

There is nothing too hard for God.

I am a daughter of the King.

God sees me!

He has great plans for me!

I will strive to live as a Christian should.

I will inspire and encourage my sisters to do the same.

Class mantra

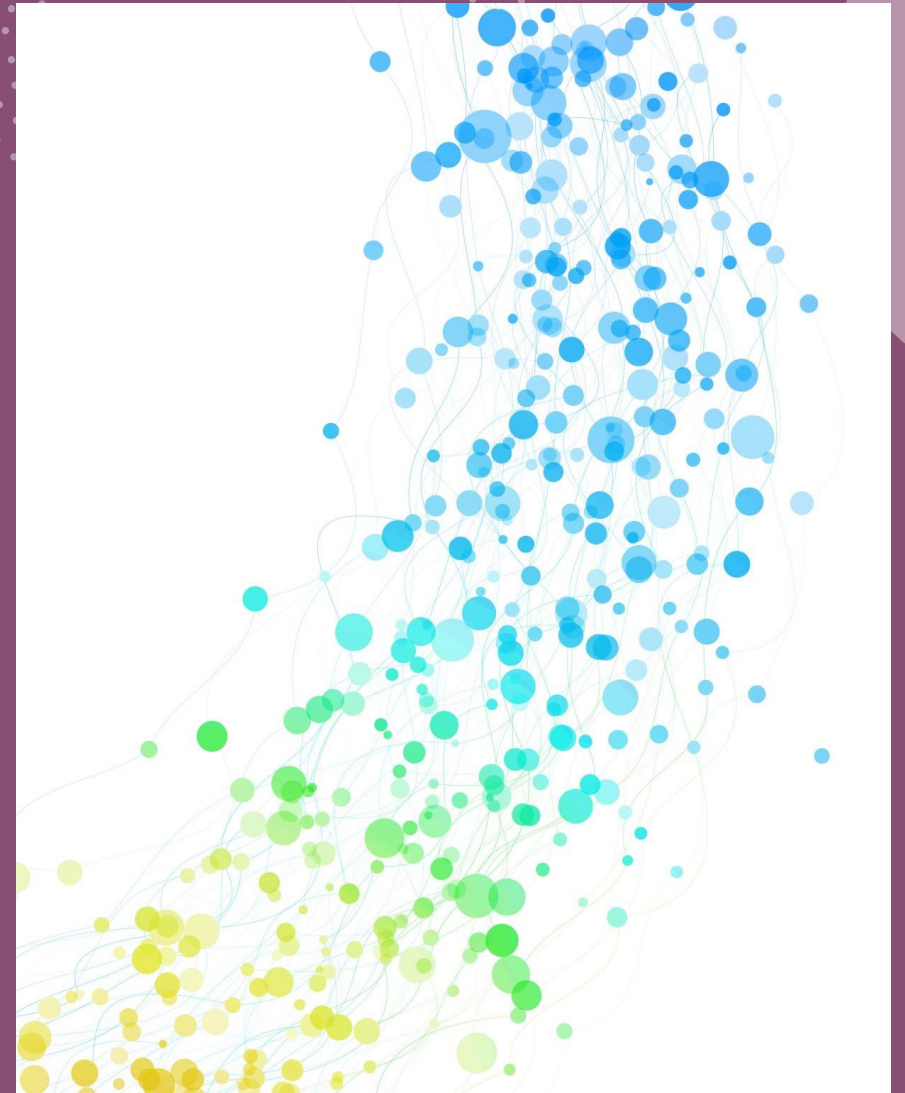


Accepting One's Place In God's Plan Lessons learned from Miriam

Women of the Bible Speak: FWCC
Sisters' Class

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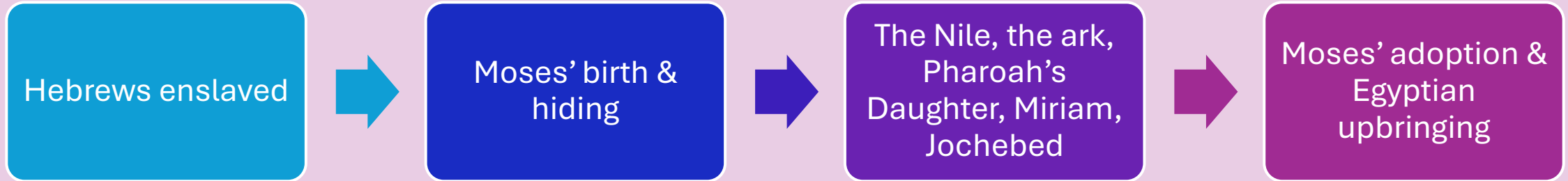


Miriam: What is known?

