

Study for Children 6-10 years of Age



In The Image Of God

The Nature of Man



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Children song from the French
Hymnal. Not translated.

558. Deux mains pour servir

Deux mains pour servir le Maître,
Deux pieds pour aller partout
Dire à tous: nous voulons être,
Au bon Sauveur humble et doux.

**Seigneur, prends toute ma vie,
Mon cœur et ma volonté;
Que jamais je ne t'oublie,
Dieu de grâce et de bonté.**



558. Deux mains pour servir

Deux oreilles pour entendre
Le vrai message du ciel;
La mémoire pour apprendre
Les leçons de l'Éternel.

**Seigneur, prends toute ma vie,
Mon cœur et ma volonté;
Que jamais je ne t'oublie,
Dieu de grâce et de bonté.**



558. Deux mains pour servir

Deux yeux pour lire le livre
Qu'il faut aimer toujours plus;
C'est le pain qui nous fait vivre,
Qui nous rend forts en Jésus.

**Seigneur, prends toute ma vie,
Mon cœur et ma volonté;
Que jamais je ne t'oublie,
Dieu de grâce et de bonté.**



558. Deux mains pour servir

Un cœur pour être le trône
Où doit régner le Seigneur,
Une vie à toi se donne
Toute entière, ô Créateur!

**Seigneur, prends toute ma vie,
Mon cœur et ma volonté;
Que jamais je ne t'oublie,
Dieu de grâce et de bonté.**





PRAYER

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IN THE IMAGE OF GOD?

GENESIS 1: 26-27



WHO WAS CREATED IN THE IMAGE OF GOD?

THE PLANTS?



THE PLANTS

Genesis 1: 11

11 And God said, **Let the earth bring forth grass,** the **herb** yielding seed, [and] the **fruit tree** yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed [is] in itself, upon the earth: and it was so.

God does not say in His word that He created plants in His image.

THE ANIMALS?



THE ANIMALS

Genesis 1: 24-25

24 And God said, **Let the earth bring forth the living creature** after his kind, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth after his kind: and it was so.

25 **And God made the beast of the earth after his kind**, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind: and God saw that [it was] good.

God also does not say in His word that He created animals in His image even though they feel certain things and even though they can be very intelligent.

Mankind?



MANKIND

Genesis 1: 26-27

• **26** And God said, **Let us make man in our image, after our likeness:** and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

• **27** **So God created man in his [own] image,** in the image of God created he him; **male and female** created he them.

*In His word God Himself says that He created **MALE** and **FEMALE** in His **IMAGE**, so humans were created in the image of God.*

Genesis 2:7

How did God create mankind?

" And the LORD God **formed man** [of] **the dust of the ground**, and breathed into his nostrils the **breath of life**; and man became a **living soul**."

3/MAN BECAME A LIVING SOUL

= MANKIND

2/GOD BREATHED INTO HIS NOSTRILS
THE BREATH OF LIFE

BREATH OF LIFE

1/GOD FORMED MAN OF THE DUST OF
THE GROUND



THE BODY +



1 Thessalonians 5:23

23 And the very God of peace sanctify **you wholly**; and [I pray God] your whole **spirit and soul and body** be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*My being is
composed
Of my body,
Of my mind
And of my soul*

You wholly

=

ME

=

SPIRIT

SOUL

BODY

THE NATURE OF MAN

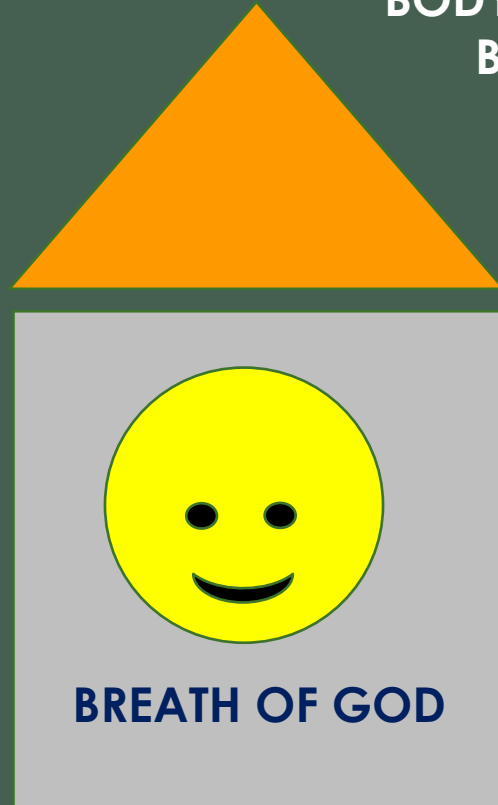
ME

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SPIRIT
SOUL
BODY



BODY = PHYSICAL ENVELOPE (what we see) THE HOUSE.
BREATH OF GOD = SPIRIT + SOUL (what's inside).



