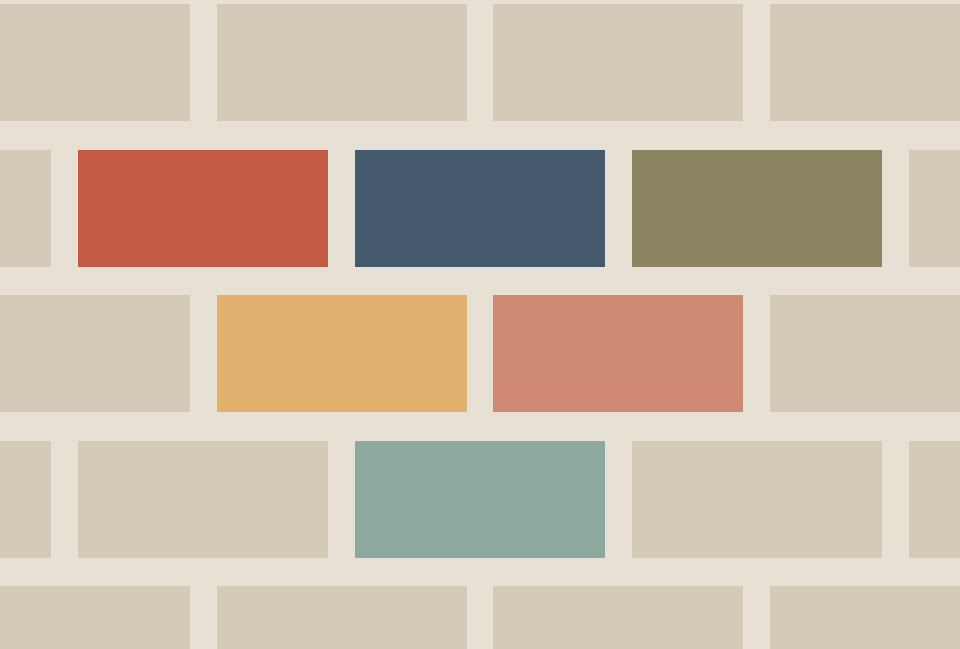




# PRINCE KIDS FOUNDATIONS

**UNIT 2** | May 5–August 25, 2024





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# LAYING A FOUNDATION FOR KIDS TO TRUST & FOLLOW JESUS

## A MESSAGE TO PARENTS

The greatest possible life is a life filled with Jesus! In Him is complete satisfaction, joy, and purpose. As parents, our greatest hope is that our kids will trust and follow Jesus. It is our goal to partner with you to help lay a foundation in Jesus Christ in hopes that your child would one day trust and follow Jesus. Everything we do at Prince is designed for this purpose. We hope this guide will give you an understanding of how we can best partner to see a solid foundation built in the life of your child and family.

In Christ,  
Pastor Cody Timmerman

## WHAT IS THE FOUNDATIONS GUIDE AND HOW DOES THIS TOOL HELP US?

This guide includes **four primary foundations** and **two action steps** that are used as building blocks. Below you will find a description for each of these building blocks that will be repeated each week.

## STORIES

The Bible is a collection of many stories, but it tells one ultimate story. From Genesis through Revelation, God's redemptive plan unfolds throughout all Scripture. It is vital for kids to know each of these stories and how they all point to this one main story. Every Sunday your child will chronologically walk through the Bible and hear new stories. In a constantly shifting culture, kids knowing and understanding the stories of the Bible will help them lay a foundation to trust and follow Jesus.

## TRUTHS

Throughout the many stories of Scripture, we learn key truths about God, Jesus, people, the Church, the Bible, and the Christian life. By systematically organizing these truths in a question-and-answer format, kids can learn key doctrines of the Christian faith. Every Sunday your child will systematically walk through Biblical doctrines.

## VIRTUES

Ultimately, we want kids not just to know about Jesus, but also to practice their faith in Jesus. Kids need help connecting the dots between faith in Jesus and their daily lives. Virtues are biblical character qualities as seen in the life of Jesus and his followers. Each Wednesday we will discuss a virtue to help your child lay a foundation to trust and follow Jesus.

