God's Word

Is true and contains truth (vs. 142, 151)

Is our heritage forever (vs. 111)

A hiding place, a refuge and shield (vs. 114)

Comes from His (God's) mouth (vs. 13)

Is the way of truth (vs. 30)

His judgments are good (vs. 39)

Right (vs. 75, 128, 137)

Righteous (vs. 75, 138, 172)

Wonderful (vs. 129)

Trustworthy (vs. 42, 86, 138)

Faithful (vs. 86, 138)

Pure (vs. 140)

God's Word

Shows God's goodness and He does good to us (vs. 68) Shows God's merciful kindness and unfailing love (vs. 76, 88) Is thoroughly tested and contains nothing worthless or useless (vs. 140)

Not fickle but grounded firmly, unchanging (vs. 52)

Fills the earth with all that makes life secure and joyous (vs. 54-57)

Forever settled in Heaven, is eternal and stands firm (vs. 89, 91)

Through His word the earth was established and remains (vs. 90)

His Word is everlasting (vs. 144, 152, 160)

Compared to great riches (vs. 14)

Better than gold and silver (vs. 72, 127)

Is sweeter than honey (vs. 103)

We love His commands (vs. 47)

God's Word

Holds wondrous things (vs. 18) and Invokes awe (vs. 120, 161)

So next time you're tempted to let your Bible sit on the shelf, think of this list from Psalm 119.

Don't let the cares of this world choke out the seed of His Word! *His Word will feed your soul and fill your heart.*

70 Reasons to Read GOD's WORD ...every single day

We NEED the WORD because **we NEED JESUS** and **HE IS THE WORD** made flesh.

And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth. John 1:14

God's Word is daily bread that feeds our hungry and needy souls

And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst. Jhn 6:35

| look up wore | Mat 6:11; Lk 11:3; Mat 4:4; Lk 4:4; Deut |
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| • | 8:3 |

It's water that refreshes and washes our minds

That He might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word Eph 5:26

look up wore Jn 17:17; Ps 19:8; Jn 7:38; Jer 2:13

It's a shield in a world full of battles & a high tower

Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. Eph 6:16

look up wore Gen 15:1; Ps 56:11; 2 Sam 22:3; Ps 18:2

Yet it's often what sits on the shelf as we seek counsel from other sources

They ask a piece of wood for advice! They think a stick can tell them the future! Longing after idols has made them foolish. They have played the prostitute, serving other gods and deserting their God. Hos 4:12 NLT

look up wore Isa 65:2; 1 Jn 2:15

Only in JESUS can we find ALL we NEED – and HIS WORD is the written revelation of His being.

For in Him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. And ye are complete in Him, which is the head of all principality and power. Col 2:9, 10

Psalm 119 is all about God's Word, its benefits, its importance, its purpose, and what our response to it should be. In this one chapter we find over **70 reasons to read the Bible EVERY DAY!**

God's Word

Keeps us from sin (vs. 3)

Keeps our way pure (vs. 9, 11, 133)

Keeps us from stumbling (vs. 165)

Rescues us from sin and afflictions (vs. 67)

Cleanses our way (vs. 9)

Gives us confidence and keeps us from shame (vs. 6)

Provides Liberty and freedom from affliction and oppression (vs. 45)

Preserves our life (vs. 25, 93, 154, 156, 159)

Quickens us and grants us life (vs. 93, 154, 156, 159)

God's Word

Gives strength (vs. 28, 92)

Fills our longing (vs. 20, 131)

Sets our heart free (vs. 32)

Is our help (vs. 175)

Gives hope (vs. 43, 49, 74, 81, 114, 147)

Gives great peace (vs. 165)

Renews our trust (vs. 171)

Is our comfort in suffering (vs. 50, 52, 76)

Gives peace in the night (vs.62)

Is our delight (vs. 16, 24, 35, 77, 43, 48, 143)

Gives us a sound heart (vs. 80)

Is our delight in trouble times (vs. 143)

An anchor for the soul (vs. 50)

A compass for life (vs. 59)

A mirror into our heart (vs. 59)

God's Word

Give us reason to praise (vs. 164, 171)

Causes us to lift our hands (vs. 48)

Causes us to sing His praise (vs. 172)

Makes our heart rejoice (vs. 111, 162)

Is the theme of our song wherever we go (vs. 54)

Is our meditation all day (vs. 97, 99)

God's Word

Gives wisdom for choosing friends (vs. 63)

Is a counselor (vs. 24, 70, 174)

Softens a callous heart (vs. 70)

Creates a burden for the lost and heartbreak over sin (vs. 136)

Makes us wise (vs. 98)

Gives understanding (vs. 99, 100, 104, 130)

Makes us sensitive to sin (vs. 104)

In His Word we find mercies and see His salvation (vs. 41, 58)

God's Word

Is our teacher and instructor (vs. 102)

Is a lamp to our feet (vs. 105)

Gives light to our path (vs. 105, 130)

Directs our steps as a guide (vs. 133)

Is an answer for our accuser and frees us from reproach (vs. 42)

Inexhaustible source of wise counsel (vs. 96)

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