

WHEN I
BECAME A MAN
THE EPIC JOURNEY

Rules of Engagement

Read your Bible...Rather; let your Bible read you!

For study of Bible verses below (2Timothy 2:15, 2Timothy 3:16-17)

1-Pray & ask the Holy Spirit to speak through the Word (Hebrews 4:12)

2-Read the Bible verse with your voice (Joshua 1:8, Psalm 1:2-3)

3-Mediate - Think upon (Psalm 119:15)

4-Circle or write two words that comes to mind for each verse (Habakkuk 2:2)

1. Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and **knows God**. But anyone who does not love does not know God, for **God is love**. 1John 4:7-8 (NLT)
2. And I will establish my **covenant** between me and you and your offspring after you throughout their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and to your offspring after you. Gen 17:7 (NIV) You who keep your **covenant of love** with your servants who continue wholeheartedly in your way. 2 Chronicles 6:14 (NIV) God also **bound himself** with an oath, so that those who received the promise could be **perfectly sure** that he would never change his mind. Hebrews 6:17 (NLT)
3. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is **not proud**. 1Cor 13:4 (NIV) Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am **gentle and humble** in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is **easy** and my burden is light. Matthew 11:29-30 (NIV) -Walk with me and work with me—watch how I do it. Learn the **unforced rhythms of grace**. I won't lay anything heavy or ill-fitting on you. Matthew 11:29 (MSG)
4. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good! His faithful love **endures** forever. Psalm 136:1 (NLT)
5. The **steadfast love** of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23 (ESV) The LORD passed before him and proclaimed, The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in **steadfast love** and keeping **steadfast love** for thousands, Exodus 34:6-7a (ESV)
6. For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of **power and of love** and of a sound mind. 2Timothy 1:7 (NKJV)
7. "Come to me with your ears wide open. Listen, and you will find life. I will make an everlasting **covenant** with you. I will give you all the **unfailing love I promised** to David. "My thoughts are nothing like your thoughts," says the LORD. "And my ways are far beyond anything you could imagine. For just as the heavens are higher than the earth, so my ways are higher than your ways and my thoughts higher than your thoughts. Isaiah 55:3,8,9 (NLT)

**Bold and Italicize emphasis added*