

15. Reach knowledge of the Son of God
16. Becoming mature; attaining fullness of Christ
17. Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them and teaching them everything God commanded us.
18. Looking always to Jesus

Study Helps that Are to Be Used with each Study:

Lesson 6—Give book “Morning Manna”

Lesson 8—Give book “Steps to Jesus” and study handout for lesson 8

Lesson 9—Give book “Desire of Ages”

Lesson 19—Give magazine “A Day of Joy” and tract “100 facts on the Sabbath”

Lesson 23—Give book “The Great Controversy” and show DVD “final events”.

Lesson 29—Give book “Facts on Spirit of Prophecy” and show EGW segment of “Keeper of the Flame”



BIBLE STUDIES

Lifting Up Jesus

“But I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself.” John 12:32

Answer Keys:

Lessons 1 through 30

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LESSON # 1: Finding Peace Through the Bible

1. The purpose of all scripture is to know God as a friend
2. Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to guide before reading the Bible
3. Read everything the Bible has to say on any given subject
4. Have a sincere and open heart
5. Rest
6. His peace
7. Pray and tell Him our concerns
8. Through His death on the cross

LESSON #2: Why you Need A Savior

1. God and to rule over the earth
2. God breathed into him His own breath of life
3. The tree of the knowledge of good and evil
4. All
5. None
6. All
7. All, Jesus is our only hope
8. We are sinful from birth
9. Wickedness
10. We have all gone astray and turned to our own way
11. Our hearts are deceitful
12. We are wretched, pitiful, poor, blind and naked

4. Do not treat prophecies with contempt
5. Test prophecies
6. God warns us against 'false' prophets
7. God's Spirit will be poured out in dreams and visions
8. By their fruits or actions you will recognize them
9. They must harmonize with the laws and teachings of the Bible

LESSON #30 Living as a Disciple

1. Holding to His teachings
2. Yes
3. He came to do His Fathers will not His own
4. We are baptized into Christ's death
5. He said he no longer lives but Christ lives in him
6. Daily
7. It must die
8. We are not to give up meeting together
9. The body of Christ
10. To keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace
11. All of us
12. Prophecy, service, teaching, encouragement, generosity, leadership and mercy
13. So that the body of Christ may be built up
14. Till all reach the unity of faith

LESSON #28—Principles for Resolving Conflict

1. Make every effort to live in peace with every man
 2. NO
 3. Extremely important
 4. If your brother wrongs you, rebuke you. If he asks forgiveness then forgive him
 5. First go and talk to him one on one. If he won't listen bring one or two others along. If he still won't listen tell it to the church. If he still won't listen he is not really a part of the body
 6. We will be judged with the same measure we use for others
 7. Forgive generously. If we don't forgive others, God won't forgive us
 8. Yes
 9. By being connected to Jesus and His love
 10. NO
 11. Yes
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LESSON #29—Prophecy, True or False

1. Apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers
2. a= to prepare God's people for acts of service, b= the body of Christ may be built up, c= so we may all reach unity and maturity
3. Till the end of time

13. Knowing 'the truth'
 14. We are slaved to sin
 15. Jesus
 16. To save sinners
 17. We deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us
 18. We accuse Him of being a liar
 19. A = forgive us B = purify us
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LESSON #3: How God Saved Us

1. Death
2. We all eventually die!
3. Before the earth was created
4. God the Father united the human race to His Son through the humanity of Jesus Christ
5. Christ
6. All will be 'made alive'
7. Condemnation for all men
8. Justification that brings life for all men
9. When we hear the message and believe
10. A = life B = death
11. In God's sight we are without blemish and free from accusation
12. Children of God
13. We have crossed over from death to life
14. We are a new creation
15. The ministry of reconciliation
16. Choose life

LESSON #4: God's Supreme Sacrifice For You

1. Crucify Him
 2. Stoning
 3. They wanted Him cursed of God
 4. By being made a curse for us
 5. Yes
 6. The Father
 7. "My God, my God why have you forsaken Me?"
 8. A worm
 9. He laid down His life for us
 10. It begins to draw us to Him
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LESSON #5: Faith, What is It?

1. Very important or crucial
2. It's not how much but if it's genuine
3. Trust
4. By getting to know them
5. A. reading His word; B. praying to Him; C. co-operating with the Holy Spirit
6. No
7. He promises to guide us
8. Yes
9. You only have to ask God for it

LESSON #27—God's Money, Our Responsibility

1. The Lord
2. God
3. Don't put our trust in money
4. To pursue money above everything else
5. Put your trust in God and He will provide for you
6. Do not hoard money but give generously
7. NO
8. The Bible warns against it
9. Do not lend, but as you are able give as a gift instead
10. Give to God the first fruits
11. The first 10%
12. He will bless you
13. For the support of the Levite priests
14. By tithes and offerings given to the church for God's work
15. God will meet all your needs

