

The One Year[®]
ALIVE DEVOTIONS
for Students

Rick Christian

Visit Tyndale's exciting Web site at www.tyndale.com

TYNDALE and Tyndale's quill logo are registered trademarks of Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

The One Year is a registered trademark of Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

The One Year Alive Devotions for Students

Copyright © 1983, 1995, 1996, 2009 by S. Rickly Christian. All rights reserved.

The One Year Alive Devotions for Students first published in 2009.

Previously published as *Completely Alive: A Year of Daily Devotions* by Zondervan Publishing House under ISBN: 0-310-20966-8 (a compilation of *Alive 1* and *Alive 2*).

Cover artwork copyright © by Brandon Laufenberg/iStockphoto. All rights reserved.

Author photo copyright ©2005 by Tyler Christian, www.tylerchristianphotography.com. All rights reserved.

Designed by Ron Kaufmann

Published in association with the literary agency of Alive Communications, Inc., 7680 Goddard Street, Suite 200, Colorado Springs, CO 80920, www.alivecommunications.com.

Unless otherwise indicated, all Scripture quotations are taken from the *Holy Bible*, New Living Translation, copyright © 1996, 2004, 2007 by Tyndale House Foundation. Used by permission of Tyndale House Publishers, Inc., Carol Stream, Illinois 60188. All rights reserved.

Scripture quotations marked *The Message* are taken from *The Message* by Eugene H. Peterson, copyright © 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2001, 2002. Used by permission of NavPress Publishing Group. All rights reserved.

Scripture quotations marked NIV are taken from the HOLY BIBLE, NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION®. NIV®, Copyright © 1973, 1978, 1984 by International Bible Society. Used by permission of Zondervan. All rights reserved.

Library of Congress Cataloging-in-Publication Data

Christian, S. Rickly (Scott Rickly)

[*Alive 1*]

The one year alive devotions for students / Rick Christian.

p. cm.

Originally published. Completely alive. Grand Rapids, Mich : Zondervan, 1996.

Includes index.

ISBN 978-1-4143-1374-0 (sc)

1. Teenagers—Prayers and devotions. 2. Youth—Prayers and devotions. 3. Devotional calendars.
I. Title.

BV4850.C53 2009

242'.63—dc22

2008038944

Printed in the United States of America

15 14 13 12 11 10 09

7 6 5 4 3 2 1

FOR DEBBIE

Embraced companion, called to travel on the same road in the same direction.

My prayers for you always spill over into exclamations of thanks.

Stand with me united, singular in vision.

Guard with me the heavenly treasures in our custody.

Carry with me the light-giving Message into the night.

Run with me hard to the finish, believing all the way.

All that's left now is the shouting—God's applause!

FOR ANDREA, BRADLEY, AND TYLER

Precious children of high heaven and each an original.

You make me feel such joy, fill me with such pride.

Live creatively.

Don't waver.

Stay on track, steady in God.

May what he gives freely be deeply and personally yours.

Pure grace and nothing but grace be with you!

FOR ASHLEY, ANNELIE, IVAN, AND DANIELLE

Cherished God-seekers, woven into a tapestry of love, each strand taut with hope.

I smile in remembrance of all those prayers coming together.

Love extravagantly.

Live openly and expansively.

Throw caution to the wind, giving with reckless abandon.

Keep your special gifts dusted off and in use.

May all the best from our God and Christ be yours!

Introduction

From one day to the next, one year to the next, newspaper headlines and CNN broadcasts don't seem to change. Armies invade neighboring countries. Suicide bombers blow up a bus. Assassins topple governments. Earthquakes level major cities. Politicians steal the public blind. Something else causes cancer. Another Hollyweirdo ODs. And some lunatic is loose in public.

Things aren't much better on campus. A nutcase unloads an assault rifle at innocents in the parking lot. Fights break out almost daily. A major drug raid leads to seventeen student arrests. The homecoming queen gets pregnant. The football coach keels over with a heart attack. Your car is busted into again. Your significant other begins dating someone else. And you flunk a chem midterm.

On the home front, your parents call a family meeting to announce their pending divorce. Your sister runs screaming to the bathroom. Your brother is his usual slob self. Your aunt with her armpit-hair-of-a-cat comes to stay on one-day's notice. And you get laid off at work.

If you're anything like me, you sometimes feel overwhelmed by the chaos of life around you. There are days when nothing or nobody makes sense. You're convinced you're the last surviving sane person, and even then you wonder if you're not crazy yourself.

On days when I feel like that, it helps me to tell God and get the burden off my shoulders. That doesn't mean things will change overnight . . . or necessarily at all. It just makes me feel better to know that God understands how fragile I feel.

That God understands and cares about the intimate details of our lives is made clear in the Bible, a sort of Owner's Manual for the human race. It is not, however, a technical manual of schematic diagrams and charts, nor a cold, dead, dated document. It's at once love story, autobiography, biography, self-help text, poetry anthology, compilation of personal letters, songbook, log of genealogy, how-to manual, and collection of prophecy.

It contains stories from men and women who have trusted God completely—providing guidance and inspiration for you—and it details life histories of people who have just as completely disregarded God—giving you fair warning.

Above all, the Bible is God's way of stepping out of the shadows and making

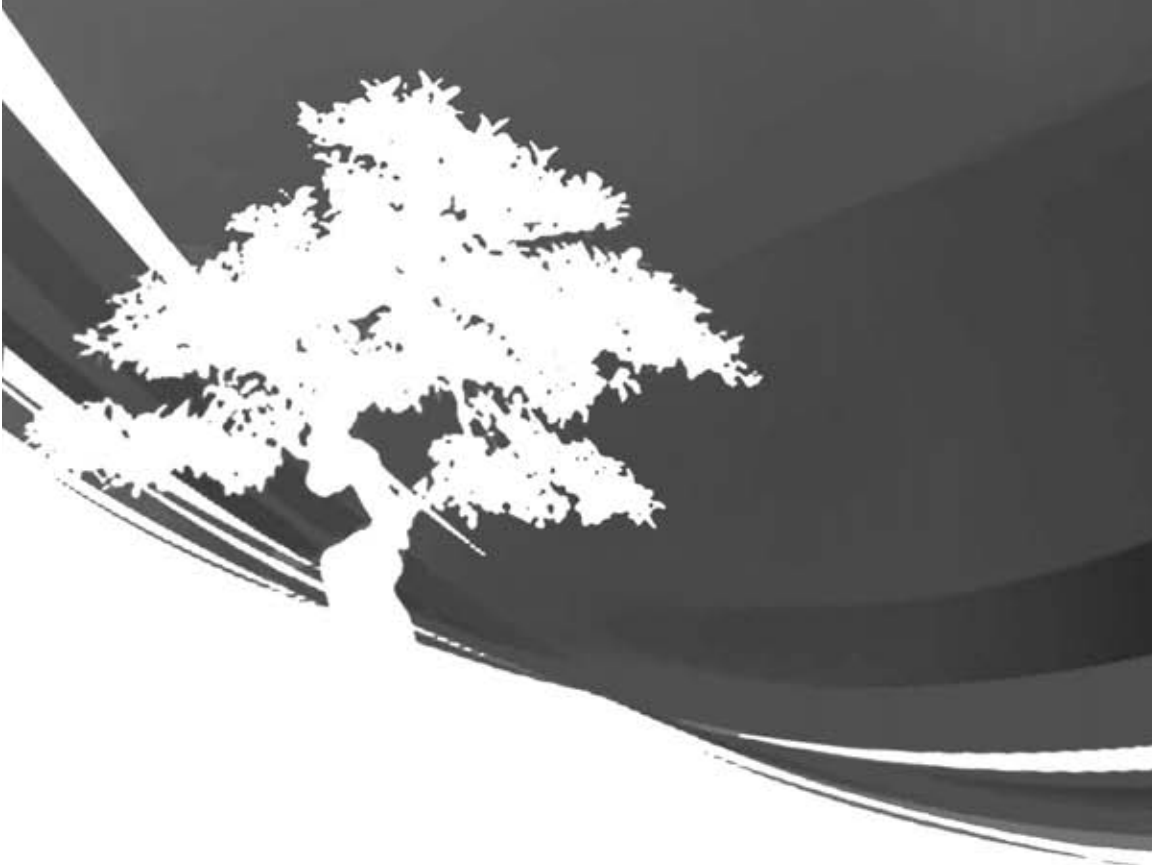
himself known. It tells us exactly what he's like, what he expects of us, why things aren't the way they ought to be, and what he intends to do about it.

It is my hope that *The One Year Alive Devotions for Students* will help you better understand God and the Bible, which is his final word on how to experience a full, rich life. It guides you and helps you maneuver through every difficulty, whether it's your fears about next year, your tears about a broken relationship, or just the itchiness of living in your own skin. God knows and cares about these matters and more.

In James 4:8 the Bible says, "Come close to God, and God will come close to you." *The Message* puts it this way: "Say a quiet *yes* to God and he'll be there in no time." So take God up on the promise by spending time together on those days you feel like a human hockey puck. It's a great relief to sense God's presence.

As you read this book in the coming days and weeks, you'll discover that God wants to be the still point of your turning, twisting, ever-changing world. You've got his Word on it.

Rick Christian
Colorado Springs



JANUARY

The Personal Tag

Rejoice because your names are registered in heaven. **LUKE 10:20**

I have a strange habit. Whenever I travel, the first thing I do upon checking into a hotel or stopping for gas is to open the local phone book. I want to know whether anyone else has my name. So far, no one has. But then, I have an unusual name: S. Rickly Christian.