## VERSES

One of the neglected spiritual disciplines of our time is Scripture memorization. Children who memorize Scripture are better suited to have a grasp of the Bible's big story and main messages, understand God's will and ways, and live lives worthy of the gospel. Memorization provides a solid foundation they can stand upon and draw from throughout their lives. Each Wednesday we will introduce different memory passages, based on your kid's grade, that are foundational to helping them understand Scripture.

## PRAYERS

We believe that prayer is vital in the lives of believers. We've included spaces each week for you to write specific prayer requests and record how God answered those prayers. It's surprising how many answered prayers we miss because we don't take time to reflect!

## ACTIONS

We want our lives to be marked by living out the commands of Jesus. Each week, we ask you to plan and record a missional action for your family to serve others and show the love of Jesus!

# WEEKLY RHYTHMS OF PRINCE KIDS

## SUNDAYS

**STORIES** | New story each week

**TRUTH** | New truth every month

## WEDNESDAYS

**VERSES** | Based on your kid's age

**VIRTUES** | New virtue every month

## FAITH IN ACTION

**PRAYER** | Helping kids go to God

**MISSION** | Spread the gospel to others

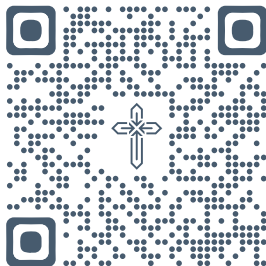
## VIDEO RESOURCES

We believe this Foundations Guide can be a powerful tool that blesses your family. However, we also recognize that any tool, if not used properly, can lose its effectiveness. We have created additional online resources to help you unlock the full potential of this guide.

### These resources include:

- Videos that explain how to use the guide
- Regularly updated mission action ideas
- Creative Scripture memorization methods

**Explore these resources and embark on a transformative journey together!**



**Scan the QR Code or go to [PABC.ORG/FOUNDATIONS](https://PABC.ORG/FOUNDATIONS) to access these resources!**

**LET'S  
BUILD A  
FOUNDATION!**

## STORY

### We Are Part of One Church 1 Corinthians 12

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul wrote a letter to the church in Corinth to remind them not to be divided. He said Jesus came to bring people together as one body.
- Paul said the body is made of many parts that are unified.
- Paul wrote that every part of the body is important.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Paul told the believers in the Corinthian church to come together because of the gospel. He reminded them that Jesus saves sinners. Because of Jesus and what He has done, believers from every nation, tribe, people, and language can humbly come together as one body—the church.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

- **What does this story tell us about God?**
- **What does this story tell us about people?**
- **How does this change the way we live?**

## TRUTH

### What is the Church?

**The Church is all Christians everywhere, who gather together in their communities to worship and serve God.**

## VIRTUE

### Generosity

**Willingness to give or share my money, time, and talents with kindness in my heart.**

## VERSE

During the summer break, take time to review verses from this past year!

### Kindergarten & 1<sup>ST</sup> Grade

Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. — Hebrews 13:16

### 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> Grade

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. — Genesis 1:1

### 4<sup>TH</sup> & 5<sup>TH</sup> Grade

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. — Romans 5:6

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## STORY

### Paul Became a Christian

Acts 9:1-30

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- On the way to Damascus to arrest Christians, a bright light flashed around Saul. Then Jesus asked Saul why he was persecuting Jesus.
- Saul couldn't see and needed help getting to Damascus. In Damascus, a believer named Ananias restored Paul's sight.
- Saul was baptized and began to preach that Jesus is the Son of God. Saul was a Christian.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus appeared to Saul and changed him inside and out. Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners. (1 Timothy 1:15) Jesus called Saul, who was once an enemy to Christians, to spend the rest of his life telling people the gospel and leading them to trust in Jesus.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

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## TRUTH

Who can be saved?

**Anyone who trusts in Jesus can be forgiven of their sins and be right with God.**

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So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. — Genesis 1:27

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## STORY

### Paul Became a Missionary Acts 13-14

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- The Holy Spirit chose Paul and another believer, Barnabas, to share the good news about Jesus to Jews and Gentiles.
- They traveled to Lystra and preached the gospel. In Lystra, they faced trouble from Jews who came from Antioch and Iconium. They turned the people in Lystra against Paul.
- Then Paul and Barnabas went to Derbe and shared the gospel. Many people believed, and churches were started.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

God had a plan for Paul to share the gospel with Gentiles, no matter what troubles he faced. Many believed in Jesus. The church grew and the gospel spread so that people all over the world could be saved from their sins by trusting in Jesus.

