### BFF300 It is Written

**Scott Moore**: Welcome to the "Building Faith Families," podcast with Steve Demme. I'm your host, Scott Moore. Thanks for joining us today. Good morning, Steve. How are you today?

**Steve**: Last night I went to my first dog obedience class. I was quite excited and it turned out that the instructor was a homeschool graduate. Once the class was over, we had lots to talk about. It was nice.

Today, we are continuing our studies on importance of scripture. We've talked about how God watches over His Word to fulfill it. We've talked about how God has esteemed above all things His name and His word.

We talked about how God fulfilled His promises to Jesus. Several times, we went over and over and over, I hope I didn't kill people, that Jesus did things to fulfill what His father had said. Then David. God made incredible promises to David to fulfill His word.

**Steve**: John 10:32-36. If you remember Jesus is going back and forth with His opposition. He says, "I have shown you many good works from the Father for which of them are you going to stone me?" The Jews answered Him, "It is not for good work that we're going to stone you, but for blasphemy, because you, being a man, make yourself God."

Jesus answered them, "Is it not written in your law 'I said you are gods.' If He called them gods, to whom the word of God came, and scripture cannot be broken. Do you say of Him whom the Father consecrated and sent into to world 'you are blaspheming' because I said 'I am the son of God'?"

That was right after John 10:30 when Jesus said, "I am the Father are one." and they started reaching for the stones. The phrase I want to focus on is, "The scripture cannot be broken." God will fulfill every word that He spoke to Abraham, to Noah, to David. Jesus came to fulfill God's word.

Matthew 5:17-18 Jesus said, ""Do not think that I came to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I did not come to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the Law until all is accomplished."

Let's pray: Father, help us once again to let this truth go deeper into our being. The Word of God cannot be broken. You are watching over this word to see that it is fulfilled to the letter.

I pray that we will have that right down deep in our being and that we'll have an appetite for knowing Your word and believing in Your word, mixing it with faith and working with You to see that Your word is fulfilled just like Jesus did. In Jesus' name, Amen.

**Steve**: Here are a few phrases from Psalm 145 "Yahweh is faithful in all His words and kind in all His works." "Yahweh is righteous in all His ways and kind in all His works." I love that picture of God. He is faithful to what He has spoken. He's righteous in everything that He does, and at the same time, He is kind. Some translations use the word "Gracious." I like the word "Kind." God is faithful, and righteous, and solid as the day is long, and He's also kind in everything that He does.

Today we're going to talk about the expression, "It is written."

How many times you think that expression is used in the Old Testament and the New Testament?

**Scott**: 97.

**Steve**: I'm impressed. That's pretty close. It's 15 times in the Old Testament, and almost 70 times in the New Testament. I want to go back to focus on Who wrote the Bible. **In Exodus 31**:18, "God gave to Moses, when He had finished speaking with him on Mount Sinai, the two tablets of the testimony. Tablets of stone written with the finger of God."

Ever since He's written them, He's been watching over them to see that they would be fulfilled. These stones and this written law were passed down from generation to generation, from father to son to grandchildren.

The law was entrusted to the Jews. It says in Romans 3:1-2, "What advantage has the Jew, or what is the value of circumcision? Much in every way! To begin with, the Jews were entrusted with the oracles of God." God spoke His law, wrote His law, and then He entrusted it to the Jewish people.

I'm going to read a sampling of the 15 verses where the phrase is used, "It is written." 1 Kings 2:3, "Keep the charge of the Lord, your God, walking in His ways, keeping His statutes, His commandments, His rules, and His testimonies, as it is written in the Law of Moses, that you may prosper in all that you do wherever you turn."

This concept was real to the nation of Israel as we see when Ezra and Nehemiah returned to the land to restore and rebuild. In Ezra 3:4, "They kept the Feast of Booths, as it is written, and offered the daily burnt offerings by number, according to the rule, as each day required."

