

2 Timothy 3:10-17 Part II

Persevere in Trusting the Scriptures

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You, however, have followed my teaching, my conduct, my aim in life, my faith, my patience, my love, my steadfastness, ¹¹ my persecutions and sufferings that happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, and at Lystra—which persecutions I endured; yet from them all the Lord rescued me. ¹² Indeed, all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, ¹³ while evil people and impostors will go on from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. ¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

1. _____ Scripture is God Breathed: (16)

- a. The entire _____ is God breathed. –Lk 11:51; 16:16-17
- b. The entire _____ is God breathed:
 - i. Jesus _____ it. –John 16:13
 - ii. The church immediately _____ it. –1 Tim 5:18; 2 Pet 3:15
- c. There can be no _____ within the _____:
 - i. Do not pit the _____ against _____. –2 Pet 3:15-16; Acts 20:35
 - ii. Do not pit the _____ against the _____. –James 2:8; Eph 6:1

2. Scripture is Sufficient for _____ Good Work: (17)

- a. It _____ you for everything God requires of you. –2 Pet 1:3-4
- b. It needs no _____ information. –Prov 3:5; 2 Tim 2:21
- c. All outside truth-claims lack Biblical _____. –Prov 14:12; 16:25

3. Scripture is Eminently _____:

- a. **‘For teaching’**: _____:
 - i. We must _____ what is good before we can _____ it. –Ps 19:11
 - ii. We must be lifelong _____ of the Word. –Ezra 7:10; 2 Tim 2:15
- b. **‘For reproof’**: _____:
 - i. God’s uses His _____ by His _____ to convict of sin. –Jn 16:8-11
 - ii. Turn to Scripture when you lack conviction and _____. –Jer 23:29
- c. **‘For correction’**: _____:
 - i. It practically equips you to make actual _____. –Eph 4:20-24
 - ii. _____ has not occurred until _____ occurs. –Lk 11:24-26
- d. **‘For training in righteousness’**: _____:
 - i. It is able to _____ change and continued growth. –Josh 1:8
 - ii. You will never _____ your need of Scripture. –2 Tim 4:13