

Taking the Bible In – Pt 2 Why Study the Bible?

2 Timothy 2:15

Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth.

2 Corinthians 11:2

For I am jealous for you with a godly jealousy; for I betrothed you to one husband, so that to Christ I might present you *as* a pure virgin.

Ephesians 5:25-27

25. Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her,
26. so that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word,
27. that He might present to Himself the church in all her glory, having no spot or wrinkle or any such thing; but that she would be holy and blameless.

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2 Timothy 3:16-17

16. All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness;
17. so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.

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Deuteronomy 8:3

He humbled you and let you be hungry, and fed you with manna which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that He might make you understand that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by everything that proceeds out of the mouth of the LORD.

Job 23:12

I have not departed from the command of His lips; I have treasured the words of His mouth more than my necessary food.

Psalms 119:103

How sweet are Your words to my taste! *Yes, sweeter* than honey to my mouth!

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Romans 10:17

So faith *comes* from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.

1 Peter 1:25-2:2

25. BUT THE WORD OF THE LORD ENDURES FOREVER.” And this is the word which was preached to you.

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1. Therefore, putting aside all malice and all deceit and hypocrisy and envy and all slander,
2. like newborn babies, long for the pure milk of the word, so that by it you may grow in respect to salvation,

5	<p><u>Isaiah 34:16</u> Seek from the book of the LORD, and read: Not one of these will be missing; None will lack its mate. For His mouth has commanded, and His Spirit has gathered them.</p> <p><u>1 Corinthians 2:9</u> ... but just as it is written, "THINGS WHICH EYE HAS NOT SEEN AND EAR HAS NOT HEARD, AND <i>which</i> HAVE NOT ENTERED THE HEART OF MAN, ALL THAT GOD HAS PREPARED FOR THOSE WHO LOVE HIM."</p> <p><u>Colossians 3:2</u> Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth.</p>
6	<p><u>Romans 15:4</u> For whatever was written in earlier times was written for our instruction, so that through perseverance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.</p>
7	<p><u>Acts 20:32</u> And now I commend you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build <i>you</i> up and to give <i>you</i> the inheritance among all those who are sanctified.</p>
8	<p><u>Psalms 119:105</u> Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.</p> <p><u>Proverbs 6:23</u> For the commandment is a lamp and the teaching is light; and reproofs for discipline are the way of life</p> <p><u>2 Peter 1:19</u> <i>So</i> we have the prophetic word <i>made</i> more sure, to which you do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star arises in your hearts.</p>
9	<p><u>2 Peter 2:1</u> But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will also be false teachers among you, who will secretly introduce destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing swift destruction upon themselves.</p>
10	<p><u>2 Peter 3:18</u> ... but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him <i>be</i> the glory, both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.</p>

11	<p><u>Psalm 119:38</u> Establish Your word to Your servant, as that which produces reverence for You.</p>
12	<p><u>2 Chronicles 36:16</u> ... but they <i>continually</i> mocked the messengers of God, despised His words and scoffed at His prophets, until the wrath of the LORD arose against His people, until there was no remedy.</p> <p><u>Hosea 4:6</u> My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Because you have rejected knowledge, I also will reject you from being My priest. Since you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children.</p> <p><u>Revelation 22:19</u> ... and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his part from the tree of life and from the holy city, which are written in this book.</p> <p><u>Proverbs 21:16</u> A man who wanders from the way of understanding will rest in the assembly of the dead.</p>
13	<p><u>John 8:31-32</u> 31. So Jesus was saying to those Jews who had believed Him, "If you continue in My word, <i>then</i> you are truly disciples of Mine; 32. and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free."</p>