

***The Bible
Is
The Word Of Life***

Psalm 119:113-120

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113 I hate vain thoughts: but thy law do I love.

114 Thou art my hiding place and my shield: I hope in thy word.

115 Depart from me, ye evildoers: for I will keep the commandments of my God.

116 Uphold me according unto thy word, that I may live: and let me not be ashamed of my hope.

117 Hold thou me up, and I shall be safe: and I will have respect unto thy statutes continually.

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118 Thou hast trodden down all them that err from thy statutes: for their deceit is falsehood.

119 Thou puttest away all the wicked of the earth like dross: therefore I love thy testimonies.

120 My flesh trembleth for fear of thee; and I am afraid of thy judgments.

Introduction

- A. We need to live with good company (119:113-115)**
- B. We need to live with good conscience (119:116-117)**
- C. We need to live with good convictions (119:118-120)**

I. The Bible Brings Spiritual Life

A. The Word of God gives eternal life to those who believe

John 6:63

It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.

B. The Bible convicts and leads sinners to salvation

Romans 10:17

So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

I. The Bible Brings Spiritual Life

C. The Bible reveals the gospel of Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:3-4

3 For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures;

4 And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures:

II. The Bible Transforms The Believer's Life

A. The Word of God renews and cleanses our minds

Romans 12:2

And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

II. The Bible Transforms The Believer's Life

B. The Bible shapes us into the image of Christ

2 Corinthians 3:18

But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

C. The Word of God helps believers grow spiritually

1 Peter 2:2

As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby.

III. The Bible Guides Believers In Daily Living

A. It provides wisdom and guidance

2 Peter 1:19

We have also a more sure word of prophecy; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts:

B. It directs us in decisions and choices

Proverbs 3:5-6

5 Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

6 In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

III. The Bible Guides Believers In Daily Living

C. It equips us for every good work

2 Timothy 3:17

That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.

If The Word Guides Our Walk

We Will Live A Life Pleasing To God