

God's Word - My Delight

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Psalms 119:97 (NKJV) Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day.

I All Scripture is Beneficial

- **2 Timothy 3:16 (NKJV)** All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness,
- **Hebrews 4:12 (NKJV)** For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.
- **Luke 4:4 (NKJV)** But Jesus answered him, saying, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God.'"
- **Psalms 119:9 (NKJV)** How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word.

II Delight brings curiosity

- **2 Timothy 2:15 (NKJV)** Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

III Understanding brings Fruitfulness

- **Matthew 13:18-23 (NKJV)** "Therefore hear the parable of the sower: {19} "When anyone hears the word of the kingdom, and does not understand it, then the wicked one comes and snatches away what was sown in his heart. This is he who received seed by the wayside. {20} "But he who received the seed on stony places, this is he who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; {21} "yet he has no root in himself, but endures only for a while. For when tribulation or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he stumbles. {22} "Now he who received seed among the thorns is he who hears the word, and the cares of this world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and he becomes unfruitful. {23} "But he who received seed on the good ground is he who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and produces: some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty."

IV Fear of the Lord brings Understanding

- **Psalms 111:10 (NKJV)** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; A good understanding have all those who do His commandments. His praise endures forever.
- **Proverbs 9:10 (NKJV)** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding

V Love of God's Word brings Understanding

- **Psalms 119:113 (NKJV)** I hate the double-minded, But I love Your law.
- **Psalms 119:163 (NKJV)** I hate and abhor lying, But I love Your law. Oh how I love thy law,
- **Psalms 119:97 (NKJV)** Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day.

VI Some things that the Word of God teaches

- **Psalms 94:12 (NKJV)** Blessed is the man whom You instruct, O LORD, And teach out of Your law,
- Give and it shall be given unto you
- Forgive and receive forgiveness
- Knock and the door will be opened
- Ask and you will receive
- faithful in little things brings responsibility for bigger **Luke 19:17**
- seek first the kingdom of God and all these things (earthly needs) will be yours as well
- The heart is deceitful

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VII God will teach you If you will ask Him to

- **Psalms 25:4** (NKJV) Show me Your ways, O LORD; Teach me Your paths.
- **Psalms 119:33** (NKJV) Teach me, O LORD, the way of Your statutes, And I shall keep it to the end.

VIII The Teacher is the Holy Spirit

- **1 Corinthians 2:13-14** (NKJV) These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. {14} But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.
- **John 16:13** (NKJV) "However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come.
- **Luke 2:25-26** (NKJV) And behold, there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon, and this man was just and devout, waiting for the Consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him. {26} And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ.
- **John 14:26** (NKJV) "But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.

IX He loves you so He's told you the truth

- **Romans 6:23** (NKJV) For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- **John 3:16** (NKJV) "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.
- **John 3:18** (NKJV) "He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.
- **1 John 5:12** (NKJV) He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life.
- **John 3:36** (NKJV) "He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him."
- **John 6:40** (NKJV) "And this is the will of Him who sent Me, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have everlasting life; and I will raise him up at the last day."
- **John 20:31** (NKJV) but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name.
- **John 10:10** (NKJV) "The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

X Choose Life, Choose Jesus - God does not force you to believe but He offers you the choice

- **John 1:11-12** (NKJV) He came to His own, and His own did not receive Him. {12} But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name: