

Introduction

I am using ChatGPT a version of artificial intelligence to create this book. That being said I wish you to bring your absolutely harshest criticism for the construction of a firm book to help unite Christians in faith in Jesus Christ. To be united in Christ is to be united in God, because Christ is God. I will take you through all the principles of the Bible that I know, if there be a principle I have forgotten to add please contact me via email at luke@lukebarger.com. Or direct message me on Facebook at my Facebook account under my name Luke Barger.

I will also be adding extra blank space in the pages so you could write your personal notes in as you follow along, if you desire me to read your notes you may send the book with your notes in it to me and I will try to give it a read.

I am excited to continue in the walk with fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. May we explore the knowledge of Christ and what He means to our lives together. May we seek him full heartedly and not lacking in faith. He gives life, he provides, let us exalt him more and more as we live. Knowing what it is to love, take responsibility, bless, and pursue the righteousness of God.

I know God is in control of each breath I take. And I mean it literally. He allows me to breath. It's quite literally His breath in my lungs. And I am at the mercy of Him, because he can take His breath at anytime. So let's live full lives to please God. Or lay ourselves down for Him.

And **I think** if we are incapable of standing up for what GOD says is right, then we are incapable of having a society of goodness and love. Because if no murderer is punished in society then we

would encourage the work of murders. If no thief is punished we encourage the work of thefts. Conclusion being if we punish no evil we will encourage much evil. For the evil that stays in the darkness continues to be more and more. But once exposed by the light evil has no power. But what if there is no light to expose the evil of the world, or worse what if people mistake darkness for light. (May you be allowed to think about that with the Principles of God in mind)

We have heard from Buddha teaching the famous saying, hear no evil, see no evil, speak no evil. But what does Jesus say? Because Buddha seems to be saying in my eyes, ignore evil. Isn't that the most evil thing we could do? Jesus did not ignore our sin, and he did not ignore evil doing. He confronted it. Drove out demons, healed the sick, drove away merchants making money in God's Temple. In fact he confronted all evil when he died on the cross and rose on the third day. Because the power of hell was now bankrupt. He says bless those who curse you. Love those who hate you. No place no how does he say ignore evil, yet we all ignore evil to a degree.

That's why God showed us His Word, so that we may be able to fight the principles of good and evil with the sword. The sword is The Word of God. So let all these principles soak into you and arm you, I pray this armor of protection is on you and this sword is in your hand. Learn the Word of God for what it has stood for through all time. To allow God to define GOOD & EVIL and not ourselves. Because isn't us choosing what's RIGHT & WRONG the core of all sin according to the Bible. Allow yourself to read these principles and compare it to the Bible.

#1 God's Sovereignty

The first principle I listed is the principle of God's sovereignty. This principle refers to the fact that God is the supreme ruler and authority over all things, and that He has ultimate power and control over the universe and all that is in it.

This principle is foundational to the Bible's understanding of God and His relationship to the world. Throughout the Bible, we see God's sovereignty on display in many different ways. For example, God is portrayed as the creator of the world, the one who sustains it and holds it together, and the one who determines the course of history.

One of the key passages that highlights God's sovereignty is Psalm 103:19, which says, "The Lord has established his throne in heaven, and his kingdom rules over all." This verse affirms that God is the ultimate authority in the universe, and that His rule extends over everything that exists.

The principle of God's sovereignty also has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If God is sovereign, then it means that we are not in control of our own lives, but that we are subject to God's will and purpose. This can be a humbling realization, but it also provides a sense of security and comfort, knowing that we are not alone in the universe and that God is working all things together for our good.

At the same time, the principle of God's sovereignty does not mean that we are merely passive subjects in God's plan. Rather, it means that we are called to participate in God's work in the world, trusting in His guidance and direction as we seek to serve Him and make a positive impact in the world. So while God is

ultimately in control, we are still called to play an active role in fulfilling His purposes for our lives and for the world.

Psalm 115:3 - "Our God is in heaven; he does whatever pleases him."

Isaiah 46:10 - "I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come. I say, 'My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please.'"

Romans 8:28 - "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose."

Colossians 1:16-17 - "For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together."

