

What Is Scripture? 2Timothy 3:14-17

Notice "holy writings" and "All scripture" refer to same writings
It is able to save our souls. Give us wisdom
Inspiration? - (theopneustos) Literally, God Breathed
God spoke the words

Meaning of "All Scripture"

Law of Moses, the prophets and the Psalms - **Luke 24:44-45**

Genesis through Malachi - Septuagint

Law of Moses - Genesis through Deuteronomy

The Psalms - words of poetry - Job - Song of Solomon, some think Lamentations

The Prophets - Joshua through Esther and Isaiah through Malachi

Law And The Prophets

Matthew 5:17; Matthew 11:13

Christ started something new, He was different

Jesus says the Psalms are "law" "word of God" and "scripture" - **Acts 13:15-16; John 10:34-35; Psalms 82:6**

The people had concluded from the Law that the Christ was to remain forever - **John 12:34; Psalm 110:4; Isaiah 9:7; Ezekiel 37:25; Daniel 7:14**

Paul quotes from the Law - **1Corinthians 14:21; Isaiah 28:11**

The Oracles Of God

Oracle – logion - form of logos which means something said

Strong's - An utterance (of God)

Vine's - "a word, narrative, statement," denotes "a divine response or utterance, an oracle"

As used in the New Testament

The Jews were entrusted with the "oracles of God" - **Romans 3:2**

Stephen quotes Moses (Gen - Deut) came from God - **Acts 7:38**

Teachers should have more than the elementary principles of the "oracles of God" - **Hebrews 5:12**

Giving Book, chapter, and verse reference so people could verify the information - **1Peter 4:11**

The Gospel

Faith must be based upon what gospel says - The gospel was preached to Abraham. Paul calls
Genesis the gospel. - **Galatians 3:8**

The things revealed to the apostles which they wrote down is the gospel which we can read,
understand and do. - **Ephesians 3:4-6**

All Scripture Gives Wisdom

John 12:48; Romans 2:16

All we have to do to go to heaven is read the book, understand it, and do it to the best of our
ability.

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