sudden, we reach life and proceed to have a harmonic relationship with God (read **Romans 5:8-11**). Even though many old habits and problems from the Adamic heritage still exist, we continue to feel a new desire to serve, obey, and draw near to God.

## 6. Why is it important to confess Jesus with our mouth?

**A=** Because with our mouths we confess to salvation.

**Romans 10:9** *That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.*

## 7. Does Jesus come forced?

**A=** No.

**Revelation 3:20** *Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me.*

- **Note:** Jesus desires for the human race to fix their eyes on Him and leave their lifestyles behind. The Lord wants to give us salvation and for that to happen, it is necessary that we open our hearts so that He can help us.

**8. Is there transformation when we are born again?**

**A=** Yes.

Transformation	Biblical Citations
We no longer practice sin	<b>1 John 3:9</b> <i>Whoever has been born of God does not sin, for His seed remains in him; and he cannot sin, because he has been born of God.</i>
We love our neighbors	<b>1 John 4:7</b> <i>Beloved, let us love one another, for love is of God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God.</i>
We have faith to overcome the world	<b>1 John 5:4</b> <i>For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.</i>

**9. Is there a Bible verse that can help us not to leave God’s path?**

**A=** Yes, **Colossians 3:1-3**

Behaviors we need to leave behind:	(Colossians 3:8)
● Malice	● Blasphemy
● Hate	● Dishonest words
● Anger	● Avarice
● Fornication	● Bad desires
● Get rid of our old selves	● Dishonest passions
● Lying	

- **Note:** Everything we previously mentioned cannot be left behind with our own strengths, still Christ Jesus can do his perfect work within our lives.

✠ **God bless you and remember:**

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”* **2 Timothy 2:1**



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## HOMWORK 5

- Answer the following:

1. What do we need to be children of God? (Section 1)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Can we be saved through our works? (Section 3)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Write the following verse: (Section 4)

Romans 8:1 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. What happens when we experience a new birth? (Section 5)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. What transformation happens when we are born again? (Section 8)

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# Review Quiz 1



# REVIEW QUIZ 1

## Sin. Repentance. Forgiveness. Salvation. New Birth.

**1. What is sin?**

**A=** Whatever a person does that is against the will of God.

**2. What provokes sin?**

**A=** A barrier between God and man that only Jesus Christ can break.

**3. With who did sin begin with in humanity?**

**A=** With Adam and Eve.

**4. What do we need to do in order to receive forgiveness of sins?**

**A=** Repent and wholeheartedly ask God for forgiveness.

**5. What is the wage of sin?**

**A=** Death.

**6. What is repentance?**

**A=** Acknowledging that we are sinners, accepting that without God we behave wrongly.

**7. What can we repent from?**

**A=** By nature, man is a sinner and needs repentance.

**8. If there are worse sinner than us, then why don't they repent?**

**A=** Everyone sins and we need to repent, regardless of how big or small the sin may be.

**9. How do we need to repent?**

**A=** Opening our hearts to God, being sincere and honest with ourselves and with our creator.

**10. What fruits do we need to have with repentance?**

**A=** Fruits worthy of repentance.

**11. What is forgiveness?**

**A=** Forgiveness is the key to blessings. Forgiveness and repentance open our hearts and allow God's river to flow freely within us. Aside from being an act of mercy, the meaning of the term "forgiveness" is to separate the person from sin.

**12. Who is the only one who can forgive us?**

**A=** God.

**13. Through what does God forgive us?**

**A=** Through the sacrifice of his Son Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ offered himself for us so that we could be forgiven.

**14. How does forgiveness come to our lives?**

**A=** Confessing our sins to God.

**15. If God has forgiven us, then do we need to forgive our neighbors?**

**A=** Yes, God motivates us to forgive our neighbors.

**16. What is salvation?**

**A=** The deliverance of sin and its consequences.

**17. Does God desire for all humanity to be saved?**

**A=** Yes, he wholeheartedly desires for everyone to be saved.

**18. Do we achieve salvation only through Jesus Christ?**

**A=** Yes, only through Jesus, who was the only one to give his life up for humanity.

**19. How do we acquire salvation?**

**A=** Believing in the Lord Jesus Christ and confessing salvation with our mouths.

**20. How are we supposed to fight for our salvation?**

**A=** Fighting day after day until the end.

**21. What do we need to be children of God?**

**A=** We need to be born again, believe in Jesus and accept Him in our hearts.

**22. What happens when we experience new birth?**

**A=** We are made new creation.

**23. Why is it important to confess Jesus with our mouth?**

**A=** Because we confess salvation with our mouths.

**24. Is there some type of transformation when we are born again?**

**A=** Yes.

- We no longer practice sin.
- We love our neighbors.
- We have faith to overcome the World.

**25. Is there a Bible verse that can help us not leave God's path?**

**A=** Yes, **Colossians 3:1-3**



# Exam 1.





# EXAM 1

## Sin. Repentance. Forgiveness. Salvation. New Birth

- **Select the correct answer:**

**1. What is sin?**

- a) Whatever a person does that is against the will of God.
- b) Everything that seems bad but is actually good.
- c) Whatever we do without thinking.

**2. What has provoked sin?**

- a) A closer relationship with God.
- b) A barrier between God and man that only Jesus can remove.
- c) A momentary disillusionment of God and man.

**3. With who did sin begin with in humanity?**

- a) Satan.
- b) Judas.
- c) Adam and Eve.