Proverbs 16:9 - "In their hearts humans plan their course, but the Lord establishes their steps."

#2 God's Love

The second principle I listed is the principle of God's love. This principle refers to the fact that God is not only the sovereign ruler and authority over all things, but also that He is a loving and compassionate God who cares deeply for His creation.

Throughout the Bible, we see evidence of God's love for humanity in many different ways. For example, God's love is demonstrated in the act of creation, in which He made humanity in His own image and declared it to be "very good" (Genesis 1:31). God's love is also seen in His care for His people throughout history, as He delivered them from slavery in Egypt, provided for their needs in the wilderness, and gave them the law to guide and protect them.

Perhaps the most profound expression of God's love, however, is found in the person of Jesus Christ. As John 3:16 famously declares, "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." Jesus came to earth as a demonstration of God's love for humanity, living a sinless life and ultimately sacrificing Himself on the cross as a payment for our sins.

The principle of God's love has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If God is a loving and compassionate God, then it means that we are not simply subjects in His plan, but rather that we are beloved children who are valued and cherished by God. This can be a comforting realization, especially in times of struggle and difficulty.

At the same time, the principle of God's love also calls us to a deeper sense of responsibility and gratitude. If we are loved by

God, then it means that we are called to love Him in return, and to love others as ourselves. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of loving God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and loving our neighbors as ourselves. By embracing the principle of God's love, we are called to live a life that is characterized by selfless love and compassion towards others.

#3 Sin & Redemption

The third principle I listed is the principle of sin. This principle refers to the idea that humanity is fundamentally flawed and broken, and that we are in need of redemption and restoration. Throughout the Bible, sin is portrayed as a pervasive problem that affects every aspect of human life. The first human beings, Adam and Eve, rebelled against God and introduced sin into the world, leading to a state of separation and brokenness that has persisted ever since. This brokenness is seen in the many ways that human beings have mistreated one another, abused the environment, and rebelled against God's will.

The principle of sin has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If sin is a fundamental problem, then it means that we cannot save ourselves or earn our way back into God's good graces. Instead, we are in need of a savior who can rescue us from the power of sin and restore us to a right relationship with God.

This is where the principle of redemption comes into play, which is the idea that God seeks to restore and reconcile humanity to Himself through Jesus Christ. As Romans 5:8 declares, "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." By sacrificing Himself on the cross, Jesus made a way for us to be forgiven and reconciled to God, and to receive the gift of eternal life.

The principle of sin also calls us to a deeper sense of humility and self-awareness. If we are all affected by sin, then it means that we must be willing to acknowledge our own faults and failures, and to seek forgiveness and healing from God. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of repentance and faith in the

face of sin, as well as the need for ongoing growth and transformation in our lives. By embracing the principle of sin, we are called to live a life that is characterized by humility, repentance, and dependence on God's grace.

#4 Salvation

The fourth principle I listed is the principle of salvation. This principle refers to the idea that through faith in Jesus Christ, we can be saved from the power of sin and death and receive the gift of eternal life.

The principle of salvation is a central theme throughout the Bible, and it is rooted in the idea that God seeks to restore and reconcile humanity to Himself. As John 3:17 says, "For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him." Through the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross, we can be forgiven of our sins and reconciled to God, and we can receive the gift of eternal life that comes through faith in Him.

The principle of salvation has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If salvation is possible through faith in Jesus Christ, then it means that we have hope for the future, and that we can live a life that is characterized by peace and joy, knowing that our ultimate destiny is secure. This can be a source of great comfort and assurance, especially in the face of the uncertainties and difficulties of life.

At the same time, the principle of salvation also calls us to a deeper sense of responsibility and commitment. If we have been saved by grace through faith, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by obedience and service to God. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of faith in action and the need for ongoing growth and transformation in our lives. By embracing the principle of salvation, we are called to live a life

that is characterized by gratitude, devotion, and a commitment to serving God and others.

#5 Faith

The fifth principle I listed is the principle of faith. This principle refers to the idea that faith is the means by which we receive salvation and enter into a right relationship with God.

Throughout the Bible, faith is portrayed as a central and essential element of our relationship with God. As Hebrews 11:1 explains, "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see." Faith involves trusting in God's promises and believing that He is who He says He is, even when we cannot see the evidence of His work in our lives.

The principle of faith has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If faith is the means by which we are saved and enter into a right relationship with God, then it means that we must be willing to place our trust in Him, even when we do not fully understand His ways or His plan for our lives. This can be a challenging and humbling realization, but it is also a source of great hope and assurance, knowing that God is faithful and will never abandon us.

At the same time, the principle of faith also calls us to a deeper sense of commitment and obedience. If we have faith in God, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by obedience and devotion to His will. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of faith in action and the need for ongoing growth and transformation in our lives. By embracing the principle of faith, we are called to live a life that is characterized by trust, obedience, and a commitment to serving God and others.

#6 Grace

The sixth principle I listed is the principle of grace. This principle refers to the idea that salvation is a free gift from God, and that it cannot be earned or deserved through our own efforts.

Throughout the Bible, grace is portrayed as a central and essential element of our relationship with God. As Ephesians 2:8-9 explains, "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast." Grace involves receiving the gift of salvation that God freely offers to us, not because we have earned it or deserve it, but simply because of His love and mercy towards us.

The principle of grace has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If salvation is a free gift of grace from God, then it means that we cannot earn it or deserve it through our own efforts. This can be a humbling realization, but it is also a source of great comfort and assurance, knowing that we are loved and accepted by God simply because of who He is and what He has done for us.

At the same time, the principle of grace also calls us to a deeper sense of gratitude and devotion. If we have received the gift of grace from God, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by gratitude and devotion to Him. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of faith in action and the need for ongoing growth and transformation in our lives. By embracing the principle of grace, we are called to live a life that is characterized by humility, gratitude, and a commitment to serving God and others.

#7 Holy Spirit

The seventh principle I listed is the principle of the Holy Spirit. This principle refers to the idea that the Holy Spirit is a divine and personal presence of God who dwells within the hearts of believers, guiding and empowering them to live a life that is pleasing to God.

Throughout the Bible, the Holy Spirit is portrayed as a central and essential element of our relationship with God. Jesus promised His disciples that He would send the Holy Spirit to them after His departure, and on the day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit descended upon the early believers and empowered them to boldly proclaim the gospel message.

The Holy Spirit has many different roles and functions in the life of a believer. For example, the Holy Spirit is the one who convicts us of sin and leads us to repentance, the one who comforts and strengthens us in times of trial, and the one who guides and directs us in our daily lives. The Holy Spirit is also the one who gifts believers with various spiritual gifts, such as prophecy, teaching, and healing, which are used to build up the church and serve others.

The principle of the Holy Spirit has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If the Holy Spirit is a divine and personal presence of God who dwells within us, then it means that we are never alone, but always have access to the wisdom, guidance, and comfort of God. This can be a source of great comfort and assurance, especially in times of difficulty and struggle.

At the same time, the principle of the Holy Spirit also calls us to a deeper sense of dependence and obedience. If we have the Holy

Spirit within us, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by dependence on His guidance and empowerment, and by obedience to His leading. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of following the leading of the Holy Spirit and using our **spiritual gifts** to serve others. By embracing the principle of the Holy Spirit, we are called to live a life that is characterized by dependence, obedience, and service to God and others.

#8 Church

The eighth principle I listed is the principle of the church. This principle refers to the idea that the church is the community of believers who are called to follow Jesus Christ and to live out their faith in community with one another.

Throughout the Bible, the church is portrayed as a central and essential element of our relationship with God. Jesus Himself declared that He would build His church, and the early believers gathered together regularly to worship, pray, and serve one another. The church is also described as the body of Christ, with each member having a unique role and function that is necessary for the health and growth of the whole body.

The principle of the church has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If the church is the community of believers who are called to follow Jesus Christ, then it means that we are not meant to live out our faith in isolation, but rather in community with one another. This can be a source of great encouragement, accountability, and support, as we share our lives with one another and work together to serve God and others.

At the same time, the principle of the church also calls us to a deeper sense of responsibility and commitment. If we are members of the church, then it means that we are called to use our spiritual gifts to serve one another and to build up the body of Christ. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of loving one another, using our gifts to serve one another, and working together to spread the gospel message. By embracing the principle of the church, we are called to live a life that is

characterized by community, service, and a commitment to working together to fulfill God's purposes in the world.

