**BASE: START: SPIRITUAL BIRTH:**

Knowing Christ; Infant Stage

**MODULE 1: NEW LIFE LESSONS**

**LESSON 2: HEART TO HAVE**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

 7-lesson commitment

 Listen to the lesson through fcflife.org

 Take notes

 Try to memorize verses

**HEART QUESTIONS:**

1. Which kind of heart do \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have?

2. Which kind of heart is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to have?

3. Which kind of heart do I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to have?

**SCRIPTURE:**

***Luke 8:4-15***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*4While a large crowd was gathering and people were coming to Jesus from town after town, he told this parable: 5“A farmer went out to sow his seed. As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path; it was trampled on, and the birds ate it up. 6Some fell on rocky ground, and when it came up, the plants withered because they had no moisture. 7Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up with it and choked the plants. 8Still other seed fell on good soil. It came up and yielded a crop, a hundred times more than was sown.”*

*When he said this, he called out, “Whoever has ears to hear, let them hear.”*

*9His disciples asked him what this parable meant. 10He said, “The knowledge of the secrets of the kingdom of God has been given to you, but to others I speak in parables, so that,*

*“‘though seeing, they may not see;
    though hearing, they may not understand.’*

*11“This is the meaning of the parable: The seed is the word of God. 12Those along the path are the ones who hear, and then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, so that they may not believe and be saved. 13Those on the rocky ground are the ones who receive the word with joy when they hear it, but they have no root. They believe for a while, but in the time of testing they fall away. 14The seed that fell among thorns stands for those who hear, but as they go on their way they are choked by life’s worries, riches and pleasures, and they do not mature. 15But the seed on good soil stands for those with a noble and good heart, who hear the word, retain it, and by persevering produce a crop.*

**I. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HEARTS**

***Luke 8:5,12***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*5“A farmer went out to sow his seed. As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path; it was trampled on, and the birds ate it up.*

***12****Those along the path are the ones who hear, and then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, so that they may not believe and be saved.*

 **A. THEY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ THE WORD OF GOD**

 **B. THE WORD OF GOD GETS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ON**

 **C. THE WORD OF GOD GETS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ BY THE DEVIL**

 1. They don’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the Word of God

 2. They don’t believe

 3. They don’t get \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**II. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HEARTS**

***Luke 8:6,13***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*6Some fell on rocky ground, and when it came up, the plants withered because they had no moisture.*

*13Those on the rocky ground are the ones who receive the word with joy when they hear it, but they have no root. They believe for a while, but in the time of testing they fall away.*

 **A. THEY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ THE WORD OF GOD**

 **B. THEY RECEIVE THE WORD OF GOD GLADLY**

 **C. THEY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

1. They get tempted

 2. They didn’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***Matthew 13:5***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*5Some fell on rocky places, where it did not have much soil. It sprang up quickly, because the soil was shallow.*

 3. They wither

**III. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HEARTS**

***Luke 8:7,14***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*7Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up with it and choked the plants.*

*14The seed that fell among thorns stands for those who hear, but as they go on their way they are choked by life’s worries, riches and pleasures, and they do not mature.*

 **A. THEY HEAR THE WORD OF GOD**

 **B. THEY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ UP**

 **C. THEY DON’T PRODUCE FRUIT**

 1. They get \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 2. They don’t produce fruits of maturity

**IV. THE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HEART**

***Luke 8:8,15***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*8Still other seed fell on good soil. It came up and yielded a crop, a hundred times more than was sown.”*

*When he said this, he called out, “Whoever has ears to hear, let them hear.”*

*15But the seed on good soil stands for those with a noble and good heart, who hear the word, retain it, and by persevering produce a crop.*

 **A. THEY HEAR THE WORD OF GOD**

 **B. THEY SPRING UP**

 **C. THEY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ THE WORD OF GOD**

 **D. THEY BEAR FRUIT**

 1. With \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 2. Many times over

***Matthew 13:8***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*8Still other seed fell on good soil, where it produced a crop—a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown.*

**Suggested Memory Verses:**

***Proverbs 4:23***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*23Above all else, guard your heart,
    for everything you do flows from it.*

***Matthew 13:23***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*23But the seed falling on good soil refers to someone who hears the word and understands it. This is the one who produces a crop, yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown.”*

**Bonus Memory Verse:** Jeremiah 17:9

***Jeremiah 17:9***

*New International Version (NIV)*

*9The heart is deceitful above all things
    and beyond cure.
    Who can understand it?*