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### 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> Grade

And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day. — Genesis 1:31

### 4<sup>TH</sup> & 5<sup>TH</sup> Grade

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## STORY

### Jesus Can Forgive Anyone 2 Corinthians 12

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul sent a letter to remind the church in Corinth that through Jesus, God forgives sin and invites everyone to be a part of His family.
- Paul said that trusting in Jesus changes everything and makes us right with God. Jesus changes our hearts. We become new creations who want to live for God.
- Paul said that God made Jesus sin so we can be made righteous. God gives believers the mission of bringing others to Him through Christ.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus can forgive anyone. When we trust in Jesus, God forgives our sin and invites us into His family. He calls us to tell others about Him so they might believe in Jesus and be saved.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

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For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God

— Romans 3:23

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## STORY

### The Church Met Together Acts 15:1-35

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Some people in the church said Gentiles could not be saved unless they first followed some of the same rules Jews followed.
- The church leaders decided to meet in Jerusalem to talk about whether or not the Gentiles needed to obey the law of Moses.
- Peter, James, and others said that Jews and Gentiles are saved in the same way—by faith in the Lord Jesus.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

The church leaders met in Jerusalem to answer a tough question: Can a person be saved by faith alone or is something more needed? The early church agreed that because of Jesus' death and resurrection, He alone is all we need to be saved.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

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Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths. — Proverbs 3:5-6

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## STORY

### Paul and Silas Started Churches Acts 15:36-18:22

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul and his friends traveled to Philippi, Thessalonica, Berea, Athens, and Corinth sharing the good news.
- As Paul shared the gospel with people like Lydia and the jailer, they trusted in Jesus. He also cast out a spirit from a girl in Jesus' name.
- Some people didn't like Paul's message and caused trouble for him. But Paul trusted God and kept sharing the gospel.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Lydia, the jailer, and many others heard the gospel and were saved. They were willing to listen and believe in Jesus. Paul and other apostles preached the same message to all people: "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved."

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For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. — Romans 6:23

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## STORY

### Paul Visited the Churches

Acts 18:22-21:17

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul shared the gospel and encouraged believers in Ephesus and other cities. He taught about the kingdom of God and performed miracles.
- Some people in Ephesus didn't like Paul's teaching. The crowds there caused trouble for Paul.
- Paul said, "I am obeying the Spirit and I am going to sail to Jerusalem. The most important thing is that I finish the work Jesus gave me to do."

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

As Paul traveled on his third missionary journey, he used every opportunity to tell people the good news about Jesus and to help the church. Paul was dedicated to Jesus, who called him to do the work of sharing the gospel.

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Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock. — Matthew 7:24

### 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> Grade

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. — Romans 8:1

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I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. — John 15:1

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## STORY

### We Are Here to Glorify God Romans 15

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul wrote a letter to the church in Rome explaining what it means to live for Jesus. He said we should be patient with others.
- Paul wrote that we should look to Jesus as our example and welcome others as Jesus welcomed us.
- Paul explained that God wants His children to be united and love one another, just like Jesus loved us.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

God created people to bring Him glory. When we trust in Jesus and follow Him, we bring glory to God by seeking the good of others. God calls us to share the love of Jesus with all people by telling them the good news—the gospel.

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Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. — Romans 10:9

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## STORY

### Paul Returned to Jerusalem

Acts 21:8-22:29

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul arrived in Jerusalem and shared with others that Gentiles had trusted in Jesus!
- Later, some Jews caused trouble for Paul and almost killed him. A Roman soldier took Paul to be questioned.
- Because Paul was a Roman citizen, he was allowed a fair trial to prove his innocence.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Paul followed God's plan and returned to Jerusalem even though he faced danger in the city. Paul believed that God, who was faithful to raise Jesus from the dead, would help him in his troubles. We can follow God's plan to tell others about Jesus and trust God to take care of us.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

- **What does this story tell us about God?**
- **What does this story tell us about people?**
- **How does this change the way we live?**

## TRUTH

Why should we praise Jesus?