#9 Love

The ninth principle I listed is the principle of love. This principle refers to the idea that love is the greatest commandment of God, and that it is the foundation of our relationship with God and with one another.

Throughout the Bible, love is portrayed as a central and essential element of our relationship with God. Jesus declared that the greatest commandment was to love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and to love our neighbor as ourselves. The Apostle Paul also emphasized the importance of love in his writings, declaring that it is the greatest of all virtues and that without it, our faith is meaningless.

The principle of love has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If love is the greatest commandment of God, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by love for God and love for one another. This involves putting the needs and interests of others before our own, and seeking to serve and bless others in all that we do.

At the same time, the principle of love also calls us to a deeper sense of humility and sacrifice. If we are called to love others as ourselves, then it means that we must be willing to put aside our own desires and preferences, and to seek the good of others above our own. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of humility, compassion, and service to others. By embracing the principle of love, we are called to live a life that is characterized by selflessness, sacrifice, and a commitment to serving God and others.

#10 Hope

The tenth principle I listed is the principle of hope. This principle refers to the idea that as Christians, we have hope for the future, based on our belief in the promises of God.

Throughout the Bible, hope is portrayed as a central and essential element of our faith. The Apostle Paul, for example, described hope as an anchor for the soul, and as a source of strength and encouragement in the midst of trials and difficulties. The hope that we have as Christians is grounded in our belief that God is faithful to His promises, and that He will one day make all things new.

The principle of hope has important implications for our understanding of ourselves and our relationship to God. If we have hope for the future, based on our belief in the promises of God, then it means that we can face the challenges and uncertainties of life with courage and confidence. This can be a source of great comfort and assurance, especially in times of trial and suffering.

At the same time, the principle of hope also calls us to a deeper sense of responsibility and commitment. If we have hope for the future, based on our belief in the promises of God, then it means that we are called to live a life that is characterized by faithfulness, perseverance, and a commitment to serving God and others. This is seen in the teachings of Jesus and the New Testament writers, who emphasized the importance of faith in action, and the need for ongoing growth and transformation in our lives. By embracing the principle of hope, we are called to live a life that is characterized by faith, courage, and a commitment to serving God and others, knowing that our ultimate destiny is secure in Him.

#11 Lust

Lust is a biblical principle that refers to an intense and selfish desire for something, particularly for sexual gratification outside of God's design for sex. Lust is often described in the Bible as a sinful desire of the flesh that can lead to moral and spiritual corruption.

The concept of lust is discussed in various passages throughout the Bible. For example, Jesus teaches in Matthew 5:28 that "anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart." The Apostle Paul also warns against lust in Galatians 5:16, stating that those who "live by the Spirit" will not gratify the desires of the flesh, which include lust.

The Bible teaches that lust is a temptation that we all face, but that it is possible to resist and overcome it through the power of the Holy Spirit. This involves recognizing our own weakness and dependence on God, and choosing to follow His ways rather than giving in to our own desires. By choosing to pursue purity and holiness in our thoughts and actions, we can honor God and experience the joy and peace that come from living in accordance with His will.

#12 Words (creation)

According to the Bible, in the book of Genesis, God spoke the world into creation. The creation account begins in Genesis 1:1-2, which says, "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters."

Then, in verses 3-5, it says, "And God said, 'Let there be light,' and there was light. God saw that the light was good, and he separated the light from the darkness. God called the light 'day,' and the darkness he called 'night.' And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day."

This pattern continues throughout the creation account, with God speaking things into existence: "And God said, 'Let there be a vault between the waters to separate water from water.' So God made the vault and separated the water under the vault from the water above it. And it was so." (Genesis 1:6-7)

Finally, on the sixth day of creation, God spoke humanity into existence: "Then God said, 'Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all the creatures that move along the ground.'" (Genesis 1:26)

Thus, according to the Bible, God created the world through the power of his words, speaking everything into existence out of nothing.

