

PERSEVERANCE AS A MINISTRY

Power in Ministry

II Tim. 3:16-17

INTRO:

- The apostle has steadily moved toward his climatic closing of chapter three.
 1. People will have an _____ of godliness but deny its power (5)
 2. False teachers are ever learning but never able to arrive as a knowledge of the _____ (7)
 3. You, however, have followed my _____ (10)
 4. ...you have been acquainted with the _____ writings. (15)
- The apostle is pointing to a _____ truth that provides the POWER to transform as the level of the soul.

I. THE _____ OF SCRIPTURE

A. *All Scripture is breathed out by God...*

1. Man's will, man's skill, man's personal holiness and nothing to do with the writing of Scripture. God worked through them and produced _____ the Word He desired written.
2. This is the foundation for _____ and plenary inspiration.

B. We have in the Word of God an _____ copy of what God wanted us to know.

II. THE _____ TO SCRIPTURE

A. The Scriptures are profitable for:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

III. THE _____ OF APPLIED SCRIPTURE

A. To bring to _____ the man of God.

B. Where the Believer is equipped for every _____ .