That name, assigned by my parents, was written on a blue plastic bracelet and attached to my arm after birth. These bracelets, given to all babies, were the hospital's way of ensuring that newborns wouldn't accidentally get switched.

Later, that name was the first word I learned to scribble with crayons. It became the name my friends used when they shouted for me down a crowded hall; the name my coach bellowed when I didn't swim fast enough; the name my girlfriend whispered in my ear, causing goose bumps on my neck.

More than any other label, my name symbolizes who I am: my personality, my dreams, my failures, my successes. And it's so personal that my ears pop when I hear my name mentioned in conversation.

To know that my name, according to Luke, is a matter of celestial conversation causes my *mind* to explode! Are you sure, Luke? My *name* recorded in God's Book of Life? I suppose God could keep roll more efficiently by using my social security number or bank account number. Numbers are easier to program, less personal. But God evidently prefers to use names.

That preference, I think, reflects the kind of relationship he wants to build with us. It's his way of assuring us that we matter; we're not just some insignificant blip or code in the far corner of the universe.

Perhaps that is why the Bible is so full of long genealogies—God didn't want to miss a single name!

God's use of my name also signals his concern for the things my name represents: everything from my biggest hurts to my highest hopes. My name, even in my e-mail address, reminds my friends of such things as the day we shared together at the beach, the time we cried when we learned of another friend's cancer, the times we belly laughed at a good joke.

My name, I believe, triggers the same kinds of memories in God's mind: the times we talked together in prayer, the times he comforted me after my parents' deaths, the time I was dazzled by the splash of color he gave a cutthroat trout.

Looking back, I now know these were special times—times of getting to know each other on a first-name basis.

See also 1 Chronicles 1-9; Matthew 1:1-17.

“They Said . . .”

A word out of your mouth may seem of no account, but it can accomplish nearly anything—or destroy it! It only takes a spark, remember, to set off a forest fire. A careless or wrongly placed word out of your mouth can do that. By our speech we can ruin the world, turn harmony to chaos, throw mud on a reputation, send the whole world up in smoke and go up in smoke with it, smoke right from the pit of hell. **JAMES 3:5-6, *The Message***

Years ago, officials at McDonald’s headquarters in Oak Brook, Illinois, became very sensitive about the topic of *earthworms*.

If you had mentioned the subject in the office, chances were good you’d have been tackled by a wart-faced fry cook and gagged with a half-dozen sesame-seed buns. The reason: Ronald McDonald and his Golden Arches cohorts were fighting a rumor that they used the creepy crawlers as protein substitute in their burgers.

The rumor spread across America like . . . well, like earthworms after a spring rain. Sales slumped, and the king of the burger was forced to launch a lavish campaign to regain its reputation.

Rumors usually don’t reach such proportions. Often they just circulate among a close circle of friends in places like campus halls and cafeterias. And generally the rumors damage lives and individual reputations, not those of corporations.

Such was the case when the new girl transferred from Florida to a new college. Other coeds on campus felt threatened. They didn’t have her cover-girl looks or *Cosmopolitan* wardrobe. So they protected themselves by talking behind her back.

“You’re kidding! I never knew *that*,” said one girl. And before long, tongues all over were wagging. To make the story *really* juicy, they’d pad the tale a little here, stretch a bit there. Soon, this poor girl’s life was on the rocks—shipwrecked. The anguish she must have felt and the tears she must have shed were probably similar to those in a case I read about in which a woman’s suicide note simply read, “They said . . .”

She didn’t complete the sentence. Something “they said” killed her.

See also Psalm 140:1-3; Romans 1:29-32; 1 Peter 3:8-12.

The Exchange

May you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep his love is. **EPHESIANS 3:18**

Imagine this scene: You've just been born and are taking your first breaths outside your mother's womb. The obstetrician and nurse are smiling, but your parents are strangely silent. They confer quietly to themselves, ignoring your cries.

"Doctor," your father says, turning to the physician, "would you mind holding the baby up again so we can better decide?"

"Decide what?" the doctor asks, lifting you into the light.

"We just want to be sure the child's right for us," your father says. "We saw another baby in the nursery that seemed to have, well, a little more promise. This one here is too ruddy, and the eyes are the wrong color. We wanted a child with blue eyes and, um, a shorter nose."

He confers briefly with your mother and then motions the obstetrician closer.

"Doctor, we've talked it over now, and we'd like to work out an exchange. I'm sure we could eventually learn to love this little one, but we really had our hearts set on a cute, blond baby."

This scenario is understandably absurd. When you were born, your parents accepted you into their family without qualifications. Their love was not based on your looks or performance. Not even your drooling mattered. They loved you simply because you were their child. Granted, their love at times was not perfect. There were times they withheld their affection—such as the time you wrecked the family car or the night you missed your curfew by three hours. So while a parent's love is great, it does have limits.

But God's love has no bounds. You're loved because you're his child, and nothing you ever do will make him love you any more or less. His love is unconditional. As the apostle Paul wrote, "Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow—not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below—indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Romans 8:38-39).

When you realize you're loved that much, you begin to feel like you're worth loving . . . and begin loving others in the same way because you understand that God loves even those you deem unlovable as much as he loves you.

See also Romans 8:31-39; 1 John 4:19-21.

Carbon Copying

Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!

2 CORINTHIANS 5:17

I always thought of myself as a lot like Frank. Or maybe I just tried to be like him. When he went out for the swim team, I went out for the swim team. When he dropped swimming for the tennis team, I was right behind him.

We were both journalism junkies and wrote for the school paper. We both got involved in student-body politics. We liked the same kind of music, disliked the same coaches for the same reasons, wore the same kind of jeans, went to the same parties, surfed at the same beach, and even dated some of the same girls.

But things began to change when I became a Christian. I decided to let God take control of my life, and I thought Frank eventually would too. But that never happened. The “big” questions about life that drew me closer to God—Why do I exist? What happens after death? Were Jesus’ claims valid? What purpose is there in life?—didn’t seem to faze Frank.

When I’d try to talk to him about these things, he’d brush me off. “You’re getting all philosophical, and it’s just not where I’m at,” he’d say. End of conversation.

Slowly, I began to notice we were going in different directions. Parties that once seemed fun began feeling like an empty waste of time. Getting drunk seemed pointless. Jokes I once thought were funny seemed crude and prejudiced—the laugh was always at someone else’s expense.

God began to instill in me value for other people. They took on new importance because of *who* they were (unique creations of God) rather than for *what* they were (hot, smart, funny). Members of the opposite sex became more than just bodies. My parents became more than just authorities. In them I discovered people with many of the same needs I had—but I’d never noticed before.

When I think of Frank, I feel how a pardoned criminal probably feels toward buddies left behind in prison. You’d love for them to join you on the outside, yet the bars are all they know. And they only laugh when you tell them that the warrant for release—the pardon—has already been signed.

Becoming a Christian is an acceptance of that fact. It’s not an effort, a striving, a ceaseless seeking. It’s a letting go. And slowly you begin to notice that Christ is working on you from the inside out to give you new purpose, new values . . . and a new pattern for life.

See also Ephesians 4:17-24; 6:10-18.

The Visibility Factor

You're here to be light, bringing out the God-colors in the world. God is not a secret to be kept. We're going public with this, as public as a city on a hill. If I make you light-bearers, you don't think I'm going to hide you under a bucket, do you? I'm putting you on a light stand. Now that I've put you there on a hilltop, on a light stand—shine! Keep open house; be generous with your lives. By opening up to others, you'll prompt people to open up with God, this generous Father in heaven. **MATTHEW 5:14-16, *The Message***

Melinda was a typical case of what John Stott calls a “rabbit hole Christian.” She'd bounce out her front door in the morning without a grunt of greeting, scurry to campus, and then race from the parking lot looking for her usual clique of Christian friends. Their favorite hangout before class: a bank of benches outside the library.

Later, she'd proceed with her holy huddle to journalism, where they'd sit together in the back corner by the window. Often they'd text back and forth and flash quiet smiles about some hidden joke. When lunchtime arrived, Melinda and her friends would make a mad dash to the corner burrito shop and lay their books and sweaters across a large table to reserve it for other Christians. They'd talk about God and how messed up their families were and then retreat outside together for some informal Bible reading on the patio.

After class, she'd buzz home, inhale her dinner, and then drive across town to pick up fellow Christians, sometimes for a Bible study at church, where they'd pray for God's help in witnessing to nonbelievers on campus. After the final prayers, she'd scurry back home, wave to others in passing, and then disappear into her room where she'd mumble a few “bless 'ems” before falling asleep. And upon waking in the morning, she would begin her harried, holy pace all over again.

As Christians, we can't be lights of the world if our only contacts with unbelievers are those mad blitzes to and from Christian gatherings. We can't withdraw—we must penetrate darkness with the light of God's love. And it's hard to generate much brightness from rabbit holes.

See also Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 1:17; John 8:12.

Holy Hype

If you claim to be religious but don't control your tongue, you are fooling yourself, and your religion is worthless. **JAMES 1:26**

I earned decent grades in most classes but was less than a scholar with foreign languages. I took three years of Spanish, yet scored 17 out of 150 points on a college proficiency test. And if I tried to converse with a native in Tijuana today, I probably couldn't get much further than *¿Cómo está?*

I switched to French in college. The result? I can count to ten without looking in a dictionary. In other languages, I can . . . let's see . . . say "I love you" in Tagalog and Japanese; I can remember a few words in Italian like *spaghetti*, *ravioli*, and *lasagna*; and I can hold my own in Australia, Ireland, and Kentucky, though the foreign accents trouble me.