#13 Words (Life & Death)

The phrase "the power of life and death" in relation to words comes from Proverbs 18:21, which says, "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit." This verse emphasizes the immense influence that our words can have on ourselves and others. Our words have the power to build up or tear down, to encourage or discourage, to inspire or deflate. We can use our words to speak life and hope into someone's situation, or we can use them to speak negativity and despair.

In the context of creation, God's words had the power to bring something into existence from nothing. He spoke the world into being through his powerful word, creating light, land, water, vegetation, animals, and humanity. In the New Testament, the apostle John writes, "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made." (John 1:1-3)

So, just as God's words had the power to create something from nothing, our words also have the to create something seemingly of nothing as well. When we speak positive, life-giving words, we can bring hope, joy, and peace to ourselves and others. On the other hand, when we speak negative, destructive words, we can bring fear, doubt, and despair. Therefore, it is important to be mindful of the words we speak and to use them to build up, encourage, and inspire.

I encourage every reader to allow this in your life. I speak over my unborn baby every single day that he is strong, healthy, handsome, smart. **Joel Osteen** is also a huge advocate of

declaring things before God for your own hope of the future. **Paul** says meditate on that which is good.

#14 Declaration

The principle of declaring things, also known as "the power of confession," is a biblical concept that emphasizes the importance of speaking and declaring God's promises over our lives. It is based on the idea that our words have the power to shape our thoughts, attitudes, and actions, and that by declaring God's promises over our lives, we can align ourselves with His will and receive the blessings He has in store for us.

In the Bible, there are many examples of people who declared God's promises and saw them come to pass. For instance, in the book of Joshua, God told Joshua to take possession of the land of Canaan, and Joshua responded by declaring, "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." (Joshua 24:15) This declaration of faith helped Joshua to lead the Israelites to victory and to take possession of the land.

Similarly, in the New Testament, Jesus taught his disciples to have faith and to speak to their mountains, saying, "Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go, throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in their heart but believes that what they say will happen, it will be done for them." (Mark 11:23) (So I just was reading this and made an observation, lots of people that accomplish impossible goals always speak the possibility in reality and completely believe in it unwavering, and that's a difficult task)

The principle of declaring things is not about using words to manipulate God or to make things happen on our own, but rather about aligning ourselves with His will and trusting in His promises. By declaring God's promises over our lives, we are expressing our faith in His goodness and His power, and opening ourselves up to receive His blessings. It is a way of affirming our

identity in Christ, and of claiming the victory that He has already won for us on the cross.

#15 Adultery

Adultery is a serious violation of the biblical principle of sexual purity, which emphasizes the importance of reserving sexual activity for the context of marriage. Adultery is defined as sexual relations between a married person and someone who is not their spouse.

The Bible is clear in its condemnation of adultery, and considers it to be a sin against God and against one's spouse. For instance, the seventh commandment in Exodus 20:14 says, "You shall not commit adultery." In Proverbs 6:32-33, it says, "But a man who commits adultery has no sense; whoever does so destroys himself. Blows and disgrace are his lot, and his shame will never be wiped away."

Jesus also spoke out against adultery, saying in Matthew 5:27-28, "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart."

The principle of sexual purity and the prohibition against adultery are based on the idea that sexual activity is a sacred gift from God, intended to be shared between a husband and wife in the context of marriage. Adultery violates this sacred bond, and can have devastating consequences for the individuals involved and their families. It can lead to emotional pain, physical disease, and the breakdown of trust and intimacy in relationships. Therefore, the Bible emphasizes the importance of avoiding adultery and of cultivating sexual purity in our thoughts and actions.

#16 Sexual Purity

According to the Bible, sexual purity involves abstaining from any form of sexual immorality or impurity, and maintaining a pure and honorable sexuality within the context of marriage.

In 1 Thessalonians 4:3-5, Paul says, "It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; that each of you should learn to control your own body in a way that is holy and honorable, not in passionate lust like the pagans, who do not know God." This verse emphasizes the importance of sexual purity and avoiding any form of sexual immorality or impurity.

Sexual purity also involves respecting the sanctity of marriage and the exclusive sexual bond between husband and wife. In Hebrews 13:4, it says, "Marriage should be honored by all, and the marriage bed kept pure, for God will judge the adulterer and all the sexually immoral." This verse underscores the sacredness of marriage and the importance of sexual fidelity within the context of marriage.

