

Improve Bible Literacy

“Listen to the Word” Series #2

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“Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.” (Psalm 1:1-3, ESV)

Introduction

Jesus came to improve Bible literacy in the world. Today, let’s look at Psalm 1 and consider why we should improve Bible literacy.

1. To Know the Way

- A. The way of the righteous and the way of the wicked (Psalm 1:1, 6)
- B. The way of the transplanted and the way of the scattered (Psalm 1:3-5)

2. To Understand the Truth

- A. The truth of the Word (Psalm 1:2-3; See also John 17:17)
- B. The truth of the judgment (Psalm 1:4-6; See also John 1:14, 3:18)

3. To Receive the Life

- A. The eternal life (Psalm 1:3; See also John 4:13-14)
- B. The abundant life (Psalm 1:3; See also John 15:5, 16:24)

For our prayers, study, discussion, and application

1. Which way are you walking in?
2. What truth(s) does the Bible speak?
3. Who do you want to share the blessing of eternal life with now?

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