

Text: Psalm 119:89-112 | Light Your Path with God's Perfect Lamp and Light!

Main Idea: God's Wisdom Always Lights the Path of Truest Joy.

OUTLINE

I. BY HOPING IN GOD'S WISDOM (WORD), WE ANTICIPATE OUR LIFE TO COME (89-91, 93, 98-100, 104, 105, 111). [ILL: Dot on screen/page.]

- A. God's wisdom is as sure as the universe we live in (89).
- B. God's faithfulness is the most enduring reality because it spans every generation (90).
- C. Wisdom and faithfulness are one in the same, and they both stand because God stands, and they (like everything are His servants) (91).

Isaiah 55:8-11

God has shown great compassion to give us **every Divine word we need to know about any subject in this life.**

ASK: And while there is surely more to know than what is contained in God's Word, the Bible, why do we seem to prefer that which is outside of God's perfect revelation?

- D. We are His (94)! Therefore our temporal life is swallowed up by the vastness of God's eternity.

Seeking understanding in, and delighting in, God's law brings the right perspective to everything in this life (92, 94).

II. WE HOPE IN (HAVE CONFIDENCE) GOD'S WISDOM BY SEEING GOD EXALTED OVER ALL (97-104).

- A. Wisdom, insight and understanding are found by the one who muses and applies God's Word (97, 98-100).
- B. You love who or what you understand to be greatest (97, 101-104).
ILL: If God's law is the brightest light, we are to be solar panels soaking in as much light as possible.

III. WALK ON THE PATH OF HOLINESS AND TRUTH (105-112).

- A. Light refers to holiness and truth.
 - 1. Lamp = by night
 - 2. Light = by day
- B. The way to go is found in the Bible alone.
- C. God will give wisdom to the one who intends and commits to walking on the path of holiness and truth. (James

DISCUSSION

1. Skim the passage and identify:
 - a. Statements of praise and adoration
 - b. Requests of any kind
 - c. Resolve to obey
 - d. How many are there of each?
2. What do you learn about prayer through this section of Psalm 119?
3. What aspects of God's law, Word, etc. do you most love?
4. How do you work to keep your perspective on eternity in view?
5. What aspects of God's Word are most challenging for you to love and obey?
6. In what ways does God's Word give you life?
7. How are you relying on God in faith to guide you now?
8. What one aspect of this passage most encourages you?
9. What one aspect in this passage do you most need to grow in today?