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INTRODUCING 14:6 - The Way

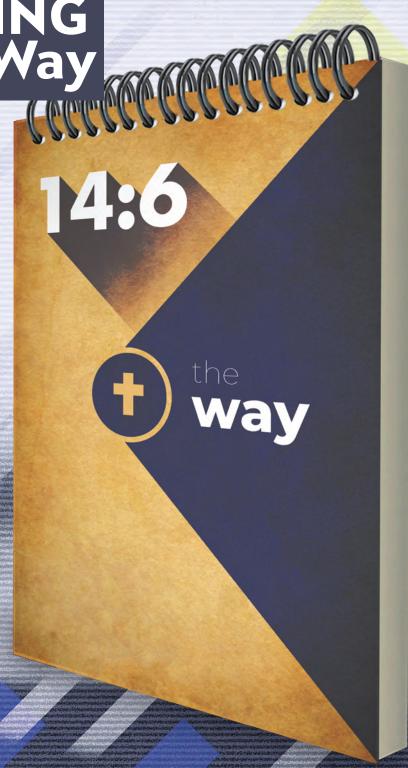
Can you share the gospel using Scripture?

A recent poll indicated that the number one reason Christians don't share their faith is a lack of gospel knowledge. Let SMF's new memory course, 14:6 - The Way, help you change the trend! 14:6 - The Way provides a systematic overview of the gospel with weekly memory verses and study material.

Memorize 1-3 verses each week for 28 weeks. Learn to answer seven gospel-centric questions such as "Who is God?" and "What went wrong?" Deepen your understanding of God's Word using the included study material, and practice your verses using the downloadable verse cards.

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"In today's fast-paced society, it's easy to find ourselves trying to keep up with its pace. Beyond just telling us how to save time, the world constantly instructs us on how to use our time. But is living a fast-paced life worth it if we miss the most important things?

"As I've recently experienced my life getting busier, I've been challenged to ask, 'How will I use the time God has given me? What do I value as most important?' Amidst the busyness, I've found I need to depend more on God's

Word and its truths. I need to have these transforming truths at the forefront of my mind and within my heart. God's Word should be at the center of my life, not on the back burner.

"Taking time to memorize isn't always easy—especially in a culture that belittles God's Word. But what the world has to offer will not last. Only the Word of God will remain (Isa. 40:8), and the fruit that its internalization produces will never perish."

INDONESIA UPDATE

by Phil Walker

14:6 - The Way: Starting Strong in Indonesia

"At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison—" (Col. 4:3)



"Paul asked prayer for open gospel doors. We are encouraged to see God fulfill this petition in Indonesia, the world's largest Muslim-majority country. SMF's newest memory course, 14:6 - The Way, is starting strong! Our partners in the country and stateside are excited about the enthusiastic commitment of schools and other groups to memorize 14:6. The new work is proving exceptionally fruitful on the island of Nias. Lord willing, this will be only the tip of the iceberg. We expect several more schools to utilize the course once the new school year begins. Please pray for more open doors for Bible memory in Indonesia using 14:6 - The Way."

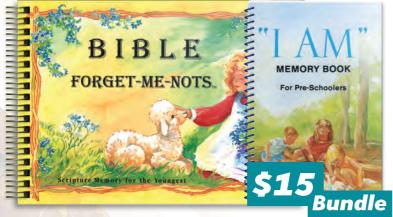
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SCRIPTURE MEMORY RESOURCES

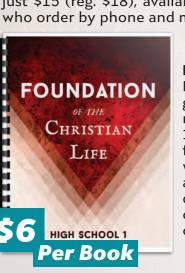






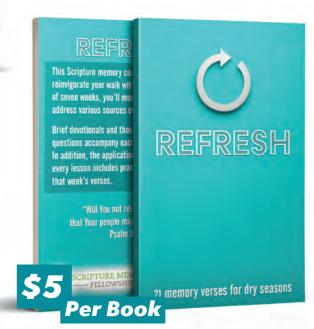
Bible Forget-Me-Nots/"I AM" Memory Book

Take advantage of your infants' powerful memory capacity with the *Bible Forget-Me-Nots* and "*I Am*" memory books. These memory courses have sweet verses for the very youngest memorizers in bright, colorful memory books. Read them, sing them, and your child will learn them earlier than you thought possible! Get the NKJV bundle for just \$15 (reg. \$18), available exclusively to those who order by phone and mention this offer.



The Classics

Since its release last year, *The Classics* has become one of SMF's most popular resources. Discover for yourself what other people are talking about! *The Classics* is a simple memory course of 100 key Bible verses everyone should know. The bundle includes a memory booklet with memory tips and application questions, perforated verse cards, and a verse card wallet. Available in ESV, NKJV, or KJV.



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One degree at a time, the summer of spiritual growth can give way to the winter of complacency. *Refresh* is designed to help reinvigorate your walk with God. Over the course of seven weeks, you'll memorize 21 verses that address various sources of spiritual drought. Devotionals and thought-provoking study questions accompany each week's memory verses. End your soul's stagnancy today with *Refresh*. Available in ESV, NKJV, or KJV.

Foundation of the Christian Life

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MINISTRY UPDATE:

"The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever." (Isaiah 40:8)

Scripture Memory Fellowship's home state, Texas, is currently enduring one of the hottest summers on record. In July, temperatures exceeded 100 degrees a total of 27 days. Despite my best efforts to keep my lawn healthy and green, the words of Isaiah 40:8 have proven true: "The grass withers, the flower fades...."

Like a Texas summer, the last two years have been uncharacteristically difficult for everyone. Perhaps the landscape of your life has been dramatically altered. As you survey the damage caused by a global pandemic, inflation, and political turmoil, does Isaiah 40:8 ring true?

For believers, our hope isn't found in the possibility of greener grass and better circumstances. Instead, we call to mind the changelessness of our God and the timeless truths of His Word (Lam. 3:21-24; Psa. 119:89). Scripture Memory Fellowship exists to help you succeed in this effort, and I'm excited to say this mission has significantly advanced in the last several months. In addition to the launch of 14:6 – The Way (pg. 1), SMF's annual week of Scripture Memory Camp was a tremendous success. We also finished the development of a brand-new memory course, Overcoming Stress, which will launch in October.

Looking ahead, 14:6 – The Truth is in the early stages of development and will feature 84 verses on life's biggest questions. If you'd like to invest in this initiative and help defray the \$14,000 printing cost, please consider donating at scripturememory.com/donate. SMF has experienced a decline in giving during the summer months, so your financial support is particularly helpful at this time.

It's uncertain what tomorrow will bring, but amid life's ever-changing circumstances, may your strength be renewed as you remember the words of our Lord Jesus: "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away" (Matt. 24:35).

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