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ARE YOU...

Alone, Depressed, Addicted, Stressed,
Cheated, Experiencing Conflict or Temptation,
Considering Suicide, Curious?

NEEDING...

Hope, Peace, Joy, Comfort, Purpose,
Forgiveness, God?

READ ON...

ARE YOU...

Alone?

Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you. Deuteronomy 31:6 Page 224

I will never leave you nor forsake you.
Hebrews 13:5 Page 1169

Depressed?

Casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.
1 Peter 5:7 Page 1178

Addicted?

So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.
John 8:36 Page 1031

Stressed?

Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
Matthew 11:28 Page 931

Cheated?

It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man.
Psalm 118:8 Page 619

Experiencing Conflict or Temptation?

Pursue righteousness, faith, love, and peace, along with those who call on the Lord from a pure heart.
2 Timothy 2:22 Page 1155

Considering Suicide?

The snares of death encompassed me; the pangs of Sheol laid hold on me; I suffered distress and anguish. Then I called on the name of the Lord: "O Lord, I pray, deliver my soul!" Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; our God is merciful.
Psalm 116:3-5 Page 618

NEEDING...

Hope?

Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the Lord! Psalm 31:24 Page 575

Peace?

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. John 14:27 Page 1040

Joy?

Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit. Psalm 51:12 Page 586

Comfort?

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction ... 2 Corinthians 1:3, 4 Page 1118

Purpose?

The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. Ecclesiastes 12:13 Page 667

Forgiveness?

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:8, 9 Page 1181

God?

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. John 1:1 Page 1019

GOD IS THE ANSWER!

Calling to God

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

Psalm 51:1

Page 585

God's invitation to you

Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

Isaiah 1:18

Page 672

Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Matthew 11:28

Page 931

Responding to God

Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

James 4:7, 8

Page 1173

What God does for you

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Psalm 23

Page 572

GOD WANTS YOU TO KNOW HIM

God loves you

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

John 3:16

Page 1022

But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8

Page 1092

All are sinners

We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away.

Isaiah 64:6

Page 723

As it is written: "None is righteous, no, not one."

Romans 3:10

Page 1090

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Romans 3:23

Page 1090

So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

James 4:17

Page 1173

God's remedy for your sin

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 6:23

Page 1093

For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

Romans 10:13

Page 1097

For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

1 Corinthians 15:3, 4

Page 1115

Your response

Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near. Isaiah 55:6 Page 716

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9 Page 1181

Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me. Revelation 3:20 Page 1190

Receiving Christ

And saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."

Mark 1:15 Page 956

He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.

John 1:11, 12 Page 1019

Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. Romans 10:9 Page 1097

A Prayer

Dear God, I confess that I have sinned and done wrong. I believe that your Son, Jesus Christ, took the punishment that I deserve by dying on the cross and I thank you. I also believe that you raised him from the dead. I now receive Jesus as my Saviour and Lord. Amen

God's promises

Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgement, but has passed from death to life.

John 5:24 Page 1025

My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand.

John 10:27, 28

Page 1034

...these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

John 20:31

Page 1047

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life.

1 John 5:13

Page 1184

WHAT NOW?

Obey God

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.

Deuteronomy 6:5–7

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Seek A Church

After making your decision to receive Christ, we encourage you to seek a local church, congregation, or assembly that will assist you in growing as a new Christian by the clear teaching of the Bible.

Read

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.

Deuteronomy 6:5–7

Page 196

This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.

Joshua 1:8

Page 229

For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.

Romans 15:4

Page 1101

Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth.

2 Timothy 2:15

Page 1154

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16, 17

Page 1155

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life.

1 John 5:13

Page 1184

Pray

To help you start praying, we have suggested a number of prayers that will help you to speak to God. When you pray regularly you will soon want to add prayers in your own words.

Before reading the Bible

Dear Lord, as I read your book, help me to understand what you want to show me today. May your words inspire me to live the way you teach and to put you first and others before myself. Amen

In search of faith

Dear God, I find it difficult to know what to believe. Help me to trust you and what you say in the Bible even though I don't understand everything. Amen

Seeking guidance

Lord God, help me to find the way forward for my life. I am not sure what to do next, so I ask you to give me wisdom and confidence. Thank you that your plans for me are always good. Help me to trust you to guide me and to be patient, waiting for you to open new doors of opportunity. Amen

When needing comfort

Dear God, you know and understand everything, even when I feel ill, afraid, lonely, anxious, sad, or stressed. Help me to trust you because you love me and promise to be with me always. Amen

When conscious of sin

Dear Lord, I am sorry that I sin and do wrong things that offend you and others. Please forgive me and help me to accept the forgiveness that you offer through Jesus Christ, my Saviour. Amen

