

Class 3 Session A Notes

Hebrews 5:12-14

- The Christian ought to grow in knowledge of the Bible
- The “meat” of the word
- The 8 great subjects: the “milk” of the word (every Christian should know them)

Hebrews 6:12-19

- God defined: The Greatest Conceivable Being – none greater than the Christian God

1. The Bible

- Revelation (Deut. 29:29) *“The secret things belong unto the LORD our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us, and to our children for ever, that we may do all the words of this law.”*
- Inspiration (2 Peter 1:21, 2 Timothy 3:16-17) *“For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.”*, *“All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.”*
- Illumination (1 Corinth. 2:12) *“Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit which is of God, that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.”*
- Preservation (Isaiah 40:8) *“The grass withereth, the flower fadeth, but the word of our God shall stand forever.”*
- Meditation (2 Timothy 2:15) *“Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”*

2. God the Father

- Existence (Romans 1:20) *“For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and godhead, so that they are without excuse.”*
- Sovereignty (Psalm 135:5-6) *“For I know that the LORD is great: and that our LORD is above all gods. Whatsoever the LORD pleased, that did he in heaven and in earth: in the seas, and all deep places.”*
- Trinity (1 John 5:7) *“For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one.”*
- Attributes:
 - Divine: Omnipotence (Job 42:2), *“I know that thou canst do every thing, and that no thought can be withholden from thee.”* Omnipresence (Psalm 139:7-8) *“Whither shall I go to flee from thy Spirit? Or whither shall I flee from thy presence? If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there.”* Omniscience (Psalm 139:4) *“For there is not a word on my tongue: but lo, O LORD, thou knowest it altogether.”*

- Personal: *Holy* (Isaiah 5:16) *“But the LORD of hosts shall be exalted in judgement, and God that is holy, shall be sanctified in righteousness”, Just* (Psalm 19:9) *“The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever: The judgments of the LORD are true, and righteous altogether.” Love* (1 John 4:8) *“He that loveth not, knoweth not God: for God is love.”*