

THE HOLY BIBLE - GOD'S WORD

The Bible is inspired, God breathed and useful four different ways. 2 Timothy 3:16-17

- * **Teaching**.....explains what needs to be believed and lived out
- * **Rebuking**..... exposes what is wrong (eg. Jesus to the disciples - Mark 16:14)
- * **Correcting**.....shows how to get back on the right path
- * **Training**..... shows how to stay on the right path as a pattern of living

God's Name and Word are exalted above all things - Psalm 138:2

- * Living, active (energes/Greek) effective, sharp, penetrating, judges the thoughts and intents of the heart (like a laser beam) - Hebrews 4:12
- * Accomplishes God's purposes just as rain waters seeds to bring a harvest - Isaiah 55:8-11
- * Brings joy and heart's delight when eaten - Jeremiah 15:16

Purifier	Psalm 119:9-11, Ephesians 5:26, John 15:3, 17:17
Light	Psalm 119:105,130
Sword	Hebrews 4:12, Ephesians 6:17, Revelation 19:11
Fire	Jeremiah 5:14
Hammer	Jeremiah 23:29
Seed	Matthew 13:18-23
Mirror	Romans 3:20
Faith-builder	Romans 10:17
Nourisher	Psalm 1:1-3, Proverbs 4:20-22, 1 Thess.2:13, 1 Peter 1:23

It is not my opinions that matter Lord, but what you say in your Word - Colin Urquhart

The Scriptures were not given to increase our knowledge but to change our lives. - D.L. Moody

The Holy Scriptures are our letters from home. -Augustine of Hippo

Nobody ever outgrows Scripture; the book widens and deepens with our years. - Charles Spurgeon

The Word of God I think of as a straight edge, which shows up our own crookedness. We can't really tell how crooked our thinking is until we line it up with the straight edge of Scripture. - Elisabeth Elliot

The Bible is the book of my life. It's the book I live with, the book I live by, the book I want to die by.
- N. T. Wright

I want to know one thing, the way to heaven: how to land safe on that happy shore. God himself has condescended to teach the way; for this very end he came from heaven. He has written it down in a book! Oh, give me that book! At any price, give me the book of God! I have it: here is knowledge enough for me. Let me be: "A man of one book. – John Wesley

THANK GOD FOR HIS BOOK !!!