With such a background, I sympathize with people who understandably scratch their heads when Christians convene their holy huddles and start rambling about things like redemption, agape love, the Trinity, the Rapture, and "being saved by the blood."

One writer has said the world is bombarded with a mishmash of religious gobbledygook from people like "Theodore Theologian"—with his pointy-headed talk about glorification, justification, and sanctification—and his counterpart, "Rev. Pat Popcorn"—with his holy hype: "Praise Gawd!" "Jump for joy!" "I see those hands!" "Pass the plate!" "Amen!"

Actions speak louder than words, it is said. Perhaps that is why the apostle Peter, in writing to Christian women married to unbelievers, urged the wives to let their godliness be demonstrated by their lives, not their words: "Your godly lives will speak to them [the husbands] without any words. They will be won over by observing your pure and reverent lives" (1 Peter 3:1-2).

The apostle James was adamant that Christians control their tongues—that they be "slow to speak" and instead show their faith by good life and deeds (James 1:19).

You see, it's much easier to *sound* spiritual than it is to *be* spiritual. That's the problem Christ found with the Pharisees, religious leaders who talked godly but lived godlessly.

With that in mind, try an experiment: See what happens when you stop just *telling* people you're a Christian and start *showing* them. It can be a radical way of living.

See also James 3:13; 1 John 3:18.

POINTS TO PONDER: Christianity

You are the light of the world. **MATTHEW 5:14**

There is one single fact which we may oppose to all the wit and argument of infidelity, namely, that no man ever repented of being a Christian on his death bed. > Hannah More

Christian: one who believes that the New Testament is a divinely inspired book admirably suited to the spiritual needs of his neighbors. > Ambrose Bierce

Being a Christian is more than just an instantaneous conversion—it is a daily process whereby you grow to be more and more like Christ. Jesus Christ is the man God wants every man to be like. > Billy Graham

Take the case of a sour old maid, who is a Christian, but cantankerous. On the other hand, take some pleasant and popular fellow, but who has never been to Church. Who knows how much more cantankerous the old maid might be if she were not a Christian, and how much more likable the nice fellow might be if he were a Christian? You can't judge Christianity simply by comparing the product in these two people; you would need to know what kind of raw material Christ was working on in both cases. > C. S. Lewis

If you were arrested for being a Christian, would there be enough evidence to convict you? > David Otis Fuller

A real Christian is an odd number. He feels supreme love for One whom he has never seen; talks familiarly every day to Someone he cannot see; expects to go to heaven on the virtue of Another; empties himself in order to be filled; admits he is wrong so he cannot be declared right; goes down in order to get up; is strongest when he is weakest; richest when he is poorest and happiest when he feels the worst. He dies so he can live; forsakes in order to have; gives away so he can keep; sees the invisible; hears the inaudible; and knows that which passes knowledge. > A. W. Tozer

He is no fool who gives what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose. > Jim Elliot

It is so hard to believe because it is so hard to obey. > Søren Kierkegaard

The Christian faith has not been tried and found wanting. It has been found difficult, and left untried. > G. K. Chesterton

Christianity is the land of beginning again. > W. A. Criswell

See also Matthew 5:13; Colossians 3:1-17.

Subject Index

- Abilities July 13, 14
- Abortion June 18; July 24, 31; August 11; September 5
- Acceptance January 3; April 16; May 3, 15; October 25
- Adoption September 5; November 1
- Adversity January 17; March 17; July 7, 8, 16, 23; December 13
- Aging April 14, 24; July 3; August 17; December 27
- Alcohol May 28; September 5, 10; October 31
- Ambition September 28, 30
- Angels October 4
- Anger March 12; August 27; September 17
- Anxiety January 24; December 3
- Attitude January 27; February 28; March 12; September 6; October 1; December 20
- Blame February 3
- Blessing December 29
- Body of Christ February 21; November 9
- Boredom October 26; December 19
- Boundaries June 8
- Busyness January 8; May 23
- Change January 4; March 19; August 23; December 19, 21
- Character March 31; September 5; October 20, 21
- Choices January 30; February 26; March 15; April 23; May 14; July 17, 21, 22; August 1; September 5, 7
- Christian living January 5; March 17, 19; April 10, 30; May 3, 9, 18; June 2, 7; July 25, 27; September 14; October 16, 20; November 5; December 21
- Christianity January 7; February 5
- Church February 21; May 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27; June 23; December 14
- Circumstances October 4, 5
- Cliques January 5
- Commitment June 6; July 21; October 29; November 1
- Communion May 25
- Compassion July 3, 30; December 1, 2
- Compromise July 12; September 3
- Conformity January 4, 9; May 15, 28
- Conscience May 18, 20; October 19
- Courage January 23; September 5; October 31
- Creation January 22; March 25; June 23
- Cross, the August 31
- Dating September 14; October 30; November 3, 22
- Death January 24; April 2, 13, 14, 15; May 12, 25; June 4, 18; July 24; August 11; September 4, 12; October 4, 25; November 6, 15; December 27
- Deception July 11
- Despair March 13, 17; June 1, 4, 21, 22
- Devotion May 14; July 21; August 14
- Disabilities January 23; June 18, 19; August 13; September 19; October 1
- Divorce March 13, 14
- Doubt February 20; October 6, 7
- Drugs January 13; October 10
- Ego February 16
- Emotions January 13, 27; March 12, 13; September 8; November 22

Encouragement	January 31; October 2
Engagement	February 20
Eternal life	May 29; July 17
Eternity	November 18
Evangelism	January 5; February 5, 19; April 12, 25; July 26, 27, 28, 29; August 13; October 3; November 9; December 27
Evil	September 12; November 20
Excuses	February 3; April 4; May 26; September 11; December 14
Failure	January 23; February 24, 26; June 12, 22; August 24, 25, 26; October 10; December 3, 4
Faith	January 25; April 20, 21, 22; May 30; August 13
Faithfulness	April 3, 4, 19; September 29
Fashion	May 6
Fear	January 11, 24; March 5, 7; December 3
Feelings	January 27
Forgiveness	February 15, 17, 18; August 27, 28; October 10; November 29
Friendship	January 4, 10, 13; February 9; April 17; June 26, 30; July 1; October 23, 24; November 15, 26; December 11
Future	January 11, 29; February 14; March 5; May 5, 8; December 3
Gentleness	April 5, 6
Goals	January 26; February 23; March 8; May 12; September 28
God	February 8; June 24
fatherhood of	March 13; June 25
guidance of	February 28; May 5, 8; June 21; September 8, 24; December 3
judgment by	May 31; October 18; November 11, 13, 27, 30
love of	January 3
presence of	January 24, 31; February 8; June 5, 12; September 8; October 15
relationship with	January 1; March 13; June 13, 25, 29
separation from	November 14, 19
will of	January 11; March 5; July 2
workmanship of	April 18; September 13; December 20
Godliness	January 6; May 15, 26
Good deeds	February 6; August 14
Goodness	March 31; April 2
Gossip	January 2; August 30
Grace	January 16; November 5, 27
Grades	July 10
Grudges	February 17; August 27, 28
Guidance	June 8
Guilt	February 2, 3; May 18; June 4; July 19, 31; August 1, 12; September 26; December 4, 27
Habits	August 21, 22; November 19, 24
Hate	February 20; May 14; November 22
Healing	August 13
Health	May 24
Heaven	April 14, 29; June 28; July 10; September 4; October 1, 3; December 4
Hell	May 13; July 5, 10; October 3
Helplessness	June 1
Heroes	April 13
Holy Spirit	
fruit of	March 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31; April 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9
Holiness	May 15
Home	August 18, 19; October 10
Hope	January 11, 23; March 10, 17; May 30; June 21; December 4, 7, 17
Humility	February 16; May 1; October 13
Humiliation	February 24
Humanity	September 12; October 24; November 30
Hypocrisy	January 6, 28; February 5; April 10; May 28; July 12; August 8; October 22; November 7, 13, 28
Identity	January 1, 3, 22; March 6; June 28; July 13, 14, 15; October 11; December 18
Illness	May 24; August 13, 17; November 15; December 7