Psalm 40:7, "Behold, I have come; in the scroll of the book it is written of me." Then, in Daniel 9:13, "As it is written in the Law of Moses, all this calamity has come upon us, yet we have not entreated the favor of the Lord, our God, turning from our iniquities and gaining insight by Your truth."

When you read the Old Testament, you know that those who were close to God kept going back to the book, and they sought to know what had been written. When they restored things, they restored them as they were originally written.

As Daniel was praying, he said, "The reason we're in this captivity, the reason I'm praying this prayer in Babylon, is because of what we did to violate the law of Moses." He knew what was written.

Now, we'll move to the New Testament. In Matthew 2:4-6, as Herod is speaking to the men from the East. He inquired of them where the Christ should be born, and they said unto him, "In Bethlehem, of Judea, for thus it is written through the prophet, 'And thou Bethlehem, land of Juda, art not wise least among the princes of Juda, for out of thee shall come forth a Governor, Who shall be shepherd of my people Israel."

They knew where to look, because they were familiar with the Scriptures, and they knew He had to come from Bethlehem because of what was written.

When Jesus was talking to the devil in Matthew 4:4, "It is written, man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

Powerful. He is quoting Deuteronomy 8. We are not surprised to hear Jesus quoting the Old Testament for Jesus and the Father are one. If the Father's watching over His word to perform it, so is the Son of God.

Three times in Matthew 4, Jesus used that expression, "Again it is written, you shall not put the Lord your God to the test." 10th verse, "Be gone, Satan, for it is written, you shall worship the Lord your God, in Him only shall you serve."

The Son of God gives us a great example of how to fight the devil. He knew the Word of God. He wielded the Word of God when He was tempted by the devil, three times, it is written, it is written. We can look at that in a couple of different ways. I like to look at it right now as this is what Jesus is all about.

Jesus was all about fulfilling the Scripture just like His Father. Matthew 21:13, when Jesus went in to the temple, there was all the people selling stuff, and they turned it into a den of robbers. He said to them, "It is written, My house shall be called a house of prayer, but you make it a den of robbers." There it is. Jesus was taking up, you might say, the honor of His Father, and demonstrating the zeal for His Father's house. This is our Savior.

When He was speaking about John the Baptist in Mark 1:2, He says, "As it is written, Isaiah the prophet, Behold, I send My messenger before your face, who will prepare your way." I'm just going to skip down to one of my favorite passages.

I used to think that if I could go back anywhere in the Bible, I would love to have heard this Bible study that Jesus gave to those two men on the road to Emmaus when He explained all the places in the Bible about Himself.

In addition to that experience, I would also like to be in the synagogue that day when Jesus walked in and sat down in Luke 4:17-21. "The scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to Him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written. The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me because He has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to

the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." And he rolled up the scroll and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. And he began to say to them, "Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

What a dramatic event, the eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on Him. He began to say to them, "Today, this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." Just think of those people, they woke up that morning, they're trying to get the kids dressed and their faces washed, and get to the synagogue on time.

They settle in and Jesus reads that passage. Their hearts must have been burning. A hush probably came on the audience, especially when He gave it back and sat down, and said, "I fulfilled this Scripture right this minute."

There are a couple expressions in that passage. it was written, describing Him, and then this has been fulfilled. Which brings together our previous podcast. Luke 22, "I tell you that this scripture must be fulfilled in Me. He was numbered with the transgressors, for what is written about Me has his fulfillment." Again, fulfilled, written, same thing. Luke 24:46, "Thus it is written that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead."

I'm going to read one about Paul. You remember when he shot back at the high priest when he was being smitten, and this guy next to him says, "Hey, that's the high priest." Paul said, "I did not know, brothers, that he was the high priest, for it is written, you shall not speak evil of a ruler of your people."

