Christ the Key to the Scripture

Although not every text is about Christ, there is a road from every text to Christ. **There is a road to Christ from—**

**1. The *prophecies* of a Deliverer**

A. The *life and work* of Jesus

B. The *coming kingdom* of God

**2. The *provisions* of the Law**

A. The *pictures* of the ceremonial law

B. The *commandments* of the moral law

**3. The *people* who were leaders**

A. The offices of *prophet, priest, and king*

B. Certain *individuals*

**4. The *pattern* of biblical history**

Biblical history was designed by God to teach by example the plan of salvation: Disobedience, Disaster, Deliverance for the chosen people of God

A. The *flood* and Noah

B. The *famine* and Joseph

C. *Slavery in Egypt* and Moses

D. The *cycles* of the Judges

E. The *Babylonian captivity* and return

F. Israel yet to be *rescued by Christ*

**For Private Meditation or Family Discussion**

1. How did the Lord speak to you through the message? Did He put His finger on any habits or attitudes that you need to change? Did He encourage you regarding some difficulty, move you to undertake some new challenge, or open your heart to some truth you hadn’t seen before?

**Further Roads to Christ**

How does the **Mosaic** **covenant** point forward to the New Covenant Christ instituted by His death?

Exodus 24:3-6

Matthew 26:26-28

Hebrews 9:18-22

How does God’s **election** (choice) of Israel to be His special nation parallel to God’s election of individuals for salvation in Christ?

Deuteronomy 7:6-10

Ephesians 1:3-6