

# GOD UP CLOSE & PERSONAL

## KeyVerses

- 1 Stand Firm\_\_\_\_\_ *Esther 4:14*
- 2 Be Prepared\_\_\_\_\_ *Jeremiah 29:11*
- 3 Apply Influence\_\_\_\_\_ *James 3:13*
- 4 Earn Rewards\_\_\_\_\_ *Psalms 62:12*
- 5 Enjoy Blessings\_\_\_\_\_ *2 Corinthians 12:10*
- 6 Celebrate Courage\_\_\_\_\_ *Review*
- 7 Take Action\_\_\_\_\_ *Nehemiah 2:17*
- 8 Answer  
Truthfully\_\_\_\_\_ *Nehemiah 2:4-5*
- 9 Build Teams\_\_\_\_\_ *Nehemiah 4:14*
- 10 Solve Problems\_\_\_\_\_ *Nehemiah 6:29*
- 11 Trust God\_\_\_\_\_ *Nehemiah 8:10*
- 12 Encourage Everyone\_\_\_\_\_ *Review*

## DiscipleLand Memory Formula

Develop a good habit! Use this formula to memorize Bible verses:

**T + R + V + R**

**T**—topic “Stand Firm”


**R**—reference “Esther 4:14”

**V**—verse “For if you remain silent...”

**R**—reference “Esther 4:14”

Memorize the topic (T) and reference (R) as if they are part of the verse. Learning them together will help you remember where to find the verse in the Bible. Plus, you will be able to recall one important truth that each verse teaches. Every time you review verses and when you learn new verses, recite the topic and reference, too!

**T + R + V + R**




**STAND FIRM**











*Esther 4:14 (NASB)*

“For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance will arise for the Jews from another place and you and your father’s house will perish. And who knows whether you have not attained royalty for such a time as this?”

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Standing Above the Crowd



 <b>STAND FIRM</b> <span>1</span> <i>Esther 4:14 (NIV)</i> <p>“For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father’s family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to royal position for such a time as this?”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>BE PREPARED</b> <span>2</span> <i>Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)</i> <p>“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>
 <b>APPLY INFLUENCE</b> <span>3</span> <i>James 3:13 (NIV)</i> <p>Who is wise and understanding among you? Let him show it by his good life, by deeds done in the humility that comes from wisdom.</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>EARN REWARDS</b> <span>4</span> <i>Psalms 62:12 (NIV)</i> <p>And that you, O Lord, are loving. Surely you will reward each person according to what he has done.</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>
 <b>ENJOY BLESSINGS</b> <span>5</span> <i>2 Corinthians 12:10 (NIV)</i> <p>That is why, for Christ’s sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>CELEBRATE COURAGE</b> <span>6</span> <i>Esther 4:14 (NIV)</i> <i>Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)</i> <i>James 3:13 (NIV)</i> <i>Psalms 62:12 (NIV)</i> <i>2 Corinthians 12:10 (NIV)</i> <p><i>Review</i></p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>
 <b>TAKE ACTION</b> <span>7</span> <i>Nehemiah 2:17 (NIV)</i> <p>Then I said to them, “You see the trouble we are in: Jerusalem lies in ruins, and its gates have been burned with fire. Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem, and we will no longer be in disgrace.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>ANSWER TRUTHFULLY</b> <span>8</span> <i>Nehemiah 2:4-5 (NIV)</i> <p>The king said to me, “What is it you want?” Then I prayed to the God of heaven, and I answered the king, “If it pleases the king and if your servant has found favor in his sight, let him send me to the city in Judah where my fathers are buried so that I can rebuild it.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>
 <b>BUILD TEAMS</b> <span>9</span> <i>Nehemiah 4:14 (NIV)</i> <p>After I looked things over, I stood up and said to the nobles, the officials and the rest of the people, “Don’t be afraid of them. Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, and fight for your brothers, your sons and your daughters, your wives and your homes.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>SOLVE PROBLEMS</b> <span>10</span> <i>Nehemiah 6:9 (NIV)</i> <p>They were all trying to frighten us, thinking, “Their hands will get too weak for the work, and it will not be completed.” But I prayed, “Now strengthen my hands.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>
 <b>TRUST GOD</b> <span>11</span> <i>Nehemiah 8:10 (NIV)</i> <p>Nehemiah said, “Go and enjoy choice food and sweet drinks, and send some to those who have nothing prepared. This day is sacred to our Lord. Do not grieve, for the joy of the LORD is your strength.”</p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>	 <b>ENCOURAGE EVERYONE</b> <span>12</span> <i>Nehemiah 2:17 (NIV)</i> <i>Nehemiah 2:4-5 (NIV)</i> <i>Nehemiah 4:14 (NIV)</i> <i>Nehemiah 6:9 (NIV)</i> <i>Nehemiah 8:10 (NIV)</i> <p><i>Review</i></p> <p>Standing Above the Crowd <i>Discipleland</i></p>