



Lesson

"GREATER VISION"



Bible & Gender

Next Steps

Greatest Vision

“VISION OF THE FUTURE | ETERNAL”

Mr. Toad's Wild Ride



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Hebrews 11:1-3

1 Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. 2 This is what the ancients were commended for. 3 By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.

Luke 16:22-23

22 “The time came when the beggar died and the angels carried him to Abraham’s side. The rich man also died and was buried. 23 In Hades, where he was in torment, he looked up and saw Abraham far away, with Lazarus by his side.

Matthew 25:46

46 “Then they will go away to eternal punishment,
but the righteous to eternal life.”

Mark 9:47

47 And if your eye causes you to stumble, pluck it out. It is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell,

Revelation 21:8

8 But the cowardly, the unbelieving, the vile, the murderers, the sexually immoral, those who practice magic arts, the idolaters and all liars—they will be consigned to the fiery lake of burning sulfur. This is the second death.”



Revelation 21:1-3

1 Then I saw “a new heaven and a new earth,” for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. 2 I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. 3 And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Look! God’s dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God.

Revelation 21:4-5


4 'He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death' or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.' 5 He who was seated on the throne said, "I am making everything new!" Then he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true."

Revelation 2:7

7 Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to eat from the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God.

A white dove is shown in flight, wings spread, against a bright, hazy sky. It is positioned above the title text.

Revelation 7:15-17

The background of the slide is a vibrant, painterly illustration of a paradise landscape. It features a large, leafy tree with yellow and orange foliage in the center. To the right, a multi-tiered waterfall cascades down a rocky ledge into a pool of clear, turquoise water. The foreground is filled with lush green grass and small white flowers. The sky is a soft, hazy blue with a bright light source, possibly the sun, creating a warm, ethereal atmosphere.

15 Therefore, “they are before the throne of God and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. 16 ‘Never again will they hunger; never again will they thirst. The sun will not beat down on them,’ nor any scorching heat. 17 For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; ‘he will lead them to springs of living water.’ ‘And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.’ ”



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Phil 3:13-14

13 Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, 14 I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.



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2 Cor 5:9-10

9 So we make it our goal to please him, whether we are at home in the body or away from it. 10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each of us may receive what is due us for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad.



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1 Thessalonians 4:16-18

16 For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. 18 Therefore encourage one another with these words.



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1 Corinthians 9:24

24 Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize.



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1 Timothy 4:16

16 Watch your life and doctrine closely.
Persevere in them, because if you do, you will
save both yourself and your hearers.

What can you do to have eternal vision?

A VISION OF BEING IN HEAVEN

2 Tim 4:6-8

6 For I am already being poured out like a drink offering, and the time for my departure is near. 7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day—and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

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How much more should we
be focused on this?

**Mark 8:36 | “What good is it to gain the world
yet forfeit your soul.”**

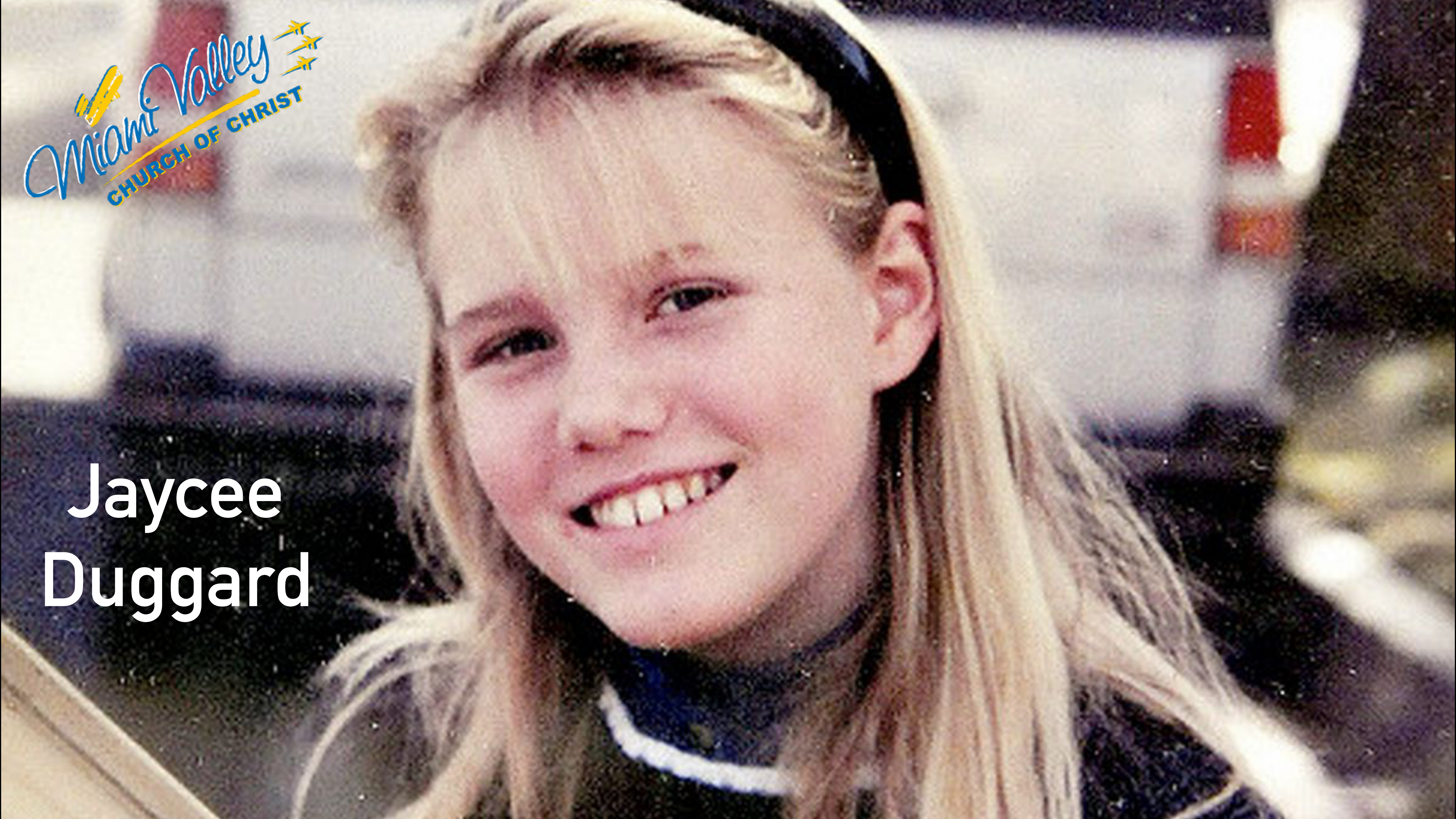
**What can you do to have
eternal vision?**

Vision of Bringing to Heaven

1 Corinthians 9:19

**19 Though I am free and
belong to no one, I have
made myself a slave to
everyone, to win as many as
possible.**





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Do you want to see Dayton become more
saved or more wicked?





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