LESSON # 25—Christian Standards of Living

1. Do not conform to the pattern of this world any longer
 2. Do not love the world
 3. Cravings of sinful man; the lust of his eyes; boasting
 4. NO
 5. Sexual immorality, idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions, envy, orgies and drunkenness
 6. Living by the Spirit
 7. Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control
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LESSON #26 The Meaning of Baptism

1. It is critical and necessary according to the Bible
2. Dying to self and living anew with Christ
3. John the Baptist
4. There is much water there
5. It was proper to ‘fulfill all righteousness’
6. YES
7. Jesus came up out of the water
8. By immersion
9. Make them disciples and teach them all things God taught us
10. Repent
11. Baptism
12. According to God it is crucial

LESSON #6: The Christian’s Source of Power

1. Yes
 2. It was the Father living in Him doing the work
 3. Just as Jesus was dependent upon His Father for his strength so we are to be connected to Jesus for our strength and life.
 4. Through communication or prayer
 5. Prayers of surrender or relinquishment
 6. In the beginning of the day or morning
 7. Where you will not be disturbed
 8. Just open your heart to Him
 9. They did not combine it with faith
 10. Nothing
 11. Everything
 12. For the glory of God
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LESSON #7: Conversion and Repentance

1. Very important or crucial
2. From God
3. The Holy Spirit
4. No
5. Our minds must be renewed
6. Yes
7. God will complete the work He starts in us

8. Yes
9. Sinners
10. Yes
11. From Jesus Christ
12. Through God's kindness
13. He wept bitterly

LESSON # 8—Surrender

1. It had to exceed or surpass the Pharisees
2. The righteousness of God that only comes from faith
3. Dead
4. No
5. By being crucified with Christ
6. By taking up the cross of Christ and following Him
7. No
8. Yes
9. God
10. God or Satan
11. By submitting and coming near to God
12. We can't on our own

LESSON #24—The Christian and Principles of Health

1. To worship God and He would bless them
2. God would keep them free from disease
3. Because God's Spirit lives in us- in our temple
4. Every seed bearing plant and every tree that has fruit with seed in it
5. Clean and 'unclean'
6. Ox, sheep, goat, deer, gazelle, roe deer, wild goat, ibex, antelope and mountain sheep
7. It is considered 'clean' if it has a split hoof and chews cud (cow would fit)
8. Camel, rabbit or coney (badger)
9. You may eat any fish that has fins and scales
10. He who drinks alcohol is not wise; stay away from it
11. Honor God with your body in food and drink
12. They were obsessed with observing rituals and dietary laws to the exclusion of acts of compassion and mercy

12. Come out of Babylon
13. A warning against receiving the mark of the beast
14. The saints obey God's commands and hold to the faith of Jesus.

LESSON #23 The Meaning of the 144,000

1. Who can stand against God's wrath?
2. When the Son of Man comes will He find faith on earth?
3. Yes, God will have a people when He returns
4. War and destruction
5. 144,000
6. No, it is spiritual symbolism
7. A time of distress or trouble
8. They will have to endure during this time with God's grace
9. God will be protecting us
10. They follow the Lamb wherever He goes and are considered blameless
11. A true follower of Christ
12. He keep us from falling and presents us as blameless

LESSON #9—Growing Up Into Christ

1. Grow in the grace and knowledge of Christ
2. From God
3. Through His word
4. Our faith
5. To be connected to Jesus
6. No
7. Yes
8. Weak
9. By depending on the power of Christ
10. To continue to receive him day by day
11. Keep our eyes focused on Jesus
12. We will bear much fruit

Take your Bible and open before them great truths. Your success will not depend so much upon your knowledge and accomplishments, as upon your ability to find your way into the heart.

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LESSON #10 The Second Advent of Christ

1. He is preparing a place for us
2. He will reward us according to what we have done
3. He will come down from heaven in the clouds
4. No
5. They will accompany Jesus
6. We will meet Him in the air
7. They will want to hide from Him
8. They will become imperishable and immortal

LESSON #11 Sign's of Christ's Second Coming

1. He told them He would
2. What will be the signs of His coming
3. Nation will rise against nation and kingdom against kingdom. There will be famines, earthquakes and pestilence in various places
4. People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, brutal, treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, preoccupied with their own lives.
5. Economic collapse
6. Wars
7. Counterfeit Christ with attending false miracles that will sway many people from the truth

8. a= 10 horns/ 7 heads, b=blasphemous name, c=resembled a leopard, d= bear, e= lion, f= the dragon
9. Satan
10. Four beasts
11. A kingdom
12. Peoples, multitudes, nations and languages
13. 10
14. "boastfully", "waging war against the saints and defeating them",
15. "Most High", "Oppress", "Change times and laws"
16. Papal Rome
17. The Sabbath

LESSON #22 God's Warning, The Mark of the Beast

1. Forty-two months
2. A day is assigned for a year in Bible prophecy
3. Pope taken captive by Napoleon's army and was killed
4. Looked like a lamb; spoke like a dragon
5. To worship the first beast; Papal Rome
6. To receive the mark of the beast
7. They will be killed
8. 666
9. The message of the three angels
10. Worship God who is the Creator
11. Sabbath

