

Holy Week, part 1

Romans 7:12 Therefore the law *is* holy, and the commandment holy and just and good.

What is Holy to God, is it Holy to me?

The Word of God is Holy, is the Word of God Holy to me?

#1 The Bible is the very Words of God

Turn to 2 Timothy 3:16-17, pg. 690 in the Pew Bible

Charles Ryrie: Our English word carries with it the idea of “breathing into something” but this word tells us that God breathed out something, namely, the scriptures. To be sure, human authors wrote the texts, but the Bible originated as an action of God who breathed it out.

2 Peter 1:21 for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

The Bible is how God speaks to us because it is His Words.

#2 The Bible reflects the very character of God

John 8:32 and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.

Psalms 19:7 The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple.

John 17:17 Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.

Psalms 119:50 This is my comfort in my affliction, that your promise gives me life.

Psalms 19:8 the precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the eyes

Matthew 5:18 For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished.

How do I respond?

#1 Get into it.

Psalms 1:2 His delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His law he meditates day and night.

Psalms 119:97 Oh how I love your law! It is my meditation all the day!”

Romans 12:2 Be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

#2 Know it

1 Corinthians 2:9-12 “Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man, The things which God has prepared for those who love Him.” But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God. For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even

so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God. Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.

1 John 5:13 These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may *continue to* believe in the name of the Son of God.

#3 Live It

Turn to James 1:22-25 pg. 700 in Pew Bible

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