

## Satisfied in the Sufficiency of God's Provision

### Selected Scriptures

#### 1. The Sufficiency of Scripture

The Scriptures are the only infallible authority for the Christian faith and practice. They are the ultimate authority in determining what is righteous and what is sinful.

- A. The Scriptures alone are God-breathed (2 Tim. 3:16).
- B. The Scriptures are not the product of man's mind (2 Pt. 1:20-21).
- C. The Scriptures are more sure than supernatural experiences (2 Pt. 1:16-19).
- D. The Scriptures are of greater authority than the general knowledge found in creation (Ps. 19:1-7; Rom. 1:18-23).
- E. The Scriptures are the guide by which man can honor God (Ps. 119:9-10; John 17:17).
- F. The Scriptures judge the hearts of men, man is not to sit in judgment over the Scriptures (Heb. 4:12).
- G. The Scriptures, for the most part (2 Pt. 3:16), are able to be comprehended by all people. The Scripture...
  - I. Is Light (Ps. 119:105; 2 Pt. 1:19a)
  - II. Is Profitable (2 Tim 3:16-17)
  - III. Explains Salvation (2 Tim. 3:15b)
  - IV. Is Addressed to Common People (Dt. 6:4; Mk. 12:37; Eph. 1:1; 1 Cor. 1:2)
  - V. Can be Taught by Parents to Children (Dt. 6:6-7)
  - VI. Can Be Understood by Children (2 Tim. 3:14-15a)
  - VII. Tests the Accuracy of Religious Ideas (Acts. 17:11).

#### 2. The Sufficiency of Christ

- A. The Sacrifice of Jesus Christ is Sufficient to Reconcile God to Man (Jn. 3:16; Rom. 5:12, 18-19; 2 Cor. 5:20-21; Heb. 7:25; 10:11-14; 1 Pt. 2:24).
- B. The Sacrifice of Jesus Christ is Sufficient to Reconcile Man to Man (2 Cor. 5:16-19; Eph. 2:14-19; cf. Rom. 3:22; 1 Cor. 12:13; Gal. 3:28; Col. 3:11).

#### 3. The Sufficiency of Faith

Salvation is God's gracious gift to man and is received only through faith (Jn. 3:36; Rom. 3:21-26; 4:16; Gal. 2:16, 21; 3:6, 10-11, 23-24; Eph. 2:8-9).