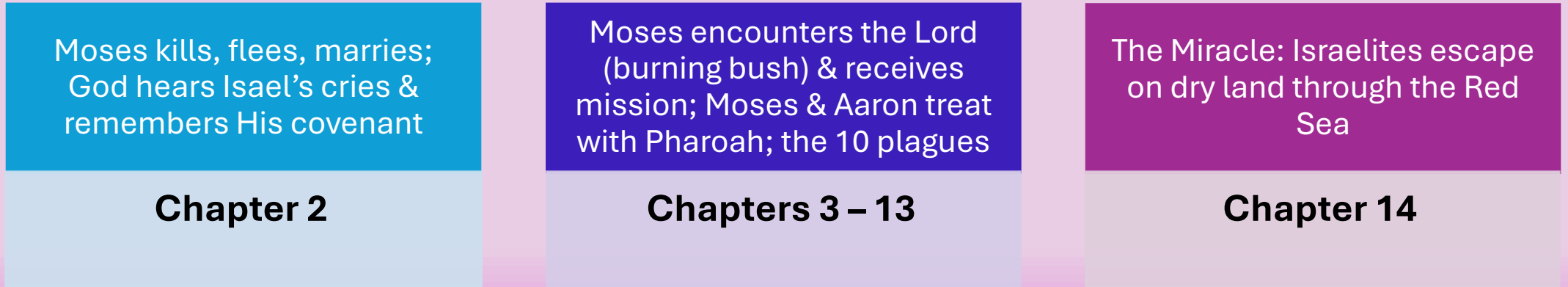
- Amram & Jochebed's daughter; Aaron & Moses' sister
 - Instrumental in saving Moses in her youth
- Courageous, enterprising, quick-witted, observant, intelligent, resourceful, obedient, sensitive, mature, unselfish
- First prophetess named in scripture
 - Miriam (Exodus 15:20)
 - Deborah (Judges 4:4)
 - Huldah (2 Kings 22:14)
 - Isaiah's wife (Isaiah 8:3)
 - Anna (Luke 2:36)
 - Philip's virgin daughters (Acts 21:9)
- God's gift (Micah 6:4)

