



Outline – Sunday School May 13, 2018

Sermon Title: “The Wondrous Word that Truly Transforms”

Text: Psalm 119:129-136, Pe

When once truly transformed by the Divine Word, the following 3 things will become a part of their life’s experience:

1. Delight in the Word’s Beauty and Glory – v129-130

A. A Beauty to be Extolled – v129 God’s testimonies are “wonderful” (pele’)

= wonder, extraordinary, marvelous, admirable, distinguished, a miracle of God:

Said of God’s Works – (Ex 15:11/Ps 77:11, 14/Is 25:1), and of God’s Word – Is 9:6

B. A Glory to be Expounded – v130, entrance = opening, unfolding, i.e. disclosure, declaration

“Giveth light” = to become light, or bright – 1 Sam 14:27, 29/ Prov 8:5-11; 9:1-6, 13-18

Exposition is the process/means by which one is illuminated by the Word – Luke 24:32/Ps 19:7-10

2. Desire for the Word’s Grace and Mercy – v131-132

A. Grace for sustaining life – v131

i. opened, (*pa`ar*) open wide – Job 29:11-23

ii. panted, (*sha'aph*) gasp, breathe heavily, long for; of one who hurries (*`arag*) – Ps 42:1

B. Mercy for misery – v132, Ps 9:13; 31:9; 106:4

3. Diligence for the Word’s Sanctification and Honor – v133-136

A. Acknowledging Dependence upon the Word to Obey

i. Direction: “order” = establish, make firm – Ps 37:23-28/Prov 23:5-6/2 Tim 3:14-17

ii. Deliverance: to loose, sever, ransom, redeem, release, rescue – Ps 69:18; 49:7

iii. Discipline: Num 6:25/ “teach” = exercise, train – Ps 119: 7, 64, 124

B. “Acquainted with Grief” for the Despising of the Word by Others – Is 53: 1-3/Ps 119:158/Ezek 9:4