



## **Guarding the Mind in the Authority of God's Word**

'You cannot reason someone out of an argument or belief that they were never reasoned into to begin with'

Romans 12:2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

### **Blinded by the Evil One**

#### **2Corinthians 4:4**

In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the Glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.

#### **Titus 1:15**

Unto the pure all things *are* pure: but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving *is* nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled.

#### **Romans 1:22**

Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,

#### **Romans 1:28**

And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient;

### **Gods Protecting Word**

The Holy word of God contained in the Bible is pure and perfect without error. God's word is a shield and protection for the heart and mind of man. In it are all truths that man needs for daily living, and in fulfilling his purposes on this earth. Man need not add to nor take away from God's Holy Scripture; it is full and complete; Holy and Righteous.

#### **Proverbs 30:5-6**

5Every word of God *is* pure: he *is* a shield unto them that put their trust in him.

6Add thou not unto his words, lest he reprove thee, and thou be found a liar.

#### **2Peter 1:3-4**

3According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that *pertain* unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue:

4Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

#### **1Peter 1:23**

Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

It is by the very word of God that we are born again. God's word protects us from the carnal thinking of the world and through it we walk in the spirit and not in the flesh; in the light and not in darkness.

## **2Corinthians 4:6**

For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to *give* the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

## **John 8:12**

Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.

## **Psalms 119:9**

BETH. Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed *thereto* according to thy word.

## **The Word of God and Not of Man**

### **John 12:49-50**

49For I have not spoken of myself; but the Father which sent me, he gave me a commandment, what I should say, and what I should speak.

50And I know that his commandment is life everlasting: whatsoever I speak therefore, even as the Father said unto me, so I speak.

### **2Peter 1:19-21**

19We have also a more sure word of prophecy; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts:

20Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation.

21For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake *as they were* moved by the Holy Ghost.

### **Deuteronomy 4:2**

Ye shall not add unto the word which I command you, neither shall ye diminish *ought* from it, that ye may keep the commandments of the LORD your God which I command you.

## **God's Word is to be Reverenced and Obeyed – It Is Holy**

### **Psalms 138:2**

I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou hast magnified thy word above all thy name.

### **Romans 3:3-4**

3For what if some did not believe? shall their unbelief make the faith of God without effect?

4God forbid: yea, let God be true, but every man a liar; as it is written, That thou mightest be justified in thy sayings, and mightest overcome when thou art judged.

God's Word is a protection for the heart and mind for those that Believe. It brings knowledge of sin, and warns of the adversary (the devil, Satan, Lucifer) his ways and deceptions. It teaches by history of things past and the revelation of things future. God's Word is the armor of the mind and heart.

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