

Bible Study

#18 The Testimony of Jesus

- Revelation 12:17 And the dragon was wroth with the **woman**, and went to make war with the **remnant of her seed**, which **keep the commandments of God**, and **have the testimony of Jesus Christ**.
- Revelation 19:10 And I fell at his feet to worship him. And he said unto me, See thou do it not: I am thy **fellowservant**, and **of thy brethren that have the testimony of Jesus**: worship God: for the **testimony of Jesus is the *spirit of prophecy***.
- 2 Peter 1:21 for ***prophecy*** never came by the will of man, but **holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit**.
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- Revelation 1:1 The **Revelation of Jesus Christ**, which **God gave unto Him, to show unto His servants *things which must shortly come to pass***; and He sent and *signified* it by His angel unto His servant John:
- Revelation 1:2 Who **bare record of the word of God, and of the testimony of Jesus Christ**, and of all **things that he saw**.
- Revelation 1:3 Blessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the **words of this *prophecy***, and keep those things which are written therein: for the time is at hand.
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- Revelation 1:9 I John, who also am **your brother**, and **companion** in tribulation, and in the kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ, was in the isle that is called Patmos, for the **word of God**, and for the **testimony of Jesus Christ**.
- Revelation 1:10 I was ***in the Spirit*** on the Lord's day, and heard behind me a great voice, as of a trumpet,
- Revelation 1:11 Saying, **I am Alpha and Omega**, the first and the last: and, **What thou seest, write in a book, and send it** unto the seven churches which are in Asia...
- Amos 3:7 Surely the Lord **God does nothing, unless He reveals His secret to His servants the prophets**.

- Exodus 25:21 You shall put the mercy seat on top of the ark, and **in the ark you shall put the Testimony that I will give you.**
- Exodus 31:18 And when He had made an end of speaking with him on Mount Sinai, **He gave Moses two tablets of the Testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God.**
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- Joshua 1:1 After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, it came to pass that the Lord spoke to Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' assistant, saying:
- Joshua 1:7 Only be strong and very courageous, that you may **observe to do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may prosper wherever you go.**
- Joshua 1:8 **This Book of the Law** shall not depart from your mouth, but **you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.**
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- Deuteronomy 31:24 So it was, when **Moses had completed writing the words of this law in a book**, when they were finished,
- Deuteronomy 31:25 that **Moses commanded the Levites**, who bore the ark of the covenant of the Lord, saying:
- Deuteronomy 31:26 "**Take this Book of the Law, and put it beside the ark of the covenant of the Lord your God, that it may be there as a witness against you;**
- Deuteronomy 31:27 for **I know your rebellion and your stiff neck**. If today, while I am yet alive with you, **you have been rebellious against the Lord**, then **how much more after my death?"**
- Revelation 11:19 And the **temple of God was opened in heaven**, and there was seen **in His temple the ark of His testament**: and there were *lightnings*, and *voices*, and *thunderings*, and an *earthquake*, and *great hail*.

Proverbs 29:18 Where there is **no vision**, the **people perish**: but he that **keepeth the law**, **happy is he**.

Revelation 15:2 And I saw as it were a sea of glass mingled with fire: and **them that had gotten the victory over the beast, and over his image, and over his mark, and over the number of his name**, stand on the sea of glass, having the harps of God.

Revelation 15:3 And **they sing the song of Moses** the **servant of God**, and the **song of the Lamb...**

Deuteronomy 32:44 So Moses came with Joshua the son of Nun and **spoke all the words of this song in the hearing of the people**.

Deuteronomy 32:45 Moses finished speaking all these words to all Israel,

Deuteronomy 32:46 and He said to them: "**Set your hearts on all the words which I testify among you today**, which you shall **command your children to be careful to observe--all the words of this law**.

Deuteronomy 32:47 For **it is not a futile thing for you**, because **it is your life**, and **by this word you shall prolong your days** in the land which you cross over the Jordan to possess."

1 Samuel 10:24 And Samuel said to all the people, "Do you **see him whom the Lord has chosen**, that there is no one like him among all the people?" So all the people shouted and said, "Long live the king!"

1 Samuel 10:25 Then **Samuel explained to the people the behavior of royalty**, and **wrote it in a book and laid it up before the Lord**...

Psalms 132:12 If your sons will **keep My covenant and My testimony** which **I shall teach them**, Their sons also shall sit upon your throne forevermore.

2 Chronicles 20:20 ...**Believe in the Lord your God**, and you shall be established; **believe His prophets**, and you shall prosper.