A Christian commitment

Dear God, I confess that I have sinned and done wrong. I believe that your Son, Jesus Christ, took the punishment that I deserve by dying on the cross and I thank you. I also believe that you raised him from the dead. I now receive Jesus as my Saviour and Lord. Amen

Acknowledging God's goodness

Thank you, Lord God, for all you have given us in the world, for its beauty and for all the good things we enjoy. But I thank you most of all for loving me and for your promise of eternal life through Jesus Christ. Please help me to share these blessings with others. Amen

When in need of peace

Dear God, help me to know that you are with me in this situation. Take away my fear and reassure me that, because I have committed my life to you, you are in control of my circumstances and you know what is best for me. Help me to trust you. Amen

For friends and family

Father in heaven, I pray for my family and friends; that you will bless them and keep them safe. Help them to know your peace and the love you have for them. Help me to make their world a richer and happier place. Amen

PRAYING

Jesus Christ spent much of his time in prayer. If you look at Matthew 6:9–13 you will find that he taught this prayer:

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, for ever.
Amen.*

WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT:

Itself

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness.

2 Timothy 3:16

Page 1155

God

The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin.

Exodus 34:6, 7

Page 95

The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.

2 Peter 3:9

Page 1180

God's Son

Who has ascended to heaven and come down? Who has gathered the wind in his fists? Who has wrapped up the waters in a garment? Who has established all the ends of the earth? What is his name, and what is his son's name? Surely you know!

Proverbs 30:4

Page 657

Mankind

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:27

Page 2

Only be very careful to observe the commandment and the law that Moses the servant of the Lord commanded you, to love the Lord your God, and to walk in all his ways and to keep his commandments and to cling to him and to serve him with all your heart and with all your soul.

Joshua 22:5

Page 253

Your sin

But your iniquities have made a separation between you and your God, and your sins have hidden his face from you so that he does not hear. Isaiah 59:2 Page 719

For there is no distinction, for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. Romans 3:22, 23 Page 1090

So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin. James 4:17 Page 1173

Death

Physical

And just as it is appointed for man to die once, and after that comes judgement. Hebrews 9:27 Page 1165

Spiritual

The soul who sins shall die. The son shall not suffer for the iniquity of the father, nor the father suffer for the iniquity of the son. The righteousness of the righteous shall be upon himself, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon himself.

Ezekiel 18:20 Page 812

But as for the cowardly, the faithless, the detestable, as for murderers, the sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars, their portion will be in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur, which is the second death.

Revelation 21:8 Page 1203

The Judgement

If anyone sins, doing any of the things that by the Lord's commandments ought not to be done, though he did not know it, then realizes his guilt, he shall bear his iniquity.

Leviticus 5:17 Page 109

So then each of us will give an account of himself to God.

Romans 14:12 Page 1100

And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Then another book was opened, which is the book of life. And the dead were judged by what was written in the books, according to what they had done.

Revelation 20:12

Page 1203

God's love

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

John 3:16

Page 1022

But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8

Page 1092

Christ

His birth

She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.

Matthew 1:21

Page 919

And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord."

Luke 2:10, 11

Page 982

His person

For I have come down from heaven... I and the Father are one... Whoever has seen me has seen the Father... I came from the Father... I am leaving the world and going to the Father... I will come again and will take you to myself.

John 6:38; 10:30; 14:3, 9; 16:28

Pages 1027, 1034, 1039, 1042

His purpose

I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

John 10:10

Page 1033

For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

1 Peter 3:18

Page 1177

His resurrection

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

1 Corinthians 15:20, 21

Page 1116

His return

Then will appear in heaven the sign of the Son of Man, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Matthew 24:30

Page 948

For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first.

1 Thessalonians 4:16

Page 1146

The Holy Spirit

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you.

John 14:16–18

Page 1039

Repentance

Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out.

Acts 3:19

Page 1052

Salvation

Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

Romans 10:9

Page 1097

Faith

So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ. Romans 10:17 Page 1097

The devil

Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world.

1 Peter 5:8, 9 Page 1178

Temptation

No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.

1 Corinthians 10:13 Page 1110

Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am being tempted by God," for God cannot be tempted with evil, and he himself tempts no one. But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire. Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death. Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers.

James 1:13–16 Page 1171

Confession

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9 Page 1181

Life

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

John 10:10 Page 1033

Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. 1 John 5:12 Page 1184

Prayer

But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words.

Matthew 6:6, 7

Page 924

Wisdom

For wisdom is better than jewels, and all that you may desire cannot compare with her.

Proverbs 8:11

Page 640

If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.