Imitation	October 22
Incarnation	December 23
Individuality	January 9; March 11; July 13, 14
Inferiority	February 21, 28; April 26; May 16; June 12; October 12
Injustice	November 30
Insecurity	May 16; June 20; October 12
Insensitivity	June 11
Intellectualism	November 8
Isolation	October 26; December 28
Jealousy	December 7
Jesus Christ	January 15; April 11, 23; June 14, 15, 16; October 6, 9; December 25
Joy	March 22, 23; April 18; August 2, 3; December 7, 8, 9
Judgment of others	May 2; November 7, 11
Kindness	March 29, 30; April 17; July 7; September 25; December 5, 6
Legalism	February 5
Life	February 1, 27; April 15; September 24
Loneliness	January 10, 17; October 26, 27, 28; December 18, 28
Looks	March 6, 18; July 14; September 12; October 30; November 14
Love	January 18, 19, 20, 21; March 20, 21; April 16; May 14; June 19, 29; August 7, 14, 29; October 8; November 2, 3, 4, 23, 24; December 5, 13, 26
Lust	May 1; November 19, 20, 21
Lying	August 8; October 17, 18, 29
Marriage	February 13, 20; April 3; August 15; October 29; November 1, 2, 3, 23, 24; December 5
Materialism	January 12; February 6, 7; April 27; June 3; July 6, 9, 30; December 24
Maturity	April 26; September 13; October 12; December 22
Mediocrity	July 5; August 25
Memories	January 1; February 9; April 17; June 30
Men and Women	November 25
Names	June 25, 26, 27, 28
Obesity	March 6
Outreach	January 10; February 6, 10, 23; July 3, 7; August 14; October 16, 24; November 9; December 6
Parents	January 3; February 15; March 2, 13; June 19; August 15, 16, 17; October 10; November 17; December 11
Parties	May 28; October 31; December 8
Patience	January 19; March 27, 28; June 2; December 20
Peace	January 24; March 24, 26
Peer pressure	January 9; May 3, 15; July 19; September 3
Persecution	July 7
Perseverance	January 23, 26; February 25; March 8, 9; April 3, 18, 19; May 9; June 1, 2; July 7; August 25; December 31
Politics	May 10, 17; November 12; December 10
Popularity	February 11; May 3; November 14; December 18
Potential	January 9; February 24
Poverty	February 22, 23; July 30; September 19; November 10, 27; December 15
Praise	May 7; June 23; September 1, 2
Prayer	March 1, 2, 3, 4; May 7; July 2; August 2; September 8, 28; November 22, 28
Pregnancy	February 2; July 20; September 5; November 1
Prejudice	April 8; June 11; September 26
Pride	March 6
Priorities	February 6, 7; June 6; September 27
Procrastination	September 27
Prophecy	April 28; November 12
Public opinion	May 17
Quarrels	November 24
Quitting	January 23, 25, 26; February 24; April 4; June 1
Respect	November 2, 23
Repentance	February 2; June 6; September 18
Reputation	August 30; October 17

Resolutions	April 30; August 21, 22, 23; September 15
Rest	May 23
Resurrection	June 14, 16, 17, 29
Reunions	May 22
Revenge	August 27; September 17; November 29
Risk	April 20, 21
Rules	June 25
Rumors	January 2; August 30
Runaways	October 10
Sacrifice	March 16; April 13; May 25; June 19; November 2
Salvation	January 4; May 14; June 2, 28; July 5, 17, 18
Satan	April 1; June 6; July 11, 12
Seasons	March 17; October 1
Second Coming	August 9, 10
Secrets	April 9
Security	March 7; May 4, 11; September 22
Self	January 14
Self-control	April 7, 9
Self-confidence	June 12
Self-image	January 22; March 6, 7; April 16; May 16; June 22; July 14; November 28; December 18, 20
Self-interest	February 6; April 13, 16; May 15; July 28; August 7; November 28; December 11
Selfishness	January 14
Selflessness	April 13
Sex	February 2; July 20; September 5, 14; November 1, 4, 24
Sharing	November 23
Significance	January 1
Silence	January 8; August 20; October 26
Simplicity	January 12
Sin	February 2, 3, 4, 15, 26; April 27; May 1, 18, 24; June 6; July 9, 11, 12; August 6, 24; September 11, 12, 18, 21; October 19; November 19
Singleness	February 13
Solitude	January 8; October 26
Spirituality	March 10; April 18; July 25; October 26; November 5; December 22
Stealing	September 11; November 27
Strength	November 23
Stress	January 29, 31; February 12; March 5; April 18; May 23; June 1; September 8
Success	May 3, 9, 11; September 30; December 10
Suicide	January 2; June 4; October 23
Swearing	December 12
Talent	July 14
Television	May 31; September 20
Temptation	February 26; March 10; April 9; July 19, 20; September 11, 14, 16; November 19, 20, 21
Thankfulness	May 7; December 26
Time	April 18; May 23; June 2; August 2, 3, 4, 5; November 24
Tragedy	January 23; April 13; May 29; June 1, 4, 9; September 4, 21; October 4, 25; December 27
Trials	April 18
Trust	January 24; May 4, 19, 30; October 17; November 2, 9
Uncertainty	January 11; May 4
Values	January 4; February 7; May 3, 11, 12; July 4, 6; September 14; December 10
Waiting	April 18
Wisdom	December 30
World, the	September 23
Worldliness	May 3, 11, 12, 28; June 6; July 4, 6, 12; September 20; November 19, 20, 21; December 10, 23
Worry	January 11; September 9; December 17
Worship	June 13; September 1; December 16
Youth	February 28; April 26; October 12, 14; December 22

Scripture Index

Genesis 1	March 25	Joshua 1:9	January 23; December 17
Genesis 1:26-31	January 22; July 14	Joshua 7:16-26	October 18
Genesis 1:27	June 18; November 25	Joshua 24:14-18	April 23
Genesis 2:2-3	May 23; December 14	Joshua 24:15	January 30; July 17, 22; October 11
Genesis 2:17	November 27		
Genesis 2:24	November 1	1 Samuel 12:24	July 21
Genesis 2:24-25	November 25	1 Samuel 16:6-8	October 12
Genesis 3:1	January 30	1 Samuel 16:7	March 18; April 10; October 30; November 7
Genesis 3:1-24	November 25		
Genesis 15:1-6	April 20	2 Samuel 11:1-12:18	September 5
Genesis 32:22-32	October 9	2 Samuel 12:15-19	July 2
Genesis 50:15-20	September 7		
		1 Kings 19:3-8	July 2
Exodus 2-4	June 12	1 Kings 19:12	May 3; June 27
Exodus 3:1-6	October 9		
Exodus 3:5-4:1	May 16	1 Chronicles 1-9	January 1
Exodus 3:10	June 12	1 Chronicles 4:9-10	September 28
Exodus 3:10-13	June 12	1 Chronicles 16:29	December 16
Exodus 3:11	June 12	1 Chronicles 28:9	July 19
Exodus 3:11-14	June 25		
Exodus 3:13	June 12	2 Chronicles 1:1-12	December 30
Exodus 4:1	June 12	2 Chronicles 7:14	February 1; June 22; July 31
Exodus 4:2-4	May 16		
Exodus 4:10, 12, 13	June 12	Nehemiah 8:10	March 23; December 7
Exodus 4:20	May 16	Nehemiah 9:17	June 22
Exodus 20:7	December 12		
Exodus 20:12	August 19	Esther 1	October 31
Exodus 20:13	July 24	Esther 1:7	October 31
Exodus 23:2	February 11	Esther 1:8	October 31
Exodus 23:4-5	August 28		
Exodus 33:11	October 9	Job 1:13-19	March 23
Exodus 33:12-23	October 9	Job 1:21	April 15
Exodus 33:14	October 11	Job 2:7	March 23
		Job 6:10	March 23
Leviticus 19:2	May 15	Job 14:2	August 17
Leviticus 19:11	October 17	Job 23:3	June 13
Leviticus 19:12	December 12	Job 31:32	July 3
Leviticus 19:18	August 27	Job 33:6	April 24
Deuteronomy 5:17	June 18	Psalms 1	July 21
Deuteronomy 6:4-5, 13	May 14	Psalms 1:1-3	October 20
Deuteronomy 6:5	July 21; October 5; November 19	Psalms 1:5	June 8
Deuteronomy 6:6-9	October 13	Psalms 4:8	March 24
Deuteronomy 29:29	September 4	Psalms 5	March 13
Deuteronomy 30:19	July 24	Psalms 10:1	June 13
Deuteronomy 30:19-20	July 18, 22	Psalms 14:1	October 7
Deuteronomy 31:6	February 15	Psalms 15:1-2	October 18
Deuteronomy 31:6-8	June 21	Psalms 16:11	August 3
Deuteronomy 31:8	May 8	Psalms 18:28	June 21
		Psalms 19:4-6	June 15
Joshua 1:5	January 17; September 8		
Joshua 1:5-9	June 5; October 28		

Psalm 23 January 17, 24, 29; March 13, 26;
September 8
Psalm 23:1-3 October 26
Psalm 23:2 June 15
Psalm 24:3-4 November 21
Psalm 25:7 October 14
Psalm 25:16 December 18
Psalm 25:16-18 October 28
Psalm 30:4-5 December 9
Psalm 33:3 February 14
Psalm 34:4 March 7
Psalm 34:19-22 October 20
Psalm 37 October 20
Psalm 37:3-4 May 4
Psalm 37:4 January 11; September 28;
November 23
Psalm 37:7 January 8; October 26
Psalm 37:7-11 September 9
Psalm 39:4-5 August 17
Psalm 39:4-7 February 27
Psalm 43:5 October 5
Psalm 44:22 October 5
Psalm 46 January 17
Psalm 46:1 January 24; September 9
Psalm 46:10 January 8; February 12, 27;
May 23; June 27; August 20;
November 22
Psalm 51:1-12 August 1
Psalm 51:1-17 February 4
Psalm 68:5-6 October 27
Psalm 69:27-28 June 28
Psalm 73 November 21
Psalm 91:11 October 4
Psalm 95:6-8 December 16
Psalm 96 June 23
Psalm 100 March 22; August 3
Psalm 100:3 February 27
Psalm 100:4-5 May 7; September 2
Psalm 103 December 4
Psalm 104 March 25
Psalm 112:4 June 21
Psalm 116:1-2 March 1
Psalm 118:24 August 2
Psalm 119:1-3 December 29
Psalm 119:1-16 June 7, 8
Psalm 119:9-16 October 22
Psalm 119:11 October 13
Psalm 119:29 August 8
Psalm 119:30-32 December 10
Psalm 119:105 June 8
Psalm 131:1 September 26
Psalm 131:2 January 8
Psalm 139:1-2 May 4
Psalm 139:1-3 December 19
Psalm 139:1-12 November 23
Psalm 139:1-16 January 11
Psalm 139:3 January 29
Psalm 139:5-6 February 8, December 3
Psalm 139:7-10 October 28
Psalm 139:13-16 June 18; July 24, 31; August 11
Psalm 139:14 January 22
Psalm 140:1-3 January 2; August 30

