

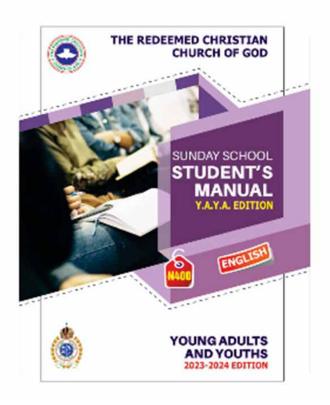
RCCG YAYA SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTH 3 SEPTEMBER 2023 STUDENT MANUAL: LESSON 1

### **Description**

This is RCCG YAYA SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTH 3 SEPTEMBER 2023 STUDENT MANUAL LESSON ONE (1). The topic is "CETHER".

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# RCCG YAYA SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTH 3 SEPTEMBER 2023 (LESSON 1)

**TOPIC: "CETHER"** 

Note: Check RCCG SUNDAY SCHOOL HYMN LYRICS

**BIBLE PASSAGE: Psalm 91:1 (NKJV)** 

"He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High Shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."

## **MEMORY VERSE: Psalm 91:1 (NKJV)**

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### INTRODUCTION

"Cether" is a Hebrew word translated as "secret place." It literally means "to hide or be concealed." Other words for a secret place include shelter, covering. or a dwelling place.

One who abides in the secret place of God dwells in a place of rest, lifted up above principalities and powers (Ephesians 1:20-21; 2:6). It is a place of His holy concealment in all things, where God reveals heavenly secrets to us.

How then can we enter the secret place and enjoy the benefits?

#### **OUTLINES:**

- 1. ACCESS TO THE SECRET PLACE
- 2. BENEFITS OF THE SECRET PLACE

#### 1. ACCESS TO THE SECRET PLACE

The secret place of the Almighty is available to any believer who is willing to pay the price.

We can enter through:

- 1. A continuous life of holiness (Psalm 15:1-5): This simply means absolute obedience to God's word.
- 2. Praise, thanksgiving, and prayer of faith (Psalm 100:4. Jeremiah 33:3): We must endeavour to always praise God by faith.
- 3. A desire to remain in God's presence (Psalm 27:4): God loves fellowship and we must not be in a hurry in His presence.
- 4. A life of absolute dedication to the Lord and avoidance of worldly entanglement (1 John 2:15; 2 Corinthians 6:17-18).
- 5. A pure heart and thought (Psalm 24:3-4): We must avoid wandering thoughts.
- 6. Quietness and trusting confidence (Isaiah 26:3).
- 7. Avoidance of distractions (Matthew 6:6).
- 8. Transparent honesty to God (Psalm 139:7-12).
- 9. A consecrated life (Leviticus 20:7).

#### **CLASS ACTIVITY 1:**

Students should share their experience of fellowship with God.

#### 2. BENEFITS OF THE SECRET PLACE

The benefits of dwelling in God's secret place include:

- 1. A closer fellowship with God (James 4:8).
- 2. Access to classified information (Numbers 12:8; Amos 3:7).
- 3. A focused gaze on Christ and things of eternal value (Hebrews 122; Matthew 6:19-21).
- 4. A self-assessment of faith will be enhanced (2 Corinthians 13:5).
- 5. The fruit of the Spirit will take root, and be growing (Galatians 5:22-23).
- 6. Divine protection and deliverance (Proverbs 18:10).
- 7. Divine authority and attention (1 Kings 17:1; 18:37-40).
- 8. Access to supernatural breakthroughs (Exodus 14:21-22).
- 9. Divine provision made available (Psalm 84:11).

#### **CLASS ACTIVITY 2:**

Students should narrate an experience they can never forget where they thought God had forsaken them but later discovered His abiding presence.

## CONCLUSION: RCCG YAYA SUNDAY SCHOOL YOUTH 3 SEPTEMBER 2023

To enjoy the benefits of the secret place of the Most High, we must remain on the side of God.

### **QUESTION**

- \* Mention any four ways to access the secret place.
- \* Itemize any five benefits associated with dwelling in the secret place.

### **FURTHER READING**

SUN: Rev.1:16.

MON: Eph.6:18.

TUES: Acts 17:11.

WED: Rom.15:14.

THURS: Prov.3:3-5.

FRI: Acts 2:17.

SAT: Jn. 14:16.

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Identify five (5) dangers of avoiding the presence of God (2×5=10 Marks).

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