**4. What do we need to do to receive forgiveness for our sins?**

- a) Repent and wholeheartedly ask God for forgiveness.
- b) Entrust ourselves to all the saints.
- c) Forgetting our sins.

**5. What is the wage of sin?**

- a) Do many prayers.
- b) Death.
- c) Make good works.

**6. What is repentance?**

- a) Acknowledge that we are sinners and accept that without God we behave wrongly.
- b) When we want to do something wrong.
- c) When we pity someone.

**7. What can we repent of?**

- a) By nature man is a sinner and needs to repent.
- b) Sleeping too much.
- c) Of how generous we are.

**8. If there are people who are worse sinners than us, then why don't they repent?**

- a) Because they do not have forgiveness.
- b) Because they don't need it.
- c) Everyone sins and needs to repent, regardless of how big or small the sin is.

**9. How should we repent?**

- a) Opening our hearts to God and being honest and sincere with ourselves and with our creator.
- b) With sadness.
- c) Crying.

**10. What fruits must we have with repentance?**

- a) Fruits of pain.
- b) Fruits worthy of repentance.
- c) Bad fruits.

**11. What is forgiveness?**

- a) It is an act of mercy on behalf of God.
- b) When God feels pity for us.
- c) It is reminding people that we are good people.

**12. Who is the only one who can forgive us?**

- a) Man.
- b) A pastor.
- c) God.

**13. Through what does God forgive us?**

- a) Through our works.
- b) Through the sacrifice of his Son Jesus Christ.
- c) Through the church.

**14. How does forgiveness come to our lives?**

- a) Through man.
- b) Through good works.
- c) Confessing our sins to God.

**15. If God has forgiven us, do we need to forgive our neighbors?**

- a) No, because God doesn't ask for it.
- b) No, because they have offended us.
- c) Yes, because God motivates us to forgive our neighbors.

**16. What is salvation?**

- a) Deliverance of sin and its consequences.
- b) When we don't have problems.
- c) When we are freed from punishment.

**17. Does God desire for all humanity to be saved?**

- a) No, God does not want us to be saved.
- b) No, God does not notice us.
- c) Yes, God wholeheartedly desires for us to be saved.

**18. Can we only achieve salvation through Jesus Christ?**

- a) Yes, only through Jesus because he was the only one to give his life for humanity.
- b) No, there are people who can save us.
- c) No, our good works can save us too.

**19. How can we acquire salvation?**

- a) Through our good works.
- b) Believing in the Lord Jesus Christ and confessing salvation with our mouths.
- c) Going to church.

**20. How are we supposed to fight for our salvation?**

- a) Suffering in life.
- b) Crying every day.
- c) Fight day after day until the end.

**21. What do we need to be children of God?**

- a) Be born again, believe in Jesus and receive him in our hearts.
- b) Behave well.
- c) Give many offerings.

**22. What happens when we experience new birth?**

- a) We are new creatures.
- b) We become God.
- c) We can judge everyone.

**23. Why is it important to confess Jesus with our mouth?**

- a) Because they are magical words.
- b) Because we confess salvation with our mouths.
- c) Because the people said so.

**24. If there is some type of transformation when we are born again?**

- a) No, nothing happens.
- b) Yes, we are made perfect.
- c) Yes, we no longer practice sin, we love our neighbors, and we have faith to overcome the World.

**25. Is there a Bible verse that can help us stay in God's path?**

- a) Yes, **Genesis 1:1**.
- b) Yes, **Colossians 3:1-3**.
- c) Yes, **Jude 1:1**.

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Topic 6.  
Why do we  
congregate?





## 6. Why do we congregate?

### INTRODUCTION

When you congregate, it takes you to spiritual maturity, it will strengthen you and you will be a person that will be able to bless others. However, when you don't congregate, how will you be able to help the ones in need of the love of God?

**Hebrews 10:25** *Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.*

**Note:** The people who do not congregate tend to motivate others to do the same. However, if you do congregate, you will have a Christian foundation and you will not be moved from your position above the rock.

#### 1. I congregate to worship God:

I congregate:	Bible Verse
To be in the presence of the Lord	<b>Matthew 18:20</b> <i>“For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them.”</i>
To give of his Word	<b>Psalms 22:22</b> <i>“I will declare Your name to My brethren; In the midst of the assembly I will praise You.”</i>
To feel his glory	<b>Psalms 89:7</b> <i>“God is greatly to be feared in the assembly of the saints, And to be held in reverence by all those around Him.”</i>
Jesus was also a congregant	<b>Matthew 21:12</b> <i>“Then Jesus went into the temple of God and drove out all those who bought and sold in the temple, and overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves.”</i>
To live with the rest	<b>Acts 2:46</b> <i>“So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart.”</i>

To live the miracles of God	<b>Acts 3:1, 7-8</b> 1 Now Peter and John <b>went up together to the temple</b> at the hour of prayer, the ninth <i>hour</i> . 7 And he took him by the right hand and lifted <i>him</i> up, and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. 8 So he, leaping up, stood and walked and <b>entered the temple with them—walking, leaping, and praising God.</b>
To feel his presence in worship	<b>Luke 24:53</b> and were continually in the temple praising and blessing God. Amen.

## 2. My spiritual life and my family's spiritual life is important to me.

**Deuteronomy 6:2** “That you may fear the Lord your God, to keep all His statutes and His commandments which I command you, **you and your son and your grandson, all the days of your life**, and that your days may be prolonged.”

