Scripture Helps for the Flesh

Two natures in conflict — Galatians 5:16–17
Works of the flesh — Galatians 5:19–21; Colossians 3:5–9; Ephesians 4:26–31
Have no confidence in it — Philippians 3:3
Make no provision for it — Romans 13:14
Do not yield to it — Romans 6:13
Use God's Word against it — Hebrews 4:12; Colossians 3:5; 2 Corinthians 10:3, 5; Romans 8:5

Scripture Helps for a Victorious Life

The victorious life is normal — 1 Corinthians 15:57; 2 Corinthians 2:14
Make a full surrender — Romans 12:1–2
Be faithful in devotion — Psalm 1:2
Die to sin — Romans 6:11
Resist the devil — James 4:7
Shun evil — 1 Thessalonians 5:22
Trust Christ as your victory — Colossians 2:15
Believe the promise — 1 John 5:4
Live joyfully with a bright testimony — Philippians 4:4

Scripture Helps about Judgments and Salvation

Judgment for my sin is past — 1 Peter 2:24; Galatians 2:20; John 5:24
Judgment for my sins takes place daily — 1 John 1:9; 1 Corinthians 11:31–32
Judgment for my works is future — 2 Corinthians 5:10; 1 Corinthians 3:9–15; Romans 8:1

Scripture Helps for Church, Ordinances, and My Pastor

Be baptized in obedience — Matthew 28:19–20; Mark 16:16; Romans 6:4
Unite with a faithful church — Acts 2:47
Support and encourage my pastor — Hebrews 13:7, 17
Attend faithfully — Hebrews 10:25
Keep Sunday holy — Acts 20:7; John 20:19
Be faithful in Communion — Luke 22:19; 1 Corinthians 11:23–26
Be a tither — Malachi 3:10; Matthew 6:21
Support missions — Acts 1:8
Work for Christ — Luke 14:23

Scripture Helps: A Further Word

Keep your eyes on Jesus — Matthew 17:8
Confess Christ openly — Romans 10:9–10; Matthew 10:32; Romans 1:16
Be a soul-winner — John 1:41–42, 43–45
Choose companions wisely — Psalm 1:1; Amos 3:3
Remember I am a pilgrim — 1 Peter 2:11; Hebrews 11:13–16
Recognize authority — 1 Peter 2:13; Romans 13:1–2
Trust the triune God — 1 John 5:7; Matthew 28:19; 2 Corinthians 13:14
Read only good literature — 1 Peter 1:13; 1 Timothy 4:13
Do not let man's theories shake your faith — Matthew 24:35; Psalm 119:89
Carry Scripture with you — Psalm 1:2
Carry gospel tracts — Psalm 126:6
Use a reference Bible for clarity — 2 Timothy 2:15; 1 Corinthians 13:1–2; 2 Thessalonians 2:7; 1 Thessalonians 4:15
Guard your conscience — Acts 24:16; 1 Timothy 1:5, 19
Beware the love of money — 1 Timothy 6:10
Live clean and honest — Colossians 3:9; Ephesians 4:32; Romans 12:11
Practice God's presence daily — Psalm 139:7; Hebrews 13:5
Use Saturday nights wisely — Romans 13:13
Keep the Lord's Day holy — Psalm 118:24; Acts 20:7
Give cheerfully — 2 Corinthians 9:6; 1 Corinthians 16:2
Watch your home life — Ephesians 6:1–4
Maintain a clean testimony — Romans 12:17; Colossians 3:9; 2 Thessalonians 3:12

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Spiritually dead — Ephesians 2:1
Condemned — John 3:18
A servant of sin — Romans 6:17
Under the wrath of God — John 3:36
A sinner — Romans 3:23
Headed for the Lake of Fire — Revelation 20:15

Scripture Helps for What God Promises

The gift of eternal life — Romans 6:23
Salvation — Acts 16:31
To receive me — John 6:37
Love — Romans 5:5; Ephesians 3:19
Joy — John 15:11; 1 Peter 1:8
Peace — John 14:27; Philippians 4:7

