

I. The Bible—God's Specific Revelation

1. God chose to reveal Himself specifically through the written Word ([Ps. 19:7-14](#)).
 - a. Generally speaking, people desire to be right and when they are it is reason for rejoicing ([Ps. 19:8](#)).
 - b. We need God's Word for the betterment of mankind via a perfect standard ([Ps. 19:7](#)).
 - c. God's Word must be greatly desired resulting in rejoicing ([Ps. 19:10](#)).

II. The Bible—An Enduring Inheritance

1. How are your savings doing these days?
 - a. I overheard on Fox News to a financial helper at the end of December in 2019, "We survived the season of giving now help us get back on track financially."
 - b. Great emphasis is placed on savings (financial security) these days and connected with this is an inheritance.
 - c. We must remember that we cannot take anything material with us when we die ([1 Tim. 6:7](#)).
 - d. For this reason, we must be sure to lay up our treasures in heaven ([Mt. 6:19-21](#)).
2. The greatest inheritance we can have and give is the Word of God ([Ps. 119:111](#)).
 - a. Note the rejoicing it caused the Psalmist!
 - b. Why is this the case? Consider [Psalm 19:11](#).
 - c. God's Word endures forever ([1 Pt. 1:23-25](#); [Mt. 24:35](#); [Ps. 119:89, 144, 152, 160](#)).
 - d. The best inheritance we can give anyone and especially our children is exposure to the Word of God.

III. The Bible—A Healthy Diet

1. We are the product of our choices.
 - a. This concerns what we put into our bodies as well as our mind (the biblical heart).
2. God's Word does us no good if we are not consuming it on a regular basis.
 - a. Jeremiah consumed God's Word and it caused joy and rejoicing ([Jer. 15:16](#)).
 - b. Job treasured God's Word *more* than physical food ([Job 23:12](#)).
 - c. Jesus used the Word of God to defeat Satan's temptations ([Mt. 4:1-11](#)).
3. No matter what we are going through God's Word has the solution ([2 Pt. 1:3-11](#)).
 - a. Peter has God's Word under consideration ([2 Pt. 1:16-21](#)).
 - b. This is reason for rejoicing!