- When you congregate with a church you will receive a lot, but your family will receive a lot more because they will be giving more of their life to God.
  - **Note:** Not one person desires for their children to live what they've lived; everyone desires a better life for them which they will find through seeking God. Which is why this should be a motive for congregating in a church.

## 3. To fellowship with the eternal family:

**Psalms 133:1** “Behold, how good and how pleasant it is **for brethren to dwell together in unity!**”

- There are families which we will fellowship with here on Earth for a couple of years. However, it is a lot more interesting to fellowship with those who will have eternal life because there are eternal plans that are far more important.

- There are times when our family on earth does not want to hear the Gospel, but we need to continue to pray for them so that their hearts can be softened and one day be able to take them to the feet of Jesus. However, we also need to seek a spiritual family with whom we need to fellowship, which can be found where we congregate.

#### 4. To be together in unity to see the miracles of God:

**Acts 2:46** *So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart.*

#### 5. Biblical Examples:

- a) Simeon: (**Luke 2:25-34**).

Simeon	Bible Verse
Was motivated by the Holy Spirit	<b>Luke 2:27:</b> <i>So he came by the Spirit into the temple. And when the parents brought in the Child Jesus, to do for Him according to the custom of the law.</i>
His eyes saw salvation	<b>Luke 2:30:</b> <i>For my eyes have seen Your salvation.</i>
Simeon blessed the Lord Jesus	<b>Luke 2:34:</b> <i>Then Simeon blessed them, and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this Child is destined for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign which will be spoken against.</i>

- **Note:** Imagine if Simeon wouldn't have gathered on that day, he wouldn't have had the blessing of having Jesus in his arms and the opportunity to bless him. The same way, God has a blessing that he will give to us when we gather/ congregate.

b) Hannah the prophet (84 years): **(Luke 2:36-38)**

Hannah the Prophet	Biblical Citation
She was old and a widow, so she had an excuse not to congregate/ gather	<b>Luke 2:36:</b> <i>Now there was one, Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was of a great age, and had lived with a husband seven years from her virginity.</i>
She was always at the temple in fasting and prayer	<b>Luke 2:37:</b> <i>and this woman was a widow of about eighty-four years, who did not depart from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.</i>
She saw the Savior with her own eyes, and she began to speak to him	<b>Luke 2:38:</b> <i>And coming in that instant she gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all those who looked for redemption in Jerusalem.</i>

- **Note:** Imagine Hannah using all the excuses she could to not congregate, yet she knew how important it was to congregate, so she received what the Lord had promised to her.

✦ **Conclusion:**

When we congregate, we will become very happy to know more about the one who has given us new life. Here, you will experience the presence of God and will be able to fellowship with the new family the Lord has given you. I encourage you to wholeheartedly gather and congregate at a church.



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## HOMWORK 6

- Answer the following:

1. Write the following verse (Introduction)

Hebrews 10:25 \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Write three points as to why you congregate/ gather (Section 1)

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

3. Why is it important to fellowship with your eternal family? (Section 3)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Write the following verse (Section 4)

Acts 2:46 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Write an example of each character: (Section 5)

- Simeon: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Hannah: \_\_\_\_\_  
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# Topic 7.

# God's Family



# 7. God's Family

## INTRODUCTION

God is the one who made all things and all things are for His glory. God wanted to have many children to share his glory.

**Hebrews 2:10:** *For it was fitting for Him, for whom are all things and by whom are all things, in **bringing many sons to glory**, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.*

**1 John 3:1:** *Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, **that we should be called children of God!** Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.*

### 1. We are part of the family of God

- Our God is a father and he has a family.
  - In his plans, He wanted us to have a biological and spiritual family.
  - God always wanted us to worship him as a family.
  - Noah and his family were saved through the ark.
  - God did not need to have a family, but He wanted to have one.
- **Note:** In his mercy, God has accepted us as His children which is why we need to thank him for such a beautiful detail.

### 2. When we give our life to Jesus, does God become our Father?

**A=** Yes.

- All of the other believers become our brothers and sisters.
- The church is our spiritual family.
- We become members of the family of God when we give our life to God.

**John 1:12:** *But as many as **received Him**, to them He gave **the right** (the power) to become **children of God**, to those who believe in His name.*

**Romans 8:15-16:** *For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, “Abba, Father.” **16 The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God.***

### 3. Your spiritual family is more important than your earthly family.

- Your spiritual family is for eternity.
  - Families on earth are wonderful gifts from God, but they are only temporary.
  - Spiritual family will continue for eternity.
- **Note:** We need to seek the spiritual family because they will help us with a sincere heart in difficult moments. Our spiritual family will council us, motivate us, encourage us, and they will always want what is best for us and our families.

### 4. Benefits of belonging to the family of God.

- On Earth

Benefits	Biblical Citations
We are heirs of God	<b>Galatians 4:7</b> <i>Therefore you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son, <b>then an heir of God</b> through Christ.</i>
Our father will provide everything	<b>Philippians 4:19</b> <i>And my God <b>shall supply all your need</b> according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.</i>

<p>God will give us all of his goodness, tolerance, patience, and mercy</p>	<p><b>Ephesians 1:7</b> <i>In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.</i></p> <p><b>Romans 2:4</b> <i>Or do you despise the riches of His goodness, forbearance, and longsuffering, not knowing that the goodness of God leads you to repentance?</i></p> <p><b>Romans 9:23</b> <i>And that He might make known the riches of His glory on the vessels of mercy, which He had prepared beforehand for glory.</i></p>
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- In eternity we will receive a lot more:

