

A List of Verses On Various Topics

Honoring God in all we do

³¹So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.
1 Corinthians 10:31 [NIV]

³¹Whatever you eat or drink or whatever you do, you must do all for the glory of God.
1 Corinthians 10:31 [NLT]

Loving others

³⁴"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. ³⁵By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."
John 13:34-35 [NIV]

³⁴So now I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. ³⁵Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples." John 13:34-35 [NLT]

Obeying God

²¹Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me. He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him." John 14:21 [NIV]

²¹Those who obey my commandments are the ones who love me. And because they love me, my Father will love them, and I will love them. And I will reveal myself to each one of them."
John 14:21 [NLT]

Trusting God in every circumstance

⁴Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Philippians 4:4 [NIV]

⁴Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! Philippians 4:4 [NLT]

Praying for Others

¹²Epaphras, who is one of you and a servant of Christ Jesus, sends greetings. He is always wrestling in prayer for you, that you may stand firm in all the will of God, mature and fully assured. Colossians 4:12 [NIV]

¹²Epaphras, from your city, a servant of Christ Jesus, sends you his greetings. He always prays earnestly for you, asking God to make you strong and perfect, fully confident of the whole will of God. Colossians 4:12 [NLT]

Importance of Faith

⁶And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him. Hebrews 11:6 [NIV]

⁶So, you see, it is impossible to please God without faith. Anyone who wants to come to him must believe that there is a God and that he rewards those who sincerely seek him.

Hebrews 11:6 [NLT]

Not look down on youthfulness

¹²Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity. 1 Timothy 4:12 [NIV]

¹²Don't let anyone think less of you because you are young. Be an example to all believers in what you teach, in the way you live, in your love, your faith, and your purity.

1 Timothy 4:12 [NLT]

Thanksgiving

¹⁸give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:18 [NIV]

¹⁸No matter what happens, always be thankful, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:18 [NLT]

Hindrances to Growth

¹⁹but the worries of this life, the deceitfulness of wealth and the desires for other things come in and choke the word, making it unfruitful. Mark 4:19 [NIV]

¹⁹but all too quickly the message is crowded out by the cares of this life, the lure of wealth, and the desire for nice things, so no crop is produced. Mark 4:19 [NLT]

Importance of Wholesome Speech

²⁹Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.

Ephesians 4:29 [NIV]

²⁹Don't use foul or abusive language. Let everything you say be good and helpful, so that your words will be an encouragement to those who hear them. Ephesians 4:29 [NLT]

Lordship of Christ

⁴⁶"Why do you call me, 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say? Luke 6:46 [NIV]

⁴⁶"So why do you call me 'Lord,' when you won't obey me? Luke 6:46 [NLT]

Serving Others

³Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. ⁴Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. Philippians 2:3-4 [NIV]

³Don't be selfish; don't live to make a good impression on others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourself. ⁴Don't think only about your own affairs, but be interested in others, too, and what they are doing. Philippians 2:3-4 [NLT]

Being honest with others

²³He who rebukes a man will in the end gain more favor than he who has a flattering tongue. Proverbs 28:23 [NIV]

²³In the end, people appreciate frankness more than flattery. Proverbs 28:23 [NLT]

Dedication to God

^{12:1}Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God--this is your spiritual act of worship. ²Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will. Romans 12:1-2 [NIV]

^{12:1}And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will accept. When you think of what he has done for you, is this too much to ask? ²Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will know what God wants you to do, and you will know how good and pleasing and perfect his will really is. Romans 12:1-2 [NLT]

Proverbs On Trust

Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. ⁶Seek his will in all you do, and he will direct your paths. Proverbs 3:5-6 [NLT]

Proverbs On Purity

Above all else, guard your heart, for it affects everything you do. Proverbs 4:23 [NLT]

Proverbs On Wisdom

Fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. Knowledge of the Holy One results in understanding. Proverbs 9:10 [NLT]

Proverbs On Trustworthiness

A gossip goes around revealing secrets, but those who are trustworthy can keep a confidence.
Proverbs 11:13 [NLT]

Proverbs On Gentleness

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but harsh words stir up anger. Proverbs 15:1 [NLT]

Proverbs On Contentment

It is better to have little with fear for the Lord than to have great treasure with turmoil.
Proverbs 15:16 [NLT]

Proverbs On Prayer

The Lord is far from the wicked, but he hears the prayers of the righteous. Proverbs 15:29 [NLT]

