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CAMP DAY No 2 (CONDUCTED BY GLORIA FELLOWESHIP FOR TEEN AGERS IN AUGUST 2007)

2. PRACTICAL CHRISTIAN LIFE – GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR TEEN AGERS

As part of Camp day, we gave our teen agers who attended the camp the principles to be followed for a victorious Christian life. We are listing those principles for everyone to see, including parents.

Please note that every Teen ager attending the Camp accept Jesus Christ as Saviour. They must have the assurance of salvation. They must keep themselves holy. They should keep away from all sinful ways. They must be BORN AGAIN children of God.

PRACTICAL CHRISTIAN LIFE - PRINCIPLES

SL	Subject	Description
1	PRAYER	Every Born Again child of God must live in an atmosphere of Prayer. Your day must start with a prayer to God. Thank and praise God for keeping you safe under His mighty wings in this
		cruel and sinful world. Make all your needs, concerns, and worries to God in Prayer. Pray for a happy victorious day.
		Tell Lord that you are happy because His presence is always with you. During the day, praise and thank Him in your mind as time permits. Pray for your friends and people who study or work with you.
2	Bible Study	Study your Bible every day. In Deuteronomy 6:7-9 Read the advice Moses gave. Learn to meditate on the Bible portions you read every day. God will talk to your heart through His words. Make as many Bible verses as possible by heart. Store it in your mind. There is power in the word of God. Think always of good things, which will give you success as advised by St. Paul, in Phil 4:8 Fill your mind with Bible promises, which will give you power to live victoriously.
3	Gospel Books Reading	Collect Gospel Books of preachers who lived for Christ. I will recommend the list below: Dr. Billy Graham, Andrew Murray, Oswald Chambers, Norman Vincent Peale, Dale Carnegie, C H Spurgeon, D L Moody, Sadhu Sunder Singh, Bhakth Singh, Basilea Schlink, Charles E Cowman, Clovis G Chappell, etc Read it. Keep in Memory. This will help you to grow in knowledge of the word.

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4	Faith and Trust in God	Put you Faith in the Lord for your future. Always remember, there is nothing impossible for the Lord. Everything is possible through Him. You are very special for the Lord. God loves you. Have a peaceful heart. He will take care of your Future.
5	Have a Vision about your Life	Pray to God to give you a vision for your life. Joseph's life will inspire you to have a vision about your life. Read Genesis 37:6-12 Set the vision in your Mind every day. Pray on it always. Trust in the Lord to fulfil your vision.
6	Diary writing	Make a Habit of writing a diary every day. This will help you a lot in the future. You can write in it how God keeps you safe, every day. Record your experiences which make you joyful. Also things hurting you and how God relieves you etc
7	Your Behaviour	Forgive others for their mistakes or bad deeds committed against you. Do not keep any Revenge in mind. Forgive & Forget. Be friendly with all who deals with you in life. This will make your life stress free.
8	Love people. Do not hate any one.	Love others. Respect others irrespective of their position. Do not lose temper. Control your temper always. Do not hate any one. Try to help people who are in trouble.
9	Be Honest	Be an Honest person in Life. Be honest in your studies, in your work, in your relationships with friends, co-workers, your family members etc.
10	Be Punctual	Keep Punctuality of prime importance. Fix and follow punctuality in everyday life. Getting up in the morning, Reading Bible, Meditation, Praying, going to school, office for everything follow a strict discipline in time keeping. Do not be late in attending assignments, meetings, worshipping, social gatherings etc
11	Arrange your room, home neatly	Arrange your study room, your office, your home etc. neatly. Do not throw books, papers, cloth etc. on all furniture. Be systematic in every aspect of life. Your home must be a "Sweet Home".

12	Your Life Partner	Do not Hurry: "All that glitters are not Gold". Remember this advice. Solomon was the wisest, richest, most famous King of Israel. But he failed in life. Why? Because, he chose wives who were not acceptable to God.
		Be very careful; Do not try to choose yourself in a hurry. Trust your parents. Your parents are your best friends after Lord Jesus Christ.
		More than all: Trust in the Lord. Start praying from now on. Pray this prayer. Lord," Bring to my life, a <u>Child of God only</u> , as partner at the most <u>appropriate time</u> . Thank you Lord. Praise be to your holy name. Amen