Psalm 146 December 10
Psalm 146:7 August 1
Psalm 147:3 May 24
Psalm 147:10-11 October 30; March 18
Psalm 150 June 23
Proverbs 1:7-8 August 19
Proverbs 1:8 August 16
Proverbs 1:28-29 July 22
Proverbs 2 December 22
Proverbs 3:5-6 January 31; February 28;
May 4, 16, 19, 30; June 12;
September 30
Proverbs 3:6 May 5
Proverbs 3:33 August 18
Proverbs 4:26-27 July 20
Proverbs 5:18-23 November 1
Proverbs 6:20-22 August 15
Proverbs 9:10-12 December 30
Proverbs 10:12 August 18
Proverbs 14:12 May 5
Proverbs 14:14 April 3
Proverbs 14:25 October 17
Proverbs 14:31 July 30
Proverbs 15:1-2 April 5
Proverbs 15:1-4 September 25
Proverbs 15:8 March 4
Proverbs 15:20 December 11
Proverbs 15:22 August 26
Proverbs 16:17 April 9
Proverbs 16:18 May 11
Proverbs 16:24 September 25
Proverbs 17:22 December 7
Proverbs 18:14 February 24
Proverbs 18:24 July 1; October 24
Proverbs 19:23 July 16, 23
Proverbs 20:1 October 31
Proverbs 20:20 December 11
Proverbs 21:21 July 4
Proverbs 22:1 October 21
Proverbs 23:25 December 11
Proverbs 25:15 April 5
Proverbs 25:21-22 March 30
Proverbs 25:28 April 9
Proverbs 27:1 December 17
Proverbs 27:2 January 14; September 2
Proverbs 27:10 October 24
Proverbs 27:21 February 11
Proverbs 28:13 February 3
Proverbs 29:11 April 17
Proverbs 31:8-9 February 22
Ecclesiastes 1:2-11 September 30
Ecclesiastes 2:14-15 September 19
Ecclesiastes 2:26 August 3; December 9
Ecclesiastes 3:1-2 August 17
Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 August 5
Ecclesiastes 3:11 November 18
Ecclesiastes 5:8-20 June 3
Ecclesiastes 7:25 August 16
Ecclesiastes 8:15 August 3
Ecclesiastes 9:10 February 24; August 25

Ecclesiastes 9:11	April 30; October 16	Ezekiel 11:12	May 3
Ecclesiastes 10:3	November 6	Ezekiel 11:19	December 19
Ecclesiastes 11:6	August 25	Ezekiel 18:5-32	August 6
Ecclesiastes 11:9	October 14; November 6	Ezekiel 33:1-32	July 12
Ecclesiastes 12:1	August 17; October 14	Ezekiel 39:7	December 12
Isaiah 1:18	February 3, 4, 18; April 27; May 1; June 6; August 1, 11, 22; October 10; November 19	Daniel 12:1-2	June 28
Isaiah 5:21	September 26	Obadiah 1:12	August 28
Isaiah 6:3	June 23, 24	Micah 5:2	July 7
Isaiah 6:5-8	July 26	Micah 6:8	April 2
Isaiah 14:12-15	May 13	Habakkuk 1:2	July 2
Isaiah 26:9-11	September 23	Habakkuk 3:17-19	December 7
Isaiah 29:14-16	November 8	Zephaniah 3:17	January 8; August 20; October 26
Isaiah 32:17	January 8	Zechariah 2:13	October 26
Isaiah 35	November 15	Zechariah 4:6	October 12
Isaiah 35:3-4	April 24	Zechariah 7:9-10	December 2
Isaiah 40:25-28	March 25	Zechariah 8:16-17	October 19
Isaiah 40:28-31	February 24; September 5; October 11; December 29	Malachi 3:8	January 30
Isaiah 40:30-31	January 23	Malachi 4:1-2	July 12
Isaiah 40:31	March 10; May 4	Matthew 1:1-17	January 1
Isaiah 41:9-10	September 5	Matthew 1:5-16	December 4
Isaiah 42:16	January 29; March 5; May 5, 8; September 24	Matthew 2:16	July 7
Isaiah 43:19	March 17	Matthew 3:3	October 9
Isaiah 45:15	June 13	Matthew 3:10	May 28
Isaiah 46:4	April 14	Matthew 4:1-11	July 11
Isaiah 46:10	January 29; May 5	Matthew 4:19	July 26
Isaiah 49:10	May 8	Matthew 5:3-10	May 11; October 16; November 14; December 10
Isaiah 52:7	December 27	Matthew 5:3-12	December 29
Isaiah 52:12	February 8; December 3	Matthew 5:8	November 21
Isaiah 53	February 23	Matthew 5:10	July 7
Isaiah 53:3	March 22; December 8	Matthew 5:11-12	July 7
Isaiah 54:7-10	December 1	Matthew 5:13	January 7; April 25; December 28
Isaiah 54:10	December 2	Matthew 5:13-14	June 15
Isaiah 55:7	May 1	Matthew 5:13-16	February 9; July 28; September 23
Isaiah 57:15	November 18	Matthew 5:14	January 7; July 28; October 3
Isaiah 61:10	May 6	Matthew 5:14-16	January 5; February 19; April 25
Isaiah 62:5	October 29	Matthew 5:21-24	September 17
Isaiah 64:6	September 12	Matthew 5:27-30	November 4
Isaiah 64:8	June 24	Matthew 5:33-37	December 12
Isaiah 65:17-25	April 29; November 15	Matthew 5:37	July 17
Jeremiah 1:4-6	February 28	Matthew 5:43-44	January 18, 21
Jeremiah 1:4-10	April 26; October 12	Matthew 5:43-48	November 29
Jeremiah 1:7-8	February 28; April 26; October 12	Matthew 5:44, 46	March 20
Jeremiah 10:12	December 30	Matthew 5:44-47	August 28
Jeremiah 17:9	August 8	Matthew 5:46-47	April 24; December 18
Jeremiah 29:11	January 11; February 8; March 5; May 4; August 5; November 23; December 3	Matthew 6:9, 11	December 17
Jeremiah 31:25	June 4	Matthew 6:12	February 18
Jeremiah 31:26	August 2	Matthew 6:14-15	February 17, 18; October 10
Jeremiah 32:17	May 30; June 1	Matthew 6:19-21	July 4; December 10
Jeremiah 32:27	June 1	Matthew 6:19-24	December 24
Lamentations 3:20-26	October 27	Matthew 6:19-34	January 12
Lamentations 3:22-23	August 26		
Lamentations 3:40	July 5		

Matthew 6:21 January 12; February 7
 Matthew 6:24 June 3
 Matthew 6:25-34 January 22, 29; February 27;
 March 26; April 30;
 December 17; August 5
 Matthew 6:28-30 May 6
 Matthew 7:1-5 January 28; August 28;
 November 7
 Matthew 7:3-5 November 28
 Matthew 7:7 March 1
 Matthew 7:7-11 March 4
 Matthew 7:8 May 29
 Matthew 7:13-14 February 11; April 15; July 5, 10
 Matthew 7:15-23 March 19
 Matthew 7:17-23 October 22
 Matthew 7:21 September 22
 Matthew 7:21-23 May 28
 Matthew 7:24-27 September 22
 Matthew 9:10-12 February 4
 Matthew 9:28 July 18
 Matthew 10:8 February 6
 Matthew 10:32 May 17
 Matthew 10:34-39 December 25
 Matthew 10:39 April 15
 Matthew 10:42 March 30
 Matthew 11:2-3 October 9
 Matthew 11:11 September 4
 Matthew 11:28 January 17, 31; March 24;
 May 23; June 4; July 31;
 October 11; November 20
 Matthew 11:28-30 February 12; March 13, 24;
 December 29
 Matthew 14:3-11 September 3
 Matthew 14:12-13 September 4
 Matthew 14:13-14 December 1
 Matthew 14:14-21 March 22
 Matthew 14:15 May 19
 Matthew 14:15-16 February 10
 Matthew 14:22-31 October 7
 Matthew 15:29-38 December 1
 Matthew 15:32-38 March 22
 Matthew 16:13 January 30; October 9
 Matthew 16:13-14 May 17
 Matthew 16:13-16 January 30; April 23
 Matthew 16:15-16 May 17
 Matthew 16:18 June 4
 Matthew 16:24-25 July 15
 Matthew 16:24-26 November 14
 Matthew 16:25 March 6
 Matthew 16:26 January 30; September 3
 Matthew 16:27 April 3
 Matthew 17:1-8 December 28
 Matthew 17:4 December 28
 Matthew 17:20 January 25; April 22; May 30
 Matthew 18:1-4 March 2
 Matthew 18:20 May 21; December 14
 Matthew 18:21 February 17
 Matthew 18:21-35 February 18
 Matthew 18:22 February 17
 Matthew 19:12 February 13
 Matthew 19:13-14 October 16
 Matthew 19:14 July 24, 31

