Web Resources for Leaders and Growing Christians

This is a list of some web resources for adults, LifeGroup Leaders and Life Classes Teachers. Of course, there are too many good web-sites to mention. But these are some of the top sites.

General

<u>Christianwebsite.com</u> This is a site that will provide a variety of resources from "the best of", to software suggestions, and even ideas for parents.

<u>Servehim.com</u> Highlights the top 200 Christian websites on one page. There is a wealth of information and resources indexed on this site. You may find yourself coming back to this page again and again.

<u>CrossWalk.com</u> —CrossWalk takes advantage of the latest web technologies to create an attractive, easy to navigate website. You can listen to one of their ten CrossWalk radio stations or browse one of their channels ranging in topic from homeschooling to movies. Be sure to check out their newly released <u>Biblestudytools.com</u>. They offer a wide variety of resources for Bible study, Christian living, Commentaries, Blogs, Videos, and a tab dedicated to learning more about Jesus Christ.

<u>SeekGod.org</u> or <u>God.net</u> This is an excellent site to study a variety of Bible topics. It is especially good as a resource for developing a relationship with God and spiritual growth. A unique section is called the Freedom Series, which helps believers gain victory over addictions.

Bible Study Tools

BacktotheBible.org This is the organizational site of the international ministry of Back to the Bible, and highlights the Bible Teaching of Dr. Woodrow Kroll.

Bible.org This site contains resources for the serious Bible Student. There are sermon based studies theological course modules that can be downloaded. Excellent.

BibleGateway.com In 1995, there were less than 200,000 total websites on the Internet. Bible Gateway was there! (ChristianWebsite.com also went online in 1995. Bible Gateway is certainly not up to date with all the "cool" Web 2.0 gadgets and gizmos, and there are other Bible search sites that provide more features. But when it comes to searching the Bible, no site is easier or quicker to use than Bible Gateway. That's why it ranks as the #1 most visited Christian website on the Internet.

<u>Biblestudytools.com</u> This is Crosswalk's Bible Study resource. This site offers easy to navigate Bible Study tools, Original Language tools, reference materials, study resources, and even multilingual sources. It also offers Bible reading plans, and an online library

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<u>ChristianAnswers.net</u> – This is a great site that you can turn to in order to prepare a Bible lesson. The site is packed with over 45,000 articles and provides Biblical answers to many of the most commonly asked questions. You can also read movie reviews, game reviews, articles for teens or explore the kid's section

<u>CCEL.org</u> – The Christian Classics Ethereal Library is an nonline library containing hundreds of classic Christian books, Bible outlines and commentaries. The site is simple, easy to navigate and provides the books in several formats or you can view and search them online.

<u>Christianity.com</u> – This site has Bible tools, study and sermon resources, devotionals, games and articles. You can also tune in to Christian radio and listen to your favorite Christian music or maybe catch the latest broadcast from John MacArthur, Chuck Swindoll or Dennis Rainey.

<u>Jesus.org</u> This is a great site that is focused on the person and work of Christ. It highlights articles by various conservative pastors and teachers.

Studylight.org This sight has a variety of resources for study, and it offers weekly articles.

The Wiersbe Bible Commentary: The Complete New Testament

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These commentaries by Warren W. Wiersbe can be accessed on these web sites or the sets can be purchased.

Doctrine

Basics of Theology by Ryrie This is a single volume that covers the basics of systematic theology

<u>Major Bible Themes</u> This book was written by Lewis Sperry Chafer and revised by John F. Walvoord, both theology professors at Dallas Theological Seminary. 52 major Bible Themes simplified and explained.

Family

Focusonthefamily.com

Familylifetoday.com

Family Cont'd

Love & Respect Workbook by Dr Emerson Eggerichs.

This workbook is based on the book by the same name. Husbands and wives will learn simple and effective keys for talking to, thinking about,, and treating each other to build their relationship into one that is all that God intended.

Parentingresources

Encouraging messages from Pastor John Piper on parenting

Finances

<u>Crown.org</u> Crown Financial Ministries is the Christian organization that helps people on their journey to true financial freedom. There are a variety of financial tools, articles, media resources.

Financial Peace University Link Financial Peace University is a resource to help believers manage finances God's way. We also offer FPU as a Life Class.

Leadership

<u>Christianitytoday.com/le/</u> Leadership journal is an online magazine that address Christian and church leadership issues. Those who are leaders will love this site.

<u>Spiritual Leadership</u> by Oswald Sanders This book is one of the best books ever written on Spiritual Leadership. It is available on line and may be purchased.

News

<u>BreakingChristiannews.com</u> A unique approach to news from a Christian Perspective. Both current and past articles are available.

Social Networking

MyPraize.com – Social networking has exploded in popularity over the last couple of years. MyPraize.com is the Christian alternative to MySpace. If you've spent more than 5 minutes on MySpace you know why a Christian alternative is needed. If you can't get enough of social networking sites or you're fed up with the trash on MySpace, give MyPraize a try. As with any social networking tool, one must be wise and use a good measure of discernment in the connections that are made and the information you share.

Videos

Godtube.com If you are familiar with youtube.com, then you will understand this site. The big difference of course, is that Godtube has a narrow focus of videos that only relate to God and Christianity. It highlights videos of the cute to the professional, from the funny to glorious worship.