# What the Word of God Brings Psalm 119

#### 1. Wonder: The Word reveals what is truly amazing.

- 18 Open my eyes, that I may see Wondrous things from Your law.
- 129 Your testimonies are wonderful; Therefore my soul keeps them.
- 161 Princes persecute me without a cause, But my heart stands in awe of Your word.

#### 2. <u>Purity</u>: The Word tells us what is pure, and how to be pure.

- 9 How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word.
- 11 Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You!
- 140 Your word *is* very pure; Therefore Your servant loves it.

#### 3. Counsel: The Word gives righteous, faithful guidance.

- 24 Your testimonies also *are* my delight *And* my counselors.
- 89 Forever, O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven.
- 138 Your testimonies, which You have commanded, Are righteous and very faithful. (righteous → 123,137,164)
- 142 Your righteousness *is* an everlasting righteousness, And Your law *is* truth.
- 160 The entirety of Your word *is* truth, And every one of Your righteous judgments *endures* forever.

#### 4. Direction: The Word records what God has commanded.

• 35 – Make me walk in the path of Your commandments, For I delight in it.

# 5. <u>Hope</u>: The Word helps us rely on God's greatness and goodness.

- 49 Remember the word to Your servant, Upon which You have caused me to hope.
- 81 My soul faints for Your salvation, But I hope in Your word.

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#### 6. Life: The Word brings meaning now, and spiritual life forever.

- 50 This is my comfort in my affliction, For Your word has given me life.
- 93 I will never forget Your precepts, For by them You have given me life.

#### 7. Songs: The Word gives us words for our music.

• 54 – Your statutes have been my songs In the house of my pilgrimage.

## 8. <u>Treasure</u>: The Word brings greater value than prize or pleasure.

- 72 The law of Your mouth *is* better to me Than thousands of *coins of* gold and silver.
- 103 How sweet are Your words to my taste, *Sweeter* than honey to my mouth!
- 127 Therefore I love Your commandments More than gold, yes, than fine gold!
- 162 I rejoice at Your word As one who finds great treasure.

### 9. <u>Light</u>: The Word shows the truth and brings understanding.

- 104 Through Your precepts I get understanding; Therefore I hate every false way.
- 105 Your word is a lamp to my feet And a light to my path.
- 130 The entrance of Your words gives light; It gives understanding to the simple.

# 10. Peace: The Word brings rest to our inner soul.

• 165 – Great peace have those who love Your law, And nothing causes them to stumble.

