



WEEK 3

# THE BIBLE: GOD'S WORD TO US

THE AUTHORITY, RELIABILITY &  
TRANSFORMING POWER OF SCRIPTURE

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When the Scriptures  
speak, God speaks.

— Augustine



A 20-WEEK DISCIPLESHIP JOURNEY



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## WEEK 3 – The Bible: God's Word to Us

### Lesson Purpose

This lesson is designed to help you understand why the Bible is more than just an ordinary book. Through Scripture, you will discover that the Bible is God's inspired Word – given to reveal His character, guide our lives, strengthen our faith, and lead us into truth. You will also explore why millions of believers throughout history have trusted the Bible as a reliable foundation for faith, hope, and daily living.

### How to Use This Study

- Look up each Bible verse carefully
- Answer each question from the text
- Write your answers in your own words
- Be prepared to share your thoughts in discussion

### PART 1 – BIBLE DISCOVERY

#### The Bible Is God's Word

1. According to 2 Timothy 3:16–17, where does Scripture ultimately come from?  
Answer: \_\_\_\_\_
2. In 2 Timothy 3:16–17, what four purposes of Scripture does Paul mention?  
Answer: \_\_\_\_\_
3. According to 2 Peter 1:20–21, how were the biblical writers guided in communicating God's message?  
Answer: \_\_\_\_\_
4. In Hebrews 4:12, how is the Word of God described?  
Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

5. According to Psalm 19:7, what effect does God's law and testimony have upon the soul?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## PART 2 – BIBLE DISCOVERY

### The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

6. According to Isaiah 40:8, what will endure forever?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. In Matthew 24:35, what did Jesus say about the permanence of His words?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. According to Psalm 119:105, how does God's Word guide our lives?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. In John 17:17, how did Jesus describe God's Word?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. According to Romans 10:17, how does faith grow?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

11. In Joshua 1:8, what blessings are connected with meditating on God's Word?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. According to Psalm 119:11, why should believers store God's Word in their hearts?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## PERSONAL RESPONSE

Which statement best reflects your understanding after today's lesson?

- I better understand why the Bible is trustworthy.
- I want to spend more time reading Scripture.
- I now see the Bible as more than just a religious book.
- I still have questions about the Bible and would like to study more.

How often do you currently spend time reading the Bible?

- Daily
- Several times a week
- Occasionally
- Rarely

What truth from today's lesson impacted you the most?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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