

Psalm 119:15

by Brent Yim

Brent Yim's sermon on Psalm 119:15 emphasizes the importance of meditation on God's unchanging Word for stability and wisdom in life.

Scripture: Psalm 119:15, Proverbs 3:5, Isaiah 26:3, Philippians 4:7, James 1:5

Topics: "Meditation", "Divine Wisdom"

Description

Brent Yim emphasizes the importance of meditating on God's precepts and contemplating His ways to find stability of mind amidst life's uncertainties. He highlights how the human mind is often distracted by various thoughts and emotions, but true peace and wisdom come from focusing on the unchanging truths of God's Word. By choosing to fix our attention on God's constant words and works, we can navigate life with divine wisdom and experience promised treasures of peace, joy, surety, and comfort.

Transcript

"I will meditate on Your precepts, and contemplate your ways." - Psalm 119:15

The human mind is comparable to a bottomless pit that generates a diversity of thoughts and concerns that forcefully subdue its attention. Though meditation and contemplation are a common practice, the object of our concentration varies and is continually shifting like the ocean's tide. Our emotions, irregular circumstances, and personal preferences are all variables that contribute to that which captivates of our thoughts; which in return determines how we view and respond to life.

However, the psalmist discovered that stability of mind was not found in the variables of everyday life; rather it was found in the unchanging absolutes of the inspired Word of God. Therefore, through this divine revelation, he willfully determined to fix his attention upon the unvarying words and works of God. He prudently understood that it was through his meditation upon that which is constant and his contemplation of that which is sure, that he was able to view and respond to life with the matchless wisdom God.

How valuable this perspective is to those who have heeded the motivating testimony of this man of God. Peace, joy, surety, and comfort are the promised treasures granted to individuals who have wisely chosen to live according to this Biblical principle. Those who through personal experience can confidently proclaim with the psalmist, "I will meditate on your precepts, and contemplate your ways!"

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