Benefits	Biblical Citations
<p>We will be with God forever</p>	<p><b>1 Thessalonians 5:10</b> <i>who died for us, that whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with Him.</i></p> <p><b>1 Thessalonians 4:17</b> <i>Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.</i></p>
<p>We will be transformed to be like Christ</p>	<p><b>1 John 3:2</b> <i>Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is.</i></p> <p><b>2 Corinthians 3:18</b> <i>But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord</i></p>

We will be free of pain	<b>Revelations 21:4</b> <i>And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.</i>
We will be rewarded	<b>Mark 9:41</b> <i>For whoever gives you a cup of water to drink in My name, because you belong to Christ, assuredly, I say to you, he <b>will by no means lose his reward.</b></i> <b>Mark 10:30</b> <i>who shall not receive a hundredfold now in this time—houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions—and <b>in the age to come, eternal life.</b></i>
We will be able to share the glory of God	<b>Romans 8:17:</b> <i>and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, <b>that we may also be glorified together.</b></i> <b>Colossians 3:4</b> <i>When Christ who is our life appears, then you also <b>will appear with Him in glory.</b></i>

✦ **God bless you and remember:**

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”* **2 Timothy 2:15**









## HOMWORK 7

- Answer the following:

1. Why are we of the family of God (Section 1)

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- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

2. Does God become our Father when we give our lives to Jesus Christ?  
(Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Write the following verse: (Section 2)

John 1:12 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. What is the earthly family? (Section 3)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Write a benefit for each (where they belong) for belonging to a family of God:  
(Section 4)

- On earth: \_\_\_\_\_
- In heaven: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Topic 8.

# My house and I will serve The Lord



## 8. My house and I will serve The Lord

### INTRODUCTION

It is necessary for us to seek God and serve him with all our hearts. Still, God speaks to us about working as a family, He desires for us to work whether it be in the congregation or in our homes.

**Joshua 24:15:** *And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."*

#### ❖ Characteristics of working in a family and in a home

##### 1. It is necessary to present Jesus Christ in our homes and to our families:

- Should not only be done at church.
- God wants to use our homes.
- To benefit our family and other families that will receive Jesus Christ as their savior.

**Luke 19:5-9** *And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down, for today I must stay at your house." 6 So he made haste and came down, and received Him joyfully. 7 But when they saw it, they all complained, saying, "He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a sinner." 8 Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold." 9 And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he also is a son of Abraham.*

## 2. The homes and families will smell of the presence of God:

- The presence of God will always be in the homes and families represented.
- There are homes we like to be in because that is where the presence of the Lord is at.

**John 12:3** *Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. **And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil.***

- **Note:** *This anointing was very valuable and that is how the Presence of God is in the homes, it is a unique value.*

## 3. It promotes fellowship in the Family

- It is beautiful to be of complete families, receiving, and participating in unity.
- It promotes fellowship in the Christian family.
- There is no social distinction. There is joy and simplicity of the heart.

**Acts 2:46** *So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart.*

- **Note:** It is there where the Spirit of God wants to give you a family to enjoy.

## 4. It is Biblical to do it at church and at home:

- It is very beautiful to gather in homes.
- Our children learn to worship the Lord in many ways.
- We learn and grow in Celestial food.
- We learn and ask question when in doubt.

- We can participate.
- We have more contact with the Teacher.
- We can ask and vent more intimately.

**Acts 5:42** *And daily in **the temple, and in every house**, they did not cease teaching and preaching Jesus (the good news) as the Christ (the Messiah).*

#### **5. Receive all who are in need:**

**Acts 28:30** *Then Paul dwelt two whole years in his own rented house, **and received all who came to him.***

#### **6. Homes becomes churches:**

**Romans 16:5** *Likewise, greet **the church that is in their house**. Greet my beloved Epäenetüs, who is the first fruits of Achaia to Christ (the occidental providence of Asia Minor).*

**Colossians 4:15** *Greet the brethren who are in Laodicea, and **Nymphas and the church that is in his house.***

- ⊕ **Conclusion:** I desire with all my heart for you to seek the Lord in small groups (home groups) because it will fill your life and make you into a more productive Christian which will lead you to be of blessing to other generations.







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## HOMWORK 8

- Answer the following:

1. Why is it necessary to present the Lord Jesus Christ at homes and to families?(Section1)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. What happens when the aroma of God is perceived in a home? (Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Write the following verse: (Section 3)

**Acts 2:46** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. What happens when we congregate in homes? (Section 4)

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- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

5. Write the following verse (Section 4)

**Acts 5:42** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Topic 9.

# Preparing myself to be a Blessing to the New Generation.



## 9. Preparing myself to be a Blessing to the New Generation.

### INTRODUCTION

We have tasted forgiveness and eternal life, but what about the new generation that does not know about the love of God? We need to prepare ourselves to present them our Lord Jesus Christ.

#### Why do I need to prepare myself?

##### 1. For our good and the good of our family:

- We cannot help others if we can't help ourselves.
- Our children believe we are their pastors and teachers, so they expect a lot from us.
- Our friends and partners need us.

**Deuteronomy 6:6-9** *“And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. 7 You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up. 8 You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. 9 You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.*

- Our Lord Jesus was taught by his earthly father, Joseph, but when Jesus was 12 years old he found himself asking questions to the doctors of the law.