Additionally, sexual purity involves seeking purity of heart and guarding against lustful thoughts and desires. In Matthew 5:28, Jesus says, "But I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart." This verse highlights the importance of guarding against lustful thoughts and desires, and seeking purity of heart in all aspects of our lives.

In summary, sexual purity involves abstaining from any form of sexual immorality or impurity, respecting the sanctity of marriage and the exclusive sexual bond between husband and wife, and

seeking purity of heart and guarding against lustful thoughts and desires.

#17 Judgement

According to the Bible, the principle of judgment is a central aspect of God's character and His plan for humanity. The Bible teaches that God is a just and righteous judge who will judge all people according to their deeds, whether good or evil.

One of the key passages in the Bible about judgment is found in Romans 2:6-8, which says, "God 'will repay each person according to what they have done.' To those who by persistence in doing good seek glory, honor and immortality, he will give eternal life. But for those who are self-seeking and who reject the truth and follow evil, there will be wrath and anger."

This passage emphasizes the importance of our actions and the choices we make in life. It teaches that God will judge us according to our deeds, whether we have lived a life of righteousness and goodness or whether we have chosen to live in sin and rebellion.

Another important aspect of the principle of judgment in the Bible is the concept of accountability. In 2 Corinthians 5:10, it says, "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each of us may receive what is due us for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad." This verse highlights the fact that we will all be held accountable for our actions and that we will all stand before God's judgment seat.

Ultimately, the principle of judgment in the Bible teaches us that our choices and actions have consequences, and that we will all be held accountable for our deeds. It also reminds us of God's justice and righteousness, and His ultimate authority to judge all people according to His divine will.

I think it's important to recognize that this book doesn't go into much detail about specific things, but works as a good starting point to diving into subjects with a bit more context to the Principles of God.

#18 Righteous Judgement

Righteous judgment, according to the Word of God, refers to a judgment that is based on truth and fairness, and that is aligned with God's standards of justice and righteousness.

In John 7:24, Jesus says, "Stop judging by mere appearances, but instead judge correctly." This verse emphasizes the importance of judging correctly, which means not just looking at the outward appearance of a situation, but seeking to understand the truth and the heart behind it.

In James 2:1-4, it says, "My brothers and sisters, believers in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ must not show favoritism. Suppose a man comes into your meeting wearing a gold ring and fine clothes, and a poor man in filthy old clothes also comes in. If you show special attention to the man wearing fine clothes and say, 'Here's a good seat for you,' but say to the poor man, 'You stand there' or 'Sit on the floor by my feet,' have you not discriminated among yourselves and become judges with evil thoughts?" This passage emphasizes the importance of judging fairly and without favoritism, and not discriminating against others based on their appearance or social status.

Righteous judgment also involves seeking to align our judgments with God's standards of justice and righteousness. In Micah 6:8, it says, "He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God." This verse emphasizes the importance of acting justly and with mercy, and walking humbly with God in all our judgments and actions.

Overall, righteous judgment involves seeking to judge fairly and without favoritism, and aligning our judgments with God's

standards of justice and righteousness. It also involves seeking to understand the truth and heart behind a situation, rather than just looking at outward appearances or superficial factors.

#19 Freedom

The biblical principle of freedom refers to the idea that true freedom is found in a relationship with God and living in accordance with His will. The Bible teaches that humanity was created to live in freedom and to have a relationship with God, but sin and rebellion have led to bondage and separation from Him.

In John 8:36, Jesus says, "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." This verse highlights the fact that true freedom is found in Jesus Christ, who came to set us free from the bondage of sin and death. It emphasizes that true freedom is not found in the pursuit of worldly pleasures or material possessions, but in a relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

The biblical principle of freedom also teaches that true freedom involves living in accordance with God's will and following His commands. In Galatians 5:1, it says, "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery." This verse emphasizes the importance of standing firm in our freedom in Christ, and not being burdened by the slavery of sin.

Freedom in Christ also involves living in love and service to others. In Galatians 5:13, it says, "You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love." This verse highlights the importance of using our freedom in Christ to serve and love others, rather than using it for selfish purposes.

