

SUGGESTIONS FOR CONFIRMATION TEXTS

Joshua 1:9 (ESV)	“Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.”
1 Chron. 16:11 (ESV) Or 1 Chron. 16:11 (CEV)	“Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!” “Trust the LORD and his mighty power. Worship him always.”
Ps. 16:5 (ESV) Or Ps. 16:5 (CEV)	“The LORD is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.” “You, LORD, are all I want! You are my choice, and you keep me safe.”
Ps. 17:8 (ESV) Or Ps. 17:8 (TEV)	“Keep me as the apple of your eye; hide me in the shadow of your wings” “Protect me as you would your very eyes; hide me in the shadow of your wings”
Ps. 23:1 (ESV)	“The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.”
Ps. 27:1 (ESV)	“The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?”
Ps. 37:4 (ESV)	“Delight yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.”
Ps. 37:5 (ESV) Or Ps. 37:5 (TEV)	“Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act.” “Give yourself to the Lord; trust in him, and he will help you.”
Ps. 46:1 (ESV)	“God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.”
Ps. 47:6-7 (ESV)	“Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!”
Ps 55:22 (ESV)	“Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.”
Ps. 62:1-2 (ESV) Or Ps 62:1-2 (CEV)	“For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation. He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken.” “Only God can save me, and I calmly wait for him. God alone is the mighty rock that keeps me safe and the fortress where I am secure.”
Ps. 73:28 (ESV)	“But for me it is good to be near God; I have made the Lord GOD my refuge, that I may tell of all your works.”
Ps. 111:10 (ESV)	“The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom”
Ps. 119:105 (ESV)	“Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.”
Ps 121:2-3 (ESV)	“My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth. He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber.”
Ps 121: 5 (ESV)	“The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand.”
Ps 121: 7-8 (ESV) Or Ps 121:7-8 (TNIV)	“The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.” “The LORD will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the LORD will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.”
Prov. 3:5-6 (ESV)	“Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.”

Or Prov. 3:5-6 (TEV)	"Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Never rely on what you think you know. Remember the Lord in everything you do, and he will show you the right way."
Prov. 30:5 (ESV)	"Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him."
Is. 43:1 (ESV)	"Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine."
Matt. 6:33 (ESV)	"But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you."
Matt. 7:7 (ESV)	"Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you."
Matt. 11:28 (ESV)	"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."
Matt. 21:22 (ESV)	"And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith."
Matt. 28:20 (ESV)	"I am with you always, to the end of the age."
Luke 11:28 (ESV)	"Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"
John 3:16 (ESV)	"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life."
John 6:35 (ESV)	"Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.'"
John 8:12 (ESV)	"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."
John 8:31-32 (ESV)	"If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."
John 10:27-28 (ESV)	"My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand."
John 11:25-26 (ESV)	"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die."
John 14:6 (ESV)	"I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."
John 14:27 (ESV)	"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid."
John 15:5 (ESV)	"I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing."
John 15:9 (ESV)	"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love."
John 15:11 (ESV)	"These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full."
Acts 16:31 (ESV)	"Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved."
Rom 1:16 (ESV)	"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek."
Rom 8:1 (ESV)	"There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus."
Rom. 8:31 (ESV)	"What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?"

Rom 8:38-39 (ESV)	“For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
1 Cor. 6:20 (ESV)	“For you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.”
1 Cor. 10:13 (ESV)	“No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.”
2 Cor. 13:14 (ESV)	“The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.”
Gal. 3:11 (ESV)	“Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law, for “The righteous shall live by faith.”
Eph. 1:3 (ESV)	“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places”
Eph. 1:7-8 (ESV)	“In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight”
Eph. 1:11 (ESV)	“In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will”
Eph. 1:13 (ESV)	“In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit”
Eph. 2:8-10 (ESV)	“For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.”
Phil. 3:14 (ESV)	“I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.”
Phil. 4:13 (ESV)	“I can do all things through him who strengthens me.”
Or Phil 4:13 (CEV)	“Christ gives me the strength to face anything.”
Col. 3:24 (ESV)	“Knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.”
Heb. 13:5 (ESV)	“Be content with what you have, for he has said, “I will never leave you nor forsake you.”
1 John 1:9 (ESV)	“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”
Rev. 2:10 (ESV)	“Be faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life.”