James 1:5

Page 1170

Heaven

He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away. And he who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true."

Revelation 21:4, 5

Page 1203

Hell

The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried, and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. And he called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame."

Luke 16:22–24

Page 1006

Eternal Life

And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life.

1 John 5:11–13

Page 1184

Assurance

I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.

John 10:28, 29

Page 1034

Enemies

Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you.

Luke 6:27, 28

Page 988

There is a verse in the Bible which has been translated into more than 1100 languages. It tells of One who loved us with an everlasting love.

The verse is here recorded in 38 languages of the world, which are understood by more than three-quarters of the earth's population.

The verse is John 3:16.

Afrikaans

God het die wêreld so lief gehad dat Hy sy enigste Seun gegee het, sodat dié wat in Hom glo, nie verlore sal gaan nie maar die ewige lewe sal hê.

Alkitab (Indonesia)

Karena begitu besar kasih Allah akan dunia ini, sehingga Ia telah mengaruniakan Anak Nya yang tunggal, supaya setiap orang yang percaya kepada Nya tidak binasa, melainkan beroleh hidup yang kekal,

Arabic

ذِي حَوْلٍ أُنَبِّأُكُمْ بِمَا مَدَّقَ عَنْهُنَّ إِتَّحَ، أَرِيْثَكَ مَا لَعَلَّ أَبْحَ دَقَفَ،
هُيَ دَبُّ أَلْأَيْ حَلَّ أَلْأَنْ نُوكَّتْ لَبْ، وَهَبْ نُمُؤْيُ نَمُّ لُكْ كَلَّ هَيَ أَلْ أَيْ كَلَّ

Armenian

Քանի որ Աստուած այնպես սիրեց աշխարհը, որ մինչև իսկ իր միածին Որդուն տուաւ, որպէսզի, ով հաւատայ անոր ջկորսուի, այլ ընդունի յաւիտենական կեանքը.

Bahasa (Indonesia/Malaysia)

Karena begitu besar kasih Allah akan dunia ini, sehingga Ia telah mengaruniakan Anak-Nya yang tunggal, supaya setiap orang yang percaya kepada-Nya tidak binasa, melainkan beroleh hidup yang kekal.

Chinese (Simplified)

神爱世人，甚至将他的独生子赐给他们，叫一切信他的，不至灭亡，反得永生。

Chinese (Traditional)

他 生 神
的，子 愛
不 賜 世
至 給 人，
滅 他 甚
亡，們，至
反 叫 將
得 一 他
永 切 的
生 信 獨

Dutch

Want God heeft zoveel liefde voor de wereld, dat Hij Zijn enige Zoon heeft gegeven; zodat ieder die in Hem gelooft, niet verloren gaat maar eeuwig leven heeft.

Danish

Thi således elskede Gud Verden, at han gav sin Søn den enbårne, for at hver den, som tror på ham, ikke skal fortabes, men have et evigt Liv.

English

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Farsi

دو خ ئن اگی رس پ هک تشاد تب حم ردقن آ ای ند هب ادخ اریز
هکل ب ، ددر گن کاله دروای ب نام ای وا هب هک ره ات داد ار
ی دبای گدن ز بح اص

Finnish

Sillä niin on Jumala maailmaa rakastanut, että hän antoi ainokaisen Poikansa, ettei yksikään, joka häneen uskoo, hukkuisi, vaan hänellä olisi iankaikkinen elämä.

French

Car Dieu a tant aimé le monde qu'il a donné son Fils unique, afin que quiconque croit en lui ne périsse point, mais qu'il ait la vie éternelle.

German

Denn Gott hat die Menschen so sehr geliebt, dass er seinen einzigen Sohn für sie hergab. Jeder, der an ihn glaubt, wird nicht zugrunde gehen, sondern das ewige Leben haben.

Greek

Οὕτως γὰρ ἠγάπησεν ὁ θεὸς τὸν κόσμον ὥστε τὸν υἱὸν τὸν μονογενῆ ἔδωκεν, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ ἀπόληται ἀλλὰ ἔχη ζωὴν αἰώνιον.

Gujarati

કેમ કે દેવે જગત પર એટલી પ્રીતિ કરી કે તેણે પોતાનો એકાકીજનિત દીકરો આપ્યો, એ સારુ કે જે કોઈ તેના પર વિશ્વાસ કરે તેનો નાશ ન થાય, પણ તે અનંતજીવન પામે.

