

Holy Scriptures

2 Timothy 3:13-17 “But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived. But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned *them*; And that from a child thou hast known the **holy scriptures**, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all good works”

Three Powerful Affects of the Holy Scriptures:

1. Saves the Sinner

Romans 10:17 “So then faith *cometh* by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.”

1 Corinthians 15:3-4 For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; 4 And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures:

2. Separates the Seducers

- Jesus asked 7 times “Have ye not read?”

Matthew 12:3 But he said unto them, **Have ye not read** what David did, when he was an hungred, and they that were with him;

Matthew 12:5 **Or have ye not read in the law**, how that on the sabbath days the priests in the temple profane the sabbath, and are blameless?

Matthew 19:4 And he answered and said unto them, **Have ye not read**, that he which made *them* at the beginning made them male and female,

Matthew 22:31 But as touching the resurrection of the dead, **have ye not read** that which was spoken unto you by God, saying,

Mark 12:10 **And have ye not read this scripture**; The stone which the builders rejected is become the head of the corner:

Mark 12:26 And as touching the dead, that they rise: **have ye not read in the book of Moses**, how in the bush God spake unto him, saying, I *am* the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob?

Luke 6:3 And Jesus answering them said, **Have ye not read so much as this**, what David did, when himself was an hungred, and they which were with him;

- 80 times Jesus said: “It is written”

Reading God’s word will shine light on those trying to seduce the believer!

3. Stablishes the Saint

1 Peter 5:10 But the God of all grace, who hath called us unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye have suffered a while, make you perfect, stablish, strengthen, settle *you*.

2 Timothy 2:15 Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.