

# Bible Study Methods Series

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**Rom. 1:20, “For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even His eternal power and Godhead, so that they are without excuse,**

**Rom. 1:21, “because, although they knew God, they did not glorify Him as God, nor were thankful, but became futile in their thoughts, and their foolish hearts were darkened.”**

**Psa. 19:1, “The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork.**

**Psa. 19:2, “Day unto day utters speech, and night unto night reveals knowledge.**

**Psa. 19:3, “There is no speech nor language Where their voice is not heard.**

**Psa. 19:4, “Their line has gone out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In them He has set a tabernacle for the sun,”**

**2 Timothy 3:16, “All Scripture is inspired by God [qeovpneusto", *Theopneustos*,] and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness;**

**2 Timothy 3:17, “so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work”**

**Inspiration: (*theopneustos*) [literally “God-breathed”] God the Holy Spirit so supernaturally directed the human writers of Scripture, that without waiving their human intelligence, vocabulary, individuality, literary style, personality, personal feelings, or any other human factor, His complete and coherent message to mankind was recorded with perfect accuracy in the original languages of Scripture, the very words bearing the authority of divine authorship.**

# TEACHING

(διδασκαλία, *didaskalia*),

“instruction, teaching”

“organizing, categorizing,  
explaining,  
information with a view to  
changing thinking and living.”

# REPROOF

(*ejlegmov*", *elengmos*),

**“to correct, to offer irrefutable  
proof, to convince”**

# **CORRECTION**

**(εἰπανορθωσι", *epanorthosis*)**

**“to make straight, to renovate,  
to restore”**

# **INSTRUCTION IN RIGHTEOUSNESS**

**(*paideiva, paideia*),**

**“instruction, discipline, the  
training of a child”**

**1 Peter 1:20–21,**

**“But know this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture is *a matter* of one’s own interpretation, for no prophecy was ever made by an act of human will, but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.”**

**Hebrews 4:12,**

**“For the word of God is living and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.”**

**2 Timothy 2:15,**

**“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth.”**

**ojrqotomevw, *orthotomeo***

**“to cut straight, to make a  
straight road, or plow a  
straight furrow”**

**Psa. 119:7, “I will praise You with uprightness of heart, when I learn Your righteous judgments.**

**Psa. 119:8, “I will keep Your statutes; Oh, do not forsake me utterly!**

**Psa. 119:9, “How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word.**

**Psa. 119:10, “With my whole heart I have sought You; Oh, let me not wander from Your commandments!**

**Psa. 119:11, “Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You.”**

**Psa. 119:28, “My soul melts from heaviness;  
Strengthen me according to Your word.”**

**1 John 2:14, “I have written to you, fathers,  
Because you have known Him who is from  
the beginning. I have written to you, young  
men, Because you are strong, and the word  
of God abides in you, And you have  
overcome the wicked one.”**

**Psa. 119:74, “Those who fear You will be glad when they see me, Because I have hoped in Your word.”**

**Psa. 119:81, “My soul faints for Your salvation, But I hope in Your word.”**

**Psa. 119:105, “Your word is a lamp to my feet  
And a light to my path.”**

**Psa. 119:130, “The entrance of Your words  
gives light; It gives understanding to the  
simple.”**

**Psa. 119:169, “Let my cry come before You,  
O LORD; Give me understanding according  
to Your word.”**

**John 7:17, “If anyone wills to do His will, he shall know concerning the doctrine, whether it is from God or whether I speak on My own authority.”**

**John 17:17, “Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth.”**

**Psa. 119:50, “This is my comfort in my affliction, for Your word has given me life.”**

**Psa. 119:54, “Your statutes have been my songs in the house of my pilgrimage.”**

**2 Cor. 1:3, “Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort,**

**2 Cor. 1:4, “who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort those who are in any trouble, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.”**

**2 Cor. 1:5, “For as the sufferings of Christ abound in us, so our consolation also abounds through Christ.**

**2 Cor. 1:6, “Now if we are afflicted, it is for your consolation and salvation, which is effective for enduring the same sufferings which we also suffer. Or if we are comforted, it is for your consolation and salvation.**

**2 Cor. 1:7, “And our hope for you is steadfast, because we know that as you are partakers of the sufferings, so also you will partake of the consolation.”**

## **The believer is to**

- **Read it: Deut. 31:11; Luke 4:16;  
Col. 3:16, Rev. 1:3**
- **Study it: 2 Tim. 2:15**
- **Use it: Eph. 6:17**
- **Memorize it: Psa. 119:11**
- **Meditate on it: Josh. 1:8;  
Psa. 1:2; 119:27, 148**

# **Canonization**

**The process whereby the inspired books of the Bible were recognized, identified, and collected.**

**\*\*The Bible is not an authorized collection of books, but rather a collection of authorized books.**

**~H. Wilmington, *Wilmington's Bible Handbook*, 881.**

**OT**            **929 chapters**  
**NT**            **260 chapters**  
**Total:**    **1189 chapters**

**OT**            **23,214 verses**  
**NT**            **7,959 verses**  
**Total**       **31,173 verses**

**If you read 85 verses a day, you can read the Bible in a year.**

**85 verses; or 3.25 chapters a day.**

**It takes 72 hours to read the Bible aloud –  
4320 minutes**

**$4320/365 = 11.8$  minutes**

<b>Matthew</b>
<b>Mark</b>
<b>Luke</b>
<b>John</b>

**Gospels**

	<b>Colossians</b>	
<b>Acts</b>	<b>I Thessaloni-ans</b>	<b>I Peter</b>
<b>Romans</b>	<b>II Thessaloni-ans</b>	<b>II Peter</b>
<b>I Corinthians</b>	<b>I Timothy</b>	<b>I John</b>
<b>II Corinthians</b>	<b>II Timothy</b>	<b>II John</b>
<b>Galatians</b>	<b>Titus</b>	<b>III John</b>
<b>Ephesians</b>	<b>Philemon</b>	<b>Jude</b>
<b>Philippians</b>	<b>Hebrew</b>	<b>Revelation</b>
	<b>James</b>	

**Apostolic Writings**

**NEW TESTAMENT**