

Day 1: God Made You with a Purpose

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1:1-2:25

#### Reflection:

Have you ever looked at a beautiful painting or a cool invention and wondered about the artist or inventor? Just like them, God made you with a special purpose. Everything He created is amazing, and that includes you! Your talents, dreams, and unique personality are part of His grand design.

Cross Reference: Psalm 139:13-14 - "For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made."

Understand that you are wonderfully made by God. Each day, think about how you can use your talents for something good.



### Prayer:

Dear God, thank You for making me special and unique. Help me to remember that I have a purpose and show me how to use my gifts for You. Amen.

Day 2: Listening to the Right Voice

Scripture Reading: Genesis 3:1-7

#### Reflection:

In Genesis 3, we read about how Eve listened to the serpent and doubted what God said. As preteens, you hear many voices telling you what to do, from friends, media, and even your own thoughts. It's important to listen to God's voice, which you can find in the Bible and through prayer.



Cross Reference: Proverbs 3:5-6 - "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight."

When faced with tough decisions, remember to trust in God's guidance. He will always lead you the right way.

### Prayer:

Lord, help me to listen to Your voice above all others. Guide my thoughts and decisions so that I can follow Your path. Amen.



Day 3: Standing Strong Against Temptation

Scripture Reading: 1 Timothy 2:14, John 3:14, Matthew

4:1-4

#### Reflection:

Jesus was tempted in the desert but stood strong by using God's Word. You might face temptations like the urge to lie, cheat, or following others. Know that you can stand strong just like Jesus did by remembering what the Bible says.

Cross Reference: Ephesians 6:11 - "Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes."

Think of God's Word as armor that protects you. When you face temptations, use the Bible's teachings to make the right choices.



### Prayer:

God, give me the strength to resist temptations and to stay true to what I know is right. Help me to remember Your words and use them to make good decisions. Amen.

Day 4: Understanding Consequences and Accepting Forgiveness

Scripture Reading: Genesis 3:14-19, Romans 5:12-19

### Reflection:

Actions always have consequences. Adam and Eve's choice led to sadness and hardship, but God's love for us never changed. Even when we make mistakes, God offers us forgiveness through Jesus. Understanding consequences helps us make better choices next time.



Cross Reference: 1 John 1:9 - "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."

Remember, everyone makes mistakes, but God is always ready to forgive when we ask. Learn from your mistakes and trust in His love.

### Prayer:

Dear Jesus, thank You for offering forgiveness. Help me to learn from my mistakes and to accept Your love and grace every day. Amen.



Day 5: Being Covered by God's Love

Scripture Reading: Genesis 3:20-24, Revelation 3:5,

Isaiah 61:10

#### Reflection:

When Adam and Eve realized they had sinned, they tried to cover themselves with leaves, but God gave them proper clothing. This shows us that only God can truly cover and protect us. You don't need to hide your mistakes; God's love is like a warm, secure covering.

Cross Reference: 2 Corinthians 5:17 - "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"

Know that with God, you are a new creation. Wear God's love and protection like a new outfit every day, proudly showing His work in your life.



#### Prayer:

Lord, thank You for covering me with Your love and making me new. Help me to walk confidently, knowing I am protected and loved by You. Amen.

#### Conclusion:

As preteens, you are discovering who you are and how you fit into God's plan. Our journey through the Bible teaches us that we are all created with a purpose, we need to listen to God's voice, stand strong against temptations, understand the importance of forgiveness, and be covered by God's love. Walk confidently knowing God is with you every step of the way.