

# PART 3: RELEVANT

## 2 Timothy 3:16-17

<sup>16</sup> All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, <sup>17</sup> that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

#### Where We Have Been

- -The Inspiration of Scripture (2 Timothy 3:16-17)
- -The Accuracy and Authority of Scripture (2 Peter 1:20,21)
- -Today we will consider the relevance of Scripture (Hebrews 4:12; Selected Scripture)

#### Relevance of Scripture

- -Where did I come from (Genesis 1 and 2)?
- -What God did to make a way for man to be brought back into relationship with God following our rebellion (Genesis 3; 2 Corinthians 5:18-21)
- -How do I find purpose and meaning in life (Romans 12:1-2)?

#### Relevance of Scripture

- How do I experience fulfillment in personal relationships (Colossians 3:12-14)?
- -How do I find strength in my weakness and healing following the disappointments that I face (Romans 8:1ff; Psalm 42, 43)

#### Three Truths to Treasure

- -The Bible as the story of man
- -The Bible as presenting Jesus, God's gift to man
- -The Bible as descriptive of God's nature and character and that which offers us a "big picture" of the way in which we are to understand that which is going on around us

### A Final Look (2 Timothy 3:16-17)

- -Teaching (the doctrines of Scripture explained)
- Reproof (pointing out the error of our way and thinking)
- -Correction (getting us back on track)
- -Training in righteousness (the expectation of the manner in which we should live)
- -Moving toward Maturity (v. 17)

