

New Life

In 1975 there were about 9000 different items in the average grocery store

Today the average grocery store has nearly 40,000

To read the label of every item would take about 19 days

Average person makes 2.2 trips to
the store per week

The most common purchases are
milk, coffee, soda, bread, and eggs

20% of purchases are impulse buys

80% of our energy is focused on
going after a particular item/s

In our faith journey do we go after
particular things?

Matthew 8:5-8

Vs 5-6

When Jesus had entered Capernaum, a centurion came to Him, asking for help.

"Lord," he said, "my servant lies at home paralyzed and in terrible suffering."

Vs 7-8

Jesus said to him, "I will go and heal him." The centurion replied, "Lord, I do not deserve to have you come under my roof. But just say the word, and my servant will be healed.

Vs 13

Then Jesus said to the centurion, "Go! It will be done just as you believed it would." And his servant was healed at that very hour.

Ephesians 3:12

In Jesus and through faith in Jesus
we may approach God with freedom
and confidence.

Ephesians 6:18

And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.

In your 2.2 intentional visits to the presence of God this week what will you be going after?

If someone is going to make a store run for you what would be on the list?

222 times in the Bible we see
someone praying

The 222 times the words of the
prayer are included

Someone is asking God to work in
their life or in the life of another

It is true that 1Thessalonians 5:17
says, “Pray continually”

I am not referring to this life giving,
constant, and open communication with
God

I am talking about making a “store
run” for a particular item

Psalm 51:10

Create in me a pure heart, O God, and
renew a steadfast spirit within me.



2 Timothy 1:7

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline.

Philemon 1:6

I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.

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1 Chronicles 4:10

Jabez cried out to the God of Israel, "Oh, that you would bless me and enlarge my territory! Let your hand be with me, and keep me from harm so that I will be free from pain." And God granted his request.

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Acts 7:59-60

While they were stoning him, Stephen prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit."

Then he fell on his knees and cried out, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them."

When he had said this, he fell asleep.

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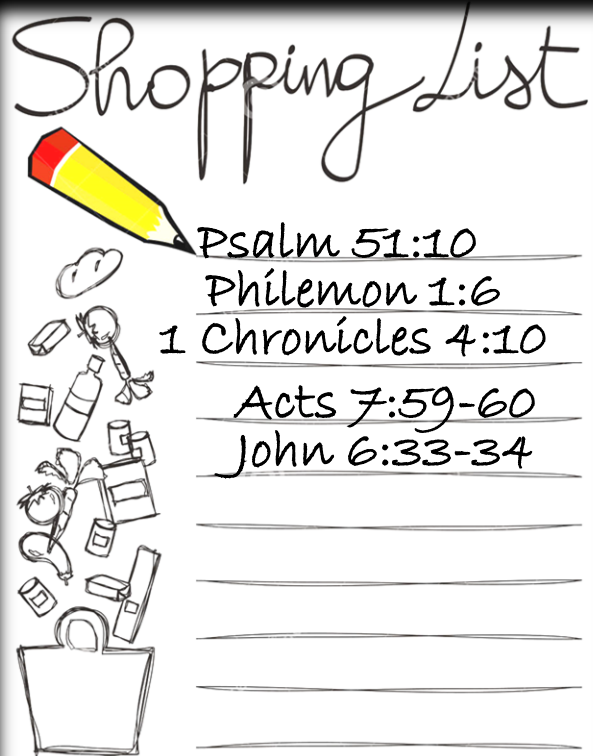
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John 6:33-34

For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." "Sir," they said, "from now on give us this bread."



1 Samuel 30:7-8

Then David said to Abiathar the priest, the son of Ahimelech, "Bring me the ephod." Abiathar brought it to him, and David inquired of the LORD, "Shall I pursue this raiding party? Will I overtake them?" "Pursue them," He answered. "You will certainly overtake them and succeed in the rescue."

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David inquired of the LORD, "Shall I go and attack the Philistines?"

Will you hand them over to me?" The LORD answered him, "Go, for I will surely hand the Philistines over to you."

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2Kings 6:17

And Elisha prayed, "O LORD, open his eyes so he may see." Then the LORD opened the servant's eyes, and he looked and saw the hills full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.

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Nehemiah 6:9

They were all trying to frighten us, thinking, "Their hands will get too weak for the work, and it will not be completed." [But I prayed,] "Now strengthen my hands."

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Matthew 14:28-29

"Lord, if it's you," Peter replied, "tell me to come to you on the water."

"Come," he said. Then

Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus.

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