Paul was governed by the same thing that governed Christ, what is written. Paul writes in Romans 1:17, "The righteousness of God as revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, the righteous shall live by faith." Romans 14:11, "It is written, as I live," says the Lord, "every knee shall bow to Me and every tongue shall confess to God."

1 Corinthians 9:9, as He's appealing to the church to support those who are their ministers and pastors, he said, "Don't you know it is written in the Law of Moses, you shall not muzzle an ox when he treads out the grain. Is it for oxen that God is concerned?"

Galatians 3:13, "Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us as it is written, cursed everyone who is hanged on a tree," and then Hebrews 10:7, which I quoted before in Isaiah 40. "Behold I have come to do your will, oh God, as it is written of me in the scroll of the book." That's what Jesus says. "I have come to do your will as it is written of me."

What does this concept have to do with us today? The word of God cannot be broken. Every jot and tittle is going to be fulfilled. Christ came to fulfill the law about Himself, and everything that has been written is going to come to pass.

**Matthew 24**: 35, "Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words will not pass away." If heaven and earth are going to pass away, but God's word will not pass away, that's when we see how important the word of God is.

Matthew 24 starts in the third verse: "He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately saying, "Tell us, when will these things happen? What will be the sign of Your coming and of the end of the age?"

Jesus continued in verse 4 all the way through 34, He talks about they'll be this, they're going to prophesy in my name, there will be false Christs arise. All this stuff's going to happen. The tribulation's going to come upon us, it's a long passage...I don't think we're going to read it, for it's 31 verses. Then right in the midst of this answer, He says, "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away."

Then He goes on to talk more about what is going to happen from verses 36-51. I'm going to leave that to the listener. Read chapter 24 of Matthew because this is His answer.

These are the questions that we're asking right now. What will be the sign that you're coming? What will be the sign at the end of the age? When will these things happen?

Right in the middle, He says, "Don't forget the answers are right here in the Book, heaven and earth are going to pass away, but My words will not pass away."

May God help us not only read the word, but mix it with faith, believe it, count on it, and rest in the assurance that every word that He has spoken is going to be fulfilled.

**Matthew 5**: 18, "I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the law until all is accomplished." This is God and He's written it out for us.

There's a whole bunch written in there, if we'll take the time to read it, pray over and study. What do you think of that?

**Scott**: I'm curious, have you done the study to describe for us, the connection between Jesus being the Word, and then the written Word of God. "In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God and then the Word became flesh and dwelt among us." Have you done any deep dive into that yet?

Especially when you couple that with that verse about having an earth passing away, but My words will never pass away. There's got to be some deep connection there that maybe I'm unaware of.

**Steve**: Well, the three thoughts that come to my mind right away, but I could do a deep dive if you want. I like that expression, by the way, "Deep dive."

**Scott**: Well, that's what this whole podcast is to me, is you doing a deep dive into the Word.

**Steve**: The first thing is He is the Word made flesh. He was consistent with everything that the Father has said. I often think of Jesus as the living manifestation of the Old Testament.

He was here to reveal His Father. He said, "He that sees Me has seen the Father." People is His day may have thought, "I had a different idea about the Father from going to the synagogue all those years."

Jesus said, "No, I am the Word made flesh. I am the living word. I'm the living bread. I'm the living stone." He was it, and He was absolutely consistent with everything that was spoken of Him in the Old Testament and everything that the Father had laid out.

It's also fascinating to me, because I like to read the beginning and end to get the whole picture. God created the world by speaking the Word, "Let there be light." Boom. In Revelation, He's called, "The Word of God." He has a sword coming out of His mouth, which is the sword of the spirit, the word of God.

As far as being identified with the word, He certainly was the living embodiment, the incarnation of everything that had been spoken by the Father. That's pretty much what I have now. Maybe I'll go diving and find something even more.

**Scott**: I am reminded of having a little argument with someone who's of a different faith background, I guess. This person said, "We don't worship the Bible," because, apparently, my wife and I were a little too into the Bible in our faith background. We don't worship the book itself, we don't worship the pages and whatever. We do worship the word, as in Jesus.

