

How are we to receive affliction ?
Who is the truly happy man ?
Describe the blessings of wisdom ?

LESSONS.

1. Obedience brings divine favor and peace.
2. If we own God He will guide our steps.
3. If we honor God with our substance He will bless us.
4. The Lord chastens us to correct our faults.
5. The best possession we can have is true wisdom.

THE FAME OF SOLOMON.

29 November.

Les. 1 Ki. 10: 1-10. Gol. Text, Matt. 12: 42.
Mem. vs. 6-8. Catechism Q. 67-69.

- I. The Queen's Visit. vs. 1-3.
- II. The Queen's Amazement. vs. 4-7.
- III. The Queen's Blessing. vs. 8-10.

QUESTIONS.

Where was Sheba ?
For what purpose did the queen of Sheba visit Solomon ?
What presents did she bring ?
What did she do on her arrival ?
How did Solomon show his wisdom ?
What did the queen say of what she saw and heard ?
To whom did she ascribe the glory of Solomon's wisdom ?
What did Jesus say about Himself in our Golden Text ?
How is He greater than Solomon ?
What is said of His wisdom, in John 7: 46 ?
What did He say about His own glorious origin ? John 17: 1, 5.
Who came to visit the infant Jesus ? Matt. 2: 1-12.
What gifts did they bring ?
What gift does Jesus ask of us ?
What is said in Saturday's Reading about Jesus' glory now ?

LESSONS.

1. We should be eager to see Christ and behold His glory.
2. Christ will answer all our questions for us.
3. The glory of Christ far surpasses all reports of it.
4. They are happy who are continually in Christ's presence.

5. We should give to our King the best things we have.

SOLOMON'S SIN.

6 December.

Les. 1 Ki. 11: 4-13. Gol. Text, 1 Cor. 10: 12.
Mem. vs. 9-10. Catechism Q. 70-72.

- I. Turned Away from God. vs. 4-8.
- II. Incurring the Anger of God. vs. 9-11.
- III. Mercy for David's Sake. vs. 12-13.

QUESTIONS.

How had Solomon disobeyed God's plain commands ?
What was the result upon his life ?
What gods did he go after ?
What is said of him in verse 6 ?
How did he publicly establish idolatry ?
Where did he build the heathen altars ?
What made Solomon's idolatry especially wicked ?
What punishment did the Lord foretell ?
What forbearance did He promise ?
For whose sake did He do this ?
What will surely cause the Lord to depart from us ?
For whose sake will He show mercy toward us ?

LESSONS.

1. Many lives are ruined by bad friendships.
2. When the heart is wrong all goes wrong.
3. Sin always meets divine displeasure.
4. When we are unfaithful God takes His work from us.
5. The blessing of a good father passes to his son.

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