

**BASIC MEMORY VERSES (All Grades)**

For  
Bible Memory Contest X (August 30, 2009)

6/28/09 [I Thessalonians 5:18] give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

7/5/09 [Deuteronomy 13:4] It is the LORD you God you must follow, and him you must revere. Keep his commands and obey him; serve him and hold fast to him.

7/12/09 [I Samuel 16:7] But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The LORD does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart."

7/19/09 [I Corinthians 16:13] Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be men of courage; be strong.

7/26/09 [Psalm 51:10] Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

8/02/09 [Proverbs 1:5] let the wise listen and add to their learning, and let the discerning get guidance.

8/09/09 [Psalm 96:3] Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

8/16/09 [Isaiah 6:8] Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, Here I am. Send me!"

8/23/09 [Deuteronomy 27:10] Obey the LORD you God and follow his commands and decrees that I give you today.

**Bible Truths**

41. **What are the seven evidences of salvation that are mentioned in John 1?** These include the following: witness of the Holy Spirit (3:24; 4:13; see Rom. 8:16), obedience to the Scriptures (2:3-5), practicing what is right (2:29), not practicing what is sinful (3:9), overcoming the world (5:4-5), loving other Christians (3:14; 4:7), and believing what the Bible teaches (5:1,13).
42. **Can a Christian lose his salvation?** No, anyone who is truly a Christian is eternally assured of his salvation. (Jn 10:27-29; Rom. 8:33-39; Eph. 4:30)
43. **What happens to a person's soul when he dies?** His soul either goes to Heaven or Hades (also called Hell). (II Cor. 5:8; Lk. 16:22-23)
44. **What is Heaven?** Heaven is a place where believers will spend eternity with God. (Jn. 14:1-3; Rev. 21:3-4, 22-27; 22:1-5)
45. **What is Hell?** Hell, is called the Lake of Fire, is a place where unbelievers will spend eternity separated from God. (Rev. 20:15; Mt. 10:28)
46. **How does the Holy Spirit deal with the unsaved person?** The Holy Spirit convicts him of sin and makes it possible for him to trust Jesus Christ as Savior. (Jn. 16:8-9; 15:26; 3:3-6; 6:44,65)

47. **How does the Holy Spirit help the Christian?** The Holy Spirit baptizes, indwells, enlightens, seals, empowers, purifies, teaches, guides, and fills the Christian (I Cor. 12:13; 6:19; 2:14; Eph. 4:30; 5:18; Acts 1:8; Jn. 16:13; 14:26)
48. **What is “sanctification”?** Sanctification is the work of the Holy Spirit within the believer that enables him to sin less and less and to obey God more and more. (Phil. 2:12-13; Eph. 4:22-32)
49. **What is a spiritual gift?** A spiritual gift is a supernatural ability given to each believer by the Holy Spirit that is to be used in ministering to the body of Christ. The particular gifts given to believers are determined by the Holy Spirit. Every gift is important and should be highly regarded by members of the church. Believers must be careful to discern and use their gifts appropriately in ministering to one another. (I Cor. 12-14; Rom. 12:3-8; I Pet. 4:10-14; Eph. 4:11-16)

**The Twelve Disciples**

There were twelve disciples  
Jesus called to help Him;  
Simon Peter, Andrew,  
James, his brother John;  
Philip, Thomas, Matthew,  
James, the son of Alphaeus,  
Thaddeus, Simon, Judas,  
And Bartholomew.

**EXTRA MEMORY VERSES (4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades)**

- 6/28/09 [Ephesians 6:1] Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right.
- 7/5/09 [Psalm 54:2] Hear my prayer, O God; listen to the words of my mouth.
- 7/12/09 [John 8:32] Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.
- 7/19/09 [Philippians 4:13] I can do everything through him who gives me strength.
- 7/26/09 [Romans 14:12] So then, each of us will give an account of himself to God.
- 8/2/09 [Mark 13:31] Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away.
- 8/9/09 [I John 4:19] We love because he first loved us.
- 8/16/09 [Acts 1:8] But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.
- 8/23/09 [Leviticus 22:31] Keep my commands and follow them. I am the LORD.