The more you connect these things, talking about the word being like the bread of life and Jesus being the word, it makes the words seem more important to me. As in, the written word seem more important to me, not less. Certainly we don't worship Bible but it feels more important to me, not less.

**Steve**: Amen. You always have good things to say, Scott. You nailed it, because the relationship with Jesus, Who is the word, are inseparable. We cannot say, "I just want to love Jesus, but I don't really like the Bible." No, you can't have that. The more you love Jesus, the more you're going to love the Bible. Now I'm getting ahead of myself because I've already done the homework for next week.

Jesus says, "You search the scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life, but they bear witness of Me."

**Steve**: The reason that the Bible was written, one of the main things is to bear witness of the Son of God. That's what we have to get, is that the Father has put the Son above all. He has given Him a name that's above every name. At the name of Jesus, every knee is going to bow, every tongue confess. The more you get into the word of God, the more you see Jesus, who was the Word made flesh.

The more I love the Bible and study it, the more I love Jesus. They go hand in hand. It's hard to take it away, because, as I said, He is the ultimate purpose for the Bible. These bear witness about me.

**Steve**: Father help us. We don't kneel down before paper and ink, but we certainly bowed down before God, and You have written this book with Your finger. You've entrusted it to the people of Israel, and we have been the recipients of it. Thank you that we have it in our language and we can read and we can understand it.

Thank you for your spirit that points us to the Jesus all the time. It convicts us of sanity. Helps us to say "Jesus is Lord," and it helps us to understand God's word, because you wrote it. It is written by the Holy Spirit, you did a great job, and through these writings we see Jesus, the word made flesh. Thank you for your words.

Thank you for the sobriety of them, as well as the hope and the comfort that's embedded in them. We draw near to you today. Give us an appetite for Your word. In Jesus name, amen.

**Scott**: Amen. That's our show for this week, folks. Thanks for joining us for the "Building Faith Families" podcast, with Steve Demme. If you have a question for the show, email Steve at spdemme@gmail.com. If you have a question for me, you can reach me at scott@unsocializedmedia.com. Thanks for joining us. Have a great week.

PS I have also added the notes for this podcast with more Scriptures on this topic.

Notes and Scriptures for Podcast 300 The Scripture cannot be broken

### Psalm 145

Yahweh is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works. Yahweh is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works.

"I have shown you many good works from the Father; for which of them are you going to stone me?" The Jews answered him, "It is not for a good work that we are going to stone you but for blasphemy, because you, being a man, make yourself God." Jesus answered them, "Is it not written in your Law, 'I said, you are gods?? If he called them gods to whom the word of God came—and **Scripture cannot be broken**— do you say of him whom the Father consecrated and sent into the world, 'You are blaspheming,' because I said, 'I am the Son of God'?" (John 10:32–36)

(Romans 3:1-2) "What advantage has the Jew? Or what is the value of circumcision? Much in every way. To begin with, the Jews were entrusted with the oracles of God."

(Exodus 31:18) "He gave to Moses, when He had finished speaking with him on Mount Sinai, the two tablets of the testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God."

80 times in ESV, but 67x with γέγραπται (gegraptai) and 8x γεγραμμένον (gegrammenon)

15x Old Testament

Joshua 8:31 just as Moses the servant of the LORD had commanded the people of Israel, as it is written in the Book of the Law of Moses, "an altar of uncut stones, upon which no man has wielded an iron tool." And they offered on it burnt offerings to the LORD and sacrificed peace offerings.