Job 12:10: "In whose hand [is] the **soul** of every living thing, and the **breath** of all mankind."

Job 32:8 : " But [there is] a spirit in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding."

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SPIRIT
SOUL
BODY

WHAT ARE THE
DIFFERENT
FACULTIES
BEHIND:
SPIRIT
SOUL
BODY

- **PHYSICAL**
- Body
- Feelings/Emotions
- Senses (sight, smell, taste, touch, hearing)...

BODY

- **MENTAL**
- Reason
- Knowledge
- Intelligence
- Wisdom...

- **SPIRITUAL**
- Faith and faithfulness
- Love and empathy
- Kindness and benevolence...

SPIRIT/SOUL

Galatians 5: 19-21

19 Now the **works of the flesh** are manifest, which are [these];

Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness,

20 Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies,

21 Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like:

Galatians 5: 22

22 But the **fruit of the Spirit** is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness*, faith,

* Character or quality consisting of being good, gentle and forgiving.

THE BODY OR THE FLESH

***Our body is the seat of our passions commonly called lower or inferior passions;** because if they are not subjugated people will do silly things such as: arguing with their brothers and sisters or with their Friends, or eating lots of ice cream or cake, or getting angry, or envying what someone else has...*

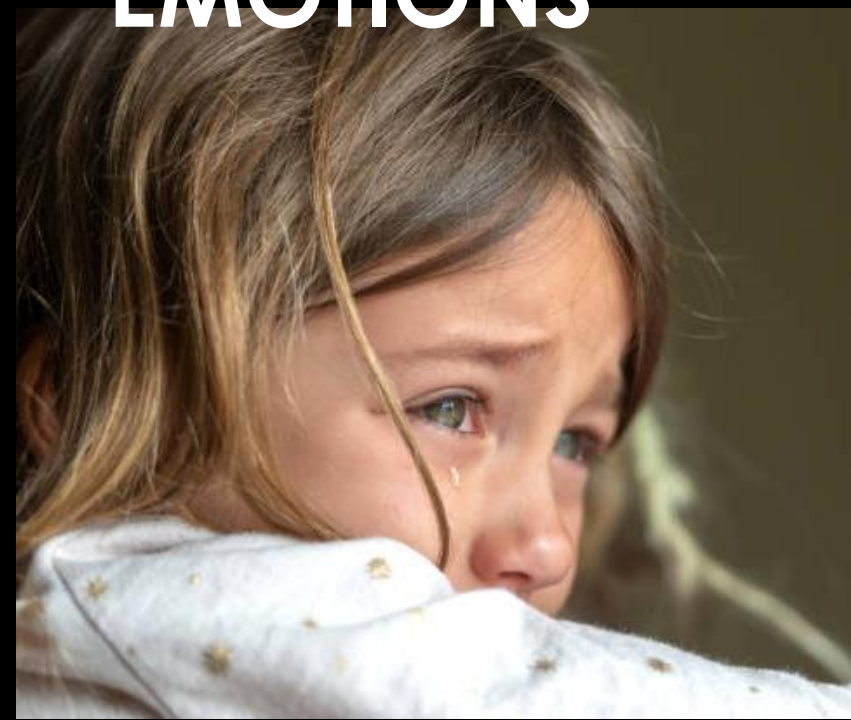
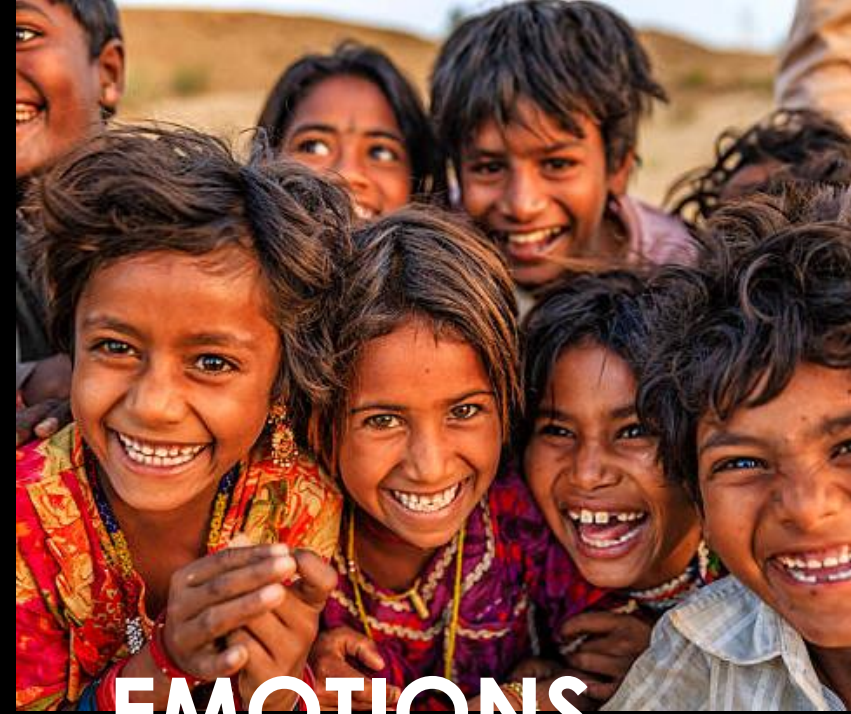
***Our emotions** are also part of our lower passions; they must never dictate our actions:
For example: if you get angry and want to break your toys, will this anger guide you or will you control yourself?*

