

THE AUTHORITY OF THE WORD:

The Word of God.

“And the Word became flesh and lived among us; and we actually saw His glory, glory as belongs to the One and only begotten Son of the Father [the only One of His kind, who is] full of grace and truth.” John 1:14 amplified

Jesus was the expression of God in the form of human flesh. When we study and meditate in the Word it is the same as having fellowship with Jesus. The Bible is the will and testament of God our Father.

God and His Word are inseparable. They are one.

One of His attributes is **unchangeableness**.

I am Jehovah, I change not.' Mal 3:3. I

*“My covenant I will not break, nor alter the word that has gone out of My lips.”
Ps 89:34*

*“Forever, O Lord **Your Word is settled in heaven.** Your faithfulness endures to all generations; You established the earth and it abides/stands. They continue this day according to Your ordinances, for all are Your servants” Psalm 119:89-91*

What will the Word of God do for you?

- It produces life. John 6:63
- It uncovers sin. Hebrews 4:12
- It cleanses and purifies. Psalm 119:9; 1 John 1:9
- It gives us strength. 1 Peter 2:2; Psalm 19:10 & 1 Corinthians 3:2
- It gives us instruction in what to do. Matthew 7:24-27; James 1:22
- It is a weapon. Ephesians 6: 17
- It gives us power to pray. John 15:7; John 15:2-3; 2 Timothy 3:14-17
- It gives us wisdom. Psalm 119:98

- It produces peace. Psalm 119:165
- It heals us. Psalm 107:20
- It produces faith. Romans 10:17
- It is food for our spirit and soul. 1 Peter 2:2
- **God's Word is absolute and unchanging.** Though times and seasons change, though social customs, human opinions and philosophical viewpoints vary, THEY HAVE NO AFFECT ON THE CONSTANCY OR AUTHORITY OF GOD'S WORD.
- **God is faithful to His Word.** Just as He spoke and the earth was created and is sustained, so He has spoken regarding His laws for living.

- **Is the substance God used to create what is seen.**

Genesis 1:1-8

Of old You laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of Your hands. Psalm 102:25

John 1:1-4; 14 *"In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him and without Him nothing was made that was made. In Him was life and the life was the light of men.*

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of mercy and truth." John 1:1-2

"God who at various times and in various ways spoke in time past to the fathers by the prophets. Has in these last days spoken to us by His Son, whom He has appointed heir of all things, though whom also He made the worlds; who being the brightness of His glory and the express image of His person and upholding all things by the Word of His power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high. Hebrews 1:1-3

Is the incorruptible seed from which you were born again.

*“Since you have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit in sincere love(without putting on an act, pretending) of the brethren, love one another fervently with a pure heart, having been born again not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the Word **Logos** of God which lives and abides forever” 1 Peter 1:22-23*

Heaven and earth shall pass away but my Word shall never pass away.