

**15) THE WORD OF GOD \_\_\_\_\_ AND DELIVERS**

Psalm 107:20 He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.

**16) THE WORD OF GOD \_\_\_\_\_ US**

Eph. 5:25-27 Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her, that He might sanctify and cleanse her with the washing of water by the word, that He might present her to Himself a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that she should be holy and without blemish.

**17) HEARING THE WORD PRODUCES \_\_\_\_\_**

Rom.10:17 faith *comes* by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

**18) THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF GOD IN THE BIBLE ARE ALL YES**

1 Cor. 1:20 For all the promises of God in Him *are* Yes, and in Him Amen, to the glory of God through us.

**19) THE WORD IS OUR SPIRITUAL \_\_\_\_\_**

Eph. 6:17-18 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; praying always...

**20) GOD AND HIS WORD ARE \_\_\_\_\_**

John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

**21) THE WORD IS \_\_\_\_\_**

Matthew 24:35 Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away.

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| 1) INSPIRED     | 8) PROPHETIC | 15) HEALS      |
| 2) VOICE        | 9) FOOD      | 16) SANCTIFIES |
| 3) MOVED        | 10) DEVOTION | 17) FAITH      |
| 4) UNITY        | 11) FREE     | 18) PROMISES   |
| 5) KNOW         | 12) LIVES    | 19) WEAPON     |
| 6) HISTORICALLY | 13) RENEWS   | 20) ONE        |
| 7) PERSECUTION  | 14) WARNS    | 21) ETERNAL    |

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**21 REASONS**

**THE BIBLE IS A SUPERNATURAL BOOK OF LIFE TRANSFORMING POWER!**

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**1) THE BIBLE DECLARES TO BE \_\_\_\_\_ OF GOD**

2 Timothy 3:16 All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness

Greek: *theopneustos* "inspired by God" (*Theos*, "God," *pneo*, "to breathe"), is used in [2Ti 3:16](#), of the Scriptures as distinct from non-inspired writings. Vine's Expository Dictionary - Strong's #: [g2315](#)

**2) THE BIBLE CLAIMS TO BE THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF GOD**

Hebrews 1:1-2 God, who at various times and in various ways spoke in time past to the fathers by the prophets, has in these last days spoken to us by His Son

**3) MEN WERE \_\_\_\_\_ BY THE HOLY SPIRIT TO WRITE**

2 Peter 2:20-21 knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

**4) THE BIBLE IS UNIQUE IN IT'S \_\_\_\_\_ AROUND CHRIST**

Unique: being without a like or equal – Merriam Webster Dictionary. Consider the variables of how the Bible was compiled yet it has one message centered on God's plan of salvation for mankind.

John 5:39 Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me. (Jesus Christ)

Compiled from 66 individual books and written over a period of about 1500 years, the Bible was recorded by more than 40 writers in Hebrew, Aramaic and Greek on three continents; Asia, Europe and Africa. With all these factors the Bible remains one unified book from beginning to end without contradiction revealing God's plan to redeem humanity.

Luke 24:27 And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself.

#### 5) THE BIBLE TEACHES HOW TO \_\_\_\_\_ GOD BY GRACE

Religions teach men to earn acceptance from a deity by self-performance. The Bible reveals the sinfulness of men but also a merciful and righteous creator God filled with love for man, his highest creation. God reached down from Heaven and paid the ultimate price of sin Himself through the death of His Son, Jesus Christ on the cross to save man and restore him to Himself by grace through faith apart from works. **Ephesians 2:8-9 "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast."**

#### 6) THE BIBLE IS \_\_\_\_\_ ACCURATE

There is more evidence that the Scriptures have been handed down to us accurately than there is evidence for any other ancient writing!

#### 7) THE BIBLE HAS SURVIVED ALL FORMS OF \_\_\_\_\_

In AD 303 the Emperor Diocletian outlawed Christianity. 25 years later, Constantine ordered bibles to be printed at the expense of the government, and made Christianity the official religion. Voltaire, the noted French infidel boasted that Christianity would be wiped from the face of the earth within 100 years from his death. Only 50 years after his death, the Geneva Bible Society used his printing press and house to produce stacks of Bibles.

#### 8) THE BIBLE IS \_\_\_\_\_

Isaiah 46:9-10...I am God, and there is none like Me, Declaring the end from the beginning...

#### 9) THE WORD OF GOD IS OUR SPIRITUAL \_\_\_\_\_

Matt. 4:4 "it is written, 'man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.'

#### 10) JESUS COMMENDED MARY FOR HER \_\_\_\_\_

Luke 10:42 But one thing is needed, and Mary has chosen that good part, which will not be taken away from her."

#### 11) JESUS PROMISED HIS WORD WOULD MAKE US \_\_\_\_\_

John 8:31-32 Jesus said to those Jews who believed him, "if you abide in my word, you are my disciples indeed. and you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." Ref; Rom. 6:16-18

#### 12) GOD \_\_\_\_\_ IN US THROUGH HIS WORD

John 14:23 Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him.

Col. 3:16 Let the word [spoken by] Christ (the Messiah) have its home [in your hearts and minds] and dwell in you in [all its] richness, as you teach and admonish and train one another in all insight and intelligence and wisdom [in spiritual things...Amp.

#### 13) READING THE BIBLE \_\_\_\_\_ OUR MINDS

Romans 12:2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

2 Cor. 3:18 And all of us, as with unveiled face, [because we] continued to behold [in the Word of God] as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are constantly being transfigured into His very own image in ever increasing splendor and from one degree of glory to another; [for this comes] from the Lord [Who is] the Spirit.

#### 14) THE BIBLE \_\_\_\_\_ OF FALSE RELIGIONS & CULTS

Matt. 22:29 Jesus answering said to them, `Ye go astray, not knowing the Writings, nor the power of God; Ref; Isaiah 8:20, Matt. 7:13-14, John 14:6, Rev. 22:18-19, 2 Peter 3:16-18, 1 John 4:1-6