THE BODY AND THE FLESH: SEAT OF OUR LOWER PASSIONS



GLUTTONY





EMOTIONS

GOD ALSO HAS FEELINGS AND EMOTIONS

Nahum 1:2

“ God [is] **jealous**, and the LORD revengeth; the LORD revengeth, and [is] **furious**; the LORD will take vengeance on his adversaries, and he reserveth [**wrath**] for his enemies.”

Isaiah 65:19

“ And I will **rejoice** in Jerusalem, and **joy** in my people: and the voice of weeping shall be no more heard in her, nor the voice of crying.”

Psalms 145:8

“ The LORD [is] **gracious**, and **full of compassion**; slow to **anger**, and of great **mercy**.”

The Soul And The Spirit

Are the seat of the higher powers, because it is these powers that must dominate our whole person and allow us to be in the image of God in our everyday behaviour with our family and friends.

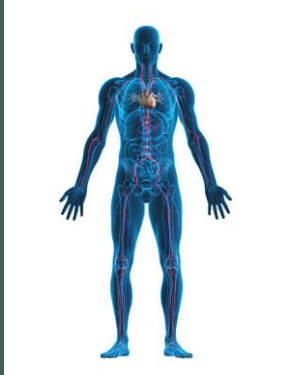
That is why our mind and soul must be nourished with good knowledge and good sources of information.

It's a bit like a library in our brain that we are going to fill with good books!!! Books that increase our knowledge about everything around us and help us to grow!

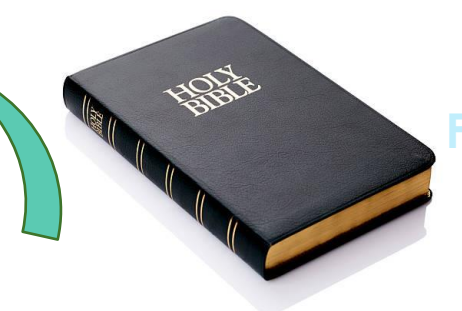
*Our lower passions must **be controlled by our will**. It is not easy to have a good will; we have to practice it every day. But the will is nourished by the knowledge we will have acquired of what surrounds us.*

For example: If you feel like eating an ice cream, then another one... are you just going to eat all the ice cream you crave, or do know that eating too much ice cream will make you sick because there is too much sugar? No, you will exercise your will and reason thanks to your library of knowledge!!!

THE SOUL / THE SPIRIT: SEAT OF OUR HIGHER POWERS



TEMPERANCE



FAITH

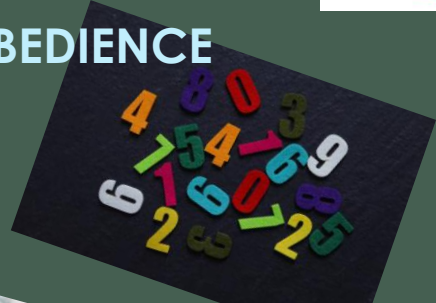


PEACE



COMPASSION

OBEDIENCE



WISDOM



KNOWLEDGE



WILL



EQUALITY



For example:
My knowledge **on equality** allows me
To make good behavioural choices.

DIFFERENT BUT ALL EQUAL



Handicaps



Religions



Occupations



Responsibilities

Parents can help us to fill out our library
Or exercise our will.



