**Verses to Memorize (and alternative choices):**

Belief in God / Faith

**The essence of all the Prophets of God is one and the same.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

or (**God's grace is like the rain that cometh down from heaven.** ~ 'Abdu'l-Bahá)

Cleanliness:

**Be ye the very essence of cleanliness amongst mankind. ~** Bahá’u’lláh

Courtesy:

**…observe courtesy, for above all else it is the prince of virtues.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Friendliness:

**Deal ye one with another with the utmost love and harmony, with friendliness and fellowship.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Generosity:

**Blessed is he who preferreth his brother before himself.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Joyfulness:

**You live to do good and to bring happiness to others.** ~ 'Abdu'l-Bahá

Love:

**O Friend! In the garden of thy heart plant naught but the rose of love**. ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Patience:

**Be patient under all conditions and put your whole trust and confidence in God.**

**~** Bahá’u’lláh

Prayerfulness:

**Prayer is conversation with God. ~** 'Abdu’l-Bahá

Respect for the Environment:

**Man is organic with the world. His inner life moulds the environment and is itself also deeply affected by it.** ~ Shoghi Effendi

Service:

**Think ye at all times of rendering some service to every member of the human race.** ~ 'Abdu’l-Bahá

Thankfulness:

**Be generous in prosperity and thankful in adversity.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Truthfulness:

**Truthfulness is the foundation of all human virtues.** ~ Bahá’u’lláh

Unity:

**So powerful is the light of unity that it can illuminate the whole earth. ~** Bahá’u’lláh