

A scenic landscape featuring a sunset sky with warm orange and red tones. Below the sky, there are dark, silhouetted mountains and a vast sea of white clouds. The foreground shows a dark, forested hillside. The text is centered in a light blue rounded rectangle.

*52 Scriptures  
to hold in your heart  
in 2023*

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

1 Corinthians 15:58

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

1 John 4:18

There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.

1 John 5:14-15

And we are confident that he hears us whenever we ask for anything that pleases him. And since we know he hears us when we make our requests, we also know that he will give us what we ask for.

1 Peter 3:3-4

Your beauty should not come from outward adornment, such as elaborate hairstyles and the wearing of gold jewelry or fine clothes. Rather, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight.

1 Peter 4:10

God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.

2 Corinthians 4:16-18

So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen.

2 Corinthians 12:9-10

Each time he said, "My grace is all you need. My power works best in weakness."  
So now I am glad to boast about my weaknesses so that the power of Christ can work through me. That's why I take pleasure in my weaknesses, and in the insults, hardships, persecutions, and troubles that I suffer for Christ. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

Acts 16:31

They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved, along with everyone in your household."

Colossians 3:1-2

Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on the realities of heaven, where Christ sits in the place of honor at God's right hand. Think about the things of heaven, not the things of earth.

Colossians 3:17

And whatever you do or say, do it as a representative of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through him to God the Father.

Exodus 14:14

The Lord himself will fight for you. Just stay calm.

Galatians 5:22-23

But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

Galatians 6:9

So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up.

My health may fail,  
and my spirit may  
grow weak, but God  
remains the strength  
of my heart; he is  
mine forever.

PSALM 73:26

Isaiah 43:2

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze.

Isaiah 54:13

I will teach all your children, and they will enjoy great peace

Isaiah 66:13

As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you; and you will be comforted over Jerusalem.

James 1:5

If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking.

James 1:22

Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.

Jeremiah 17:7-8

But blessed are those who trust in the Lord and have made the Lord their hope and confidence. They are like trees planted along a riverbank, with roots that reach deep into the water. Such trees are not bothered by the heat or worried by long months of drought.

Their leaves stay green, and they never stop producing fruit.

John 15:13

Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends.

Lamentations 3:22-23

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Matthew 6:31-34

So don't worry about these things, saying, 'What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear?' These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers, but your heavenly Father already knows all your needs. Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need. So don't worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring its own worries.

Today's trouble is enough for today.

Philippians 4:8

And now, dear brothers and sisters, one final thing. Fix your thoughts on what is true, and honorable, and right, and pure, and lovely, and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise.

Philippians 4:11-12

Not that I was ever in need, for I have learned how to be content with whatever I have. I know how to live on almost nothing or with everything. I have learned the secret of living in every situation, whether it is with a full stomach or empty, with plenty or little.

Proverbs 8:11

For wisdom is more precious than rubies, and nothing you desire can compare with her.

Proverbs 13:20

Walk with the wise and become wise; associate with fools and get in trouble

Proverbs 29:25

Fear of man will prove to be a snare, but whoever trusts in the Lord is kept safe.

Proverbs 31:28

Her children rise up and call her blessed; Her husband also, and he praises her.

Proverbs 31:29

Many women do noble things, but you will surpass them all.

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PROVERBS 31:29

Psalm 27:1

The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid?

Psalm 31:24

Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the Lord!

Psalm 34:4-5, 8

I sought the LORD, and He answered me and delivered me from all my fears. Those who look to Him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed. Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him!

Psalm 34:17-19

The Lord hears his people when they call to him for help. He rescues them from all their troubles. The Lord is close to the brokenhearted; he rescues those whose spirits are crushed. The righteous person faces many troubles, but the Lord comes to the rescue each time.

Psalm 73:26

My health may fail, and my spirit may grow weak, but God remains the strength of my heart; he is mine forever.

Psalm 94:18-19

When I thought, "My foot slips," Your steadfast love, O LORD, helped me up. When the cares of my heart are many, Your consolations cheer my soul.

Psalm 100:5

For the Lord is good. His unfailing love continues forever, and his faithfulness continues to each generation.

Psalm 107:1

Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; his love endures forever.



Psalm 118:5-6

In my distress, I prayed to the Lord, and the Lord answered me and set me free.  
The Lord is for me, so I will have no fear. What can mere people do to me?

Psalm 128:1-2

How joyful are those who fear the Lord— all who follow his ways! You will enjoy  
the fruit of your labor. How joyful and prosperous you will be!

Romans 1:11-12

I long to see you so that I may impart to you some spiritual gift to make you  
strong—that is, that you and I may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith

Romans 8:28

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him,  
who have been called according to his purpose.

Romans 8:31

What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be  
against us?

Romans 8:38-39

For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither  
the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor  
anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that  
is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 12:3

Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen  
you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous hand.

Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that  
you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.