



Sermon Outline
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The Bible

2 Timothy 3:16-17

Faith's Foundational Truths:

Big Rock #1:

The Bible is God's _____ word.

Big Rock #2:

God is the omnipotent, gracious creator of the universe.

Big Rock #3:

Humanity is the _____ of God's creation but is in desperate need of redemption.

Big Rock #4:

The resurrection proves that there's more to this life than just this life.

Academy Christian's position on the Bible:

We believe the Bible is without ERROR and the authority for all we _____ and _____.

In other words, the Bible is our source of _____ and _____.

Why the Bible is so uniquely extraordinary:

Because it's _____ any other book.

*** It's authored by _____ but delivered by humans.**

2 Timothy 3:16-17 - All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

** It's not just the "Good Book." It's the _____ book.*

2 Peter 1:21 - For prophecy never had its origin in the human will, but prophets, though human, spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

*** It _____ and investigates us.**

Hebrews 4:12 - For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.

*** It provides _____ for the soul.**

Matthew 4:4 - Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"

Why the Bible is so uniquely important:

Because it partially _____ the spiritual dimension that co-exists with our physical world.

*We're not just physical beings having a spiritual experience.
We're also spiritual beings having a physical experience.*

*** It uncovers God's _____ and designs.**

Genesis 1:27 - So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

*** It explains conditions and provides _____.**

Psalms 119:105 - Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path.

*** It offers an _____ perspective.**

John 6:66-68 - From this time many of his disciples turned back and no longer followed him. "You do not want to leave too, do you?" Jesus asked the Twelve. Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life."

** Instead of interpreting the Bible through our experiences, we _____ interpret our experiences through the Bible.*