

Engaging Our Whole Being in the Word of God

“We must come to the sure Word and open up our whole being to the Word—our mouth, our eyes, our mind, our spirit, and our heart—until Christ as the morning star rises up in us and shines over us.”—*Conclusion of the New Testament*, p. 4192

The Word and the Mouth

Deuteronomy 30:14 But the **word** is very near to you, even in your mouth and in your heart, that you may do it.

Psalms 119:13 With my lips I have declared all the **ordinances** of Your mouth.

Psalms 119:103 How sweet are Your **words** to my taste! Sweeter than honey to my mouth!

Revelation 10:10a And I took the little **scroll** out of the hand of the Angel and devoured it, and it was as sweet as honey in my mouth.

The Word and the Eyes

Proverbs 4:20-21 My son, be attentive to my **words**...Do not let them depart from your sight.

Deuteronomy 6:6, 8 And these **words**, which I command you today, shall be upon your heart...they shall be as frontlets between your eyes.

The Word and the Ears

Ezekiel 3:10 Moreover He said to me, Son of man, all My **words** that I will speak to you take into your heart and hear with your ears.

Luke 11:28 But He said, Blessed rather are those who hear the **word** of God and keep it.

Romans 10:17 So faith comes out of hearing, and hearing through the **word** of Christ.

The Word and the Hands

Psalms 119:48 And I will lift up my hand to Your **commandments**, which I love; and I will muse upon Your **statutes**.

Deuteronomy 11:18 These **words** of mine...you shall bind them on your hand as a sign.

The Word and the Feet

Psalms 119:133 Establish my footsteps in Your **word**, and do not let any iniquity have dominion over me.

Psalms 119:105 Your **Word** is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

The Word and the Spirit

Ephesians 6:17-18 And receive the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which Spirit is the **word** of God, by means of all prayer and petition, praying at every time in spirit.

John 6:63 It is the Spirit who gives life; the flesh profits nothing; the **words** which I have spoken to you are spirit and are life.

The Word and the Heart

Psalm 119:11 In my heart I have treasured up Your **word** that I might not sin against You.

Psalm 119:36 Incline my heart to Your **testimonies** and not to unjust gain.

Psalm 119:161 My heart stands in awe of Your **words**.

Jeremiah 15:16 Your **words** were found and I ate them, and Your **word** became to me the gladness and joy of my heart.

Luke 8:15b These are those who in a noble and good heart hear the **word** and hold it fast and bear fruit with endurance.

The Word and the Soul

Deuteronomy 11:18a Therefore you shall lay these **words** of mine on your heart and on your soul.

Psalm 19:7a The **law** of Jehovah is perfect, restoring the soul.

Psalm 119:20 My soul is crushed with longing for Your **ordinances** at all times.

James 1:21b Receive in meekness the implanted **word**, which is able to save your souls.

The Word and the Mind

Psalm 119:16b I will not forget Your **word**.

Psalm 119:52 I have remembered Your **ordinances** from long ago, O Jehovah, and have comforted myself.

Psalm 119:73b Give me understanding that I may learn Your **commandments**.

Psalm 119:130 The opening of Your **words** gives light, imparting understanding to the simple.

Nehemiah 8:8 And they read in the **book**, in the **law** of God, interpreting and giving the sense, so that they understood the reading.

Luke 24:45 Then He opened their mind to understand the **Scriptures**.

The Word and the Will

Psalm 119:30 I have chosen the way of faithfulness; Your **ordinances** I have set before me.

Psalm 119:173 Let Your hand be ready to help me, for I have chosen Your **precepts**.

The Word and the Ears, the Eyes, the Heart, and the Body—Our Entire Being

Proverbs 4:20-22 My son, be attentive to my words; incline your ear to my sayings. Do not let them depart from your sight; keep them in the midst of your heart. For they are life to those who find them, and healing to all their flesh.