

Series: Living by the Word Part 4
Title: Studying and Applying Scripture.
Text: Matthew. 7:24-27

I. The Importance of Doing this Right

- A. Everything stands or falls on the Word of God 1 Jn 1:10; Titus 1:1-3; Joh 10:34-35.
- B. God puts the highest priority on it Isa 40:5-8.
- C. Our souls depend on it Gal 1:8-9.

II. Basic Study (Interpretation).

- A. There is only one interpretation (Hermeneutics) Luke 24:35-37.
- B. Finding it is both spiritual and technical 1 Cor. 2:13,14.
- C. Tools of the trade
- D. A brief methodology for study.

III. Applying Scripture Deut. 12:28

IV. Common Mistakes in Study and Application

- A. Thinking too topically or personally 1 Cor 15:28.
- B. Unsound hermeneutics 2 Pet 3:16.
- C. Applying before interpreting Luk 24:44,45.
- D. Misplaced confidence