

A Verse to Remember 7

This is totally your study. Nobody will be instructing you and nobody will be grading you. It will just be you, your Bible, these lessons, your own paper, and of course, the Holy Spirit guiding and teaching you.

VERSE	Psalm 84:11
TEXT - NKJV	<i>For the Lord is a sun and shield; The Lord will give grace and glory; No good will He withhold from those who walk uprightly.</i>

BOOK	The Psalms
PURPOSE OF BOOK	There are different books within the Psalms which musically express worship to God.

CHAPTER	84
THEME OF CHAPTER	This psalm is part of the "Zion" collection which makes a big deal about the "House of God" = Tabernacle = Temple = the central place of worship = The Presence of God.

Our life is obviously a journey; we are supposed to be in motion, on the move.

Match the verse with the description of how we should "walk" in this life:

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| Ephesians 5:8 _____ | Psalm 119:105 _____ |
| 2 Corinthians 5:7 _____ | Isaiah 43:2 _____ |
| Galatians 5:16 _____ | Colossians 4:5-6 _____ |
| Ephesians 5:15 _____ | Genesis 5:24 _____ |
| Isaiah 40:31 _____ | Deuteronomy 6:7 _____ |
| Hebrews 12:1-2 _____ | |

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| a. Walk by the way | g. Walk through fire |
| b. Walk with strength | h. Walk wisely |
| c. Walk by faith | i. Walk on a path |
| d. Walk with God | j. Walk by the Spirit |
| e. Walk as children of light | k. Walk in wisdom |
| f. Run a race | |

Did you notice that these verses describe our lives. We can't live our lives without God, without strength, without faith, without the Spirit, without wisdom. It will be a race sometimes, through fire sometimes, with lots of godless people sometimes or on a new and scary path sometimes.

Moses and Gideon both said, "I can't live the life you are asking of me."

God answered:

Exodus 3:12 _____

Judges 6:16 _____

The writer of Psalm 84 knew the answer: "I need the **presence of God** in my life."

His attitude was: (1-2) I really want God's presence in my life

(3-4) I am satisfied with God's presence in my life

(5-7) I get strength with God's presence in my life

(8) I pray more with God's presence in my life

(9) I have God's attention with His presence in my life

(10-12) I realize God greatness with His presence in my life

List three things that are great about God. (84:11)

For the Lord God is a _____

The Lord will give _____

No good thing _____

In a world full of strangers, evil, loneliness, fear, weakness, and false gods, we need light for the way (SUN), protection (SHIELD), strength for the moment (GRACE), hope for the future (GLORY), and rewards for obedience (GOOD).

How does this verse encourage you? _____