**Luke 2:46-47** *Now so it was that after three days they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions. 47 And all who heard Him were astonished at His understanding and answers.*



## 2. Because we are thankful with God:

- There were many people who were thankful like Bartimaeus the blind, the demon-possessed Gadarene, Peter's mother-in-law, the leper that returned to Jesus, the Ethiopian, all of them took the message of salvation to a new generation because there was so much gratefulness.
- Jesus exhorts us to do the same.

**Matthew 10:7-8** *And as you go, preach, saying, 'The kingdom of Heaven is at hand.'*  
**8** *Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, and raise the dead, cast out demons. **Freely you have received, freely give.***

- **Note:** If we have received such beautiful salvation and a new life, then we need to be thankful and give this special moment freely to other people who are living a life without hope and salvation.

## 3. There very few people who want to please God and serve him:

- Many people have been helped by God, but very few are thankful by serving him

**Matthew 9:36-38** *But when He saw the multitudes, He was **moved with compassion for them**, because they were weary and scattered, like sheep having no shepherd. **37** Then He said to His disciples, "The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few. **38** Therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest."*

- The Lord continues to plea with us, but now we are aware of it.

#### 4. Because errant doctrines are being taught

- If we don't prepare ourselves, we will believe everything we are told. God has left his word so that we can prepare ourselves.

**1 Timothy 4:16** *Take heed to yourself and to the doctrine. Continue in them, for in doing this you will save both yourself and those who hear you.*

**2 Timothy 3:13-14** *But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. 14 But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them.*

#### 5. Because we want to leave our thumbprint on the world:

- Apostle Paul leaves us a great example.

**2 Timothy 4:6-8** *For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand. 7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, and I have kept the faith. 8 Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and **not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.***

- Apostle Paul will always be remembered as a persecutor of Christians who had an encounter with Jesus. Paul was thankful until the day of his death as he prepared a new generation, which he continues to do because he left a big thumbprint on the World.
- We need to be prepared to leave a legacy behind which means that “even as we leave, we must keep preaching.”

**6. Because I want to present myself approved in front of God:**

- I want to have many talks with my Lord Jesus and I hope that it is for things that I did out of gratefulness.

**2 Timothy 2:15** *Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.*

**7. Because I want to keep teaching in Heaven:**

- We will teach the angels about grace, forgiveness and salvation.

**Ephesians 3:9-10** *And to make all see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the ages has been hidden in God who created all things through Jesus Christ; **10** to the intent that now the manifold **wisdom of God might be made known by the church to the principalities and powers in the heavenly places.***

- The angels need to know about forgiveness and the new birth that we experienced (things only the saved can teach and that they did not experience).

✦ **God bless you and remember:**

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.” **2 Timothy 2:15***



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## H O M E W O R K 9

- Answer the following:

1. Why do I need to prepare myself? (the seven points of the topic)

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- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

2. What does Jesus exhort us to do? (Section 2)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Why will apostle Paul be remembered? (Section 5)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Write the following verse: (Section 6)

2 Timothy 2:15 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. What can we teach the angels? (Section 7)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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## Topic 10.

I want to do God's  
perfect will





# 10. I want to do God's perfect will

## INTRODUCTION

If you want to live a plentiful life full of blessings, you need to live in the perfect will of God. There are people that are doing the will of God, but God wants us to live in His perfect will. A Christian who is doing the perfect will of God will always walk in peace even in difficult moments; God will always be with them.

**Luke 22:42** saying, *“Father, if it is Your will, take this cup away from Me; nevertheless not My will, but Yours, be done.”*

### 1. Live the perfect will of God in your thoughts and path:

**Isaiah 55:8-9** *“For My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways My ways,” says the Lord. 9 “For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, And My thoughts than your thoughts.*

- Making our own plans for God and other people will lead us to frustration because we don't know God's thoughts.
- If you want to use God your way, then forget about it! He will not be in those plans.
- For example, using God when we need him and then forgetting about him.

### 2. The perfect will of God is good and pleasant:

**Romans 12:2** *And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove **what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.***

- We need to renovate our understanding, which leads to understanding God in his perfect will.

- This will lead our lives to the perfect will of God, agreeable, and perfect.
- There will not be confusion in our lives.

### 3. Seeking sanctity is the perfect will of God:

- Sanctity: Separating ourselves from sin.

**1 Thessalonians 4:3** *For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you should abstain from sexual immorality.*

**1 Peter 2:15-16** *For this is the will of God, that by doing good you may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men— 16 as free, yet not using liberty as a cloak for vice, but as bondservants of God.*

The perfect will of God is the sanctity of his children and his church.

**Ephesians 5:27** *That He might present her to Himself a **glorious church**, not having **spot or wrinkle or any such thing**, but that she should be holy and without blemish.*

### 4. Being grateful is the perfect will of God:

**1 Thessalonians 5:18** *In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.*

- God wants people who are grateful in his Kingdom, that worship him, adore him, and testify of Him.
- People that value the Salvation through Jesus Christ.
- There are people who only want to receive at a church.
- ❖ They do not enter into worship, only in the message.
- ❖ Sometimes they just want to share and not receive.

### 5. The perfect will of God is to obey our rulers:

**1 Peter 2:13-15** *Therefore submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake, whether to the king as supreme, <sup>14</sup> or to **governors**, as to those who are sent by him for the punishment of evildoers and for the praise of those who do good. <sup>15</sup> For this is **the will of God**, that by doing good you may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men.*

- The perfect will of God is for us to live in harmony with our rulers.

### 6. The perfect will of God is to not love this world:

- This world offers us many pleasures which are not welcomed into God's plans.
- There are appealing plans that can divert us from God's plans.
- We need to reflect that God has his perfect will in us and in our families.

