

Finding Shalom Through Scripture #1

Scripture is a remarkable book. It is the world's best-selling book. It was written over a period of 1500 years by over 40 different authors. It is made up of 66 books. It's authenticity to be the word of Elohim can be supported in three different ways.

Archaeology: There have been many Archaeological finds that validate Scripture. In 1947 a shepherd boy found original parchment papers of parts of the ENTIRE OLD TESTAMENT [EXCEPT for Ester] in old clay pots in a cave in the Middle East. These are called the Dead Sea Scrolls (DSS). In 1990 archaeologists discovered the tomb of Caiphas, the High Priest who condemned Yahusha to death. Babylon was unearthed years ago in Iraq. In fact, part of the Original front gate is in the Oriental Museum in Chicago.

Prophetically: Every prediction made by Scripture has thus far become true. Specifically traces what nations would rule the earth UNTIL the coming of Messiah and History confirms it.

Transformationally: Scripture declares over 3,000 times that it is inspired by Yahuah. The biggest proof is the way it changes lives.

Q.1 What is the purpose of ALL Scripture?

Ans. John 5:39; John 15:15; Exo.33:11; James 2:23; Jer.9:23; Phil.3:10

As we become acquainted with the Scripture we learn that there are principles to follow in studying Yahuah's word. Here are several:

- 1. Pray for wisdom. John 16:13; 1 Cor.2:14
Spiritual things are spiritually discerned. Without the Set-Apart Spirit (Ruach) to guide us we are unable to understand Scripture.**
- 2. Compare relevant passages. Luke 24:25-27**
- 3. An open mind and willingness to obey. Jer.29:13**

How many of us are truly content with life? Ever since we're born we're never satisfied. There is in all of us a yearning for something more...

**Q.2 What does Yahusha promise those who come to him?
Ans. Matt.11:28-30**

**Q.3 What does Yahusha want to give us?
Ans. John 14:27**

**Q.4 What does Yahusha want us to do?
Ans. Philippians 4:6,7**

**Q.5 How does Yahusha give us His Shalom?
Ans. Colossians 1:20**

**Q.6 Why is Yahusha so important?
Ans. John 3:16-18; 6:40; 11:25,26; 20:31**

**Salvation is NOT a thing to be obtained. It is a PERSON!
ONCE you meet Yahusha your WHOLE LIFE WILL CHANGE!**

Because of this we are going to spend the next few lessons getting to know Him better!