

# The Christian Journey

Principle:

## 1. Shechem

Gen. 12:6-7 - And Abram passed through the land to the place of Shechem, to the oak of Moreh... And there he built an altar to Jehovah who had appeared to him.

Literal Meaning:

Takeaway:

## 2. Bethel and Ai

Gen. 12:8 And he proceeded from Shechem to the mountain on the east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east; and there he built an altar to Jehovah and called upon the name of Jehovah.

Literal Meanings:

Takeaway:

## 3. Hebron (oaks of Mamre)

Gen. 13:18 And Abram moved his tent and came and dwelt by the oaks of Mamre, which are in Hebron, and there he built an altar to Jehovah.

Literal Meanings:

Takeaway:

Take time to behold Him,  
Speak oft with Thy Lord,  
Abide in Him always,  
And feed on His Word.  
Wait thou in His presence,  
Submissive and meek,  
Forgetting in nothing  
His blessing to seek.

Take time to behold Him,  
The world rushes on;  
Spend much time in secret  
With Jesus alone.  
By looking to Jesus  
Like Him thou shalt be;  
Thy friends, in thy conduct,  
His likeness shall see.

Take time to behold Him,  
Let Him be thy guide;  
And run not before Him  
Whatever betide;  
In joy or in sorrow  
Still follow thy Lord,  
And, looking to Jesus,  
Still trust in His Word.

Take time to behold Him,  
Be calm in thy soul,  
Each thought and each temper  
Beneath His control.  
Thus led by His Spirit  
To fountains of love,  
Thou then shalt be fitted  
His mercy to prove.

Growing up together in the Lord,  
Saved by grace in life in one accord;  
Growing up into a holy temple in the Lord,  
we gather,  
Growing up together in the Lord.

Being raised together through His life,  
Seated in the heavenlies with Jesus Christ;  
Access to the Father God above,  
Building up the church, His Body,  
In His love.

God the Father dwelling in the Son,  
In the Spirit dwelling, we are all made one;  
God the Son, Accomplisher, the means,  
God the Father, unique source of  
everything!

Now no longer strangers on the road,  
Being built together into God's abode;  
In the family, never left alone,  
Built up on Jesus Christ, the  
cornerstone.