



It Is Written – Pt 2
The Bible Is Reliable

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1. Accept the _____ of the Bible.

1 Timothy 4:1-2 (NIV), “The Spirit clearly says that in later times some will **abandon the faith** and follow **deceiving spirits** and things **taught by demons**.² Such teachings come through **hypocritical liars**, whose **consciences** have been **seared** as with a hot iron.”

2 Corinthians 11:3-4 (NLT), “³ But I fear that somehow your pure and undivided devotion to Christ will be corrupted, just as Eve was **deceived** by the cunning ways of the serpent. ⁴ **You happily put up with whatever anyone tells you**, even if they preach a **different Jesus** than the one we preach, or a **different kind of Spirit** than the one you received, or a **different kind of gospel** than the one you believed.”

Galatians 1:6-8 (NLT), “⁶ I am **shocked** that you are **turning away** so soon from God, who called you to himself through the loving mercy of Christ. **You are following a different way** that **pretends** to be the **Good News**⁷ but is **not** the Good News at all. You are being **fooled** by those who **deliberately twist the truth concerning Christ**.⁸ Let **God’s curse** fall on anyone, including **us** or even an **angel** from heaven, who preaches a **different kind of Good News** than the one we preached to you.”

1 Thessalonians 2:13 (NIV), “And we also thank God continually because, when you **received the word of God**, which you heard from us, **you accepted it** not as the word of **men**, but as it actually is, the **word of God**, which is at work in **you who believe**.”

2. Trust the _____ of the Bible.

Psalms 12:6 (NIV), “And **the words of the LORD are flawless**, like silver purified in a crucible, like gold refined seven times.”

2 Peter 1:21 (NASB), “For **no prophecy** was ever made by an act of **human will**, but men **moved by the Holy Spirit** spoke from God.”

Matthew 26:56 (NLT), “But this is all happening to **fulfill the words of the prophets** as recorded in the Scriptures.”

Revelation 22:6 (NLT), “Then the angel said to me, “Everything you have heard and seen is **trustworthy and true**. The Lord God, who inspires his prophets, has sent his angel to tell his servants what will happen soon.”

3. Know the _____ of the Bible.

2 Timothy 3:16a (NIV), “All Scripture is **God-breathed (inspired)**...”

Matthew 24:35 (NIV), “Heaven and earth will pass away, but **my words will never pass away**.”

1 Peter 1:24-25 (NLT), “²⁴ As the Scriptures say, ‘People are like grass; their beauty is like a flower in the field. The grass withers and the flower fades.²⁵ But **the word of the Lord remains forever**. And that word is the Good News that was preached to you.’”

4. Understand the _____ of the Bible.

John 5:39 (NLT), “You search the Scriptures because you think they give you eternal life. But **the Scriptures point to me!**”

John 3:16 (NIV), “For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that **whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life**.”