Exodus 7:1 And the LORD said unto Moses, See, **I have made thee a god to Pharaoh: and Aaron thy brother shall be thy prophet.**

Deuteronomy 18:13 ***You shall be blameless before the Lord your God.***

Deuteronomy 18:14 For these nations which you will dispossess listened to **soothsayers and diviners**; but as for you, the Lord your **God has not appointed such for you.**

Deuteronomy 18:15 The Lord your **God will raise up for you a Prophet like me from your midst, from your brethren.** Him you shall hear,

Deuteronomy 18:18 **I will raise up for them a Prophet like you from among their brethren, and will put My words in His mouth, and He shall speak to them all that I command Him.**

Deuteronomy 18:19 And it shall be that **whoever will not hear My words, which He speaks in My name, I will require it of him.**

Acts 3:22 For Moses truly said to the fathers, 'The Lord your **God will raise up for you a Prophet like me from your brethren.** Him you shall hear in all things, **whatever** He says to you.

Acts 3:23 And it shall be that **every soul who will not hear that Prophet shall be utterly destroyed** from among the people.'

Acts 3:24 Yes, and **all the prophets**, from Samuel and those who follow, **as many as have spoken, have also foretold these days.**

Acts 3:25 **You are sons of the prophets**, and of the covenant which God made with our fathers, **saying to Abraham**, 'And in your seed **all the families of the earth shall be blessed**.'

Acts 3:26 *To you first*, **God**, having **raised up His Servant Jesus**, sent Him **to bless you**, in **turning away every one of you from your iniquities**.

John 5:46 For if you **believed Moses**, you would **believe Me**; for **he wrote about Me**.

John 5:47 But if you **do not believe his writings**, *how will you believe My words*?

John 6:32 Then Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, **Moses did not give you the bread from heaven**, but **My Father gives you the true bread from heaven**.

John 6:33 For the **bread of God is He who comes down from heaven** and gives life to the world."

John 6:34 Then they said to Him, "Lord, give us this bread always."

John 6:35 And Jesus said to them, "**I am the bread of life**. **He who comes to Me shall never hunger**, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst."

Deuteronomy 8:3 ...man shall not live by **bread** alone; but man lives by every **word that proceeds from the mouth of the LORD**.

Exodus 16:33 And Moses said to Aaron, "**Take a pot and put an omer of manna in it, and lay it up before the Lord, to be kept for your generations**."

Exodus 16:34 As the Lord commanded Moses, so Aaron **laid it up before the Testimony**, to be kept.

Psalms 119:160 **Thy word is true** from the beginning: and **every one of thy righteous judgments endureth for ever**.

Luke 1:76 "And you, child, will be called the **prophet of the Highest**; for you will go **before the face of the Lord to prepare His ways**,

Luke 1:77 to **give knowledge of salvation to His people** *by the remission of their sins*,

Luke 1:79 to **give light to those who sit in darkness** and the shadow of death, to **guide our feet into the way of peace**."

Hosea 12:9	"But I am the Lord your God, <u>ever since the land of Egypt</u> ; I will again make you dwell in tents [tabernacles], as in the days of the appointed feast.
Hosea 12:10	I have also spoken by the <u>prophets</u>, and have multiplied <u>visions</u>; I have given symbols through the witness of the <u>prophets</u>."
Hosea 12:13	By a <u>prophet</u> the Lord brought Israel out of Egypt, and by a <u>prophet</u> he was preserved.
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Malachi 4:1	"For behold, the day is coming, burning like an oven , And all the proud, yes, all who do wickedly will be stubble . And the day which is coming shall burn them up ," Says the Lord of hosts, "That will leave them neither root nor branch.
Malachi 4:4	"Remember the Law of Moses , My servant, which I commanded him in Horeb for all Israel , with the statutes and judgments.
Malachi 4:5	Behold, I will send you Elijah the <u>prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord.</u>"
Malachi 4:6	And he will turn the hearts of the fathers to the children , and the hearts of the children to their fathers , lest I come and strike the earth with a curse."
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1 Corinthians 2:1	And I, brethren, when I came to you , did not come with excellence of speech or of wisdom declaring to you the <u>testimony of God</u> .
1 Corinthians 1:4	I thank my God always concerning you for the grace of God which was given to you by Christ Jesus,
1 Corinthians 1:5	that you were enriched in everything by Him in all utterance and all knowledge,
1 Corinthians 1:6	even as the <u>testimony of Christ</u> was confirmed in you ,
1 Corinthians 1:7	so that you come short in no gift, eagerly waiting for the revelation of our Lord Jesus Christ ,
1 Corinthians 1:8	who will also confirm you to the end , that you may <u>be blameless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ</u> .
Deuteronomy 18:13	You shall <u>be blameless before the Lord your God</u> .

