

WHY READ MY BIBLE? PART 2

1 Thessalonians 2:13

MAIN TAKEAWAY

The Bible is not just for information but for **transformation**. If you want to know Jesus personally, you must develop a relationship with the **written Word of God**. The Bible is your guidebook, your spiritual weapon, your mirror, your medicine, and your source of faith.

KEY SCRIPTURES

- **2 Timothy 3:16 KJV**

"All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:"

- **John 10:35 KJV**

"If he called them gods, unto whom the word of God came, and the scripture cannot be broken;"

- **Matthew 4:1-4 KJV**

"Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. And when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward an hungred. And when the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread. But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God."

BENEFITS OF LOVING, LEARNING AND LIVING THE WORD OF GOD

1. You become the person God created you to be and you fulfill the purpose He created you for.
2. New birth (James 1:18, 1 Peter 1:22-23).
3. Produces miracles (Psalm 119:129-131).
4. Romans 10:17).
5. Victory over sin and spiritual warfare (Psalm 119:9-11).

REFLECT & REVISIT

- Read Matthew 4:1-4 and reflect on how Jesus resisted temptation.
- Read your One-Year Bible **out loud** this week.
- Each day, ask yourself: *"How does this apply to my life today?" "How can I speak this Word over my situation?"*
- When you face temptation or discouragement, respond like Jesus did: "It is written..." and speak the Word over your life.