

HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life Mt 28:20a

Talking about The Introduction of the Catechism

1 What are God's thoughts about you?

God's thoughts about me are thoughts of love and blessing.

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life."

Psalm 139:17 "How precious to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!"

2 What is God's will for you?

God's will is that I be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth (1Timothy 2:3-4).

John 10:10 "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly."

3 Where does God show us how we may be saved?

God shows us how we may be saved in His Holy Word, the Bible.

John 20:31 "...but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name."

4 How did God give the Bible to us?

God gave us His written word by inspiring chosen prophets, evangelists, and apostles, giving them the thoughts and words to write.

2 Peter 1:21 "For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit."

2 Timothy 3:16 "All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness..."

1 Corinthians 2:13 "And we impart this in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual truths to those who are spiritual."

5 Does the Bible teach you everything necessary for salvation?

Yes, the Bible alone teaches the complete truth about salvation.

John 20:30-31 "Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name."

2 Peter 1:3-4 "His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence, by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire."

John 5:24 "Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life."

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version