Proverbs On Pride

Pride goes before destruction, and haughtiness before a fall. ¹⁹It is better to live humbly with the poor than to share plunder with the proud. Proverbs 16:18-19 [NLT]

Proverbs On Patience

It is better to be patient than powerful; it is better to have self-control than to conquer a city.
Proverbs 16:32 [NLT]

Proverbs On Integrity

Choose a good reputation over great riches, for being held in high esteem is better than having silver or gold. Proverbs 22:1 [NLT]

Proverbs On Presumption

Don't brag about tomorrow, since you don't know what the day will bring. Proverbs 27:1 [NLT]

Proverbs On Sin

People who cover over their sins will not prosper. But if they confess and forsake them, they will receive mercy. Proverbs 28:13 [NLT]

God's Word Provides Direction

Your word is a lamp for my feet and a light for my path. Psalm 119:105 [NLT]

Praying for Servants

He said to his disciples, "The harvest is so great, but the workers are so few. ³⁸So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send out more workers for his fields."
Matthew 9:37-38 [NLT]

Trust in Tough Circumstances

And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them. Romans 8:28 [NLT]

Importance of Ministry

For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so that we can do the good things he planned for us long ago. Ephesians 2:10 [NLT]

Yielding To Others

Don't be selfish; don't live to make a good impression on others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourself. ⁴Don't think only about your own affairs, but be interested in others, too, and what they are doing. Philippians 2:3-4 [NLT]

Ordering My Priorities

Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on the realities of heaven, where Christ sits at God's right hand in the place of honor and power. ²Let heaven fill your thoughts. Do not think only about things down here on earth. Colossians 3:1-2 [NLT]

Knowing True Contentment

Stay away from the love of money; be satisfied with what you have. For God has said, "I will never fail you. I will never forsake you." Hebrews 13:5 [NLT]

Seeing The Need

Suppose you see a brother or sister who needs food or clothing, ¹⁶and you say, "Well, good-bye and God bless you; stay warm and eat well"—but then you don't give that person any food or clothing. What good does that do? James 2:15-16 [NLT]

Loving One Another

This is real love. It is not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. ¹¹Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other. 1 John 4:10-11 [NLT]

Growing In My Dependence

Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. ⁶Seek his will in all you do, and he will direct your paths. Proverbs 3:5-6 [NLT]

Growing In My Sacrifice

And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will accept. When you think of what he has done for you, is this too much to ask? Romans 12:1 [NLT]

Growing In My Commitment

So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and steady, always enthusiastic about the Lord's work, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless. 1 Corinthians 15:58 [NLT]

Growing In My Character

But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives, he will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, and self-control. Here there is no conflict with the law. Galatians 5:22-23 [NLT]

Growing In My Involvement

Whenever we have the opportunity, we should do good to everyone, especially to our Christian brothers and sisters. Galatians 6:10 [NLT]

Growing In My Conversation

Don't use foul or abusive language. Let everything you say be good and helpful, so that your words will be an encouragement to those who hear them. Ephesians 4:29 [NLT]

Growing In My Prayers

Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Philippians 4:6 [NLT]

Growing In My Attitudes

And now, dear brothers and sisters, let me say one more thing as I close this letter. Fix your thoughts on what is true and honorable and right. Think about things that are pure and lovely and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise. Philippians 4:8 [NLT]

Growing In My Walk

And now, just as you accepted Christ Jesus as your Lord, you must continue to live in obedience to him. ⁷Let your roots grow down into him and draw up nourishment from him, so you will grow in faith, strong and vigorous in the truth you were taught. Let your lives overflow with thanksgiving for all he has done. Colossians 2:6-7 [NLT]

Growing In My Fellowship

And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage and warn each other, especially now that the day of his coming back again is drawing near. Hebrews 10:25 [NLT]

Growing In My Knowledge

But grow in the special favor and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be all glory and honor, both now and forevermore. Amen. 2 Peter 3:18 [NLT]

Growing In My Sharing

But if anyone has enough money to live well and sees a brother or sister in need and refuses to help—how can God's love be in that person? 1 John 3:17 [NLT]

Correcting One Another

If you ignore criticism, you will end in poverty and disgrace; if you accept criticism, you will be honored. Proverbs 13:18 [NLT]

Counseling One Another

Plans go wrong for lack of advice; many counselors bring success. Proverbs 15:22 [NLT]

Respecting One Another

Disregarding another person's faults preserves love; telling about them separates close friends. Proverbs 17:9 [NLT]

Loving One Another

I command you to love each other in the same way that I love you. ¹³And here is how to measure it—the greatest love is shown when people lay down their lives for their friends.

