

Age 9-10

Search the Word Bible Memory Verses

Stage 4

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Children of this age have active minds. As they memorize each verse, question them as to its meaning. This will help them to think about what God is saying to them. It will also give you an insight into what way they are thinking.

This section contains 52 familiar memory verses. I believe these verses to be foundational to true Biblical Christianity. May God use them to deepen your children's understanding of His way of salvation. I suggest that you spend a fortnight on each verse.

Introduction

A foundation for life is laid in childhood. What and how a child is taught influences him or her both for time and eternity. Boys and girls are not only educated in their school classroom, but also in their church, in their home and by their company. All these influences can have an impact for either good or bad. It is essential, therefore, that our children are diligently taught the truth in an attitude of love.

Many underestimate the power of God's Word to transform lives. It is quick and powerful and sharper than any two-edged sword (Heb 4v12); it makes us wise unto salvation (2 Tim 3v15); and it keeps us from sinning against God (Psalm 119v11). Boys and girls need to experience this transforming power in their lives too.

God wants Christian parents to lead their children by godly teaching and godly example based on His Word (cf. Deut 6v4-7). It is our responsibility to diligently teach the scriptures to our children in an attitude of love. They have a God-given ability to learn and retain facts in such a way to influence their lives. We need the truth to influence them for good. It is my desire that the riches of God's Word would be hidden deep in the hearts and minds of boys and girls. Hence the reason I have compiled this series of Bible verses to memorize with them.

Let me emphasize that the Bible verses found in these lists are intended as a springboard only. They cover a great variety of teaching concerning God, His salvation, and our responsibility to Him. However, this is not an exhaustive list of the only Bible verses that one needs to know. Read God's Word with your children every day and encourage them to learn other portions of it as well. Pray that as they memorize God's Word that the Lord will hide it deep within their hearts and use it to keep them pure and from evil.

Use this series of Bible verse lists by stages rather than by sticking rigidly to the ages that I have designed it for. Let the child learn at his or her own pace. Say a verse over with your child at least 10 times every day. Talk with them as to what each verse means. I strongly advise that you teach the verses in their context, especially for the older children. It is most important that they learn God's Word and its meaning.

This series can easily be adapted for use by adults. Just simply go through the initial stages more quickly than advised for children. Many of the verses in the initial stages should be familiar to you anyhow. Of course, if you are using this series of Bible verses lists with your children, you will find the benefit of learning with them!

Psalm 145v3: "Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; and his greatness is unsearchable."

Acts 3v19: "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out."

John 3v17: "For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved."

John 3v18: "He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God."

John 10v10: "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."

Psalm 51v5: "Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me."

John 3v36: "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him."

Philippians 4v13: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

Proverbs 20v11: "Even a child is known by his doings, whether his work be pure, and whether it be right."

Psalm 66v18: "If I regard iniquity in my heart, the Lord will not hear me."

2 Corinthians 5v17: "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."

Matthew 5v16: "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

Ephesians 2v8-9: "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast."

Ephesians 2v10: "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them."

2 Peter 3v18: "But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Isaiah 43v25: "I, even I, am he that blotteth out thy transgressions for mine own sake, and will not remember thy sins."

Job 19v25: "For I know that my redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth."

1 Samuel 16v7: "The LORD seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the LORD looketh on the heart."

Genesis 6v3: "And the LORD said, My spirit shall not always strive with man."

Revelation 3v20: "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me."

Mark 10v45: "For even the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many."

Romans 2v16: "In the day when God shall judge the secrets of men by Jesus Christ according to my gospel."

Matthew 25v41: "Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels."

Romans 5v12: "Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned."

Matthew 5v3: "Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Matthew 5v4: "Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted."

Matthew 5v5: "Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth."

Matthew 5v6: "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled."

Matthew 5v7: "Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy."

Matthew 5v8: "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God."

Matthew 5v9: "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God."

Matthew 5v10: "Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Matthew 5v11: "Blessed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake."

Matthew 5v12: "Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven: for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you."

1 John 3v8: "For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil."

James 4v7: "Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you."

Matthew 7v13: "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat."

Matthew 7v14: "Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it."

Revelation 1v18: "I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death."

Psalms 147v5: "Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite."

Romans 8v28: "And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose."

Nahum 1v7: "The LORD is good, a strong hold in the day of trouble; and he knoweth them that trust in him."

John 1v12: "But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name."

Romans 4v25: "Who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification."

Psalms 103v12: "As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us."

Psalms 50v15: "And call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify me."

Matthew 10v28: "And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul: but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell."

Mark 8v36-37: "For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?"

Philippians 4v19: "But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

Romans 12v21: “Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good.”

Psalms 33v6: “By the word of the LORD were the heavens made; and all the host of them by the breath of his mouth.”

Psalms 119v9: “Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word.”