Overall, the biblical principle of freedom teaches us that true freedom is found in a relationship with God through Jesus Christ, and that it involves living in accordance with His will and serving

others in love. It is a freedom that goes beyond the temporary pleasures of this world and leads to true joy, peace, and fulfillment.

#20 Acts Of Service

One of the key passages in the Bible about acts of service is found in Mark 10:45, where Jesus says, "For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." This verse highlights the fact that Jesus Himself came to serve others, and that serving others is an important aspect of following Him.

In John 13:14-15, Jesus also sets an example for His disciples, saying, "Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you." This passage emphasizes the importance of serving others with humility and selflessness, just as Jesus did for His disciples.

Additionally, acts of service are seen as a manifestation of love for others. In Galatians 5:13-14, it says, "For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'" This passage highlights the fact that acts of service are a way of expressing love for others, and that love is the foundation of all true service.

The Bible also emphasizes the importance of using our gifts and abilities to serve others. In 1 Peter 4:10-11, it says, "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever."

Amen." This passage highlights the importance of using our gifts and abilities to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace. Overall, the Bible teaches that acts of service are an important aspect of following Jesus Christ, and that they should be done with humility, selflessness, and love for others. We are called to use our gifts and abilities to serve others, just as Jesus served us and set an example for us to follow.

#21 Man's Heart is Evil

The Bible teaches that every person is born with a sinful nature, which is often referred to as a "fallen" or "depraved" nature. This means that every human heart is innately evil and inclined towards sin and disobedience.

In the book of Genesis, we see this truth played out in the story of Adam and Eve, who were created in God's image and given a perfect world to live in. However, they chose to disobey God and eat from the forbidden tree, introducing sin and evil into the world. From that point on, humans have continued to make choices that lead to sin and disobedience.

In the New Testament, we see this truth affirmed in several places. For example, in Romans 3:23, it says, "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." In Ephesians 2:1-3, it says, "As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient."

However, the Bible also teaches that there is hope and redemption available through faith in Jesus Christ. By believing in Him and accepting His sacrifice on the cross, we can be forgiven of our sins and have new life in Him. In Ezekiel 36:26-27, it says, "I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws."

Overall, while the Bible teaches that every human heart is innately evil and inclined towards sin, it also teaches that there is hope and redemption available through faith in Jesus Christ.

#22 Trust In God

Trust in God is a central theme throughout the Bible. It refers to having faith and confidence in God's character, promises, and provision, and it is often linked to obedience, surrender, and reliance on God's guidance and provision.

One of the key verses about trust in God is found in Proverbs 3:5-6, which says, "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." This verse emphasizes the importance of trusting in the Lord with all our heart and not relying solely on our own understanding or human wisdom. It also highlights the importance of submitting to God's will and guidance in all aspects of our lives.

The Bible also emphasizes the importance of trusting in God's character and promises. In Psalm 9:10, it says, "Those who know your name trust in you, for you, Lord, have never forsaken those who seek you." This verse highlights the fact that those who know God and His character are able to trust in Him, knowing that He will never forsake them. Similarly, in Hebrews 13:5-6, it says, "God has said, 'Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you.' So we say with confidence, 'The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?'" This passage emphasizes the importance of having confidence in God's promises and provision, even in the face of adversity or trials.

Trusting in God also involves surrendering our lives and will to Him, and having faith that He is in control and working all things together for our good. In Proverbs 16:3, it says, "Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and he will establish your plans." This verse emphasizes the importance of surrendering our plans and

goals to God, trusting that He will establish them in accordance with His will.

Overall, trust in God is a central theme throughout the Bible, and it involves having faith and confidence in God's character, promises, and provision, surrendering our lives to His will and guidance, and relying on Him for all things.

#23 Submission

Submission is a biblical principle that involves yielding to God's will and authority, as well as submitting to one another in love and humility.

One of the key passages about submission is found in James 4:7, which says, "Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you." This verse emphasizes the importance of submitting to God's will and authority, and resisting the temptations of the devil. It highlights the fact that true victory over temptation and sin comes from submitting to God's will and guidance.

