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When we meet up with Paul again, he is with his traveling friends in the middle of the third journey. These friends are “Sopater of Berea, Aristarchus and Secundus of the Thessalonians, and Gaius of Derbe, and Timothy, and Tychicus and Trophimus of Asia. They had gone ahead and were waiting for “*us”* at Troas.” (Acts 20:4-5) The “us” in this part of the letter is Luke.

As Paul is on this journey, he visits churches in different parts of the world. When he leaves them, he writes letters to them reminding them of the things he taught them. Paul also wants the Christians everywhere to be encouraged that what they are doing is the right thing to do. He gives them instructions about how they should be “always giving thanks for all things”, “taking up the full armor of God”, and “continuing in the things you have learned.”

These instructions will apply to us today!!

Memory Verses Winter 2013

Ephesians 5:18b-20 18b“but be filled with the Holy Spirit, 19 speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody with your heart to the Lord; 20 always giving thanks for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God, even the Father; ”

Ephesians 6:13-17 13“Therefore, take up the full armor of God, so that you will be able to resist in the evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. 14 Stand firm therefore, having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, 15 and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16 in addition to all, taking up the shield of faith with which you will be able to extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. 17 And take up the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.”

Philippians 4:8 “Finally brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is of good repute, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, dwell on these things.”

II Timothy 3:16-17 16”All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; 17 so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.”

Lesson 1 Acts 20:3b-21:14

1. What were Paul and his traveling friends doing on the first day of the week? 20:7
2. Paul was preaching that night. Did he preach very long? 20:7 **Yes / No**
3. There was a boy named Eutychus. He got sleepy during Paul’s sermon and something happened to him. 20:9-10 Put an X next to the right answer.

\_\_\_\_Eutychus fell from the 3rd floor window and died, but Paul preformed a miracle and he was alive again.

\_\_\_\_Eutychus fell from the 3rd floor window and they buried him the next day because there was nothing Paul could do.

1. Where was Paul trying to be on the Day of Pentecost? 20:16 Circle one. **Tarsus /Jerusalem**
2. Paul reminded them, “It is more blessed to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than to receive” 20:35
3. Paul was trying to get to Jerusalem, but was being prevented by the Spirit. He landed in the city of Tyre. How many days did he stay there? 21:3-4
4. Paul stayed with someone in the town of Caesarea that we have talked about before in Acts. Who was it? 21:8

Lesson 2 Acts 21:15-22:21

1. Who was glad to see Paul (and Luke) when they got to Jerusalem? 21:17 Circle one. **Paul’s Mom and Dad / the Brethren**
2. Paul met with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the elders and told them about all of the great things God had been doing among the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 21:18-19
3. **T/F** When the Jews who were in Jerusalem from Asia saw Paul in the temple, they were so HAPPY to see him!
4. Who saw the mob beating Paul and stopped the beating? 21:32
5. Even though the Jews wanted to hurt Paul, he wanted to talk to them. He talked to them in what language? 22:2 Circle one **Hebrew / Greek**
6. Paul told them about the day the Lord came to him on the road to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 22:6
7. The Lord said to Paul, “Go! For I will send you far away to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 22:21

Lesson 3 Acts 22:22-23:35

1. **T/F** The Jews were NOT happy about Paul telling them the Lord was sending him to teach the Gentiles the Good News. 22:22
2. Once again a centurion stepped in and the people stopped hurting Paul. What kind if citizen was Paul that made the people stopped? 22:25 Circle one. **American / Roman**
3. Paul was brought before the whole Jewish council with both the Pharisees and the Sadducees. What did the Sadducees believe about Jesus going back to heaven? 23:8 **Hint: They are “Sad You See”**
4. Because the commander was afraid they might hurt Paul again, he took him to the barracks. While Paul was there, who came to encourage him? What did He say? 23:11
5. The Jews said they would not do something until Paul was killed. What was it? 23:14 Circle one. **Taste no food / they will not sleep**
6. Paul was sent to Caesarea. How many soldiers went with him? 23:23
7. Did anyone else go with them? 23:23

Paul was delivered to the governor, Felix, in Caesarea and he was kept in Herod’s Praetorium until the accusers came down.

Lesson 4 Acts 24

1. Who were the accusers that came down from Jerusalem? 24:1
2. In verse 5, the people said “this man is a real \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
3. In verse 6 , the people said “he even tried to desecrate (profane or treat with disrespect) the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
4. **T/F** Paul had been causing a riot in the city of Jerusalem while he was there. 24:12-13
5. Paul told Felix that he was on trial for something else. In verse 21 Paul said it was “For the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the dead…”

Felix knew about “the Way” that Paul was talking about so he thought Paul should have some freedom while he was in custody. Paul’s friends could come to see him.

