

FAITH ALIVE

II TIMOTHY 3:14-17;

TEACHINGS OF JESUS: THE WAY

...as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, and how from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that all God's people may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. (TNIV)

I admit that I worship the God of our fathers as a follower of the Way...

Acts 24:14 (NIV)

1. It is essential that any one of us who would be a follower of Jesus discover a defining word from God to **GUIDE** our life commitment.
2. The Bible is the definitive **MESSAGE** of God to all humanity.

It's words contain **LIFE** because they are God-breathed.
It's the **ONLY** book that tells us about God's Son.

3. The teachings of Jesus, in the Bible, show us **THE WAY** to God.

Jesus replied, "If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him.

John 14:23 (NIV)

We see where our behavior and thinking is **FLAWED**.
We can acquire the **TRAITS** of a genuine disciple of Jesus.

Jesus said, "If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples.

John 8:30-31 (NIV)

4. We learn from Jesus about a **GRACE-FILLED** God who offers us His Kingdom!

Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom.

Luke 12:32 (NIV)