

Fundamentals on the Bible

Introduction: Psalms 19:7; 2 Timothy 3:16- 17 The word "Bible" comes from the Greek word "biblos" meaning the book. I have been reading a book on the Authority of the Scriptures. It seems as if man has often been confused about the Bible, even those claiming to be Christians. If the Bible inerrant? How did God give the prophets His word? Etc.

I) Names The Bible Uses To Describe Itself

A) _____ of God, Hebrews 4:12

1. One of _____ origin- "of God".
2. One of _____ John 12:48

B) The _____, Hebrews 10:5-7

1. The Book, not one of many but a singular book.
2. The book containing _____.
3. There are numerous prophecies pertaining to the Christ.

C) The _____, 2 Timothy 3:16

1. The written word recorded for us to _____ John 5:39
2. The source of the Bible is God.

D) _____ of God, Romans 3:1-2

1. Specifically the Old Testament, "utterances of God"
2. God proclaimed the Law of Moses.
3. Not limited to just the Old Testament but the New Testament also. 1 Peter 4:11a

E) _____ oracles, Acts 7:37-38

1. Not a dead or lifeless law but one of power.
2. God's word is still powerful today. Romans 1:16
3. Living because it comes from a _____ God.

II) Symbolic Names Applied to the Bible

A) _____ and _____. Psalms 119:105

1. Ignorance is darkness, man without the Bible is living in darkness.
2. Left to his own devices and schemes, Romans 1
3. Without God's word, man is in darkness (sin), Colossians 1:13; 2 Peter 1:19

B) A _____, James 1:23-25

1. A mirror we cannot see how we look.
2. The Bible reveals to us the way we really are to God.

C) _____ and a _____, Jeremiah 23:29

1. Time of false prophets, false prophecies.
2. God's word is a fire 1 Peter 1:22

D) A _____, Ephesians 6:17b

1. Symbol of war, just as a gun or rifle or tank might be our symbol.
2. Christians are soldiers and weapon of warfare is the word of God. We are to out teach satan and false teachers. 2 Corinthians 10:3-4

E) The _____, Luke 8:11 "

1. No life without the seed, cannot have corn without corn seed, or soybeans, etc.
2. The word of God has to be taught, planted, take root, believe, and grow, obeyed.
3. It will produce after its kind, Christians.