



“Truth must enter into the soul, penetrate and saturate it, or else it is of no value... It is a rule of nature that the inward affects the outward, as light shines from the center of the lantern through the glass; When, therefore, Truth is kindled within, its brightness soon shines in the outward life and conversation.”

(Charles Haddon Spurgeon)



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AS WE GATHER IN THIS SEASON OF THANKSGIVING, we know of MANY brothers and sisters in Christ that are going through great trials. We ourselves have not been immune! Trials can shake us to our core! It's in the shaking that we learn much about our faith. When we have no answer. When we have no idea where to go or what to do. When we are weary emotionally and physically. When we are burdened excessively beyond our strength, where do we find ourselves? Are we Anxious or Anchored? Are we Faithless or Faithful? Are we Light or Darkness? Trials reveal the answer.

THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IS OUR ANCHOR IN THE STORMS OF LIFE! He is our Great Hope -- and the best place to draw near to Him and to see Him clearly is in the Scriptures! Scripture is God's Word to His people! **GOD WORKS THROUGH HIS WORD!** In the Scriptures, God teaches, convicts, comforts, encourages, strengthens and renews. Scripture is nourishment for the soul! Spurgeon once said: "Truth must be a living force, an active energy, an indwelling reality..." We can stay the course of truth and righteousness and not lose heart when we anchor our hearts in God's Divine Truth! If you are currently enduring trials, feast on the book of Philippians or 2 Corinthians or James!

THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON, WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO TAKE TIME TO GET ALONE WITH GOD AND FEAST ON HIS WORD! Taste and see that the Lord is good! Discover the soul-sustaining goodness of the Lord! Behold His glories! Contemplate His wondrous grace especially in light of His holiness and infinite righteousness. Appreciate anew Emmanuel's coming to this earth for the redemption of wicked, sinful man. Behold with fresh eyes and heart the Lord Jesus Christ Who is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of His nature come to this earth as the God-Man in order to shed His very own perfect, sinless blood for our Redemption. **THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON, SEEK THE GLORY OF GOD IN THE FACE OF CHRIST ON THE PAGES OF SCRIPTURE!** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit as you seek Him.

WE HAVE INCLUDED A DAILY SCRIPTURE READING FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

December 1	Genesis 1:1, John 1:1-14
December 2	Genesis 3:6-15, 1 John 3:8b, Galatians 4:4-5
December 3	Romans 3:10-18, Romans 5:18-19
December 4	Genesis 22:1-18, Isaiah 9:2-7
December 5	Psalm 22
December 6	Isaiah 11:1-5
December 7	Isaiah 40
December 8	Isaiah 42:1-9
December 9	Jeremiah 33:14-16
December 10	Isaiah 52:13 thru 53:12
December 11	Colossians 1:13-20
December 12	Colossians 2:9-14
December 13	Psalm 24
December 14	Daniel 7:9-14, Micah 5:2
December 15	Psalm 2
December 16	Hebrews 1:1-13
December 17	Matthew 1:1-17
December 18	Luke 3:23-38
December 19	Luke 1:5-25
December 20	Luke 1:26-45, Isaiah 7:14
December 21	Luke 1:46-56
December 22	Matthew 1:18-25
December 23	Luke 1:57-80
December 24	Luke 2:1-20
December 25	Luke 2:21-39
December 26	Matthew 2:1-11
December 27	Matthew 2:13-23
December 28	Mark 1:1-11
December 29	John 1:15-34
December 30	John 3:1-19
December 31	Acts 13:16-39
January 1	Romans 5:1-11

