

THE ETERNAL WORD

(Matthew 24:35)

- Introduction:
1. There are some things in life that will last forever.
 - a. Kingdom (Daniel 2:44).
 - b. The word of God (1 Peter 1:25).
 2. In this lesson, let us examine some facts & attitudes toward the eternal word.

I. It Is God's Revelation To Mankind

- A. God has revealed Himself to us in the Bible (1 Corinthians 2:9-13).
- B. This revelation was carefully delivered (2 Timothy 3:16-17; 1 Peter 1:19-21).

II. How Should This Book Be Treated?

- A. We cannot add to it (Revelation 22:18).
- B. We cannot subtract from it (Revelation 22:19).
- C. It cannot be broken (John 10:35).
- D. We must learn to respect it (Acts 17:11-12).

III. Why Is There So Much Disrespect For It?

- A. There are many who do not know what the Bible really says (Hosea 4:6; 2 Peter 3:16).
- B. There are many who are attempting to undermine what the Bible really teaches (2 Timothy 4:1-4).

IV. What Is The Proper Use Of The Bible?

- A. Use it to produce faith (Romans 10:17).
- B. Use it to convert the lost (Psalm 19:7; Acts 11:14).
- C. Use it to guide your life (Titus 2:11-12).
- D. Use it to prepare yourself for Heaven (1 Peter 1:4).

- Conclusion:
1. The word of God is a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our way (Psalm 119:105).
 2. This being the truth, where are you headed?