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GENESIS - day one

Highlight Genesis 1:1. You aren't just an accident of nature. Now **look up and highlight Genesis 1:26-27** and see what he called his creation after each day.

You aren't an accident. God intentionally created men and women. The Hebrew word for image means something more than mere physical resemblance. Adam and Eve represented God's character. They were His representative, His caretakers in the world. What does this verse tell you about YOUR worth in God's eyes?

Now **look up and highlight 3:15** in your Bible.

The entire third chapter describes how Adam and Eve fell into sin. Verse 15 is God's very first promise that he would send a Savior who would take care of sin once and for all. This verse is talking about Jesus Christ. God has a plan for you. Despite our sins and failures, He forgives. How does that change your outlook on life?

Prayer - Heavenly Father, you have a plan for my life, found in the person and work

of Jesus Christ, my Savior and Lord. Thank you for creating the world and giving me life. Amen.

EXODUS - day two

Look up and Highlight chapter 20 vs 1-17.

This is where God gives us the Ten Commandments, the law of God. As Christians, God's law not only shows us our sins and our need for a Savior, it also serves as a guide for living and honoring Him.

When we compare our conduct to the demands of the Ten Commandments, we come up horribly short. Yet God, in His mercy has sent his son Jesus to pay for our sins. This forgiveness is a life changer. The 10 Commandments are a guide for us for better living. How might you, in the power of God's mercy, use the 10 commandments in a way that honors Him?

Now look up and highlight chapter 34:6-7. God points out how our relationship with Him is not just private, but it extends out into our family, through their behavior and lifestyle. How do you pass on the



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faith to those you love?

Prayer - Lord God, heavenly Father, teach us to fear, love and trust in you with all our heart, soul, mind and strength. Give us opportunity to pass this faith on to those we love. In Jesus name we pray. Amen

LEVITICUS - day three

The theme of Leviticus is “What it means to live as God’s holy people.” The God of Leviticus is the awesome creator of the universe, the Holy God, the merciful God in Jesus Christ. With this in mind, let’s **look up and highlight Leviticus 11:45.**

God set Israel apart so that He might sanctify them (make them holy) and be their God. You have been set apart to be God’s people through the forgiveness of sins found in Jesus Christ. How does that set you apart and change your life?

Now **look up and highlight Leviticus 16:30-34.**

On the “Day of Atonement” the people of Israel were cleansed from their sins through ritual sacrifices. These sacrifices points us to the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross. Take a moment to silently confess your sins to God, trusting that Jesus paid for ALL of them. Today is a new day for you, because of Jesus.

Prayer - Heavenly Father, you set us apart through the Sacrifice of Your Son Jesus Christ, our Savior. Thank for for Your grace in my life. Every day is a new day because of you. Amen.

NUMBERS - day four

God is always faithful, even when we aren’t. In His Word, God is at work in us leading us to repentance and faith. **Look up and highlight 6:24-27.** Because of the work of Jesus, our Heavenly Father looks upon us the same way - with grace and peace. How might your day change knowing that God IS on your side?

Prayer - Gracious God, Your Word brings grace and peace to our lives. Keep us ever mindful of Your powerful love for us. Give us opportunity to get Your message of love out. Amen.

DEUTERONOMY - day five

Deuteronomy was written to people who constantly had to struggle with things that would try to replace their trust in God. **Look up and highlight Deuteronomy 6:4-7.**

Why do you think it is important to pass the faith on to our children and grandchildren? List some specific ways you might do this better?

Prayer - Father, work within me so that I might bold and courageous in my witness to those who are my family. Give me the conviction of heart to pass the faith on to them. In Jesus’ name. Amen.

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