Lesson 1: Facing The Storms Of Life

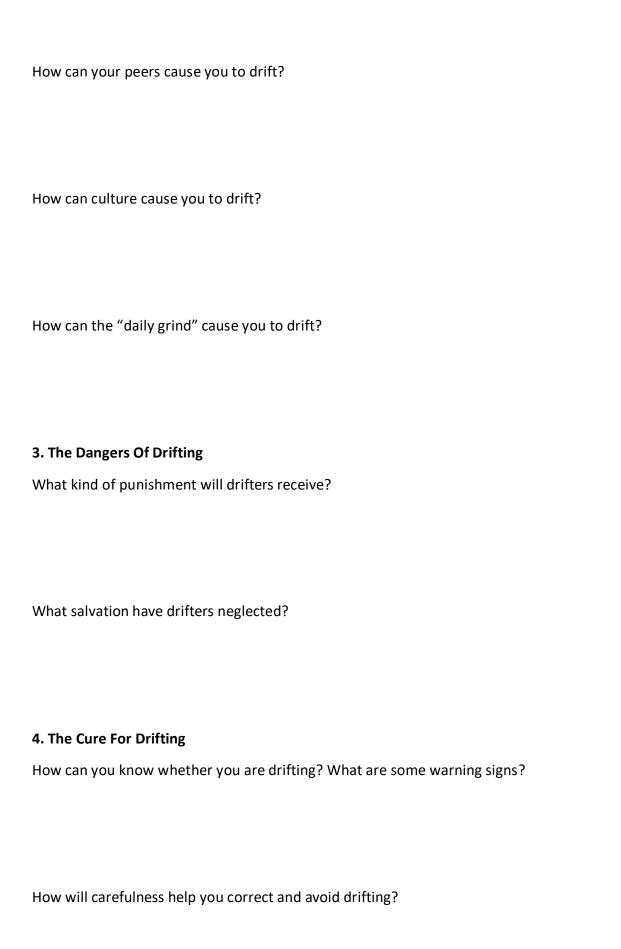
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1. Bad Things Happen To Good People
Was Job a good man? What happened to him?
Will we experience suffering that is unrelated to how we live?
2. God Is In Control
How does the story of Job illustrate that God is in control?
Since God is in control, is He also to blame for the bad things that happen? Why or why not?
3. There Is An Enemy
Is Satan active on this earth?

How can all suffering be traced back to Satan?
4. Sometimes When It Rains, It Pours
How much suffering did Job experience all at the same time?
Will we ever face tests that seem unbearable?
5. Dealing With Bad "Comforters"
Who were Job's five "comforters"? How did they try to comfort him?
How does Satan work through the people around us?
6. We Don't Always Know "Why?"
Did Job ever know why he suffered?
How was Job's response to his suffering different than his wife's response? What can you learn from this?

Lesson 2: Fighting Against The Current

What are the two major threats to your faithfulness to God?



Lesson 3: Seeking Reconciliation Through Jesus Christ

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1. Wicked Works Make Us Enemies Of God
How do we become alienated from God? What does it mean to be alienated from God?
What does it mean to be an enemy of God?
2. Enemies Of God Have No Hope
How do enemies of God have no hope on this earth?
How do enemies of God have no hope beyond this earth?

3. Reconciliation Only Possible Through Jesus Christ

Is reconciliation possible without Jesus? Why or why not?
How is the blood of Jesus connected with your reconciliation? What does it mean to be reconciled?
What does God require you to do in order to be reconciled to Him?
4. The Blessings Of Reconciliation Through Jesus Christ
How will you have peace with God through Jesus Christ?
How will you be holy through Jesus Christ?
How will you have the hope of glory through Jesus Christ?

Lesson 4: Trusting In God And His Word

How will full trust in God and His word enable you to overcome Satan's attacks?

1. Know Who You Believe In
How can you know God is real?
What three Persons possess the nature of being God?
How powerful is God?
How much does God know?
How much does God see?
How pure is God?
How good is God?

