

The Hidden Truth

(Psalm 119:105)

- Introduction:
1. The Bible is a book that will challenge you all the days of your life.
 2. It is simple enough for the unskilled, but is deep enough to challenge the scholars.
 3. "The Bible contains the mind of God, the state of man, the way of salvation, the doom of sinners, and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding, its histories are true, and its decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you, and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword and the Christian's charter. Here too, Heaven is opened and the gates of Hell disclosed. Christ is its grand subject, our good its design, and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently and prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, will be opened at the judgment, and be remembered forever. It involves the highest responsibility, rewards the greatest labor, and will condemn all who trifle with its sacred contents."
 4. Let's consider several "hidden truths" that I hope will whet your appetite for further study.

I. Job & Life After Death

- A. (Job 1:1-3; Job 42:10-13).

II. David And His Son

- A. (2 Samuel 12:13; 1 Chronicles 3:5).

III. Jesus Commands Us To Judge

- A. (John 7:1-5).

IV. God's Gift To Josiah

- A. (2 Chronicles 34:27-28).

- Conclusion:
1. Get to know your Bible.
 2. Be amazed by it's contents and depth.
 3. But don't forget that the Bible is more than just a book of interesting facts waiting to be uncovered; it's a book telling you of God's love for you and what you must do to be saved from your sins.