GOOD GROUND FOUNDATIONS 7

**His Word – Our Only Rule of Faith and Practice**

MEMORY VERSE: “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, 32and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” [John 8:31-32](https://www.esv.org/John%2B8%3A31/)

The best thing about walking with the Lord is He has given us this amazing, handy volume to tell us everything we need to know about how to follow and serve Him, and it fits in the palm of our hand. It’s called the bible. This week we’ll explore what makes it such an amazing asset to us as we seek to follow Christ.

1. The Letter to the Hebrews gives us some keen insight into God’s word. What do you learn from the following verses?
	1. [Hebrews 1:1-2](https://www.esv.org/Hebrews%2B1/)
	2. [Heb 4:12](https://www.esv.org/Hebrews%2B4%3A12/)
2. What did the Psalmist say about God’s Word?
	1. [Ps 12:6](https://www.esv.org/Psalm%2B12%3A6/)
	2. [Ps 19:7-11](https://www.esv.org/Psalm%2B19%3A7-11/)
	3. [Ps 119:105](https://www.esv.org/Psalm%2B119%3A105/)
3. How about Isaiah?
	1. [Is 40:6-8](https://www.esv.org/Isaiah%2B40%3A6/)
	2. [Is 55:8-11](https://www.esv.org/Isaiah%2B55%3A8/)
4. What are some of the benefits we can expect from reading, and knowing, God’s Word?
	1. [Ps 119:1-11](https://www.esv.org/Psalm%2B119/)
	2. [Ps 119:97-100](https://www.esv.org/Psalm%2B119%3A97/)
	3. [John 8:31-32](https://www.esv.org/John%2B8%3A31/)
5. How did John describe Jesus in [John 1:1-14](https://www.esv.org/John%2B1/)?
6. What did Jesus do when He was tempted by the devil in [Matthew 4:1-11](https://www.esv.org/Matthew%2B4/)?
7. What did Jesus think about God’s Word?
	1. [Matt 5:17-19](https://www.esv.org/Matthew%2B5%3A17/)
	2. [John 17:17](https://www.esv.org/John%2B17%3A17/)
8. The apostles Peter and Paul gave us the definitive New Testament statements on God’s Word. What do you learn from these verses?
	1. [2 Tim 3:14-17](https://www.esv.org/2%2BTimothy%2B3%3A14/)

* 1. [2 Pet 1:16-21](https://www.esv.org/2%2BPeter%2B1%3A16/)