LESSON #20 Why So Many Denominations

1. The Lamb
 2. White; conquest
 3. Red; violence
 4. Black; compromise and corruption
 5. He did not come to abolish but to fulfill
 6. They worship Him in vain
 7. Pale; death
 8. Martyrdom
 9. We must obey God rather than men
 10. Their teaching is not contrary to God's law
 11. A virgin or woman
 12. They keep the commandments of God
 13. The Spirit of Prophecy
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LESSON #21 God's Seal and Satan's Mark

1. Wicked and righteous
2. They will have a seal on their forehead
3. In our hearts and minds
4. As Creator
5. The seventh-day Sabbath
6. Holiness or sanctification comes from God alone
7. They obey the commandments of God and have the faith of Jesus

8. Many will run to and fro to increase knowledge
 9. God's Spirit will be poured out and the gospel will be preached to all the world
 10. No one knows the day or the hour except the Father
 11. Not to get caught up with the cares and pleasure of this life
 12. To invite Jesus to come into your life
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LESSON #12 Death

1. Sleep
2. Sleep
3. Sleep until the resurrection
4. Sleep until the resurrection
5. Rest in the grave until the resurrection
6. Dust and God's breath of life
7. When God's breath is taken away, they die and return to dust
8. Yes
9. Dust
10. Breath of God
11. He dies or returns to dust
12. Nothing
13. NO
14. NO

LESSON #13 How Evil Began

1. The devil and his angels
2. At His second coming
3. Sheep and goats, believers and unbelievers
4. At the second coming
5. At the second coming
6. At the second coming
7. Perish
8. Second death
9. Death
10. Not a root or a branch will be left
11. NO
12. Everlasting
13. Everlasting
14. It serves as an example to what will happen to the ungodly
15. The earth also will be destroyed
16. He takes no pleasure in their death
17. None
18. Life or Death

LESSON #19 The Sabbath—God's Sign of Faith

1. He finished His work and rested on the seventh day
2. Sixth day
3. The Sabbath is a memorial of God's creation
4. NO
5. NO
6. Man
7. He is Lord of the Sabbath
8. Friday
9. Sunday
10. Saturday
11. Sundown
12. That our 'holiness' comes from God alone
13. A delight
14. Yes
15. The disciples kept Saturday, the Sabbath holy
16. Yes
17. 'see note'
18. Yes
19. Keep His commands

9. God will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear
 10. God works things out for our good
 11. It produces righteousness and peace in our lives
 12. He suffers right along with us
 13. God will always love us and will never abandon us
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LESSON #18 God's Law of Love

1. God
2. He will be blessed
3. Fear or reverence God and keep His commands
4. "A man after my own heart"
5. He loved and obeyed God's commands
6. The law is holy
7. NO
8. They will be called "least" in the kingdom of God
9. They are blessed
10. Keep His commands
11. The sinful mind does not submit to God's law
12. God will change our heart by putting His Spirit in us
13. We will be filled with longing to keep God's law
14. Love the Lord your God and your neighbor as yourself
15. To obey His commands
16. They are a liar and the truth is not in them
17. They keep God's commandments
18. YES

LESSON #14 The Truth About Hell

1. We will meet Christ in the air
 2. They will be destroyed
 3. It will be burnt up and barren
 4. He locked him in the "abyss" for a thousand years
 5. At the end of the thousand years
 6. We will be reigning with Christ and take place in the judgment
 7. They will be released
 8. Satan deceives the ungodly and incites them to attack the Holy City
 9. The Judgment
 10. So they can see they were the ones who decided their fate
 11. Fire comes down from Heaven and devours them to death
 12. The earth will be renewed
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LESSON #15 Satan's Time Out—The Millenium

1. Children of God
2. We are heirs of God and joint-heirs with Christ
3. All things in earth and in the universe
4. A place for us
5. Indescribable

6. A city
7. New Jerusalem
8. a= jasper; b= gold; c= pearls; d= gold; e= sun or moon; f= night
9. Earth
10. From Heaven
11. By fire
12. a= no sea; b= no desert; c= no violence; d= animals tame; e= no hunger or thirst
13. He will wipe every tear from our eyes
14. We will be seated with Christ on His throne
15. Building houses and planting vineyards
16. Like Christ's glorious body
17. Flesh and blood
18. We will be with our families
19. Yes

LESSON #16—Heaven

1. Children of God
2. We are heirs of God and joint-heirs with Christ
3. All things in earth and in the universe
4. A place for us
5. Indescribable
6. A city
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15. Like Christ's glorious body
16. Flesh and blood
17. We will be with our families
18. Yes
19. Building houses and planting vineyards.
20. Eat the Passover meal or drink
21. He will have us recline at the banquet table wait on us!

LESSON #17 Why God Allows Suffering

1. Satan
2. Satan
3. To keep from being conceited and to depend on Christ more
4. NO
5. NO
6. Enmity; head; heel
7. Christ
8. Love