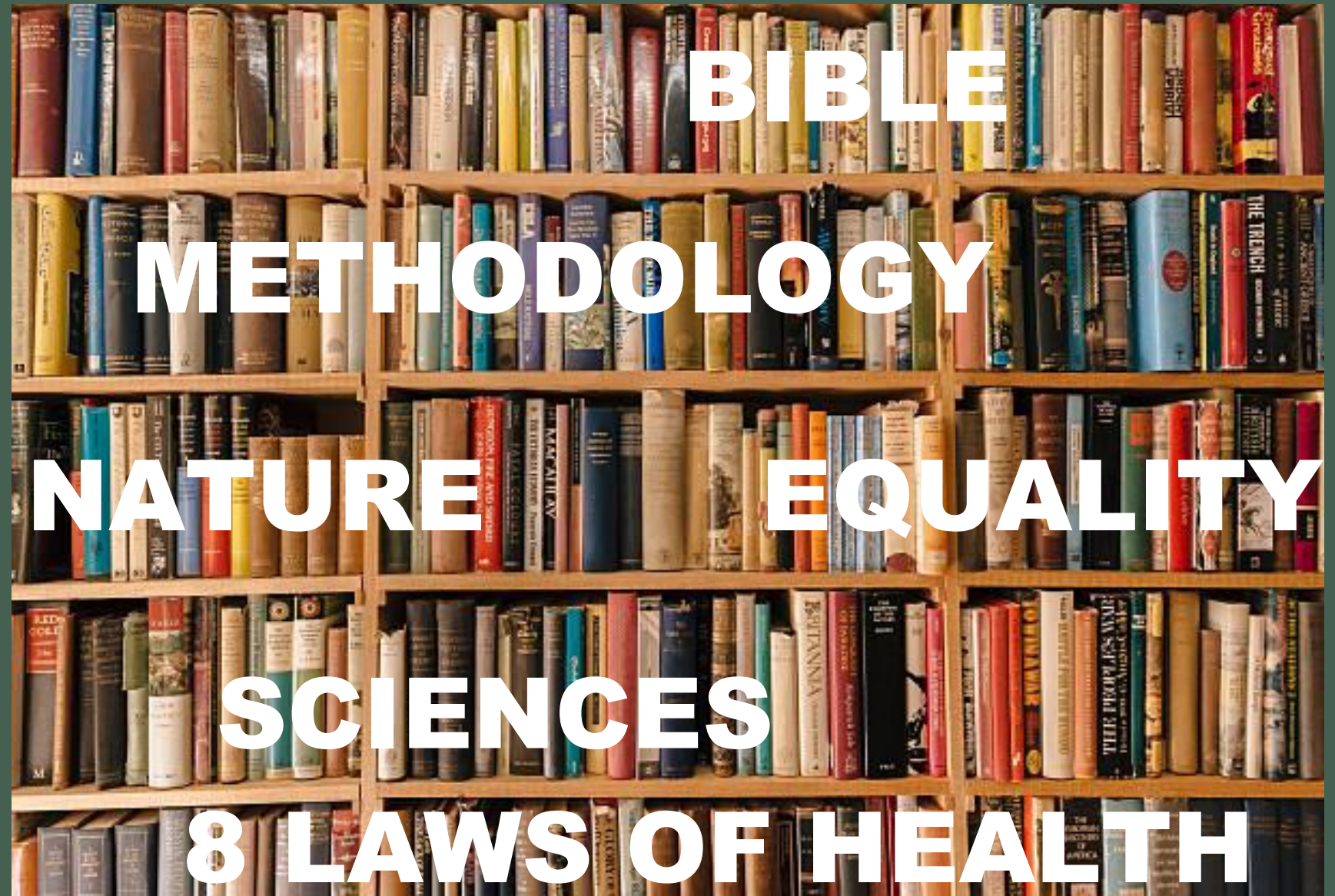
THE PARENTS



PRECIOUS HELPS



**SOUL/SPIRIT
MUST BE FED**



BIBLE

METHODOLOGY

NATURE

EQUALITY

SCIENCES

8 LAWS OF HEALTH

THE BODY AND THE SPIRIT

THE 8 LAWS OF HEALTH



REST



SUNSHINE



NUTRITION



WATER



TRUST IN GOD



AIR



TEMPERANCE



EXERCISE

CONCLUSION:

HAPPY, TOLERANT, OBEDIENT AND WISE CHILDREN : IN THE IMAGE OF GOD!



THERE'S A TRANSFORMATION IN MY LIFE



THE THINGS I USED TO DO } TER
I WON'T DO IT AGAIN }
THERE'S A TRANSFORMATION IN MY LIFE } TER

THE THINGS I USE TO EAT } TER
I WON'T EAT IT AGAIN }
THERE'S A TRANSFORMATION IN MY LIFE } TER

THE THINGS I USED TO DRINK } TER
I WON'T DRINK IT AGAIN }
THERE'S A TRANSFORMATION IN MY LIFE } TER

THE THINGS I USED TO SAY } TER
I WON'T SAY IT AGAIN }
THERE'S A TRANSFORMATION IN MY LIFE } TER



THE END



PRAYER