1. Who came to see him? 24:24
2. How long was he custody? 24:27

Lesson 5 Acts 25

1. Festus then became the governor and was in Jerusalem. The Jews who were accusing Paul wanted to bring him back to Jerusalem for a trial. But on the way to Jerusalem they wanted to **have a party for Paul/ ambush and kill Paul**. 25:3 Circle one.
2. **T/F** The Jews could prove the things they were accusing Paul of. 25:7
3. Who could Paul appeal to because he was a Roman citizen? 25:7
4. What did Festus say these charges were really all about? 25:19
5. King Agrippa and Berenice came to pay their respects to Festus in verse 13 but who was it that he wanted to talk with? 25:22
6. **Yes/No** King Agrippa said Paul did something worthy of death. 25:25

Lesson 6 Acts 26

1. Paul thought he was fortunate to be able to stand before whom? 26:2
2. Why did Paul say he was on trial? 26:6-7
3. Paul told again about his conversion on the road to Damascus. Did Paul do what he was told to do on that road? 26:19-20 **Yes/ No**
4. What were the Jews trying to do while Paul was preaching in the synagogue? 26:21
5. What did King Agrippa tell Paul he almost did because of the things Paul was telling him? 26:28 **let Paul go/ persuade him to become a Christian** Circle one.
6. **Yes/No** Would Paul have been set free if he had not appealed to Caesar? 26:32

Lesson 7 Acts 27

They decided it was time to set sail for Italy and deliver Paul and some other prisoners to Julius. The next day they set sail for Sidon.

1. Can you name some of the other places they sailed around? They are found in 27:2-13
2. Paul knew that something was going to happen in this trip. What was it? 27:10
3. Did the centurion listen to what Paul had to say? 27:11 **Yes/ No**
4. Eventually the ship wrecked! Paul told them to keep what? 27:22 **Courage/ life vest handy**
5. In the end what happened to the ship and to the passengers? 27:44

Lesson 8 Acts 28

1. Where were they when they landed safe? 28:1
2. They were cold and build a fire. What happened to Paul? 28:3
3. What did the people say about Paul when he did not die from the bite? 28:6
4. Did Paul do other miracles while he was on this island? What were they? 28:8-9
5. Paul called these people together after he had been in Rome for only three days. 28:17 **the leading men of the Jews/ his friends** Circle one.
6. **T/F** The Jews in Rome knew about Paul before he came to Rome. 28:21
7. How long did Paul stay in Rome and what was he allowed to do there? 28:30-31

Lesson 9 Philemon

This letter to Philemon was a special letter from Paul to ask a favor of a fellow worker in the faith. Philemon had an assembly of faithful Christians who worshipped in his home. In this letter we can learn how we should treat others who don’t always act like they should.

1. Paul was **in jail/ on a boat** when he wrote this letter to a fellow worker named Philemon. 1:1-2 Circle one.
2. Paul kept Philemon in his prayers. What had Paul gained because of knowing about Philemon’s love and kindness? **Joy/ Heartache/ Comfort** 1:7 Circle all that apply
3. Because of the kindness and love that Paul knew Philemon had, what did Paul ask him to do now? 1:10
4. What had Onesimus done to Philemon in the past? 1:15
5. How was Philemon to treat Onesimus now that he had come back? **Like a brother/ as a slave** 1:16 Circle one.
6. **T/F** Paul was positive that Philemon would do all that he had asked him “to do and more.” 1:21

Lesson 10 Colossians 1-2

1. Who was with Paul when he wrote this letter to the Colossians? 1:2
2. How far had the Good News been spread at this point? 1:6
3. What were the Colossians supposed to do? 1:10
4. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in a worthy manner,”
5. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Him in all respects,”
6. “bearing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in every good work,”
7. “increasing in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God.”
8. What was the mystery in verse 27?
9. Paul was encouraging the Colossians again to “walk in Him, having been firmly rooted and now being built up in Him and established in your faith.” If Paul is writing the same words to them again, do you think it was important? 2:6-7

Lesson 11 Colossians 3-4

Fill in the blanks.

1. “Set your mind on things \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, not on things that are on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” 3:2
2. “Whatever you do in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, do all in the name of the Lord \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, giving \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through Him to God the Father.”3:17
3. “Let your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ always be with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, as though seasoned with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, so that you will know how to respond to each person.” 4:6
4. What man did Paul mention in 4:9 and do you think that means Philemon took him back?
5. Who else did Paul say should read this letter? 4:16
6. Paul usually did not write letters with his own hand. Did he write this one? 4:18

Lesson 12 Ephesians 1-2

Paul writes about all of the blessings or good things because we do what God wants us to do.