**We should praise Jesus for what He has done to provide our salvation and because He will one day make all things right.**

## VIRTUE

Wisdom

**Knowing what God says is right and wrong, so you can make good choices and learn when you make mistakes.**

## VERSE

During the summer break, take time to review verses from this past year!

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Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go. — Joshua 1:9

### 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> Grade

Books of the New Testament: Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts, Romans, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians

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## STORY

### Paul Was On Trial Acts 22:30-23:35

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- The Romans brought Paul to the Jewish priests and leaders to figure out why Paul was causing problems.
- Paul spoke about the hope of the gospel. The Jewish leaders argued with each other. Some made a plan to kill Paul.
- God spoke to Paul and told him to have courage. God would help Paul get to Rome.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Paul trusted God and believed that God, who showed His love for the world by sending His Son to die on the cross and rise again, would use the danger Paul faced to get Paul to Rome. We too can risk everything to share the gospel with courage because we know that God loves us and will care for us.

#### TALK ABOUT THE STORY:

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## TRUTH

### Why should we praise Jesus?

**We should praise Jesus for what He has done to provide our salvation and because He will one day make all things right.**

## VIRTUE

### Courage

**Standing up for what is right even when you are afraid.**

## VERSE

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Books of the New Testament: Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus

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## STORY

### Paul Was Sent to Rome

Acts 24:1-26:32

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul met with Felix, Festus, King Agrippa, and Queen Bernice to try to explain why the Jews hated him. He told them about Jesus.
- Festus thought Paul was out of his mind because he spoke about the resurrection.
- The rulers agreed to send Paul to Rome to meet with Caesar.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

God chose Paul to take the gospel to Gentiles, kings, and the Israelites. Paul met with people again and again to tell the good news about Jesus. He wanted everyone to believe that Jesus is Lord. Because Jesus has the power to save people from sin, Paul was willing to do whatever it took to share the gospel.

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I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in me that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. Already you are clean because of the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. — John 15:1-5

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## STORY

### Paul Went to Rome Acts 27:1-28:10

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul was put on a ship with other prisoners and soldiers going to Rome. While they sailed, they battled a storm.
- Everyone on the ship was afraid because of the storm. God told Paul to take courage and that no one would die.
- The ship crashed near the island of Malta. Everyone swam to shore and no one died, just as God promised.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Paul trusted God to keep His promise to rescue him from the storm. He encouraged the sailors to trust and obey God too. God calls us to trust in His Son, Jesus, who died to rescue us from sin and death, and to invite others to believe this good news as well.

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## STORY

### Paul Preached in Rome

Acts 28:11-31

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- After the shipwreck at Malta, Paul sailed on another ship to Rome. When he arrived, he was allowed to live under house arrest.
- Paul asked the Jewish leaders in Rome to come talk to him. Paul told them about God's kingdom. He explained that Jesus is the Messiah.
- For two years, Paul stayed in the house and welcomed everyone who wanted to hear about Jesus.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Being a prisoner in Rome did not stop Paul from sharing his faith. He continued to share the gospel even when people disagreed. The message about Jesus seems foolish to some, but everyone who trusts in Jesus will be saved.

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But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. — John 20:31

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## STORY

### We are Here to Make Much of Jesus 1 Thessalonians 4-5

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Paul wrote a letter to the Thessalonian church. Paul said, “God wants you to be holy and to live in a way that pleases Him.”
- Paul also wrote about the importance of love and unity among believers.
- Paul reminded them that Jesus is coming back. He told them to always give thanks.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Christians have a special purpose to spread the good news of Jesus and to live in a way that honors Him. We live holy lives, loving one another and finding joy in Jesus as we remember God’s promise to one day return and make all things right.

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Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men

— Colossians 3:23

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## STORY

### Jesus Is Worthy of Worship Revelation 4-5

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Jesus appeared to John and showed him what will happen before the end of time. John saw a throne in heaven and someone sitting on it.
- Four living creatures gave glory, honor, and thanks to the One on the throne.
- A mighty angel asked, “Who is worthy to open the scroll?” The Lion of Judah is able to open the scroll. He is worthy!