1 Kings 2:3 and keep the charge of the LORD your God, walking in his ways and keeping his statutes, his commandments, his rules, and his testimonies, as it is written in the Law of Moses, that you may prosper in all that you do and wherever you turn,

- 2 Kings 23:21 And the king commanded all the people, "Keep the Passover to the LORD your God, as it is written in this Book of the Covenant."
- 2 Chronicles 23:18 And Jehoiada posted watchmen for the house of the LORD under the direction of the Levitical priests and the Levites whom David had organized to be in charge of the house of the LORD, to offer burnt offerings to the LORD, as it is written in the Law of Moses, with rejoicing and with singing, according to the order of David.
- 2 Chronicles 31:3 The contribution of the king from his own possessions was for the burnt offerings: the burnt offerings of morning and evening, and the burnt offerings for the Sabbaths, the new moons, and the appointed feasts, as it is written in the Law of the LORD.
- 2 Chronicles 35:12 And they set aside the burnt offerings that they might distribute them according to the groupings of the fathers' houses of the lay people, to offer to the LORD, as it is written in the Book of Moses. And so they did with the bulls.
- Ezra 3:2 Then arose Jeshua the son of Jozadak, with his fellow priests, and Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel with his kinsmen, and they built the altar of the God of Israel, to offer burnt offerings on it, as it is written in the Law of Moses the man of God.

Ezra 3:4 And they kept the Feast of Booths, as it is written, and offered the daily burnt offerings by number according to the rule, as each day required,

Ezra 6:18 And they set the priests in their divisions and the Levites in their divisions, for the service of God at Jerusalem, as it is written in the Book of Moses.

Nehemiah 8:15 and that they should proclaim it and publish it in all their towns and in Jerusalem, "Go out to the hills and bring branches of olive, wild olive, myrtle, palm, and other leafy trees to make booths, as it is written."

Nehemiah 10:34 We, the priests, the Levites, and the people, have likewise cast lots for the wood offering, to bring it into the house of our God, according to our fathers'

houses, at times appointed, year by year, to burn on the altar of the LORD our God, as it is written in the Law.

Nehemiah 10:36 also to bring to the house of our God, to the priests who minister in the house of our God, the firstborn of our sons and of our cattle, as it is written in the Law, and the firstborn of our herds and of our flocks;

Psalms 40:7 Then I said, "Behold, I have come; in the scroll of the book it is written of me:

Isaiah 65:6 Behold, it is written before me: "I will not keep silent, but I will repay; I will indeed repay into their lap.

Daniel 9:13 As it is written in the Law of Moses, all this calamity has come upon us; yet we have not entreated the favor of the LORD our God, turning from our iniquities and gaining insight by your truth.

#### 69x in New Testament

(Matthew 2:4-6) He (Herod) inquired of them where the Christ should be born. And they said unto him, In Beth-lehem of Judaea: for thus it is written through the prophet, And thou Beth-lehem, land of Judah, Art in no wise least among the princes of Judah: For out of thee shall come forth a governor, Who shall be shepherd of my people Israel."

# **Sword fight**

Matthew 4:4 But he answered, "It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

Matthew 4:6 and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down, for it is written, "'He will command his angels concerning you,' and "'On their hands they will bear you up, lest you strike your foot against a stone."

Matthew 4:7 Jesus said to him, "Again it is written, 'You shall not put the Lord your God to the test."

Matthew 4:10 Then Jesus said to him, "Be gone, Satan! For it is written, "You shall worship the Lord your God and him only shall you serve."

Matthew 11:10 This is he of whom it is written, "Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way before you.'

Matthew 21:13 He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you make it a den of robbers."

Matthew 26:24 The Son of Man goes as **it is written** of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that man if he had not been born."

Matthew 26:31 Then Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away because of me this night. For it is written, 'I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock will be scattered.'

## John the Baptist

Mark 1:2 As it is written in Isaiah the prophet, "Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way,

Mark 7:6 And he said to them, "Well did Isaiah prophesy of you hypocrites, as it is written, "'This people honors me with their lips, but their heart is far from me; Mark 9:12 And he said to them, "Elijah does come first to restore all things. And how is it written of the Son of Man that he should suffer many things and be treated with contempt?

