

(John 12:48)

Whose words will be the test to determine whether we will enter heaven or not?

Does any church or person have the right to add to or change what Jesus taught?

Yes or No

If three people teach three different things on a religious subject, how can you know which is right? _____

How are you going to treat the Bible and what it says about your life? _____

What if it teaches something different from what you already believe? _____

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Lesson 1

**How Should
We Treat
The Bible?**

*Your Word is a
lamp to my feet
And a light to
my path.
(Psalm 119:105)*



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(2 Timothy 3:16-17)

Does the Bible come to us from God?

Yes or No

What will the Bible do for us? _____

Does the Bible provide the man of God with everything he needs? *Yes or No*

(Ephesians 3:4-5)

Should we be able to understand what is written when we read it? *Yes or No*

Has the mystery of Christ now been revealed?

Yes or No

(2 Peter 1:3)

Has God's will for man been completely revealed? *Yes or No*

Do we need anything other than what the Bible offers to know how to have life and godliness?

Yes or No

If someone comes and offers you a new revelation, do you need it? *Yes or No*

(2 Peter 1:20-21)

Did the writers of the Bible record their own ideas of what God was saying? *Yes or No*

If the Bible is God's direct message to us, how should we treat that message? _____

(1 Corinthians 2:12-13)

Did the writers of the Bible receive thoughts or words from the Holy Spirit's instruction?

If the words of the Bible are directly from God, how should we treat its translation? _____

Should we seek a word-for-word translation or a "thought" translation?

Word-for-Word or Thought

(John 14:6)

Is Jesus the only way to get to the Father?

Yes or No

Is there any other way? *Yes or No*

(Matthew 7:13-14)

Will most people go to heaven after they die?

Yes or No

Since only a few are going to heaven, can personal feelings be a safe guide?

Yes or No

Why or why not? _____

(Matthew 7:21-23)

Does a person have to do God's will in order to enter heaven? *Yes or No*

How much of God's will must you do? _____

Will believing you are right be enough?

Yes or No

(Galatians 1:6-9)

Does the Bible say that some people teach error and falsehood? *Yes or No*

If an angel appears to you and tells you something different from the Bible, how should you treat that message? _____

(2 John 9; 1 Corinthians 4:6)

Can we add to or change what God told the first century Christians to do? *Yes or No*

If we don't follow what the New Testament reveals, how can we know that what we are teaching and doing is pleasing to God?

Are feelings a safe guide? *Yes or No*

(Leviticus 10:1-2)

Did God approve of the changes that Nadab and Abihu made? *Yes or No*

What is God's reaction when you change what He has told you to do? _____

How important is it to follow God's will just as He has given it in the Bible? _____