Matthew 19:16 January 30
 Matthew 19:24 October 16; November 14
 Matthew 19:26 February 10; May 19;
 August 23
 Matthew 20:25-28 December 5
 Matthew 21:8-10 April 23
 Matthew 21:21 January 25
 Matthew 21:42 April 11
 Matthew 22:1-4 March 22; December 8
 Matthew 22:35-39 March 20
 Matthew 22:37 March 20
 Matthew 22:39 March 20; April 8
 Matthew 23 November 12
 Matthew 23:1-33 January 28; July 25
 Matthew 23:15, 23, 25, 33 November 13
 Matthew 23:27 December 15
 Matthew 23:27-28 November 13
 Matthew 23:33 January 16
 Matthew 24 August 9
 Matthew 24:36, 42 April 28
 Matthew 24:36-39 August 4
 Matthew 24:36-42 April 28
 Matthew 24:37-44 December 15
 Matthew 25:1-10 October 29
 Matthew 25:1-13 December 15
 Matthew 25:14-28 June 3
 Matthew 25:14-30 September 28
 Matthew 25:31-34, 41 May 13
 Matthew 25:31-46 February 6, 16, 22, 23; July 12, 30;
 October 16; December 28
 Matthew 25:32, 46 April 28
 Matthew 25:34-40 March 30; July 3
 Matthew 25:41-43, 45 September 18
 Matthew 25:42-43 February 22
 Matthew 25:45 February 23
 Matthew 26:14-16 September 11
 Matthew 26:14-27:10 June 4
 Matthew 26:41 September 16
 Matthew 26:47-49 September 12
 Matthew 27:3-5 September 11
 Matthew 27:22 January 30
 Matthew 27:41-43 March 15
 Matthew 27:46 January 30
 Matthew 28:1-9 June 14
 Matthew 28:11-15 June 16
 Matthew 28:18-20 January 5; April 25; July 29;
 October 3; November 9;
 December 27
 Matthew 28:20 February 28
 Mark 1:17 January 5; February 10
 Mark 2:17 May 24; November 19
 Mark 3:14-19 June 26
 Mark 6:17-28 September 3
 Mark 6:35-44 March 22
 Mark 8:1-8 December 2
 Mark 8:34-38 January 14; February 20; March 6;
 April 7, 13; May 14; July 21
 Mark 8:37 January 30
 Mark 9:3 December 28
 Mark 9:14-24 April 20
 Mark 9:17-24 May 30; October 7

Mark 9:23 May 30
 Mark 9:35 August 14
 Mark 9:37, 41 December 6
 Mark 9:43-48 July 9
 Mark 10:6-9 November 4
 Mark 10:17 July 9
 Mark 10:17-22 July 5
 Mark 10:17-31 November 18
 Mark 10:21 July 9
 Mark 10:35-45 January 15; August 14
 Mark 10:42-45 January 14; February 16
 Mark 10:45 July 6
 Mark 11:15-18 January 27
 Mark 11:24 March 4
 Mark 11:25 February 15
 Mark 12:28-30 December 13
 Mark 12:28-34 July 5
 Mark 12:31 August 7
 Mark 12:34 July 5
 Mark 12:41-44 February 6
 Mark 14:32-36 March 2
 Mark 14:36 March 2; June 25
 Mark 14:61-62 March 15
 Mark 14:64-65 March 15
 Mark 15:34 January 30

 Luke 1:26-38 December 23
 Luke 1:37 May 30; June 24
 Luke 2:1-20 December 23
 Luke 2:6-7 December 25
 Luke 2:10 December 24
 Luke 2:11 December 23
 Luke 2:41-52 August 16
 Luke 2:49 November 16
 Luke 4:5-8 December 16
 Luke 5:16 October 27
 Luke 5:27-32 May 24
 Luke 6:27-36 January 18
 Luke 6:37-38 November 7, 28
 Luke 6:37-42 November 13
 Luke 6:38 January 10
 Luke 6:39-40 May 26
 Luke 7:34 July 1
 Luke 8:4-15 September 22
 Luke 8:5-15 December 22
 Luke 9:12-17 March 22
 Luke 9:23-25 September 30
 Luke 9:23-26 May 16
 Luke 9:25 October 4
 Luke 9:46-48 September 30
 Luke 9:51-56 June 26
 Luke 9:57-64 November 17
 Luke 9:58 July 7
 Luke 10:20 January 1; June 28
 Luke 10:25-37 January 20; February 20;
 April 16; December 28
 Luke 10:27 March 14
 Luke 10:38-42 August 2; September 9
 Luke 11:33 July 28
 Luke 12:1-5 November 13
 Luke 12:5 May 13
 Luke 12:13-34 December 10

Luke 12:15 January 12; September 21
 Luke 12:15-21 May 11
 Luke 12:25-26 September 9
 Luke 12:35-36 May 29
 Luke 13:34 April 6
 Luke 14:13-23 September 19
 Luke 14:15-17 March 22; December 8
 Luke 14:25-27 November 17
 Luke 14:26 May 14; July 21
 Luke 14:28-33 March 9; December 25
 Luke 15:8-10 July 17
 Luke 15:11-32 May 1
 Luke 15:21-24 October 10
 Luke 16:13 February 20; December 25
 Luke 16:15 October 30
 Luke 16:19-31 May 12
 Luke 17:11-19 December 26
 Luke 17:20-21 May 10
 Luke 18:1-8 March 3
 Luke 18:27 January 31; May 30; August 23;
 October 13; June 1

 Luke 19:1-5 January 16
 Luke 19:1-10 June 27
 Luke 19:5 June 27
 Luke 19:5-10 January 16
 Luke 19:10 October 25
 Luke 19:41 January 27
 Luke 19:41-42 April 6
 Luke 22:39-44 July 2
 Luke 22:42 July 2
 Luke 23:34 August 27
 Luke 24:1-3 June 16
 Luke 24:6 June 17

 John 1:1-3, 14 October 15
 John 1:6-9 July 28
 John 1:12-13 July 29
 John 1:18 October 8
 John 2:1-11 March 22; December 8
 John 3:1-21 July 29
 John 3:3 March 10; December 21
 John 3:16 January 19, 31; March 16;
 April 11; June 20; August 31;
 October 6; December 26

 John 3:16-17 November 11
 John 3:16-18 March 14
 John 4:4-26 March 14
 John 4:23-24 December 16
 John 5:44 February 11
 John 6:1-15 May 10
 John 6:5-6 May 19
 John 6:7 May 19
 John 6:8-9 February 10
 John 6:14-15 May 10
 John 6:35 February 10; June 15
 John 6:37 May 29
 John 6:47 November 18
 John 8:3-7 November 11
 John 8:3-11 October 16
 John 8:12 January 5; July 28
 John 9:1-3 August 13
 John 9:39-41 August 12

John 10:9	May 29	Acts 1:7	September 4
John 10:10	April 15; August 3; November 21	Acts 1:7-8	November 16
John 10:10-11	June 30	Acts 1:7-11	August 4
John 10:11	June 15	Acts 1:8	February 19; June 29; November 9
John 10:24-38	March 15	Acts 1:10-11	August 10
John 11:27	July 18	Acts 1:11	April 28
John 11:32-35	January 27	Acts 2:1-4	June 29
John 11:35	June 30	Acts 2:36	May 17
John 11:48	November 12	Acts 2:42	May 27; December 14
John 11:49-50	November 12	Acts 5:1-11	August 8; October 18
John 12:3-6	September 11	Acts 5:9	October 18
John 12:24	November 12	Acts 5:11	October 19
John 12:25	July 4	Acts 5:13	October 19
John 12:43	July 15; September 2	Acts 16:6	July 2
John 13:1	November 17	Acts 16:31-34	August 19
John 13:1-15	February 16	Acts 20:28	May 27
John 13:1-17	January 15	Acts 20:35	February 6; December 6
John 13:15	April 12	Acts 23:1	May 20
John 13:33-34	March 21	Acts 24:16	May 18, 20; October 19; November 19
John 13:34-35	January 19, 21; April 16; November 2, 24	Acts 26:8	June 17
John 13:35	March 21	Romans 1:18-20	March 25
John 14:1-6	April 29	Romans 1:20	June 13, 23
John 14:2	April 14	Romans 1:21-23	July 6
John 14:2-3	August 10	Romans 1:25-32	July 6
John 14:6	May 19, 29; December 25	Romans 1:29-32	January 2
John 14:8	June 13	Romans 2:1	November 7
John 14:12-14	February 19	Romans 2:1-6	November 11
John 14:15	December 13	Romans 2:6-7	April 2
John 14:23-27	June 5	Romans 2:6-8	September 20
John 14:26	September 24	Romans 2:7-8	July 15
John 14:27	January 17; February 12; March 13, 16, 26; May 23; August 20	Romans 2:21-23	February 5
John 15:1-8	March 17	Romans 2:21-24	October 22
John 15:5	March 17	Romans 2:24	February 5
John 15:9-17	June 26; December 18	Romans 3:10-12	November 5
John 15:10-11	December 9	Romans 3:10-18, 23	September 12
John 15:11	March 23	Romans 3:20-28	July 10
John 15:13	January 14; April 13; June 30; November 10	Romans 3:23	February 15; July 29; August 24, 28
John 15:14	November 26	Romans 3:24-25	March 18
John 15:15	July 1; November 26	Romans 5:1-5	February 25
John 15:18-21	July 7	Romans 5:3-5	April 18; October 21
John 15:19	November 17	Romans 5:6-8	April 13; June 20; October 5, 6; November 10; December 13
John 16:1-4	July 7	Romans 5:6-10	November 29
John 16:24	September 28	Romans 5:7-8	June 30
John 16:33	July 16, 23; November 20	Romans 5:7-9	July 15
John 17:4	March 9	Romans 5:7-11	June 26; November 30
John 18:36	November 17	Romans 5:8	November 29
John 19:19	May 10	Romans 5:17	August 6; November 27
John 19:30	January 26; March 9	Romans 5:20	January 16; February 26; December 4
John 19:35	November 16	Romans 6:4	March 17
John 20:1-18	June 29	Romans 6:4-7	August 21
John 20:24-29	October 7	Romans 6:11-13	August 11
John 20:30-31	June 9	Romans 6:11-14, 23	November 27
John 20:31	November 16	Romans 6:11-23	February 2
John 20-21	June 17	Romans 6:23	February 4; May 12; July 9, 29; August 1, 6; September 11, 20, 23; October 19; December 26
John 21:15-17	January 18	Romans 7:14-25	February 26; July 9
John 21:16	February 23; July 18		

