Weekly Bible Study Sunday School Workbook

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Designed for those in Junior High and beyond

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Note to Teachers: The ideas for teaching Sunday School in this workbook are student-centered and each Section has a different idea for teaching in this manner. The purpose is to engage the students in active learning that will impress their thought and lead to deeper understanding of the spiritual truths. There will not be sufficient time to implement all these ideas, but you will be guided to use those that best fit your class, and of course, the hour is under the direction of the Holy Spirit. “And all thy children [students] shall be taught of the Lord” (Isaiah 54:13). Each class is a joyous adventure. — Foundation for Prayerful Living

Subject: Soul and Body

Golden Text and Responsive Reading

If God is Spirit, what kind of temple would be suitable for His worship?

Look for all the references to temple in this week’s Bible Lesson on Soul and Body. How many have you found, and what do they refer to?

Also, notice how many times in this week’s Bible Lesson how many times Jesus teaches and heals. What can you learn from these examples? As I read the Lesson several times, I thought about how the references were like being part of the crowds, listening to Jesus and being a witness to the healings.

Ask yourself, what are you building your house on: rock or sand? Are you building your mental house on the rock of Truth, or the shifting sand of human opinions and matter-based laws?

Why do you think the people were astonished at Jesus’ doctring?
**Section One**

Is there another god like God?

Can God be contained in any structure or location?

What does it mean to dwell in the house of the Lord? Why would this be the one thing the Psalmist said he would seek after?

What are body and Soul?

What is man the expression of?

Is Soul in the body? The answer to this question is an important part of the Lesson this week. As it says in S3, “Science reveals Spirit, Soul as not in the body, and God as not in man but as reflected by man. The greater cannot be in the lesser.”

What is a leading point in the Science of Soul, according to S3?

Is man a material habitation for Soul? What is a habitation?

What is reflection, as used in Christian Science? Where else in this week's Lesson do we learn about reflection?

**Section Two**

What does it mean that our feet won't be moved (B6)?

What does the word countenance mean? How is it used in B7?

What do you think Jesus meant when he taught that we would have life, and more abundantly? Does it refer to wealth or things?

Can God be confined to any form?

What is the difference between reflection and something being absorbed?

What did Christ Jesus teach regarding reflection according to S9?

What should we think about our body, according to S11?

If we are to never see death, as Jesus says in B9, does that mean we live in this experience forever?
Section Three

What are some of the ways we are to worship God, according to the Bible references in this section?

What were all of the oxen, sheep and doves and the money changers doing in the temple?

What was Jesus response? Why did he act this way?

When Jesus said, “Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up,” what was he talking about? Did he mean the temple in Jerusalem?

What is the definition of temple in the Glossary of Science and Health?

What is the difference between spiritual and material worship?

What does Christian Science bring to the body, according to S14? What is an alternative?

What is God’s remedy for error of every kind? What does Truth destroy?

What are fetters (S17)? Why is the statement in S17 important?

What are the contrasting pairs in S18?

Section Four

In B16, why do you think the devil shouted at Jesus to leave him alone? Notice that the devil recognized Jesus and his purpose.

What was Jesus’ response?

Even though the devil threw the man around, what happened next?

What was the devil, according to S19?

What does it mean to speak with authority? Is it our personal authority or human will, or is it God-based?

What are the arguments used in curing insanity, according to S21? Can these arguments be applied in healing other diseases?

What points in S22 break the dream of disease? How is disease formed?
Section Five

Have you noticed the references to mountains in this week's Lesson?

When you are hiking, what does the view on the top of the mountain look like? Or, if you are in a city, what is your view like when you go to an observation point on a tall building? What do you see? If you are in an airplane that takes off in the rain, but rises above the clouds, what do you see? The view is better as we go higher.

When all the people came or were brought to Jesus for healing, what did the multitude think?

What did Jesus teach, according to S25? One of the points I always look for in the Bible Lessons is what Jesus taught, and highlight the references in my Science and Health.

How is the question, “What is substance?” answered in S26? When you hear the phrase, “a person of substance”, what does that mean to much of the world, and what does it refer to in Christian Science?

How is reflection related to substance, especially as explained in S27?

Can we find out more about God by examining mortal belief? What does it mean to put off the old man with his deeds?

What are feeble flutterings?

Can you share a physical healing, especially one that relates to S30?

Section Six

Where was John when Revelation was written?

What is new Jerusalem? Is it a location? Can you find the definition in the Glossary of Science and Health?

How is temple defined in S31?

What do we learn about the recognition of harmony in S31?

What is the “great attainment by means of which we shall sweep away the false and give place to the true”? 

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Have a wonderful week! Happy Thanksgiving to those of you in the United States.
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