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Q. What's next?

A. READ the Bible to discover who God is and what He has done.



LOVE God with all your heart and soul and mind. LOVE your neighbor as yourself.



Enjoy God Forever!

This New Believer's Guide illustrates the relationship with God and humankind in accordance with the Scriptures. It also includes a section containing questions frequently asked by new believers and their families. It is a reminder of today's invitation to be led in a prayer of salvation. We want to celebrate each step of your spiritual journey with you, as well as answer any questions you may have. Please contact us if we can serve you or your family in anyway.

Q. How do I study the Bible?

A. At church, you can learn the Bible stories with others. At home, you can use a devotional or if you'd like to read a book of the Bible, start with the book of John.

Q. How do I pray?

A. Prayer is just talking to God. You can pray out loud or quietly to yourself. You can pray when you are with others or when you are alone. You can pray to God whenever you want to talk to Him. You can use your own words or you can memorize and say the words that Jesus used in Matthew 6:9-13 when He taught us to pray:

"Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.
For Yours is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."

THE STORY OF GOD AND HIS PEOPLE

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. He made the stars and the plants and the animals, the birds and the sea creatures. Then He created man and woman. He named them Adam and Eve and put them in a beautiful garden where they were always close to God.



for the whole story, read Genesis I-z.





QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

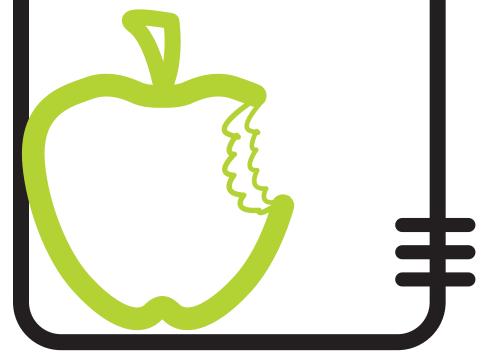
- Q. I asked Jesus into my heart, but I didn't feel changed. How can I know that I am saved?
- **A.** Some people feel like a new person when they ask Jesus into their hearts. Some people don't feel any change at all. The Bible does not say you should feel a certain way, but it clearly says that "those who call upon the Lord will be saved." Romans 10:13
- Q. What if I think or say or do something wrong today? When I sin, do I have to start all over?
- **A.** No. Once you have Jesus in your heart the Bible promises us that nothing can separate us from God's love. Romans 8:39



When Adam and Eve disobeyed God, that was the first sin. Sin is doing wrong in God's eyes. It is doing things our way instead of God's way.

A holy and perfect God can not ever be near sin. So God sadly sent them out of the Garden. Ever since that day, our sins have separated us from God. The Bible says we all have sinned. It's as if God is on His Holy Mountain and we are on a faraway cliff. No matter how hard we try, there is no way to get to God by ourselves.

And so, God made a way...



praying the A.B.C. prayer: The first step of your new life with God is

rord Jesus,

I Admit that I'm a sinner.

who died to take my sins away. I Believe You are the Lord

and I'll follow You forever. Please Come into my heart

In Jesus name, I pray. AMEN!

When you prayed this, Jesus sent His Holy

life and it's yours forever! life forever close with God. It's called eternal Spirit to live in your heart. He gave you a new



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