Romans 7:15-25	March 31; August 12, 24	1 Corinthians 6:18-19	February 2
Romans 7:21-25	July 19	1 Corinthians 6:18-20	November 1, 3, 24
Romans 7:24	September 12	1 Corinthians 6:19	November 2
Romans 7:24-25	October 25	1 Corinthians 6:19-20	July 6; September 10
Romans 7:25	July 19	1 Corinthians 6:20	June 20
Romans 7:26	August 24	1 Corinthians 7:8-9,	
Romans 8:1-2	June 22	26-31	February 13
Romans 8:12-14	August 6	1 Corinthians 7:32-34	February 13
Romans 8:15	March 7	1 Corinthians 9:24-27	January 26; March 8; April 4, 9,
Romans 8:15-16	March 2		19; May 26
Romans 8:15-17	June 25	1 Corinthians 10:12	May 11
Romans 8:18-23	August 22	1 Corinthians 10:12-13	March 6
Romans 8:26-27	September 8	1 Corinthians 10:13	September 16
Romans 8:28	March 10; June 21; September 7;	1 Corinthians 10:31-33	October 3
	December 26	1 Corinthians 11:23-26	May 25
Romans 8:29	February 23	1 Corinthians 12:12-13	November 9
Romans 8:31	April 26; June 24; September 5	1 Corinthians 12:12-26	February 21; July 13
Romans 8:31-32	February 28; September 7	1 Corinthians 12:12-31	May 22
Romans 8:31-39	January 3	1 Corinthians 12:17-18	February 21
Romans 8:38-39	January 3; July 16, 23	1 Corinthians 12:21	February 21
Romans 9:1	May 20	1 Corinthians 12:27	February 21; May 27
Romans 10:17	April 22	1 Corinthians 13	January 21; August 7, 29;
Romans 11:2	June 10		November 4
Romans 12:2	January 9; May 3, 15, 31; June 6;	1 Corinthians 13:1	June 19
	September 6	1 Corinthians 13:1-3	November 2
Romans 12:2-8	July 13	1 Corinthians 13:4	December 5
Romans 12:3	June 11; September 26	1 Corinthians 13:4-5	February 17
Romans 12:3-8	February 21	1 Corinthians 13:4-7	January 19; March 20; November 2
Romans 12:4-5	May 22	1 Corinthians 13:12	June 13
Romans 12:6-8	May 22	1 Corinthians 15	June 16
Romans 12:9	February 20; June 11	1 Corinthians 15:3-4	August 31
Romans 12:9-10	October 24	1 Corinthians 15:3-5	August 29
Romans 12:9-16	May 2	1 Corinthians 15:14-32	June 17
Romans 12:9-21	April 10; August 23	1 Corinthians 15:32-34	August 1
Romans 12:10	January 10	1 Corinthians 15:33-34	October 21
Romans 12:12	March 27	1 Corinthians 15:35-58	October 1; November 15
Romans 12:15	January 27	1 Corinthians 15:42-44	October 1
Romans 12:16	April 24; September 26	1 Corinthians 15:58	March 11; September 29
Romans 12:17-21	September 18	1 Corinthians 16:14	January 20
Romans 12:19-20	August 27		
Romans 13:9	April 16; August 7	2 Corinthians 1:3-4	September 1; October 2;
Romans 13:11-14	September 10; October 31		December 1
Romans 14:10-13	November 7, 28	2 Corinthians 1:3-11	July 8
Romans 14:11	December 12	2 Corinthians 1:5	March 13
Romans 14:12	May 31	2 Corinthians 1:19-20	July 18
Romans 15:13	March 22; December 8	2 Corinthians 2:14-15	July 19
Romans 16:20	April 1	2 Corinthians 4:8	March 5
		2 Corinthians 4:16-18	February 26
1 Corinthians 1:9	January 31	2 Corinthians 5:7	April 21
1 Corinthians 1:18	August 31	2 Corinthians 5:17	January 4; March 17, 19; August
1 Corinthians 1:18-31	May 3		21; December 19, 21
1 Corinthians 1:19-21	November 8	2 Corinthians 5:17-20	October 22
1 Corinthians 1:26-31	October 13; November 8	2 Corinthians 5:17-21	April 8
1 Corinthians 1:27	April 30	2 Corinthians 5:18	February 5
1 Corinthians 1:30	January 31	2 Corinthians 5:19	February 5
1 Corinthians 2:2	August 31	2 Corinthians 5:20	February 5; April 12; October 2;
1 Corinthians 2:6-16	November 8		November 9
1 Corinthians 2:9	December 4, 8	2 Corinthians 6:3-10	August 26
1 Corinthians 4:4	May 20	2 Corinthians 6:14	May 15
1 Corinthians 4:5	November 7, 28	2 Corinthians 7:1	April 27; May 15; November 20
1 Corinthians 4:10	January 31	2 Corinthians 7:4	March 23
1 Corinthians 5:9	November 7	2 Corinthians 8:9	March 16; June 14

2 Corinthians 9:6-15 February 22
 2 Corinthians 9:12-13 December 5
 2 Corinthians 10:12-18 July 14
 2 Corinthians 11:14 November 7
 2 Corinthians 11:14-15 April 1; July 11
 2 Corinthians 11:24-33 January 26; April 4
 2 Corinthians 12:7-9 February 26; July 2
 2 Corinthians 12:9 January 23, 31
 2 Corinthians 12:9-10 August 26
 2 Corinthians 13:5-7 August 26

 Galatians 2:6 October 30
 Galatians 4:4-5 October 15
 Galatians 4:6-7 June 25
 Galatians 5:7 January 25
 Galatians 5:7-10 April 4
 Galatians 5:16-26 January 9
 Galatians 5:19-26 December 20
 Galatians 5:22 March 20, 21, 22, 24, 27, 29, 31;
 April 3; August 20
 Galatians 5:22-23 March 19; April 5, 7
 Galatians 5:22-25 February 9
 Galatians 6:4 July 13, 14
 Galatians 6:4-5 March 11
 Galatians 6:7 September 3
 Galatians 6:7-8 August 6, 11
 Galatians 6:7-9 June 2
 Galatians 6:7-10 January 9; February 2;
 March 31; December 29

 Ephesians 1:3-14 September 1
 Ephesians 1:7-8 June 22; July 6
 Ephesians 2:1-10 November 5; December 21
 Ephesians 2:4-5 October 8
 Ephesians 2:8 April 22
 Ephesians 2:8-10 January 16; April 2; July 10;
 November 5
 Ephesians 2:10 March 28; September 7, 15;
 December 20

 Ephesians 3:14-20 March 20
 Ephesians 3:14-21 June 2; November 21
 Ephesians 3:17-18 January 3
 Ephesians 4:2 March 20, 28; April 6
 Ephesians 4:10-16 February 28; April 26
 Ephesians 4:15 September 13
 Ephesians 4:16 March 11; July 14
 Ephesians 4:17 December 21
 Ephesians 4:17-24 January 4; April 27
 Ephesians 4:17-5:21 May 28
 Ephesians 4:22-24 August 22
 Ephesians 4:25 October 17
 Ephesians 4:26-27 March 12
 Ephesians 4:32 February 15; November 29
 Ephesians 5:1-3 November 24
 Ephesians 5:1-17 November 4
 Ephesians 5:3 November 3
 Ephesians 5:15-16 November 6
 Ephesians 5:15-17 May 31
 Ephesians 5:18 September 10; October 31
 Ephesians 5:19 February 14
 Ephesians 5:19-20 May 7
 Ephesians 5:21 December 21

Ephesians 6:1-2 December 11
 Ephesians 6:1-3 August 15, 18
 Ephesians 6:10-18 January 4
 Ephesians 6:11-12 July 11
 Ephesians 6:12 September 14
 Ephesians 6:18 March 2, 3

 Philippians 1:4-6 March 28; April 18
 Philippians 1:6 December 20
 Philippians 1:27 November 1
 Philippians 2:1-3 March 11; September 29
 Philippians 2:1-4 January 18
 Philippians 2:1-8 July 15
 Philippians 2:1-11 February 16
 Philippians 2:3, 5 February 16
 Philippians 2:3-4 May 2; June 11
 Philippians 2:3-8 August 14
 Philippians 2:3-11 March 16
 Philippians 2:4 January 10
 Philippians 2:5-7 January 15
 Philippians 2:5-8 April 12; May 2;
 November 10, 27
 Philippians 2:5-11 April 11; June 14, 30;
 October 6

