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Exod. 20:12-Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be prolonged on the land which the Lord your God gives you.

Eph. 6:1-3- ¹Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. ²Honor your father and mother (which is the first commandment with a promise), ³so that it may turn out well for you, and that you may live long on the earth.

2 Tim. 3:1-2 – ¹But realize this, that in the last days difficult times will come. ²For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, slanderers, **disobedient to parents**, ungrateful, unholy.

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Matt. 5:33-37-³³“Again, you have heard that the ancients were told, ‘You shall not make false vows, but shall fulfill your vows to the Lord.’ ³⁴But I say to you, make no oath at all, either by heaven, for it is the **throne of God**, ³⁵or by the earth, for it is the **footstool** of His feet, or by **Jerusalem**, for it is the city of the great King. ³⁶Nor shall you make an oath by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black. ³⁷But let your statement be, **‘Yes, yes’ or ‘No, no’**; anything beyond these is of evil.

Eph. 4:25-Therefore, laying aside falsehood, speak **truth** each one *of you* with his neighbor, for we are members of one another.

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Gen. 37:2-These are *the records of* the generations of Jacob. Joseph, when **seventeen years of age**, was pasturing the flock with his brothers while he was *still* a youth, along with the sons of Bilhah and the sons of Zilpah, his father's wives. And Joseph brought back a bad report about them to their father.

Rom. 2:14-15-¹⁴For when Gentiles who do not have the Law do instinctively the things of the Law, these, not having the Law, are a law to themselves, ¹⁵in that they show the work of the Law written in their hearts, their **conscience bearing witness and their thoughts alternately accusing or else defending them**.

Heb. 9:14-how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without blemish to God, **cleanse your conscience** from dead works to serve the living God?

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Prov. 29:25-The **fear of man brings a snare**, but he who trusts in the LORD will be exalted.

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Isa. 53:3-He was despised and forsaken of men, **A man of sorrows and acquainted with grief**; And like one from whom men hide their face He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.

John 11:35-Jesus **wept**.

Gen. 42:24-He turned away from them and **wept**. But when he returned to them and spoke to them, he took Simeon from them and bound him before their eyes.

Gen. 45:1-2-Then Joseph could not control himself before all those who stood by him, and he **cried**, “Have everyone go out from me.” So, there was no man with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers.² He **wept** so loudly that the Egyptians heard *it*, and the household of Pharaoh heard *of it*.

Gen. 45:14-15-¹⁴ Then he fell on his brother Benjamin’s neck and **wept**, and Benjamin wept on his neck.¹⁵ He kissed all his brothers and **wept** on them, and afterward his brothers talked with him.

Gen. 50:17-Thus you shall say to Joseph, “Please forgive, I beg you, the transgression of your brothers and their sin, for they did you wrong.” And now, please forgive the transgression of the servants of the God of your father.” And Joseph **wept** when they spoke to him.

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Gen. 37:5-8-⁵ Then Joseph had a dream, and when he told it to his brothers, they hated him even more. ⁶ He said to them, “Please listen to this dream which I have had; ⁷ for behold, we were binding sheaves in the field, and lo, my sheaf rose up and also stood erect; and behold, your sheaves gathered around and **bowed** down to my sheaf.” ⁸ Then his brothers said to him, “Are you actually going to reign over us? Or are you really going to rule over us?” So they hated him even more for his dreams and for his words.

Gen. 37:9-11-⁹ Now he had still another dream, and related it to his brothers, and said, “Lo, I have had still another dream; and behold, the sun and the moon and eleven stars were **bowing** down

to me.” ¹⁰ He related *it* to his father and to his brothers; and his father rebuked him and said to him, “What is this dream that you have had? Shall I and your mother and your brothers actually come to **bow** ourselves down before you to the ground?” ¹¹ His brothers were jealous of him, but his father kept the saying *in mind*.

Gen. 42:6-Now Joseph was the ruler over the land; he was the one who sold to all the people of the land. And Joseph’s brothers came and **bowed** down to him with *their* faces to the ground.

Gen. 43:26-When Joseph came home, they brought into the house to him the present which was in their hand and **bowed** to the ground before him.

Gen. 43:28-They said, “Your servant our father is well; he is still alive.” They **bowed down** in homage.

Gen. 44:14-When Judah and his brothers came to Joseph’s house, he was still there, and they **fell to the ground before him**.

Rev. 3:9-Behold, I will cause *those* of the synagogue of Satan, who say that they are Jews and are not, but lie—**I will make them come and bow down at your feet**, and *make them* know that I have loved you.

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John 6:12 (NIV)-When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, “Gather the pieces that are left over. **Let nothing be wasted.**”

Philip. 1:19-for I know that this will turn out for my **deliverance** through your prayers and the provision of the Spirit of Jesus Christ.

Heb. 11:7-By faith Noah, being warned *by God* about things not yet seen, in reverence prepared an ark for the **salvation** of his household, by which he condemned the world, and became an heir of the righteousness which is according to faith.

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Philip. 4:19-And my God will **supply** all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

Gen. 42:7-When Joseph saw his brothers he recognized them, but he disguised himself to them and **spoke to them harshly**. And he said to them, “Where have you come from?” And they said, “From the land of Canaan, to buy food.”

Prov. 15:1-A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a **harsh word** stirs up anger.

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Gen. 41:45-Then Pharaoh named Joseph Zaphenath-paneah; and he gave him **Asenath**, the daughter of Potiphara priest of On, as his wife. And Joseph went forth over the land of Egypt.

Gen. 41:50-52-⁵⁰ Now before the year of famine came, two sons were born to Joseph, whom **Asenath**, the daughter of Potiphara priest of On, bore to him. ⁵¹ Joseph named the firstborn **Manasseh**, “For,” *he said*, “God has made me forget all my trouble and all my father’s household.” ⁵² He named the

second **Ephraim**, “For,” *he said*, “God has made me fruitful in the land of my affliction.”

Gen. 49:25-From the God of your father who helps you, and by the Almighty who blesses you *with* blessings of heaven above, Blessings of the deep that lies beneath, Blessings of the breasts and of the womb.

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Heb. 11:22-By faith Joseph, when he was dying, made mention of the exodus of the sons of Israel, and gave orders concerning his **bones**.

Exod. 13:19-Moses took the bones of Joseph with him, for he had made the sons of Israel solemnly swear, saying, “God will surely take care of you, and you shall carry my **bones** from here with you.”

Josh. 24:32-Now they buried the **bones** of Joseph, which the sons of Israel brought up from Egypt, at Shechem, in the piece of ground which Jacob had bought from the sons of Hamor the father of Shechem for one hundred pieces of money; and they became the inheritance of Joseph’s sons.

Conclusion

Num. 6:24-26-²⁴ The Lord bless you and keep you;
²⁵ The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you;
²⁶ The Lord lift up His countenance on you and give you peace.’