- 1 Corinthians 12:7 But the manifestation of the **Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all:**
- 1 Corinthians 12:8 for to one is given the **word of wisdom** through the Spirit, to another the **word of knowledge** through the same Spirit,
- 1 Corinthians 12:9 to another **faith** by the same Spirit, to another **gifts of healings** by the same Spirit,
- 1 Corinthians 12:10 to another the **working of miracles**, to another **prophecy**, to another **discerning of spirits**, to another **different kinds of tongues**, to another the **interpretation of tongues**.
- 1 Corinthians 12:11 But **one and the same Spirit** works all these things, *distributing to each one individually as He wills.*
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- Exodus 15:20 Then **Miriam the prophetess**, the sister of Aaron...
- Judges 4:4 Now **Deborah, a prophetess**, the wife of Lapidoth, was **judging Israel at that time**.
- 2 Chronicles 34:22 So Hilkiah and those the king had appointed went to **Huldah the prophetess...**
- Luke 2:36 Now there was one, **Anna, a prophetess**, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher.
- Acts 21:8 ...Philip the evangelist...
- Acts 21:9 Now this man had **four virgin daughters who prophesied**.
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- Numbers 12:6 And He said, Hear now my words: **If there be a prophet among you, I the LORD will make myself known unto him in a vision, and will speak unto him in a dream.**
- Matthew 24:24 For false christs and **false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect.**

1. True prophet must bear good fruit

- Matthew 7:20 Therefore **by their fruits** you will know them.
- Galatians 5:22 But the **fruit of the Spirit** is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,
- Galatians 5:23 gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.
- 2 Peter 1:21 for ***prophecy*** never came by the will of man, but **holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit**.
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2. True prophet must edify the people of the church

- 1 Corinthians 14:3 But **he who prophesies speaks edification and exhortation and comfort to men.**
- 1 Corinthians 14:4 ...**he who prophesies edifies the church.**
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3. True prophet must get prophecies right

- Deuteronomy 18:20 But the **prophet** who presumes to speak a word in My name, which I have not commanded him to speak, or **who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die.**
- Deuteronomy 18:21 And if you say in your heart, 'How shall we know the word which the Lord has not spoken?'--
- Deuteronomy 18:22 when a **prophet speaks in the name of the Lord**, if the **thing does not happen or come to pass**, that is the thing which the **Lord has not spoken**; the prophet has spoken it presumptuously; **you shall not be afraid of him.**
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4. True prophet must declare Jesus Christ is God and exalt Him

- 1 John 4:15 Whosoever shall **confess that Jesus is the Son of God**, God dwelleth in him, and he in God.
- 1 John 4:2 Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: **Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come *in the flesh* is of God**
- 2 John 2:7 For many **deceivers** are entered into the world, who **confess not** that **Jesus Christ is come *in the flesh***. This is a **deceiver** and an **antichrist**.
- Luke 24:27 And beginning at ***Moses and all the prophets***, He expounded to them in **all the Scriptures** the things **concerning Himself**.

4. True prophet must declare Jesus Christ is God and exalt Him

- Deuteronomy 13:1 If there arises among you a **prophet** or a **dreamer of dreams**, and he **gives you a sign or a wonder**,
- Deuteronomy 13:2 and the **sign or the wonder comes to pass**, of which he spoke to you, **saying, 'Let us go after other gods'-- which you have not known--'and let us serve them,'**
- Deuteronomy 13:3 **you shall not listen to the words of that prophet or that dreamer of dreams**, for the Lord your **God is testing you to know whether you love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul.**
- Deuteronomy 13:4 You shall walk after the LORD your God and **fear Him**, and **keep His commandments** and **obey His voice**; you shall **serve Him** and **hold fast to Him**.
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5. True prophet must agree with the law and all the prophets

- Lamentations 2:9 ...The **Law is no more**, and her prophets find **no vision** from the Lord.
- 1 Corinthians 14:32 And the **spirits of the prophets are subject to the prophets.**
- 1 Corinthians 14:33 For **God is not the author of confusion** but of peace, as in all the churches of the saints.
- 1 Corinthians 14:37 If **anyone thinks himself to be a prophet or spiritual**, let him **acknowledge that the things which I write to you are the commandments of the Lord.**
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5. True prophet must agree with the law and all the prophets