 Philippians 2:8 June 14; November 30
 Philippians 2:10-11 December 12
 Philippians 2:12 January 25; March 8
 Philippians 2:12-13 March 10; September 13, 15;
 December 20
 Philippians 2:13 May 15; June 5; July 10;
 November 5
 Philippians 3:14 January 26; September 15
 Philippians 3:14-21 May 31
 Philippians 3:17-21 July 4
 Philippians 3:20 April 29; November 17
 Philippians 4:4, 8 May 7
 Philippians 4:6-7 March 26; November 22
 Philippians 4:8 September 6, 25
 Philippians 4:13 January 31
 Philippians 4:19 January 31

 Colossians 1:13-14 October 25
 Colossians 1:15 October 8
 Colossians 2:6-7 June 2
 Colossians 3:1-3 February 7; November 17
 Colossians 3:1-4 October 3
 Colossians 3:1-17 January 7; April 25
 Colossians 3:2 September 6
 Colossians 3:9-10 October 19
 Colossians 3:11 April 8
 Colossians 3:12 December 2
 Colossians 3:12-14 March 14; May 6
 Colossians 3:12-15 February 9
 Colossians 3:13 February 17
 Colossians 3:16 February 14
 Colossians 3:17 April 17; November 9
 Colossians 3:20 August 15
 Colossians 3:23 August 25
 Colossians 4:2 March 1
 Colossians 4:5 September 29
 Colossians 4:7-9 May 21
 Colossians 4:17 January 25

1 Thessalonians 3:12	March 21	Hebrews 6:11-12	September 27
1 Thessalonians 4:3-8	May 15 ; July 20; November 3	Hebrews 6:18-19	March 7
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	April 14; June 16; August 10	Hebrews 9:27	May 12; November 6
1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11	April 28; August 4	Hebrews 9:27-28	November 11
1 Thessalonians 5:2-4	August 9	Hebrews 10:14	November 12
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11	April 7	Hebrews 10:15-17	June 6
1 Thessalonians 5:10-11	February 12	Hebrews 10:22	August 12
1 Thessalonians 5:15	September 18; December 6	Hebrews 10:24-25	January 13; October 23
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18	December 7, 9	Hebrews 10:25	May 21, 25, 27; December 14, 28
1 Thessalonians 5:17	March 1, 4	Hebrews 10:32-39	July 7
1 Thessalonians 5:18	December 26	Hebrews 10:35-36	March 5
1 Thessalonians 5:21	November 7	Hebrews 10:36-39	April 4; May 9
1 Thessalonians 5:21-22	November 23	Hebrews 11	February 26; April 21; August 13
2 Thessalonians 1:11	April 2; June 27	Hebrews 11:1	April 22
		Hebrews 11:31	December 4
1 Timothy 1:15	October 25	Hebrews 12:1	February 25; May 9; August 23
1 Timothy 1:15-16	April 12	Hebrews 12:1-2	April 3
1 Timothy 1:19	December 22	Hebrews 12:1-3	February 24; March 9; April 4; July 9; September 24
1 Timothy 3:16	October 15	Hebrews 12:1-11	January 23; July 7
1 Timothy 4:1-5	January 28	Hebrews 12:1-12	March 27
1 Timothy 4:7	May 26	Hebrews 12:1-13	March 8
1 Timothy 4:8	May 26	Hebrews 12:2	December 8
1 Timothy 4:12	April 26; September 29; October 12, 14	Hebrews 12:2-3	March 23; July 23
1 Timothy 4:13-16	September 27	Hebrews 12:3-4	September 14
1 Timothy 6:10	November 20	Hebrews 12:12-16	August 21
1 Timothy 6:6-10	November 14; December 24	Hebrews 13:1-2	July 30
1 Timothy 6:11	April 6	Hebrews 13:1-3	July 3
1 Timothy 6:11-12	April 19	Hebrews 13:2	March 29
1 Timothy 6:11-14	June 20	Hebrews 13:4	November 3
2 Timothy 1:7	January 31	Hebrews 13:5	January 24, 31; July 23
2 Timothy 2:8	May 25	Hebrews 13:6	January 24
2 Timothy 2:22	July 19	Hebrews 13:15-16	September 1
2 Timothy 3:1-2	August 15; December 11	James 1:2-4	January 23; February 25; March 5, 23, 27; April 18; July 8
2 Timothy 3:1-5	April 10	James 1:12	July 8
2 Timothy 3:1-9	September 20	James 1:13-15	September 16
2 Timothy 3:12	July 7	James 1:14-15	July 20
2 Timothy 3:16	June 7, 8	James 1:19	January 6; March 12
2 Timothy 3:16-17	June 10; September 24	James 1:19-20	March 12; September 18
2 Timothy 4:1-2	December 27	James 1:21-25	June 7
2 Timothy 4:6-8	April 19	James 1:22	June 7
2 Timothy 4:7	December 22	James 1:22-25	February 5; July 26; September 22; October 22
Titus 1:15-16	May 20	James 1:23-25	December 22
Titus 1:16	July 12	James 1:26	January 6; July 25; August 8; September 18
Titus 2:11-14	February 20; April 9; September 15	James 2:1-9	October 13
Hebrews 2:14-15	October 15	James 2:1-13	September 19
Hebrews 2:14-18	September 16	James 2:8-10	August 12
Hebrews 3:12-13	January 13	James 2:14-17	July 30
Hebrews 3:13	January 31; September 25; October 23	James 2:14-26	February 23; July 27
Hebrews 3:14	June 2	James 2:17	April 20
Hebrews 4:7	June 27; September 27	James 2:21-23	July 1
Hebrews 4:14-16	August 24	James 2:25	December 4
Hebrews 4:15	September 16; November 30	James 3:1-10	October 2
Hebrews 4:16	June 4	James 3:3-12	April 17
Hebrews 5:12-14	December 22	James 3:5-6	January 2; August 30
		James 3:7-10	September 17
		James 3:7-12	September 2
		James 3:9-12	September 1

James 3:13 January 6; July 25
James 4:2 September 28
James 4:3 September 28
James 4:4 July 1; September 23;
November 14, 20
James 4:4-10 September 21
James 4:7 September 14
James 4:8 April 27; November 19
James 5:7-8 March 27
James 5:13 February 14; July 16;
November 22
James 5:13-16 August 13
1 Peter 1:3-7 July 8
1 Peter 1:13-16 January 9
1 Peter 1:15-16 May 18
1 Peter 1:17-19 November 11
1 Peter 1:18-21 July 6
1 Peter 2:1-2 January 28
1 Peter 2:11 September 14
1 Peter 2:11-12 July 27; November 17
1 Peter 2:23 August 27
1 Peter 3:1-2 January 6; July 25
1 Peter 3:3-4 April 5
1 Peter 3:8-9 December 6
1 Peter 3:8-12 January 2; September 17
1 Peter 3:10 August 30
1 Peter 3:13-16 April 6
1 Peter 4:7-8 September 6
1 Peter 4:8 January 20; August 18;
October 2
1 Peter 4:12-19 July 8
1 Peter 5:7 January 31; November 22
1 Peter 5:8-9 April 1; July 11; September 21
2 Peter 1:5-9 February 25
2 Peter 3:3-18 August 9
2 Peter 3:9-14 June 24
2 Peter 3:9-15 March 28
2 Peter 3:17-18 September 13
1 John 1:1 June 9
1 John 1:1-3 October 8; November 16

1 John 1:2-4 June 9
1 John 1:5-7 March 10
1 John 1:5-10 February 1
1 John 1:8-9 May 1; October 10
1 John 1:8-10 February 3; November 13
1 John 1:9 January 31; February 18; July 9
1 John 2:1-6 February 1
1 John 2:3-6 December 13
1 John 2:15-17 September 19, 23
1 John 2:16-17 November 20
1 John 2:17 September 20
1 John 3:2-3 August 5
1 John 3:11-18 January 19; April 16
1 John 3:11-23 November 2
1 John 3:16 August 29
1 John 3:16-18 March 14
1 John 3:18 January 6, 13; October 23
John 4:4-26 March 14
1 John 4:7-21 August 7
1 John 4:9-10 October 6; November 10
1 John 4:10-12 November 30
1 John 4:18 March 7
1 John 4:19 August 29; November 2
1 John 4:19-21 January 3
1 John 5:13-14 June 9
2 John 1:8-9 April 3, 19
Revelation 2:4 December 22
Revelation 3:5 June 28
Revelation 3:8 September 9
Revelation 3:16 May 28
Revelation 3:20 January 16; May 29; June 6, 27;
September 13; October 11
Revelation 11:15 April 28
Revelation 12:7-9 April 1
Revelation 20:11-15 July 3
Revelation 21 October 29
Revelation 21:1-4 August 24; November 15;
December 18
Revelation 21:2-4 October 1
Revelation 21:4 January 24; June 8; September 4;
October 4

About the Author

RICK CHRISTIAN has had a lifelong passion for words and great writing. He is the founder and president of Alive Communications, the premier literary agency for inspirational books, with more than a dozen *New York Times* #1 best sellers to his credit. A graduate of Stanford University, he served as associate editor of *Campus Life* magazine and executive editor of *The Saturday Evening Post*, then transitioned to book publishing as the founding editorial director of Focus on the Family books. Along the way, he wrote several books himself, including *The Woodland Hills Tragedy*, *A Gift of Life*, and *Silent Night*. Rick and his wife, Debbie, have a blended family of seven children and live in Black Forest, near Colorado Springs.