

Study Guide for Chapter One
In God's Image
8th Grade

Define the Following Words or terms:

1. dignity
2. equality
3. grace
4. faith

Answer the following questions in complete sentences:

1. How are the images on page 5 connected?
2. How does the diversity of personalities and abilities of the students benefit the group?
3. St. Paul and Martin Luther King Jr. were persecuted for their beliefs and both spent some time in jail. What gifts from God helped them endure persecution and continue on their mission?
4. When in your life do you practice goal setting?
5. Explain the idea that grace is freely given and is not something that you can earn through good deeds and moral actions.
6. What do you see yourself doing in five years? Ten years? Twenty years?
7. What kind of a person are you now? What kind of a person do you want to be as an adult?
8. What are some concrete things you can do to reach those goals?
9. What was the Covenant (promise) that God made with humanity?
10. Being aware of God in our lives is simple on the surface but can be very difficult to live out. Why?

Prayer to memorize for Chapter One:

Generous God, you have created me in your image. I am a unique combination of gifts and talents, and I am united to others in your love. Help me use my abilities to glorify you and help others.

(Page 13 in your Religion book)