HEBREW

כִּי-כָכָה אָהַב הָאֱלֹהִים אֶת-הָעוֹלָם עַד-אֲשֶׁר נָתַן
אֶת-בְּנוֹ אֶת-יְחִידוֹ לְאֵי-אֲבֹר לְמַעַן כָּל-הַמֵּאֲמִין בּוֹ כִּי
אִם-יִחְיֶה חַיִּי עוֹלָמִים:

Hindi

क्योंकि परमेश्वर ने जगत से ऐसा प्रेम रखा कि उस ने अपना एकलौता पुत्र दे दिया, ताकि जो कोई उस पर विश्वास करे, वह नाश न हो, परन्तु अनन्त जीवन पाए।

Italian

Perché Dio ha tanto amato il mondo, che ha dato il suo unigenito Figlio, affinché chiunque crede in lui non perisca, ma abbia vita eterna.

Japanese

実に神は、ひとり子をさ
え惜しまず与えるほど
に、世を愛してください
ました。それは、神の御
子を信じる者が、だれ一
人滅びず、永遠のいのち
を得るためです。

Korean

하나님이 세상을
이처럼 사랑하사
독생자를 주셨으니
이른 저를 믿는 자
마다 멸망치 않고
영생을 얻게 하려
하심이니라

Nepali

किनभने परमेश्वरले संसारलाई यस्तो प्रेम गर्न भयो, कि उहाँले आफ्
ना एकमात्र पत्र दिन भयो, ताकि उहाँमाथि विश्वास गर्ने कोही पनि
नाश नहोस्, तर त्यसले अनन्त जीवन पाओस् ।

Norwegian

For så har Gud elsket verden at han gav sin Sønn, den enbårne, for at
hver den som tror på ham, ikke skal fortapes, men ha evig liv.

Polish

Ponieważ Bóg tak świat kochał, że dał swego syna jedynego, aby kto wierzy w Niego nie zginął, lecz żył wiecznie.

Portuguese

Porque Deus amou o mundo de tal maneira que deu o seu Filho unigênito, para que todo aquele que nele crê não pereça, mas tenha a vida eterna.

Russian

Ибо так возлюбил Бог мир, что отдал Сына Своего Единородного, дабы всякий верующий в Него, не погиб, но имел жизнь вечную.

Shahmukhi Punjabi

کیوں جے پریشور نیں جگت نال اجہیا پریم کیتا کہ اوس نیں اپنا اکلوتا
پ تر بخش دتا توں جو جیہڑا کوئی اوہدے ا تے ایمان لیاوے ہلاک نہ
ہووے تاں جو ہمیشہ دی حیاتی پاوے

Sindhi

چالاءِ جو خدا جهان کي اهڙو پيار ڪيو، جو پنهنجو هڪڙو ئي فرزند ڏنائين، ته
جيڪو به متس ايمان آڻي، سو برباد نه ٿئي، پر کيس هميشه جي زندگي ملي.

Sinhalese

මක්කිසාද දෙවියන්වහන්සේ සව
කීය ඒකජාතක පුත්‍රයාණන් දෙන
තරම් ලෝකයාට ප්‍රේම කළ සේක. ඒසේ
කළේ උන්වහන්සේ කෙරෙහි අදහා
ගන්න සෑමදෙනම විතාශ නොවී සද,
කාල ජීවනය ලබන පිණිසය.

Spanish

Porque de tal manera amó Dios al mundo, que ha dado a su Hijo unigénito, para que todo aquel que en él cree no se pierda, sino que tenga vida eterna.

Swahili

Kwa maana Mungu aliupenda ulimwengu kiasi cha kumtoa Mwanapekee, ili kila mtu amwaminiye asipotee, bali awe na uzima wa milele.

Swedish

Ty så älskade Gud världen, att han utgav sin enfödde Son, på det att var och en som tror på honom skall icke förgås, utan hava evigt liv.

Tamil

தேவன், தம்முடைய ஒரேபேறான குமாரனை விசுவாசிக்கிறவன் எவனோ அவன் கெட்டுப்போகாமல் நித்தியஜீவனை அடையும்படிக்கு, அவரைத் தந்தருளி, இவ்வளவாய் உலகத்தில் அன்புகூர்ந்தார்.

Tagalog (Philippines)

Ito ay sapagkat sa ganitong paraan inibig ng Diyos ang sanlibutan kaya ipinagkaloob niya ang kaniyang bugtong na Anak upang ang sinumang sumampalataya sa kaniya ay hindi mapahamak kundi magkaroon ng buhay na walang hanggan.

Thai

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turkish

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Urdu (Pakistan)

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Vietnamese

Vì Đức Chúa Trời thương yêu thế gian đến nỗi đã ban Con độc sinh của Ngài, hầu cho hễ ai tin Con ấy không bị hư mất, nhưng được sự sống đời đời

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