How is God severe?
Does God ever change His nature?
2. Know What God Has Said
How has God revealed His word today?
Can God lie?
What are some things God has <i>not</i> promised?
What are some things God <i>has</i> promised?
3. The Results Of Having Full Confidence In God And His Word
How should your faith result in you not being ashamed of the gospel?
How should your faith result in you having no worries?
How should your faith result in you holding fast the pattern?

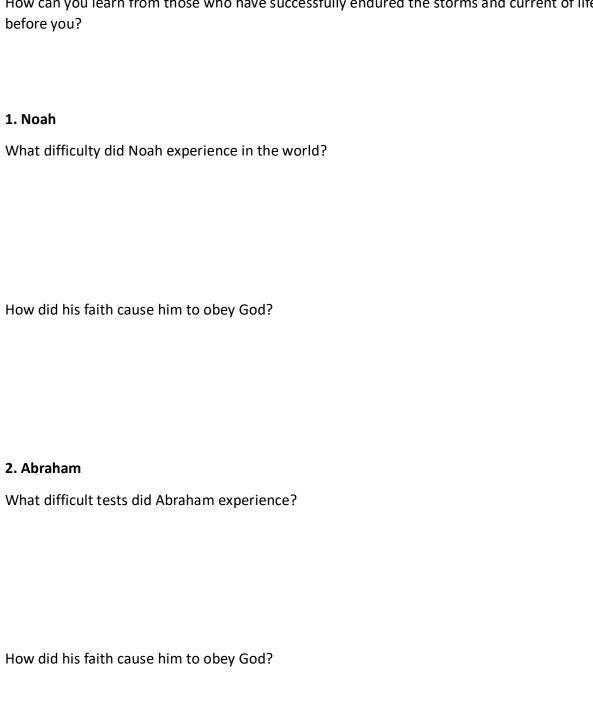
Lesson 5: Longing For Our Heavenly Home

What is the danger of getting caught up in the individual "moments" of your earthly life?
1. This World Is Not Our Home
How long do trials last?
How long do temptations last?
How long do persecutions last?
2. We Have A Living Hope
Why is Jesus Christ so crucial to your hope?
What is the significance of your inheritance being from God?

How long will this inheritance last?
3. We Have Reservations In Heaven
What will <u>not</u> be in Heaven?
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4. Looking To The End
How are you encouraged to keep your focus off the things that are seen?
Why is it important to keep your focus on the things that are not seen?

Lesson 6: Learning From Champions

How can you learn from those who have successfully endured the storms and current of life



3. Joseph
What kind of mistreatment did Joseph endure regularly on this earth?
How did his faith cause him to obey God?
4. Moses
What kinds of treasures and pleasures did Moses have the opportunity to experience?
How did his faith cause him to obey God?
5. Others
Why kinds of storms and current was experienced by others?
How did their faith cause them to obey God?

Lesson 7: Rejoicing In Hope

What is the difference between the happiness of the world and the joy of a Christian?
1. No Condemnation In Jesus Christ
How has Jesus Christ made us free?
Why is it essential to be spiritually minded?
What happens when God's Spirit dwells in us?
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2. We Are Children Of God
Why are we not debtors to the flesh?
How have we become children of God?
What are we set to receive as children of God?

3. Our Hope Is Greater Than Our Sufferings
How does the glory waiting compare with the present sufferings?
What should our anticipation be?
What help does the Holy Spirit provide?
How does everything work together for good?
4. We Are More Than Conquerors
Who can be against us?

Who can separate us from the love of God?

Lesson 8: Steadfastly Abounding In The Work Of The Lord

Describe your struggles against the storms and current of life.

1. We Will Reap What We Sow
How much of your life does God see?
What is the conflict between the flesh and the spirit?
Who will God punish?
Who will God reward?
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How can you be protected against Satan's attacks?

How will prayer help you live for the Lord?
What help can you find in your brethren?
Why is it so important to trust in God completely – even when He does not provide the relief you ask for?
3. Be Faithful Until Death How often should you do good to others?
Why should you take advantage of every opportunity to do good?
Where is victory located?
What will be given to those who are faithful until death?