John 15:12-13 [NLT]

Honoring One Another

Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other. ¹¹Never be lazy in your work, but serve the Lord enthusiastically. Romans 12:10-11 [NLT]

Guarding One Another

So don't condemn each other anymore. Decide instead to live in such a way that you will not put an obstacle in another Christian's path. Romans 14:13 [NLT]

Serving One Another

For you have been called to live in freedom—not freedom to satisfy your sinful nature, but freedom to serve one another in love. ¹⁴For the whole law can be summed up in this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself." Galatians 5:13-14 [NLT]

Helping One Another

Dear brothers and sisters, if another Christian is overcome by some sin, you who are godly should gently and humbly help that person back onto the right path. And be careful not to fall into the same temptation yourself. ²Share each other's troubles and problems, and in this way obey the law of Christ. Galatians 6:1-2 [NLT]

Needing One Another

So put away all falsehood and "tell your neighbor the truth" because we belong to each other. Ephesians 4:25 [NLT]

Upholding One Another

Pray at all times and on every occasion in the power of the Holy Spirit. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all Christians everywhere. Ephesians 6:18 [NLT]

Forgiving One Another

Since God chose you to be the holy people whom he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. ¹³You must make allowance for each other's faults and forgive the person who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. Colossians 3:12-13 [NLT]

Encouraging One Another

So encourage each other and build each other up, just as you are already doing.
1 Thessalonians 5:11 [NLT]

Growing In Praise

May the words of my mouth and the thoughts of my heart be pleasing to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer. Psalm 19:14 [NLT]

Growing In Worship

Give honor to the Lord for the glory of his name. Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness. Psalm 29:2 [NLT]

Growing In Trust

Commit everything you do to the Lord. Trust him, and he will help you. ⁶He will make your innocence as clear as the dawn, and the justice of your cause will shine like the noonday sun.
Psalm 37:5-6 [NLT]

Growing In Responsibility

Do not withhold good from those who deserve it when it's in your power to help them.
Proverbs 3:27 [NLT]

Growing In Duty

Here is my final conclusion: Fear God and obey his commands, for this is the duty of every person. Ecclesiastes 12:13 [NLT]

Growing In Generosity

Remember this—a farmer who plants only a few seeds will get a small crop. But the one who plants generously will get a generous crop. 2 Corinthians 9:6 [NLT]

Growing In Strength

A final word: Be strong with the Lord's mighty power. ¹¹Put on all of God's armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies and tricks of the Devil.
Ephesians 6:10-11 [NLT]

Growing In Purpose

For to me, living is for Christ, and dying is even better. Philippians 1:21 [NLT]

Growing In Resolve

And whatever you do or say, let it be as a representative of the Lord Jesus, all the while giving thanks through him to God the Father. Colossians 3:17 [NLT]

Growing In Humility

When you bow down before the Lord and admit your dependence on him, he will lift you up and give you honor. James 4:10 [NLT]

Growing In Boldness

Instead, you must worship Christ as Lord of your life. And if you are asked about your Christian hope, always be ready to explain it. 1 Peter 3:15 [NLT]

Growing In Peace

Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about what happens to you. 1 Peter 5:7 [NLT]

Growing In Reflecting in Scripture

Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. ²But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. Psalm 1:1-2 [NIV]

Growing In Worship

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. ²Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs. Psalm 100:1-2 [NIV]

Growing In Fruitfulness

The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life, and he who wins souls is wise. Proverbs 11:30 [NIV]

Growing In Discernment

He who walks with the wise grows wise, but a companion of fools suffers harm. Proverbs 13:20 [NIV]

Growing In Joy

A happy heart makes the face cheerful, but heartache crushes the spirit. Proverbs 15:13 [NIV]

Growing In Fellowship

A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity. Proverbs 17:17 [NIV]

Growing In Wisdom

Apply your heart to instruction and your ears to words of knowledge. Proverbs 23:12 [NIV]

Growing In Patience

Yet what we suffer now is nothing compared to the glory he will give us later. Romans 8:18 [NLT]

Growing In Assurance

Being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. Philippians 1:6 [NIV]

Growing In Prayer

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. Colossians 4:2 [NIV]

Growing In Hope

While we wait for the blessed hope--the glorious appearing of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, ¹⁴who gave himself for us to redeem us from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good. Titus 2:13-14 [NIV]