The Bible also emphasizes the importance of submitting to one another in love. In Ephesians 5:21, it says, "Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ." This verse highlights the importance of mutual submission in the context of Christian relationships, emphasizing that we should submit to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Additionally, submission is linked to the concept of humility, which is a key aspect of the Christian life. In 1 Peter 5:5, it says, "All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, 'God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble.'" This verse emphasizes the importance of humility in our relationships with one another, and highlights the fact that God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble.

Furthermore, submission involves yielding our will to God's will and trusting in His plan for our lives. In Romans 12:1-2, it says, "Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Do not conform to

the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will." This passage emphasizes the importance of offering ourselves as living sacrifices to God and being transformed by His Spirit, in order to discern and follow His will for our lives.

Overall, submission is a biblical principle that involves yielding to God's will and authority, submitting to one another in love and humility, and trusting in God's plan for our lives. It is a key aspect of the Christian life, as it allows us to fully experience God's grace and receive His blessings.

#24 Life

The Bible has a lot to say about life, including the nature and purpose of human life, the value of life, and the eternal life that is available through faith in Jesus Christ.

Firstly, the Bible teaches that human life is a precious gift from God, created in His image and endowed with dignity and value. In Genesis 1:27, it says, "So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them." This verse highlights the fact that human life is created in the image of God, and therefore has inherent worth and value.

The Bible also emphasizes the purpose of human life, which is to glorify God and enjoy a relationship with Him. In Ecclesiastes 12:13, it says, "Now all has been heard; here is the conclusion of the matter: Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the duty of all mankind." This verse highlights the fact that our primary purpose in life is to fear God and obey His commands, which ultimately brings glory to God and fulfillment to our lives.

Additionally, the Bible teaches about the eternal life that is available through faith in Jesus Christ. In John 3:16, it says, "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." This verse highlights the fact that God's love for us is demonstrated through the gift of His Son, and that through faith in Jesus Christ we can have eternal life.

Overall, the Bible teaches that human life is a precious gift from God, created in His image and endowed with dignity and value. The purpose of human life is to glorify God and enjoy a

relationship with Him, and through faith in Jesus Christ we can have eternal life.

#25 Death

The Bible has a lot to say about death, including its origin, consequences, and the hope of eternal life that is available through faith in Jesus Christ.

Firstly, the Bible teaches that death entered the world as a consequence of sin. In Genesis 2:17, God warns Adam and Eve that if they eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, they will surely die. Later in Genesis 3, we see that Adam and Eve disobeyed God's command and ate from the tree, which resulted in death entering the world.

The Bible also emphasizes the fact that death is a consequence of sin for all humanity. In Romans 5:12, it says, "Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned." This verse highlights the fact that death is a consequence of sin, and that all people are subject to it.

However, the Bible also offers hope in the face of death through the promise of eternal life through faith in Jesus Christ. In John 11:25-26, Jesus says, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?" This passage emphasizes the fact that through faith in Jesus Christ, believers can have eternal life and will never truly die.

Additionally, the Bible teaches that for believers, death is not the end, but rather a transition into eternal life with God. In 2 Corinthians 5:8, it says, "We are confident, I say, and would prefer to be away from the body and at home with the Lord." This verse highlights the fact that believers can have confidence in the hope of eternal life with God beyond this physical life.

Overall, the Bible teaches that death is a consequence of sin, but through faith in Jesus Christ, believers can have the hope of eternal life with God beyond this physical life.

#26 Eternal Life

According to the Bible, eternal life is a gift that is offered to those who put their faith in Jesus Christ. It is not just about living forever, but about having a quality of life that is characterized by a deep and intimate relationship with God. In John 17:3, Jesus defines eternal life as knowing God the Father and Jesus Christ whom He has sent: "Now this is eternal life: that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent."

Eternal life is a life that is free from sin, pain, suffering, and death, and is marked by peace, joy, and fulfillment. It is a life that is lived in the presence of God, and is characterized by the fullness of His love and grace. In Revelation 21:4, it says, "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away."

Eternal life is not something that we can earn through our own efforts, but is a gift that is offered to us through faith in Jesus Christ. In John 3:16, it says, "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." This verse highlights the fact that eternal life is a gift that is given to us through Jesus Christ, and that it is not something that we can earn or deserve on our own.