**1 John 2:16-17** *For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life (the riches)—is not of the Father but is of the world. <sup>17</sup> And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; **but he who does the will of God abides forever.***

- That is the divine plan, to persevere forever.

#### ✦ God bless you and remember:

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.” **2 Timothy 2:15***









## HOMWORK 10

- Answer the following:

1. What do you need to do if you want a plentiful life full of blessings?  
(Introduction)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Write the following verse: (Introduction)

Luke 22:42 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. What does healing mean? (Section 3)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Write the following verse: (Section 4)

1 Thessalonians 5:18 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. What is the perfect will of God for our rulers/ leaders? (Section 5)

A= \_\_\_\_\_  
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# Review Quiz 2.



## REVIEW QUIZ 2

**Why do we congregate? God's family. My house and I will serve the Lord.  
Preparing myself to be a blessing to the new generation. I want to do the  
perfect will of God.**

**1. What does congregating/ gathering help you in?**

**A=** It takes you to spiritual maturity, it will strengthen you and you will be a person that can bless others.

**2. Why is it more important to fellowship with my eternal family?**

**A=** Because it is more interesting to fellowship with those who will live eternally because there are eternal plans that are much more important.

**3. What excuse could Hannah the prophet used to no congregate/ gather?**

**A=** Old in age and a long-time widow.

**4. Why are we part of the family of God?**

- Our God is a father and He has a family.
- God has always wanted us to worship Him as a family.
- God didn't need to have a family, He wanted to have one.

**5. When does God become our Father?**

**A=** We become members of God's family when we give our life to Jesus.

**6. What is an earthly family?**

**A=** Earthly families are wonderful gifts given by God, but they are only temporary.

**7. Write three benefits of belonging to God's family on earth:**

- We are heirs with God.
- Our Father will provide everything.
- God will give us all of His love.

**8. Write three benefits of belonging to the eternal family of God:**

- We will be with God forever.
- We will be transformed to be more like Christ.
- We will be free of pain.

**9. Why is it necessary to present our Lord Jesus Christ in home and to families?**

**A=** For the benefit of our families and other families that will receive Jesus Christ as their savior.

**10. What happens when God's aroma is perceived in a house?**

**A=** The presence of God will be in that home and in the families represented.

**11. What happens when we congregate/gather in homes?**

- We can participate.
- We have more contact with the teacher.
- We can ask and vent more intimately.

**12. Write three points on why we should be prepared?**

- For our good and our family's good.
- There are a few who want to please God and serve him.
- I want to continue teaching in the heavens.

**13. What does Jesus exhort us to do?**

**A=** For us to take the message of salvation to a new generation.

**14. Why will apostle Paul be remembered?**

**A=** Apostle Paul will always be remembered as a persecutor of Christians who had an encounter with Jesus. Paul was thankful until the day of his death as he prepared a new generation, which he continues to do.

**15. What can we teach the angels?**

**A=** Grace, forgiveness, and salvation.

**16. What do you need to do to have a plentiful life full of blessings?**

**A=** Live the perfect will of God.

**17. What does holiness mean?**

**A=** To be separated from sin.

**18. What is the perfect will of God for our rulers/leaders?**

**A=** Obey them.



# Exam 2.





## EXAM 2

**Why do we congregate? God's family. My House and I will serve the Lord.  
Preparing myself to be a blessing to the new generation. I want to do the  
perfect will of God.**

- Select the correct answer:

**1. What does congregating help in?**

- a) To look good before the pastor.
- b) Take you to spiritual maturity.
- c) To be a better Christian.

**2. Why is it more important to fellowship with the eternal family?**

- a) Because the earthly people are bad.
- b) Because God does not want us to be with our earthly family.
- c) Because it is more interesting to fellowship with those who will live eternally.

**3. What excuse could Hannah the prophet have used to not congregate/gather?**

- a) Old in age and a widow for many years.
- b) She had a business to watch over.
- c) She was lazy.

**4. Why are we part of the family of God?**

- a) That's where we were born.
- b) Our God is a Father and he has a family.
- c) Just because.

**5. When does God become our Father?**

- a) When we sign a family contract.
- b) When we give our life to Jesus.
- c) When the angels approve it.

**6. What is the earthly family?**

- a) Wonderful gifts from God.
- b) Strange people we have to live with.
- c) Wonderful gifts by the angels.

**7. Which of the following is a benefit of belonging to God's family on earth:**

- a) Having superpowers.
- b) Becoming heirs of God.
- c) Doing whatever we want.

**8. Which of the following is a benefit of belonging to God's family in eternity:**

- a) We will be able to fly.
- b) We will be transformed to be like angels.
- c) We will transformed to be more like Christ.

**9. Why is it necessary to present the Lord Jesus Christ in homes and to families?**

- a) For personal benefit.
- b) For the benefit of the families that receive Jesus Christ as their savior.
- c) For the benefit of the government.

