

Text: Various  
Topics: Interpretation, Illumination, Word of God  
Series: The Written Word

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## I Don't Understand It? (part 1)

### I. The Merit

Psalm 119:160...

Intake and application of God's Word is of great value to one's life.

Psalm 19:7-11...

Psalms 119:1-2...

### II. The Meaning

One must not violate basic principles of interpretation.

Galatians 1:6-7; 2 Peter 3:16...

Acts 17:11; 2 Timothy 2:15...

(to be continued)

Application Questions - *These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group for even more benefit.*

Warmup: Give 5 words that describe your intake of God's Word. Explain why you chose these words.

1. What does Psalm 119:160 say about God's Word? (See also John 17:17) What kind of application would this call for from you?

2. Read Psalm 19:7-11. Reflect on the words used to describe what God's Word is, and what it can do for a person. Which 1-2 of these things are most valuable to you right now, and why?

3. According to Psalms 119:1-2 and Proverbs 29:18, who is happy & blessed?

4. Both Paul and Peter warn their readers about people who will distort the meaning of God's Word. Read Galatians 1:6-7 and 2 Peter 3:16. What do these verses say about these people and the result of what they do?

Can you give an example of this being done, and these results, today?

5. What is commended/encouraged in Acts 17:11 and 2 Timothy 2:15? In what ways are you doing this? What best helps you to continue to do this?