Scripture Helps for What I Did

Called on the Lord — Romans 10:13; Psalm 55:17
Repented — Acts 2:37–38; Acts 17:30; 1 Thessalonians 1:9
Believed with my heart — Romans 10:9–10
Believed to the saving of my soul — Hebrews 10:39
Received Him — John 1:12

Scripture Helps for What God Did

Justified me — Romans 4:5
Sanctified me — 1 Corinthians 6:11
Washed me — Revelation 1:5
Wrote my name in the Book of Life — Luke 10:20
Adopted me as a son — Romans 8:15; Galatians 4:4–5
Accepted me in the Beloved — Ephesians 1:6
Raised me up in Christ — Ephesians 2:6
Made me a new creation — 2 Corinthians 5:17

Scripture Helps for Assurance of Salvation

Witness of the Word — John 5:24; John 1:12; John 3:16–17, 36; Acts 16:31
Witness of the Spirit — Romans 8:16; 1 John 5:6, 10; Hebrews 10:15
The life I live — 1 John 2:3
The witness of love — 1 John 4:7
Not because of effort or feelings — 1 John 5:13

Scripture Helps for God's Blessings

All spiritual blessings — Ephesians 1:3
Sealed with the Holy Spirit — Ephesians 1:13–14
My body is His temple — 1 Corinthians 6:19–20
Prayer helper — Romans 8:26
Eternal life — John 10:28
Partaker of the divine nature — 2 Peter 1:4
His child — Romans 8:16
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Scripture Helps for Growing in God's Family

Jesus is the only way to be saved — John 3:3, 7
I'm a spiritual newborn — 1 Peter 2:2
I must grow — 2 Peter 3:18
Stunted growth displeases God — 1 Corinthians 3:1
God desires maturity — Ephesians 4:12

Scripture Helps for Daily Devotions

The battleground — daily
Begin and end each day — read, meditate, and pray
Guard the time — Habakkuk 2:1
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Pray every day — talk to God
Three daily conversations
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Me to God — through prayer
Me to others — through witnessing of Christ

Scripture Helps for When I Fall

To fall is to sin — 1 John 1:8; Philippians 3:12
To get up is to confess — 1 John 1:9; 1 John 2:1
God forgives sincere confession — Matthew 18:22
I am one of His sheep — John 10:27
I am not a pig or a dog — 2 Peter 2:22

Scripture Helps for When I Will Not Get Up

God will chasten me — Hebrews 12:6, 5–15
God deals with me as a Father — Deuteronomy 8:5
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Scripture Helps for Trials of Faith

God's children suffer many trials — 1 Peter 4:12; 2 Corinthians 8:2
Trials often test faith — Genesis 22:1
They are for our good — 1 Peter 1:7; Romans 8:28
They prepare us for service — Luke 4:1–2, 1–15
God makes a way to stand — 1 Corinthians 10:13; 2 Peter 2:9
God rewards faithfulness — Genesis 22:16–17, 18

Scripture Helps about Satan

My enemy and accuser — Revelation 12:10
A roaring lion — 1 Peter 5:8
An angel of light — 2 Corinthians 11:14
Watch with humility and trust — 1 Peter 5:6–8
Guard your thought life — Ephesians 4:23, 24–27; Philippians 4:8
Resist him by the Word — James 4:7
Put on the whole armour — Ephesians 6:14, 17, 10–18

Scripture Helps for God's Care

In service — Philippians 1:12 (cf. whole chapter)
In temptation — 1 John 4:4; Romans 8:31
In trouble — Jeremiah 33:3; Isaiah 43:2
In every need — Philippians 4:19; Matthew 6:33; Ephesians 3:20–21

Scripture Helps for Temptation

God never tempts me to sin — James 1:13
Sources of temptation
The world — 1 John 2:15–17
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Yield to God for help — Philippians 2:13; Hebrews 13:20–21

Scripture Helps for Worry

It is sin to worry — Mark 5:36; Mark 9:23
Cast them on Him — 1 Peter 5:7
Talk to the Lord about them — Philippians 4:6–7

Scripture Helps for Knowing God's Will

Trust God and be willing — John 7:17
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