**10. What happens when the aroma of God is perceive in a home?**

- a) The house will always smell good.
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- a) To be separated from sin.
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- a) Criticize them.
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# Final Review Quiz



## FINAL REVIEW QUIZ

**Sin. Repentance. Forgiveness. Salvation. New birth. Why do we congregate?  
God's family. My house and I will serve the Lord. Preparing myself to be a  
blessing to the new generation. I want to do the perfect will of God.**

**1. What is sin?**

**A=** Whatever a person does that is against the will of God.

**2. What has provoked sin?**

**A=** A barrier between God and man that only Jesus can remove.

**3. With who did sin in humanity begin with?**

**A=** Adam and Eve.

**4. What do we need to do to receive forgiveness of sin?**

**A=** Repent and wholeheartedly ask God for forgiveness.

**5. What is the wage of sin?**

**A=** Death.

**6. What is repentance?**

**A=** It is to recognize that we are sinners and accept that without God we behave wrongly.

**7. What can we repent from?**

**A=** By nature man is a sinner and needs to repent.

**8. If there are worse sinners than us, then why don't they repent?**

**A=** We all sin and we all need to repent, regardless of how big or small the sin may be.



**9. How should we repent?**

**A=** Opening our hearts to God, being sincere and honest with ourselves and with the creator.

**10. What fruits should be produced with repentance?**

**A=** Fruits worthy of repentance.

**11. What is forgiveness?**

**A=** Forgiveness is the key for blessing. Forgiveness and repentance open our hearts and allows God's river to flow openly within us. Aside from it being an act of mercy, the meaning of the term is to separate sin from the person.

**12. Who is the only one who can forgive us?**

**A=** God.

**13. From what mean does God forgive us?**

**A=** From the sacrifice of his Son Jesus Christ who offered himself so that we could be forgiven.

**14. How does forgiveness come to our lives?**

**A=** By confessing our sins to God.

**15. If God has forgiven us, do we need to forgive our neighbors?**

**A=** Yes, God motivates us to forgive our neighbors.

**16. What is salvation?**

**A=** Deliverance from sin and its consequences.

**17. Does God desire for all humanity to be saved?**

**A=** Yes, God desires with all his heart for us to be saved.

**18. Can we only reach salvation through Jesus Christ?**

**A=** Yes, only in Jesus Christ who was the only one to give his life for all humanity.

**19. How do we acquire salvation?**

**A=** Believing in the Lord Jesus Christ and confessing salvation with our mouth.

**20. How should we fight for our salvation?**

**A=** Fighting day after day until the end.

**21. What do we need to be children of God?**

**A=** Be born again. Believe in Jesus and receive him in our hearts.

**22. What happens when we experiment the new birth?**

**A=** We are made new creation.

**23. Why is it important to confess Jesus with our mouth?**

**A=** Salvation is confessed through our mouth.

**24. Is there some type of transformation when we are born again? R= Yes**

- We no longer participate in sin.
- We love our neighbors.
- We have faith to overcome the world.

**25. Is there a Bible verse that can help us stay in God's path?**

**A=** Yes, **Colossians 3:1-3**.

**26. What does congregating/ gathering help you in?**

**A=** It will lead you towards spiritual maturity, it will strengthen you and will be a blessing to others.

**27. Why is it more important to fellowship with the eternal family?**

**A=** It is more interesting to fellowship with those who will live eternally because there are eternal plans that are far more important.

**28. What excuse could Hannah the prophet used not to congregate/gather?**

**A=** She was old in age and a widow of many years.

**29. Why are we part of the family of God?**

- Our God is a Father and he has a family.
- God desires for us to worship him as a family.
- God doesn't need a family, he wanted to have one.

**30. When does God become our father?**

**A=** We become part of the family when we give our life to Jesus.

**31. What is the earthly family?**

**A=** Our family on earth is a wonderful gift from God that are only temporary.

**32. Write three benefits of belonging to a family of God on earth.**

- We are heirs of God.
- Our Father will provide everything.
- God will give us all his love.

**33. Write three benefits for belonging to God's eternal family:**

- We will be with God forever.
- We will be transformed to be more like Jesus.
- We will be free from pain.

**34. Why is it necessary to present the Lord Jesus Christ in homes and to families?**

**A=** For the benefit of our families and other families to receive Jesus Christ as their savior.

**35. What happens when the aroma of God is perceived in a home?**

**A=** The presence of God will always be in that home and with the families represented.

**36. What happens when we congregate in a home?**

- We can participate.
- We have more contact with the teacher.
- We can ask and vent more intimately.

**37. Write three points about why we need to be prepared?**

- For our good and the good of the family.
- There are very few who want to please God and serve him.
- We want to keep teaching in Heaven.

**38. What does Jesus exhort us to do?**

**A=** To take the message of salvation to a new generation.

**39. Why will apostle Paul be remembered?**

**A=** Apostle Paul will always be remembered as a persecutor of Christians who had an encounter with Jesus. Paul was thankful until the day of his death as he prepared a new generation, which he continues to do.

**40. What can we teach the angels?**

**A=** Grace, forgiveness, and salvation.

**41. What do you need to do to have a plentiful life full of blessings?**

**A=** Live the perfect will of God.

**42. What does holiness mean?**

**A=** To be separated from sin.

**43. What is the perfect will of God for our rulers/leaders?**

**A=** Obey them.

# Final Exam



## FINAL EXAM

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God's family. My house and I will serve the Lord. Preparing myself to be a  
blessing to the new generation. I want to do the perfect will of God.**

- Select the correct answer:

### 1. What is sin?

- a) Whatever a person does that is against the will of God.
- b) Everything that seems bad but is actually good.
- c) Whatever we do without thinking.

### 2. What has provoked sin?

- a) A closer relationship with God.
- b) A barrier between God and man that only Jesus can remove.
- c) A momentary disillusionment of God and man.

### 3. With who did sin begin with in humanity?

- a) Satan.
- b) Judas.
- c) Adam and Eve.

