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Seeking the Lord's will for the future.

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Considering a provisional common Doctrinal Statement.

We believe in the verbal plenary inspiration of the original manuscripts of the Old and New Testaments, which constitute the inerrant Word of God.

(II Timothy 3:16-17; Colossians 3:16; Mark 7:13)

2 Timothy 3:16

"Inspired by God" "God-Breathed"

"Theopneustos"

Theos + Pneustos "God" "Breath, wind"

"Inspiration" is that quality which inheres in all Scripture such that it comes from God and says, in the style and language of the human authors, what God wanted said, without error or omission.

Wrong Views of Inspiration

- "Natural" inspiration
- "Existential" inspiration
- Partial inspiration
- Conceptual inspiration
- Mechanical dictation

The Correct View of Inspiration

- "Verbal" Matthew 24:35
- "Plenary"

Matthew 5:17-18

Matthew 22:23-32

Galatians 3:16

The Process of Inscripturization

- 1 Corinthians 2:12-13
- 2 Peter 1:16-21

The Profit of Inspired Scripture:

- Doctrine/Teaching
- Reproof
- Correction
- Training in righteousness
 - "So that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work."

Expressions of Inspiration: Psalm 19

Benefits of Inspiration: Psalm 119

Responses to Inspiration:

- Read it!
- Study it!
- Memorize it!
- Meditate on it!
- Obey it!
- Love it!