

Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

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THE WALK THE WORD OF GOD

2 Timothy 3:16 (NKJV) *“All Scripture is given by inspiration of God...”*

FOUR REASONS WHY THE BIBLE IS UNIQUE:

1. Because it leads us to Jesus Christ
2. Because it tells us how God wants us to live
3. Because it gives us hope for the future
4. Because it has super-natural power to change lives

HOW DOES GOD’S WORD CHANGE ME?

1. It recreates my life.

James 1:18 (NIV) *“He chose to give us birth through the word of truth.”*

1 Peter 1:23 (NIV) *“You have been born again not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring Word of God.”*

2. It eradicates my guilt.

1 John 1:9 (NIV) *“If we confess our sins to God, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. (NIV)*

Romans 8:1 *“There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.”*

Ephesians 5:25-26 *“Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the Word.”*

3. It activates my faith.

Hebrews 11:1 (NLT) *“Faith is the confidence that what we hope for will actually happen; it gives us assurance about things we cannot see.”*

Romans 10:17 (NKJV) *“Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.”*

Exodus 23:29-30 (NIV) "I will not drive them out in a single year, because the land would become desolate and the wild animals too numerous for you. Little by little I will drive them out before you, until you have increased enough to take possession of the land."

4. It **stimulates** my growth.

2 Timothy 3:16 (NIV) "All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right."

John 14:26 (NIV) "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 that I have said to you."

5. It **illuminates** my mind.

Psalms 119:130 (NIV) "Understanding your Word brings light to the minds of ordinary people."

Psalms 119:99 (NIV) "I have more insight than all my teachers for I meditate on your statutes."

Psalms 119:105 (NIV) "Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path."

Psalms 119:18 "Open my eyes that I may see wonderful things in your law."

6. It **elevates** my mood.

Romans 15:4 (NIV) "Everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope."

7. It **liberates** my potential.

Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV) "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

John 8:31-32 (NIV) "If you continue in my Word, then you are truly disciples of Mine; and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free!"