### 4. What do we need to do to receive forgiveness for our sins?

- a) Repents and wholeheartedly ask God for forgiveness.
- b) Entrust ourselves to all the saints.
- c) Forgetting our sins.



**5. What is the wage of sin?**

- a) Do many prayers.
- b) Death.
- c) Make good works.

**6. What is repentance?**

- a) Acknowledge that we are sinners and accept that without God we behave wrongly.
- b) When we want to do something wrong.
- c) When we pity someone.

**7. What can we repent of?**

- a) By nature, man is a sinner and needs to repent.
- b) Sleeping too much.
- c) Of how generous we are.

**8. If there are people who are worse sinners than us, then why don't they repent?**

- a) They do not have forgiveness.
- b) They don't need it.
- c) Everyone sins and needs to repent, regardless of how big or small the sin is.

**9. How should we repent?**

- a) Opening our hearts to God and being honest and sincere with ourselves and with our creator.
- b) With sadness.
- c) Crying.

**10. What fruits must we have with repentance?**

- a) Fruits of pain.
- b) Fruits worthy of repentance.
- c) Bad fruits.

**11. What is forgiveness?**

- a) It is an act of mercy on behalf of God.
- b) When God feels pity for us.
- c) It is reminding people that we are good people.

**12. Who is the only one who can forgive us?**

- a) Man.
- b) A pastor.
- c) God.

**13. Through what does God forgive us?**

- a) Through our works.
- b) Through the sacrifice of his son Jesus Christ.
- c) Through the church.

**14. How does forgiveness come to our lives?**

- a) Through man.
- b) Through good works.
- c) Confessing our sins to God.

**15. If God has forgiven us, do we need to forgive our neighbors?**

- a) No, because God doesn't ask for it.
- b) No, because they have offended us.
- c) Yes, because God motivates us to forgive our neighbors.

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- a) Deliverance of sin and its consequences.
- b) When we don't have problems.
- c) When we are freed from punishment.

**17. Does God desires for all humanity to be saved?**

- a) No, God does not want us to be saved.
- b) No, God does not notice us.
- c) Yes, God wholeheartedly desires for us to be saved.

**18. Can we only achieve salvation through Jesus Christ?**

- a) Yes, only through Jesus because he was the only one to give his life for humanity.
- b) No, there are people who can save us.
- c) No, our good works can save us too.

**19. How can we acquire salvation?**

- a) Through our good works.
- b) Believing in the Lord Jesus Christ and confessing salvation with our mouths.
- c) Going to church.

**20. How are we supposed to fight for our salvation?**

- a) Suffering in life.
- b) Crying every day.
- c) Fight day after day until the end.

**21. What do we need to be children of God?**

- a) Be born again, believe in Jesus and receive him in our hearts.
- b) Behave well.
- c) Give many offerings.

**22. What happens when we experience new birth?**

- a) We are new creatures.
- b) We become God.
- c) We can judge everyone.

**23. Why is it important to confess Jesus with our mouth?**

- a) They are magical words.
- b) We confess salvation with our mouths.
- c) The people said so.

**24. Is there some type of transformation when we are born again?**

- a) No, nothing happens.
- b) Yes, we are made perfect.
- c) Yes, we no longer practice sin, we love our neighbors, and we have faith to overcome the World.

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- b) Take you to spiritual maturity.
- c) To be a better Christian.

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- b) She had a business to watch over.
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- b) Our God is a Father and he has a family.
- c) Just because.

**30. When does God become our Father?**

- a) When we sign a family contract.
- b) When we give our life to Jesus.
- c) When the angels approve it.

**31. What is the earthly family?**

- a) Wonderful gifts from God.
- b) Strange people we have to live with.
- c) Wonderful gifts by the angels.

**32. Which of the following is a benefit of belonging to God's family on earth:**

- a) Having superpowers.
- b) Becoming heirs of God.
- c) Doing whatever we want.

**33. Which of the following is a benefit of belonging to God's family in eternity:**

- a) We will be able to fly.
- b) We will be transformed to be like angels.
- c) We will transformed to be more like Christ.

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# Afterword





## AFTERWORD

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As you conclude this course, it is possible that you may have experienced true repentance. The conviction of humanity is found in sin and it requires genuine repentance which can only be achieved by coming to the feet of Christ.

The pain you might have experienced from this repentance may have not been bad. On the contrary, it has opened an entrance to the sensitivity of the Holy Spirit and to the voice of God. Having experienced repentance, you will encounter a change of mentality and behavior. If this does not happen in your life, consider pausing your walk. Reflect whether you have truly accepted the Lord Jesus Christ in your heart and been saved. Remember to be careful and not carry the old self that you carried before. Simply think about how much better it is to wake up with Jesus than waking up without him.

Moreover, here is a prayer you can repeat at any moment: “Lord, forgive me, I tried to do things my way and I have seen the uselessness of it. Please, have mercy on me one more time, for I now accept to voluntarily follow your plans.” Allow the word of God to evaluate your life because the Word will expose your disobedient behavior and it will lead you to retake the path of truth.

On this training manual, we have also learned about the importance of congregating and gathering, belonging to the family of God, how to be a blessing to the new generation, and how to give good fruit and be an instrument in the hands of God.

I wholeheartedly hope that at the end of this course, you will experience the presence of our Heavenly Father, and the joy and satisfaction of the abundant life we live with the Lord.

I say goodbye to you, but not before telling you that I await you in the next course.

**I love you in the love of Jesus.**

*Pastor. Juan S. Múzquiz V.*



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