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

John cried when he saw that no one was worthy to open the scroll. Then John saw the resurrected Lamb—God’s Son, Jesus. Jesus died on the cross so that we could have forgiveness and eternal life. Jesus is worthy. He deserves all praise, honor, and blessing.

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### Jesus Will Return One Day Revelation 19-20

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- John had a vision about a big celebration in heaven. Angels were singing, and people were praising God.
- John saw a mighty warrior riding on a white horse. The warrior was Jesus, and He was coming back to earth. Jesus was strong and powerful, ready to defeat evil.
- Jesus was coming to fight a beast and an evil dragon. He fought against them and won. He threw them into a lake of fire, so they could never hurt anyone again.

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus promised to come back to earth soon. When Jesus returns, He will defeat evil once and for all. Those who trust in Jesus will be with Him and enjoy Him forever.

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For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control. — 2 Timothy 1:7

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If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. — 1 Corinthians 13:1

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### We Will Be Part of the New Heaven and Earth Revelation 21-22

#### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- John saw a new heaven and earth. He also saw a new city coming down from heaven. He heard a loud voice from the throne, saying, “God will live with His people.”
- The city was made of precious stones and gold. It had a river of living water. The glory of God gave light to the city.
- Only those whose names are in the Lamb’s book of life will enter the city. Jesus said, “Listen, I am coming soon!”

#### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus promised to come back to earth soon. When Jesus returns, God will undo every bad thing caused by sin—no more death, no more pain, no more tears. Jesus is making all things new.

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Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. — Ephesians 4:32

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A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches, and favor is better than silver or gold. — Proverbs 22:1

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If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. — 1 Corinthians 13:1-2

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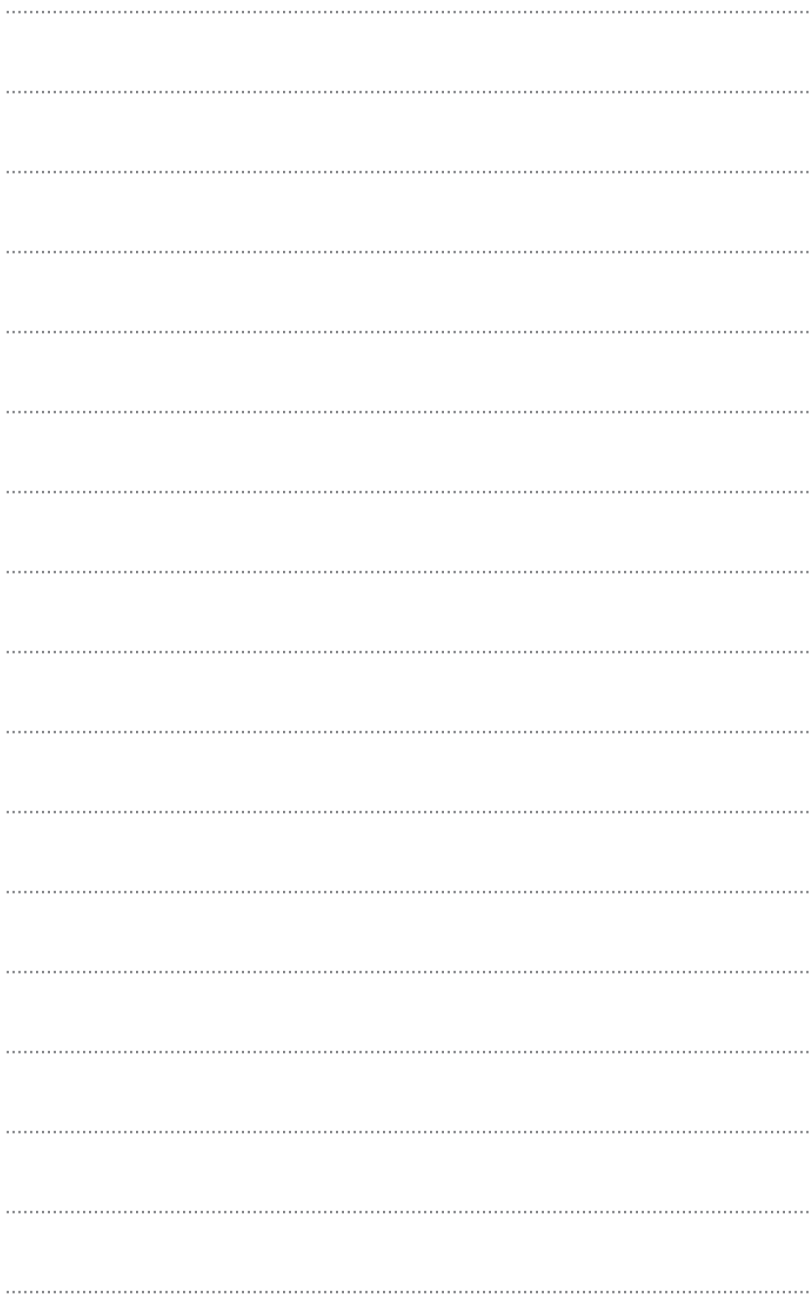
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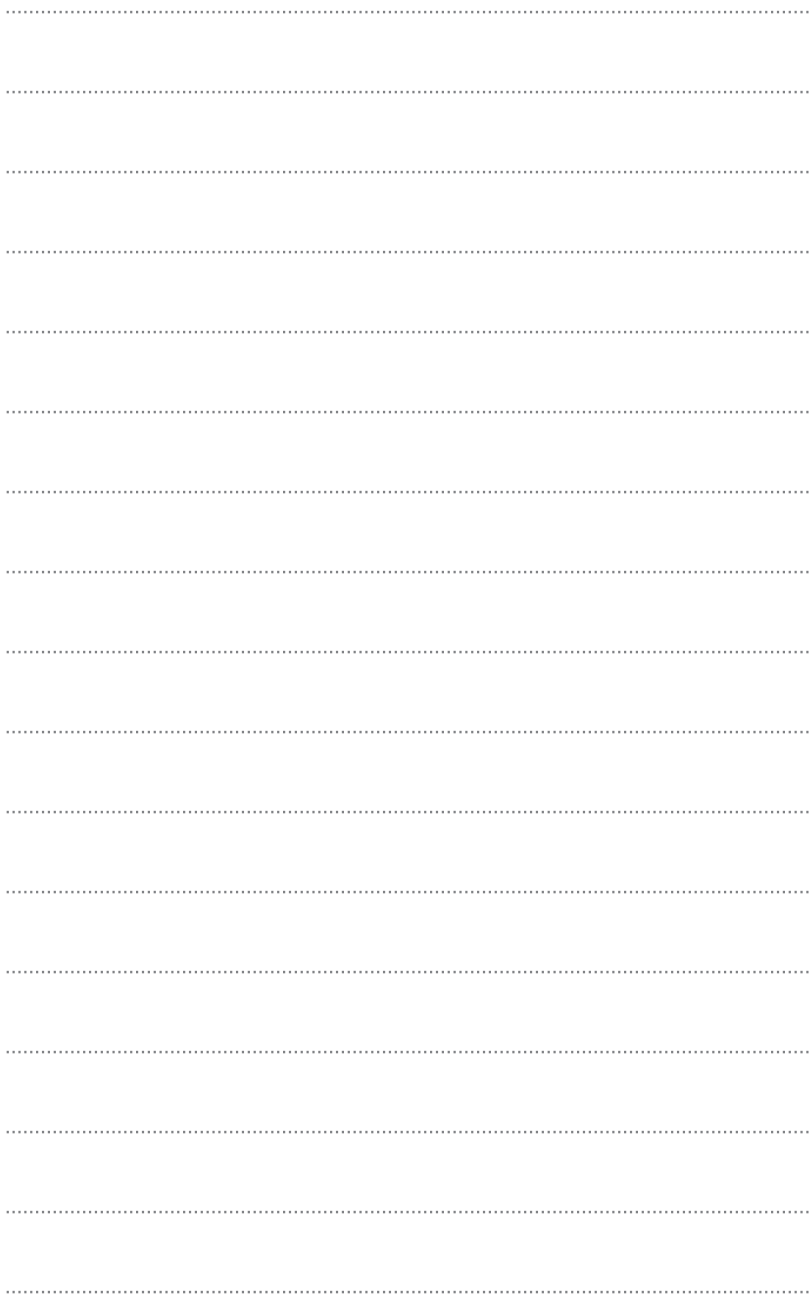
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