

Episode 1 Assurance of Salvation

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come. 2 Cor. 5:17

Episode 2 Fellowship of Believers

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another, and all the more as you see the day approaching. Hebrews 10:24, 25

Episode 3 The Holy Spirit

You, however, are controlled not by the sinful nature but by the Spirit, if the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Christ. Romans 8:9

Episode 4 Walking in the Spirit

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. Galatians 5:22-25

Episode 5 Growing in Christ

Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints. Ephesians 6:14-18

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THE "WALKING WITH JESUS" FOLLOW-UP SERIES

USERS' GUIDE

This film was created with the goal to help a new believer to grow in his faith while keeping beginning spiritual movements everywhere in view.

The episodes of the series are:

1. Episode 1: Assurance of Salvation
2. Episode 2: Fellowship of Believers
3. Episode 3: The Holy Spirit
4. Episode 4: Walking in the Spirit
5. Episode 5: Growing in Christ

General Lesson plan.

Duration of the lesson: 1 ½ hours. The lesson outline is:

- Brief introductions (keep these short and concise).
- Watch the episode.
- After watching each episode, ask the suggested questions to help create interaction, understanding, and the application of the basic truths in the film.
- Summarize and conclude.

Instructions: *These episodes will not have their intended impact unless they are done in the power of the Holy Spirit. Pray that God will change your listeners' lives as you prepare and lead each lesson.*

EPISODE 1: ASSURANCE OF SALVATION

After having watched this episode, ask the following questions:

1. What did you like about the film? Who was your favourite actor?
2. How did the chief act before his decision to receive Jesus into his life?
3. How did he accept Jesus? After having accepted Jesus in his life, what was the problem that tormented him?
4. What changes did you observe in his life after his conversion?
5. What did the chief recommend the believing members of his family to do?
6. What was the problem posed by the chief's first wife when she went with the second wife to see the Teacher?

Application: Ask the group, "What have you learn that is true in your life today?" Lead the people of your group to thank God in prayer for the things that they are confident of in their lives because of this lesson.

Verse to memorize: 2 Corinthians 5:17

Close the meeting: Set up the next meeting for viewing the second episode of the series. Motivate the group by telling them that the episode will emphasize the fellowship of believers. Pray to end and be sensitive to the needs expressed by the members of the group.

EPISODE 2: FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

After watching this episode, ask the following questions:

1. What do you think of the film? What do you think this episode is talking about?
2. Why is it important to meet together as the family of God?
3. What are the objectives of fellowship?
4. What is the evidence of true communion?
5. What was the problem between the Chief and Yusuf, the father of Dauda? What did the Chief do in order to restore his relationship with Yusuf?
6. According to the Teacher, how should the chief deal with his problem of polygamy?
7. Now it is your turn. What must you do to be at peace with God and others?

Application: Take time in prayer to examine your heart and see what you must do to be at peace with God and others. Take the initiative to ask forgiveness from those whom you have hurt, and make restitution if possible.

Verse to memorize: Romans 12:18

Close the meeting: Set up the next meeting for viewing the third episode of the series. Motivate the group by telling them that the episode will emphasize the Holy Spirit. Pray to end and be sensitive to the needs expressed by the members of the group.

EPISODE 3: THE HOLY SPIRIT

After watching this episode, ask the following questions:

1. Who is the Holy Spirit? What role does He play in the life of a Christian?
2. What are the different kinds of Christians and what are their characteristics?
3. What was the problem Dauda was having after he accepted Jesus Christ into his life?
4. How can someone be filled with the Holy Spirit?
5. How do you breathe spiritually?

Application: Examine your life and ask God to reveal all unconfessed sin, and confess them. Then ask the Holy Spirit to take the control of your life according to God's command and promise (Ephesians 5:18; I John 1:9; I John 5:14,15).

Verse to memorize: Romans 8:9

Close the meeting: Set up the next meeting for viewing the fourth episode of the series. Motivate the group by telling them that the episode will emphasize how to walk in the power of the Holy Spirit. Pray to end and be sensitive to the needs expressed by the members of the group.

EPISODE 4: WALKING IN THE SPIRIT

After watching this episode, ask the following questions:

1. Why did Dauda carry water and bananas to his friends?
2. Where did the changes in the Chief's life and Dauda's life come from?
3. What is the fruit of the Spirit? How does this fruit show itself in the life of a Christian?
4. How did Dauda and the Chief demonstrate the character and power of Jesus in the relationships with others?
5. How did the changes in Dauda's and the Chief's lives influence others?

Application: Do you want to walk in the power of the Holy Spirit? If you do, confess all the sins in your life and ask the Holy Spirit to take control again of your life.

Note: Do this each time that the Holy Spirit shows you an unconfessed sin in your life.

Verse to memorize: Galatians 5:16

Close the meeting: Set up the next meeting for viewing the fifth episode of the series. Motivate the group by telling them that the episode will emphasize how to grow in Christ. Pray to end and be sensitive to the needs expressed by the members of the group.

EPISODE 5: GROWING IN CHRIST

After watching this episode, ask the following questions:

1. What must we do to grow in our walk with Jesus?
2. What are the things that we should abandon as Christians in order to walk with Jesus? What does it mean to carry Jesus's cross each day?
3. What is the problem that Taye had with his father? How was Taye able to overcome it?
4. How does God prepare us for spiritual battle?
5. What are the things from this story that God suggests we do to strengthen our faith?

Applications: What are the areas of your life in which you are encountering challenges right now? Are you clothed with all the armor of God in order to lead the battle and experience His victory? If not, ask God to equip you with His armor now by prayer.

Verse to memorize: Ephesians 6:13

Close the meeting: Pray to end and be sensitive to the needs expressed by the members of the group.

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