- John 14:26 But the Helper, the **Holy Spirit**, whom the Father will send **in My name**, **He will teach you all things**, and **bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.**
- Isaiah 8:20 To the **law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word**, it is because **there is no light in them.**
- Hebrews 13:8 **Jesus Christ** is the **same yesterday, today, and forever.**

6. True prophet must speak with authority.

Matthew 7:28 And so it was, when Jesus had ended these sayings, that the people were astonished at His teaching,

Matthew 7:29 for **He taught them as one having authority**, and not as the scribes.

7. True prophet exhibits physical signs in vision

Numbers 24:4 He hath said, which **heard the words of God**, which **saw the vision** of the Almighty, **falling into a trance**, but having his **eyes open**

Daniel 10:7 And I Daniel alone saw the vision: for the men that were with me saw not the vision; but a great quaking fell upon them, so that they fled to hide themselves.

Daniel 10:8 Therefore I was left alone, and saw this great vision, and there remained **no strength in me**: for my comeliness was turned in me into corruption, and **I retained no strength**.

Daniel 10:9 Yet heard I the voice of his words: and when I heard the voice of his words, then was I in **a deep sleep on my face**, and **my face toward the ground**.

7. True prophet exhibits physical signs in vision

Daniel 10:15 And when he had spoken such words unto me, **I set my face toward the ground**, and **I became dumb**.

Daniel 10:16 And, behold, **one like the similitude of the sons of men touched my lips**: then I opened my mouth, and spake, and said unto him that stood before me, O my lord, by the vision my sorrows are turned upon me, and **I have retained no strength**.

Daniel 10:17 For how can the servant of this my lord talk with this my lord? for as for me, straightway there remained **no strength in me**, **neither is there breath left in me**.

Daniel 10:18 Then there came again and **touched me** one like the appearance of a man, and **he strengthened me**

1 John 4:1 Beloved, **do not believe every spirit**, but **test the spirits**, whether they are of God; because **many false prophets have gone out into the world.**

1 Thessalonians 5:19 **Do not quench the Spirit.**

1 Thessalonians 5:20 **Do not despise prophecies.**

1 Thessalonians 5:21 **Test all things**; hold fast what is good.

John 16:13 However, when He, the **Spirit of truth**, has come, **He will guide you into all truth**; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and **He will tell you things to come.**

Acts 2:16 But this is what was **spoken by the prophet Joel**:

Acts 2:17 'And it shall come to pass **in the last days**, says God, that **I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh**; your sons and your daughters shall **prophecy**, your young men shall **see visions**, your old men shall **dream dreams**.

Acts 2:18 And on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out **My Spirit** in those days; and **they shall prophecy**.'

Isaiah 8:16 **Bind up the testimony**, seal the law among my disciples.

Psalms 119:2 Blessed are those who keep **His testimonies**, who seek Him with the whole heart!

Psalms 119:14 I have rejoiced in the way of **Your testimonies**, as much as in all riches.

Psalms 119:24 **Your testimonies** also are my delight and my counselors.

Psalms 119:46 I will speak of **Your testimonies** also before kings, and will not be ashamed.

Psalms 119:79 Let those who fear You turn to me, those who know **Your testimonies**.

Psalms 119:111 **Your testimonies** I have taken as a heritage forever, for they are the rejoicing of my heart.

Psalms 119:119 You put away all the wicked of the earth like dross; therefore I love **Your testimonies**.

Psalms 119:129 **Your testimonies** are wonderful; therefore my soul keeps them.

- Psalms 119:138 **Your testimonies**, which You have commanded, are righteous and very faithful.
- Psalms 119:144 The righteousness of **Your testimonies** *is everlasting*; give me understanding, and I shall live.
- Psalms 119:146 I cry out to You; save me, and I will keep **Your testimonies**.
- Psalms 119:152 Concerning **Your testimonies**, I have known of old that You have *founded them forever*.
- Psalms 119:157 Many are my persecutors and my enemies, yet I do not turn from **Your testimonies**.
- Psalms 119:168 I keep **Your precepts and Your testimonies**, for all my ways are before You.
- Revelation 12:17 ...the remnant of her seed, which **keep the commandments of God**, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.
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John 10:27 **My sheep hear My voice**, and *I know them*, and **they follow Me**.