Background

- **Exodus 2:1-10**



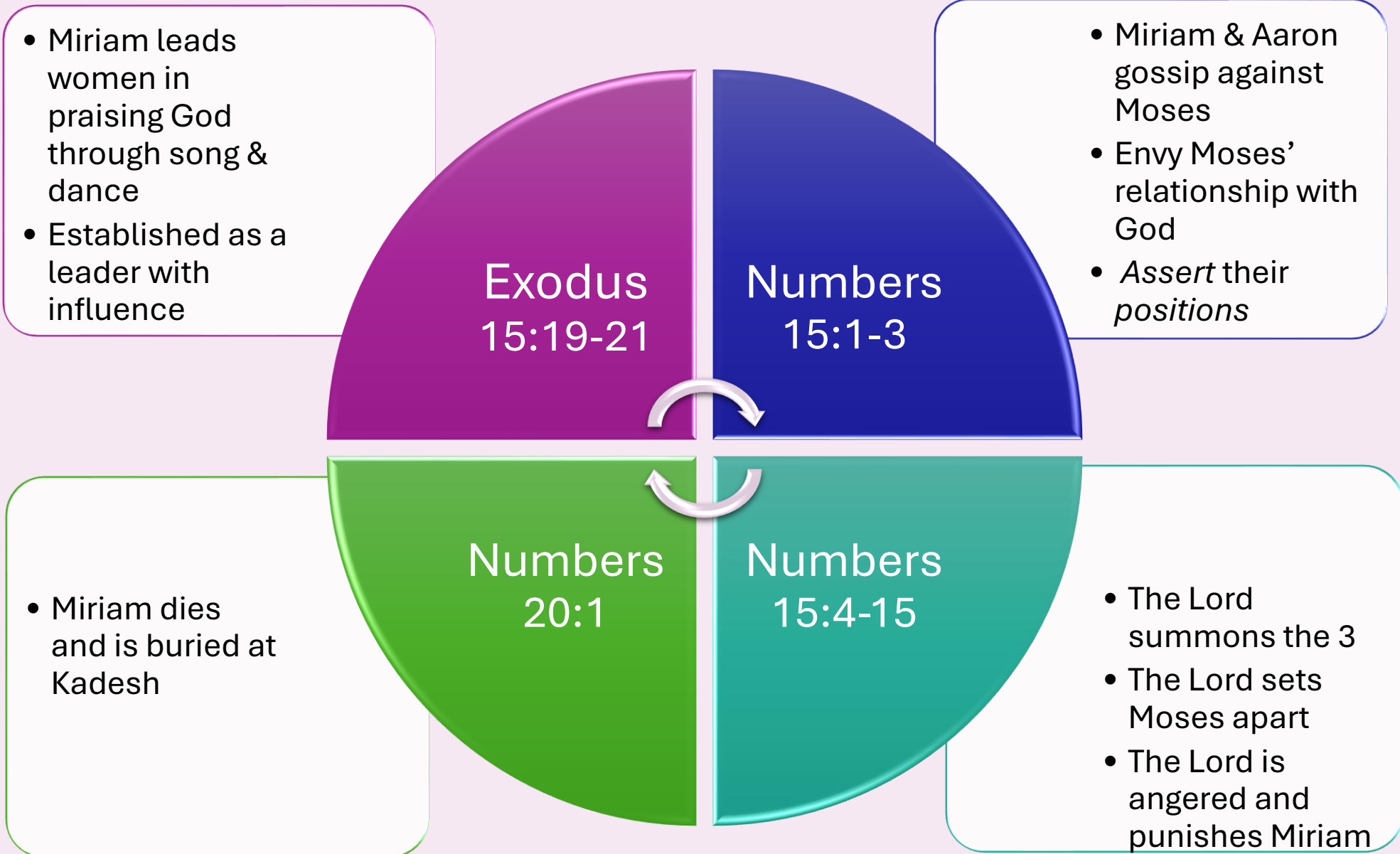
- **Exodus 2:11 – Exodus 14**



- **Exodus 15:1-19**

A Song of Deliverance

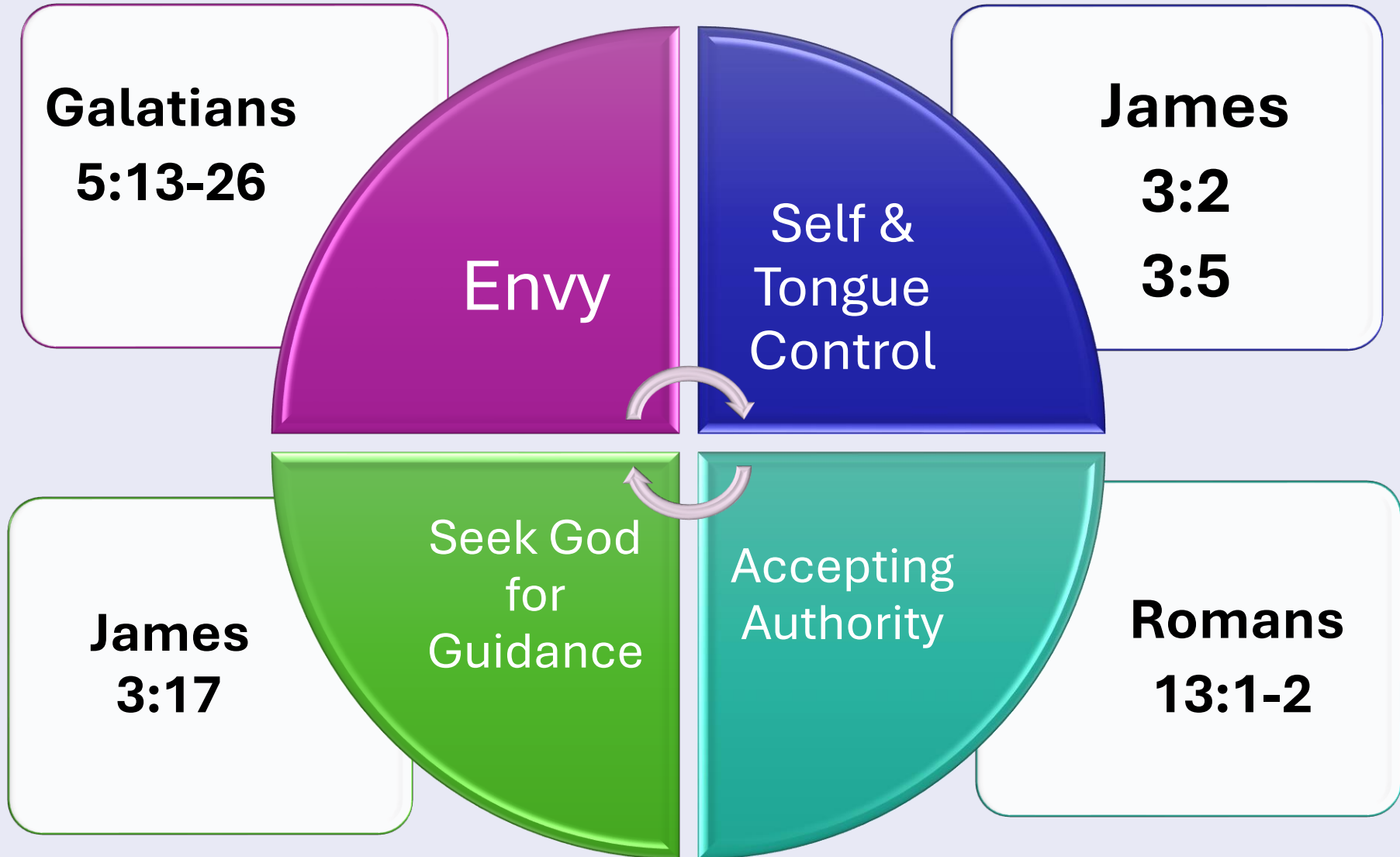
Miriam: Scripture Context



Application

Avoiding Envy, Self-Reflection, Self-Control, Self-Forgiveness, Learning from Past Mistakes,
Acceptance

New Testament Teachings



Bringing it All Together

1. God can use us in the midst of hardship
2. Just as our praise elevates our spirit, our pride can bring use down
3. Our complaining hurts people, especially us
4. Having a positive attitude of acceptance comes when we look to God



Key Takeaways

Avoiding Envy, Self-Reflection, Self-Forgiveness, Learning from Past Mistakes,
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What Should We Learn from Miriam's Story?

- God's Sovereignty