1. Can you think of any good things? Write them on the back.
2. What had Paul heard about the Ephesians and what does he do for them? 1:15-16
3. **T/F** God loved us so much that He made us alive with Christ even though we were dead in our sins. 2:4-5
4. **T/F** We have been created by God to do bad things. 2:10
5. God is building us up to be a household for Him. We are built on the foundation of the apostle and prophets, but who is the chief cornerstone? 2:19-22

Lesson 13 Ephesians 3-4

1. In the first thirteen (13) verses, Paul mentions the Gentiles how many times? 3:1-13 (Remember Paul is preaching to the Gentiles.)
2. **T/F** Paul is telling them they are part of a family in Christ. 3:15
3. When we are “rooted and grounded in love,” we can understand the love of **Paul/ Christ**? 3:17-19 Circle one.
4. “There is one\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and one \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

just as also you were called in one\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of your calling;

one\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, one \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, one\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

one \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of all who is over all and through all and in all.” 4:4-6

1. “Let no unwholesome \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ proceed from your mouth,…” 4:29
2. “Be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to one another, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ each other, just as God in Christ has forgiven you.” 4:32

Lesson 14 Ephesians 5-6

Because we love and obey God, there are things that we will do. Paul tells them (and us) how we should live.

1. “Therefore be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God, as beloved children; and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in love, just as Christ also loved you…” 5:1-2
2. Paul tells them that they were once in the dark but they are now children of Light.(5:8-9) Because they are now children of Light, they have fruit of the Light. What is that fruit? 5:9
3. “…be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and spiritual \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, singing and making melody with your\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord; always giving \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for all things in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God,…”5:18b-20
4. Husbands should love their wives like Christ loves the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. 5:25
5. Wives should \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their husband. 5:33
6. **T/F** Children do not obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. 6:1
7. We are to take up the full armor of God. Matching game!

Lesson 15 Philippians 1-2

Paul is in prison when he is writing this letter, but what we find out is that he still had a lot to be happy about! Paul uses this letter as a way to encourage the Philippians.

1. Read Philippians 1:1-13. Write down all of the verses that say something about “**joy**” or “**rejoicing**.” How many times did Paul use these words in those verses?
2. While you were reading these verses, verse 7 makes you think Paul should have been sad. What is that reason?
3. What did Paul say would make his joy complete? 2:2
4. When we do something, who are we looking out for? 2:4 **ourselves/ others** Circle one.
5. “Do all things without \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”2:14

Lesson 16 Philippians 3-4

Paul reminded the Philippians that they should have confidence in Christ Jesus and not in the things of the world!

1. What should we press forward toward? 3:14
2. Where is our citizenship? 3:20

Paul returns to a thought of peaceful living and joy.

Fill in the blanks

1. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Lord always; again I will say \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” 4:4
2. “Finally brethren, whatever is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whatever is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whatever is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whatever is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whatever is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whatever is of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on these things.” 4:8
3. “I can do \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ things through \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me.” 4:13

Lesson 18 I Timothy 1-2

Timothy was a very special person to Paul. Paul thought of him like a son. Timothy worked with Paul to spread the Good News, but Paul wanted to get more instructions to him about what to do when Paul was not around anymore. The next few lessons will be about these instructions and warnings.

1. In verse 5, Paul said there are three goals for these instructions.
2. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from a pure heart,”
3. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ conscience,”
4. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ faith.”
5. Paul instructs that “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, be made on behalf of all men, for kings and all who are in authority,…” 2:1-2
6. What does “God desire?” 2:4
7. There are special instructions given for women in 2:9-15. Can you write down one you thought was the most interesting? Why?

Lesson 19 I Timothy 3-4

The church’s leadership was of special concern to Paul. How were the people of congregation going to know what to do? Paul thought he should give him instructions.

1. In chapter 3 Paul writes about 2 different kinds of leaders in the church. Who were they? 3:1 & 8
2. There were special instructions about how to choose these leaders. Can you name some of these special instructions found in chapter 3?
3. Paul wanted to give these instructions to him in person but could not come to see them yet. Why did he want them to know these things? 3:15
4. There were warnings against teachers who did not teach the truth. Paul reminded him that “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ created by God is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” 4:4
5. Timothy was to be an example in what? 4:12
6. Paul wanted Timothy to “pay close \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to yourself and to your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” 4:16

Lesson 20 I Timothy 5-6

Paul gives instructions for all kinds of people in the last two chapters in his letter to Timothy. It was to the older men and women, the younger men and women, and even to the masters and the slaves. BUT in chapter 6, Paul gives instructions to every one of us!!!

Fill in the blanks.

1. “If we have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with these we shall be content.” 6:8
2. “For the love of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a root of all sorts of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,…” 6:10
3. “Fight the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fight of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_;” 6:12
4. “Instruct them (the rich in verse 17) to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, to be rich in good \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and ready to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,” 6:18
5. “…storing up for themselves the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a good foundation for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, so that they may take hold of that which is life indeed.” 6:19