Through the Bible

Lesson 34

Old Testament

Psalms 116-131

Key Verse: Psalm 118:26

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

- 1. What is unique about the way Psalm 116 is laid out?
- 2. What is unique about Psalm 117?
- 3. Psalm 118:8 is considered the verse that is in the exact center of the Bible between Genesis and Revelation. What does this verse say?
- 4. Where have you heard the words of 118:26 before?
- 5. Psalm 119 is the longest chapter in the Bible. Could you imagine it sung as one song? Notice that nearly every single verse has a similar point? What is it? (The Psalmist writes in an acrostic pattern based upon the 22 letters in the Hebrew alphabet. There are eight verses starting with each letter of the Hebrew alphabet).
- 6. Do you have a favorite verse from Psalm 119?
- 7. After the length of Psalm 119, how long are the Psalms that follow shortly thereafter? They also have an interesting title. What do you think Psalms of ascents means?
- 8. What interesting things do you learn from Psalm 121?
- 9. What does 125:1-2 say about eternity?
- 10. According the 127:1-2, everything is in vain unless what?
- 11. What do you think it means to wait for the Lord in 130:5-6?



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New Testament

1 Corinthians 2 - 7:20

Key Verse: 1 Corinthians 3:2

I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not ready for it. And even now you are not yet ready,

- 1. According to 2:9-10, how is faith conceived in our hearts?
- 2. What is the meaning of 2:16?
- 3. What is Paul saying in 3:2?
- 4. What is the main point of 3:6-7? Why do you think Paul may be emphasizing this to the Church in Corinth?
- 5. How can we interpret 3:13-15?
- 6. What does it mean the we are God's temple?
- 7. Is chapter 4 mainly a chapter of Law of Gospel? What is the overall purpose of chapter 4?
- 8. What are some of the problems of the Church in Corinth that are revealed in chapter 5?
- 9. What does chapter 6 say about the Christian way to settle disputes?
- 10. Read carefully 6:9-11. How does this apply directly to each of our lives?
- 11. What does chapter 6 say about sexual immorality?
- 12. What does Paul say about marriage in chapter 7?
- 13. What does chapter 7 say about divorce? (Keep in mind the over-riding emphasis of Christ's forgiveness as you read this chapter. Though divorce is not God's will, it is not an unforgivable sin.)
- 14. What are some of the concerns that Paul has on marriage? Notice how Paul prefaces this section in 7:12.

