

# Way of Grace Memory Verses

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These fifty-two memory verses (one for each week) have been chosen and arranged in light of our *Four Essentials* (see our pamphlet, “Following His Call”), and our “*Essentials Unpacked*” (see our pamphlet of the same name). After each verse you will find the week to which it has been assigned for 2011-2012. For those who want to memorize a little more, the text in gray can be included as well. Parents, consider writing or printing out the verse and posting it on your refrigerator or on a family bulletin board. Work on the verse as a family throughout the week and consider what questions you might ask about it.

## One Lord: No One Like You

1. *There is none like you, O Lord; you are great, and your name is great in might. (Jeremiah 10:6) (week of 9-4)*
2. *Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. (Psalm 90:2) (week of 9-11)*
3. *Our God is in heaven; he does whatever pleases him. (Psalm 115:3) (week of 9-18)*
4. *Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. (Is. 40:28) (week of 9-25)*
5. *The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. (Psalm 103:8) (week of 10-2)*
6. *In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. (John 1:1, 14a, 14b) (week of 10-9)*
7. *[The Son] is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. 16 ...all things were created through him and for him. 17 And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. 18 And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. (Colossians 1:15, 16b, 17-18) (week of 10-16)*
8. *Jesus answered, “The most important [commandment] is, ‘Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. 30 And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.’ 31 The second is this: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no other commandment greater than these.” (Mark 12:29-30, 31) (week of 10-23)*
9. *And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, 17 even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you...But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. (John 15:16, 17, 26) (week of 10-30)*

## One Lord: What is Man?

10. *So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. (Genesis 1:27) (week of 11-6)*
11. *We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way... (Isaiah 53:6a) (week of 11-13)*
12. *For we have already charged that all, both Jews and Greeks, are under sin, 10 as it is written: “None is righteous, no, not one; 11 no one understands; no one seeks for God. 12 All have turned aside; together they have become worthless; no one does good, not even one.” (Romans 3:9b-11, 12) (week of 11-20)*

13. *And you were dead in the trespasses and sins 2 in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience— 3 among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. (Ephesians 2:1, 2, 3) (week of 11-27)*

### **One Lord: So Great a Salvation**

14. *“Turn to me and be saved, all you ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is no other.” (Isaiah 45:22) (week of 12-4)*
15. *For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16) (week of 12-11)*
16. *Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” (John 14:6) (week of 12-18)*
17. *...if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (Romans 10:9) (week of 12-25)*
18. *For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— 9 not by works, so that no one can boast. (Ephesians 2:8, 9) (week of 1-1)*
19. *Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, 2 and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain. 3 For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, 4 that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures... (I Cor. 15:1,2,3,4) (week of 1-8)*
20. *Then he called the crowd to him along with his disciples and said: “If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. 35 For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and the gospel’s will save it.” (Mark 8:34, 35) (week of 1-15)*
21. *If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (I John 1:9) (week of 1-22)*
22. *There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. 2 For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. (Romans 8:1, 2) (week of 1-29)*
23. *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. (II Corinthians 5:17) (week of 2-5)*
24. *I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. (Galatians 2:20) (week of 2-12)*

### **One Body: You Shall Be My People**

25. *But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. (I Peter 2:9) (week of 2-19)*
26. *So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, 20 built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone... (Ephesians 2:19, 20) (week of 2-26)*
27. *...so that through the church the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. (Eph. 3:10) (wk of 3-4)*

## **One Body: Love One Another**

28. *"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. 35 By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."* (John 13:34, 35) **(week of 3-11)**
29. *Do nothing from rivalry or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. 4 Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. 5 Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus...* (Philippians 2:3, 4-5) **(week of 3-18)**
30. Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. 32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. (Ephesians 4:31, 32) **(week of 3-25)**
31. *And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, 25 not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.* (Hebrews 10:24, 25) **(week of 4-1)**

## **One Body: Each Part Working Properly**

32. *For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, 5 so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.* (Romans 12:4, 5) **(week of 4-8)**
33. *Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, 16 from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.* (Eph. 4:15, 16) **(week of 4-15)**

## **One Truth: Your Word is Truth**

34. *But [Jesus] answered, "It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.'" (Matthew 4:4) **(week of 4-22)***
35. *All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, 17 that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.* (II Timothy 3:16, 17) **(week of 4-29)**
36. *I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you... Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.* (Ps. 119:11, 105) **(week of 5-6)**

## **One Truth: Walk in Truth**

37. *Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. 6 In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths. 7 Do not be wise in your own eyes; fear the LORD, and turn away from evil.* (Proverbs 3:5-7) **(week of 5-13)**
38. *...for at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light 9 (for the fruit of light is found in all that is good and right and true), 10 and try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord.* (Ephesians 5) **(week of 5-20)**
39. *I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.* (Romans 12:1, 2) **(week of 5-27)**

## **One Truth: In All Things (worldview)**

40. *So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.* (I Corinthians 10:31) **(week of 6-3)**

41. ...for we walk by faith, not by sight. (I Corinthians 5:7) **(week of 6-10)**
42. Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. (Philippians 4:8) **(week of 6-17)**

### **One Mission: I am Not Ashamed**

43. For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. (Romans 1:16) **(week of 6-24)**
44. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. (Matthew 28:19, 20) **(week of 7-1)**
45. ...But in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect... (I Peter 3:15) **(week of 7-8)**
46. ["You are the light of the world]...let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. (Matthew 5:14a, 16) **(week of 7-15)**
47. Give no offense to Jews or to Greeks or to the church of God, 33 just as I try to please everyone in everything I do, not seeking my own advantage, but that of many, that they may be saved. (I Corinthians 10:32, 33) **(week of 7-22)**

### **One Mission: Through Many Tribulations**

48. And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. (Rom 8:28) **(week of 7-29)**
49. More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, 4 and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, 5 and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. (Romans 5:3-5) **(week of 8-5)**
50. The Lord is at hand; 6 do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. 7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:5b-7) **(week of 8-12)**

### **One Mission: Until I Come**

51. Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. 3 And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure. (I John 3:2, 3) **(week of 8-19)**
52. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect. 45 "Who then is the faithful and wise servant, whom his master has set over his household, to give them their food at the proper time? 46 Blessed is that servant whom his master will find so doing when he comes. (Matthew 24:44-46) **(week of 8-26)**