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Luke 24:25-27

And he said to them,
“O foolish ones, and slow of heart
to believe all that the prophets have spoken!
Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer
these things and enter into his glory?”

And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets,
he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures
the things concerning himself.

Galatians 3:13-14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us – for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree” – so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.”

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Isaiah 9:6-7

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given;
and the government shall be upon his shoulder,
and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor,
Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Of the increase of his government and of peace
there will be no end,
on the throne of David and over his kingdom,
to establish it and to uphold it
with justice and with righteousness
from this time forth and forevermore.

The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this!

Isaiah 53:2-6

He grew up before him like a young plant,
and like a root out of dry ground;
he had no form or majesty
that we should look at him,
and no beauty that we should desire him.

He was despised and rejected by men;
a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief,
and as one from whom men hide their faces
he was despised, and we esteemed him not.

Isaiah 53:2-6

Surely he has borne our griefs
and carried our sorrows;
yet we esteemed him stricken,
smitten by God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions;
he was crushed for our iniquities;
upon him was the chastisement
that brought us peace,
and with his stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53:2-6

All we like sheep have gone astray;
we have turned everyone to his own way;
and the LORD has laid on him
the iniquity of us all.

Daniel 7:13-14

I saw in the night visions, and behold,
with the clouds of heaven
there came one like a son of man,
and he came to the Ancient of Days
and was presented before him.

And to him was given dominion and glory
and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations,
and languages should serve him;
his dominion is an everlasting dominion,
which shall not pass away,
and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed.

Joel 2:28-29

And it shall come to pass afterward,
that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh;
your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
your old men shall dream dreams,
and your young men shall see visions.

Even on the male and female servants
in those days
I will pour out my Spirit.

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1 Peter 1:1-2

Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ:

To those who are elect exiles of the dispersion
in Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia,
according to the foreknowledge of God the Father,
in the sanctification of the Spirit,
for obedience to Jesus Christ
and for sprinkling with his blood:

May grace and peace be multiplied to you.

Hebrews 11:13-16

These all died in faith,
not having received the things promised,
but having seen them and greeted them from afar,
and having acknowledged that they were
strangers and exiles on the earth.

Hebrews 11:13-16

For people who speak thus make it clear
that they are seeking a homeland.

If they had been thinking of that land
from which they had gone out,
they would have had opportunity to return.

But as it is, they desire a better country,
that is, a heavenly one.

Therefore God is not ashamed
to be called their God,
for he has prepared for them a city.

Elect exiles of the diaspora:

according to	the foreknowledge of God the Father
in	the sanctification of the Spirit
for	obedience to Jesus Christ
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Romans 12:1

I appeal to you therefore, brothers,
by the mercies of God,
to present your bodies as a living sacrifice,
holy and acceptable to God,
which is your spiritual worship.

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1 Peter 1:3-5

Blessed be the God and Father
of our Lord Jesus Christ!

According to his great mercy,
he has caused us to be born again to a living hope
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ
from the dead,
to an inheritance that is imperishable,
undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you,
who by God's power are being guarded
through faith for a salvation
ready to be revealed in the last time.

1 Peter 1:6-7

In this you rejoice, though now for a little while,
if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials,
so that the tested genuineness of your faith –
more precious than gold that perishes
though it is tested by fire –
may be found to result in praise and glory
and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

1 Peter 1:8-9

Though you have not seen him,
you love him.

Though you do not now see him,
you believe in him and rejoice with joy
that is inexpressible and filled with glory,
obtaining the outcome of your faith,
the salvation of your souls.

In God I trust!

His promises (“I will be with you”)

His provision (“The LORD will provide”)

In Christ I rest!

Run the race, therefore:

resting in Christ –

trusting God,

every day and all the way!