

# Bible Wordsearch

1 Corinthians 1:1-16

Puzzle #65

Fit the words in the list into the diagram below reading forward, backward, up, down, diagonally, always in a straight line.



APOLLOS	ENRICHED
APOSTLE	FAITHFUL
BAPTIZED	FELLOWSHIP
BEHALF	GAUS
BESEECH	GIFT
BLAMELESS	HOUSE
BRETHREN	JUDGMENT
CHRIST	KNOWLEDGE
CHURCH	LORD
CONFIRM	NAME
CORINTH	PAUL
CRISPUS	PERFECTLY
CRUCIFIED	TESTIMONY
DAY	TOGETHER
DECLARED	UTTERANCE
DIVISIONS	WAITING



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August 29, 2021

Sunday

Bible Study  
10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship  
11:00 a.m.

*If you are unable to join  
us in person, we invite  
you to join us on Zoom:*

Zoom ID: 938 864 9488  
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are suspended  
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## INTERRUPT THE DOWNWARD SPIRAL

Anxiety is an out of control thought pattern. It settles over the mind like a severe weather system, spewing thunderclouds and casting lightning bolts. Life feels like an airplane in a tailspin. It feeds on *what-ifs* and *worst-case scenarios*.

*What if the Coronavirus is unstoppable. What if a pandemic takes over? I'll be quarantined for weeks! The economy is sliding into a bear market. I'll lose my health. I'll lose my job. I'll lose it all. How will I survive on unemployment?*

Down. Down. Down. Don't give in to this thought pattern. It's a sinkhole. Don't catastrophize your way into quicksand. Take a deep breath and then...

1. **Pray about it.** At the first hint of an anxious thought, Take the thought captive. Don't tolerate the devil, not even for a second. Lasso the anxious thought with a word of prayer. *Lord, there is an intruder at the door! Please take over!*
2. **Identify the culprit.** Generalities are not permitted. None of this: "I'm worried." Get specific: *Lord, I'm worried about the layoffs at work.* Now, that's better. But even more detailed: *I'm worried that I will lose my job. Will I be able to find more work? Will we have to move?* Specificity disarms anxiety.
3. **Take a reality check.** Is this a legitimate concern? Or is this a vague, ill-defined, rumor-fed possibility? *They say layoffs are inevitable. Who are they?*
4. **Take an action step.** Assuming the concern is legitimate, what can you do? Make a list of two or three steps you can Resist the urge to try to solve everything immediately.
5. **Ask: "Can God solve this?"** Is this challenge within his skill set? Is he overwhelmed by this setback? Are the angels pounding on the door of heaven trying to convince him to come out of hiding? Is he resisting?

*I can't handle this challenge It is too great. I don't know what to do! I'm stumped, stuck, and stalled out.*

God is never baffled or belittled. Take the problem to him. **Reflect on Isaiah 54:17, and, pray it through.**

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## PRAYER CONCERNS

(Philippians 4:6)

### IN THE HOSPITAL

**Niylah Jacobs** (*Daughter of Skylar & Kalissha Jacobs*) remains in the St. Louis Children's Hospital, St. Louis, MO)

### RECOVERING AT HOME

**Bro. Terry Binns;** **Novah Jacobs** (*Daughter of Skylar & Kalissha Jacobs*); and **Amya Woodard** (*Granddaughter of Sis. Ann Binns*)

### OUR KBCOC FAMILY

Carolyn Binns, Paula Edwards, Mitchell Goodman, Mary Gragg, Kywanda Hines, Charles Jacobs, Marie Nolan, David Shepard, Linda Shepard, Tessie Smith, Bobbie Suber and Ben Wilson

### FAMILY & FRIENDS

Ruby Frazier, Dewayne McCray, J.J. McCray and Quinn Pinkney

### IN THE MILITARY

Blake Block, Shan Ivey & husband, Logan Malik Smith, Deshawn Suber, Kevin Trotter and all others serving in the military

Continued prayers for all families that have recently lost their loved ones

Too often, we interpret scripture to fit what we already believe rather than adjust what we believe to scripture.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY, October 3, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. : There will be a Circle of Sisters meeting and a "Loads of Love" Ministry update at the KBCOC Building.

Every Wednesday:

6:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

### "FAST AND PRAY" MINISTRY

*Pray for the needs of our Families, Fellow Christians and Our World. This will certainly make a difference for such a time as this.*

*References: Luke 2:36, 37 and 1 Timothy 5:5*

*Also, read 2 Chronicles, Chapters 15-20*

### TODAY'S VERSE

**H**ave I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9

### THOUGHTS ON TODAY'S VERSE

While these words were spoken to Joshua when he took over for Moses, they are also applicable to us. Take a moment and read Psalm 139 out loud and see that God's promise to be with us is for all who truly call upon him. Listen to Jesus' words in Matthew 28:18-20, as he promises his disciples to "be with them always, even to the close of the age." Remember God's promise, reiterated from an Old Testament blessing in Hebrews 13:5, "Never will I leave you, never will I desert you!" Let's be strong; our God, our Father, our Shepherd is always near, even if it doesn't seem so. We cannot go anywhere without his presence being near us and in us. We are not alone. We don't have to be afraid. In fact, not even death can separate us from his love (see Romans 8:35-39).

### TODAY'S PRAYER

Be near, dear Father, not only in your promise and not only with your presence, but also in my awareness. I need to know you are near when I respond to the incredible opportunities before me. I need to be confident in your help and sustaining love as I face the rigorous challenges in my life. I trust in your unfailing love. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

## Order of Worship

Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song

Scripture Reading

Song

Sermon & Invitation

Song

Offering

Communion

Closing Prayer

### SIMPLEGIVE ONLINE GIVING

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### Happy Birthday

04 Kyree McCray  
05 Jayla McCray  
11 Cornelius McCray  
12 Kelly Cogshell  
15 Crystal Harvey  
15 Cal Sheets  
18 Juerga Smith  
22 Ca'lysia Harvey  
26 Ty Nolen  
29 Christian Block  
30 Sam Vincent

01 James L. McCray

No Anniversaries on File

*The secret of happiness is not doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do.*



We hope you will find our service to be Christ centered, uplifting, warm and loving, and that you will visit us again. If we can be of assistance to you or answer questions for you, please do not hesitate to ask or call on us. Join us as we seek to praise and worship God in spirit and truth.

### CELL PHONES

Please check to make sure your cell phone is set to silent or is turned off. Ringing phones are a distraction. "Let all things be done decently and in order" ~ 1 Cor. 14:40

### WHAT MUST I DO TO BECOME SAVED?

**HEAR** the Gospel (*Romans 10:17*)

**BELIEVE** in the Gospel (*Hebrews 11:6*)

**REPENT** of your sins (*Luke 13:3*)

**CONFESS** Jesus Christ (*Romans 10:9*)

**BE BAPTIZED** for the Remission of Sins (*Acts 22:16*)

**BE FAITHFUL** unto Death (*Rev. 2:10*)



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**"What does that story of Adam and Eve teach us?"**  
**"Not to eat fruit."**