 - We see the immense good that results from trusting in His sovereignty, as well as the devastating consequences of doubting it
- God's hand is in every event of our life, no matter how insignificant or difficult it may seem
 - We can have courage regardless of our circumstances, because God has a plan for our lives
- When we fail to rely on God and trust in His perfect timing, there are consequences
 - Sometimes, God simply calls us to watch and wait as He sets His plans in motion. Even when we don't fully understand or appreciate our role in God's plan, we're called to trust in Him

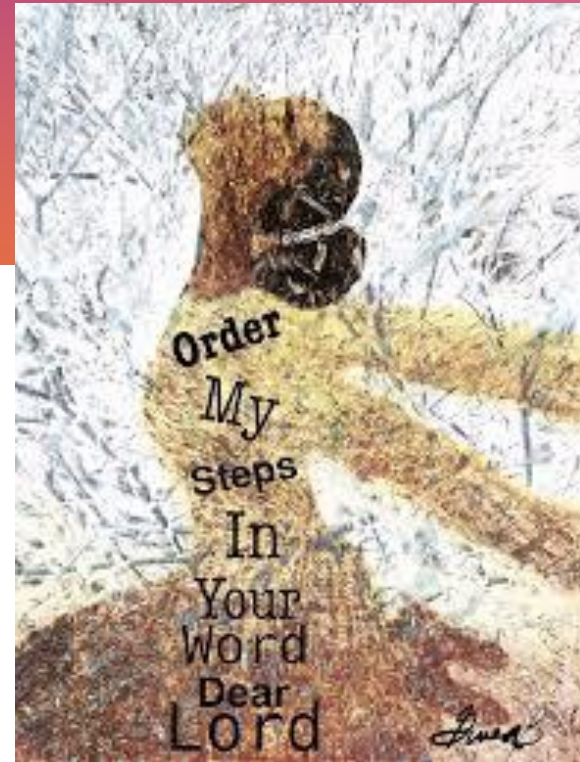
Asking God for Guidance



“Order My Steps”

Psalms 119:105 & 133

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*“Thy Word O Lord, is a lamp unto my feet
and a light unto my path.
Please O Lord, order my steps,
and I'll praise your name!”*

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