Mark 9:13 But I tell you that Elijah has come, and they did to him whatever they pleased, as **it is written** of him."

Mark 14:21 For the Son of Man goes as **it is written** of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that man if he had not been born."

Mark 14:27 And Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away, for it is written, 'I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered.'

Luke 2:23 (as it is written in the Law of the Lord, "Every male who first opens the womb shall be called holy to the Lord")

Luke 3:4 As **it is written** in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet, "The voice of one crying in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Luke 4:4 And Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone.'" Luke 4:8 And Jesus answered him, "It is written, "'You shall worship the Lord your God, and him only shall you serve.'"

Luke 4:10 for it is written, "'He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you.'

(Luke 4:17–21) "The scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." And he rolled up the scroll and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. And he began to say to them, "Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

Luke 7:27 This is he of whom **it is written**, "'Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way before you.'

Luke 19:46 saying to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be a house of prayer,' but you have made it a den of robbers."

Luke 20:17 But he looked directly at them and said, "What then is this that is written: "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone'?

Luke 22:37 For I tell you that this Scripture must be fulfilled in me: 'And he was numbered with the transgressors.' For what is written about me has its fulfillment."

Luke 24:46 and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead,

John 2:17 His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." (Psalm 69:9)

John 6:31 Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'"

John 6:45 It is written in the Prophets, 'And they will all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me—(Isaiah 54:13)

John 8:17 In your Law it is written that the testimony of two people is true.

John 12:14-16 And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him.

Acts 1:20 "For it is written in the Book of Psalms, "'May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it'; and "'Let another take his office.'

Acts 7:42 But God turned away and gave them over to worship the host of heaven, as it is written in the book of the prophets: "'Did you bring to me slain beasts and sacrifices, during the forty years in the wilderness, O house of Israel?

Acts 13:33 this he has fulfilled to us their children by raising Jesus, as also it is written in the second Psalm, "'You are my Son, today I have begotten you.'

Acts 15:15 And with this the words of the prophets agree, just as it is written,

Acts 23:5 And Paul said, "I did not know, brothers, that he was the high priest, for it is written, 'You shall not speak evil of a ruler of your people."

Romans 1:17 For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."

Romans 2:24 For, as it is written, "The name of God is blasphemed among the Gentiles because of you."

Romans 3:4 By no means! Let God be true though every one were a liar, as it is written, "That you may be justified in your words, and prevail when you are judged." Romans 3:10 as it is written: "None is righteous, no, not one;

Romans 4:17 as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations"—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Romans 8:36 As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered."

Romans 9:13 As it is written, "Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated."

Romans 9:33 as it is written, "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame."

Romans 10:15 And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!"

Romans 11:8 as it is written, "God gave them a spirit of stupor, eyes that would not see and ears that would not hear, down to this very day."

Romans 11:26 And in this way all Israel will be saved, as it is written, "The Deliverer will come from Zion, he will banish ungodliness from Jacob";

Romans 12:19 Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord."

Romans 14:11 for it is written, "As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God."

Romans 15:3 For Christ did not please himself, but as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me."

Romans 15:9 and in order that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As **it is written**, "Therefore I will praise you among the Gentiles, and sing to your name." Romans 15:21 but as **it is written**, "Those who have never been told of him will see, and those who have never heard will understand."

- 1 Corinthians 1:19 For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart."
- 1 Corinthians 1:31 so that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."
- 1 Corinthians 2:9 But, as it is written, "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him"—
- 1 Corinthians 3:19 For the wisdom of this world is folly with God. For it is written, "He catches the wise in their craftiness,"
- 1 Corinthians 6:16 Or do you not know that he who is joined to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, "The two will become one flesh."
- 1 Corinthians 9:9 For it is written in the Law of Moses, "You shall not muzzle an ox when it treads out the grain." Is it for oxen that God is concerned?
- 1 Corinthians 10:7 Do not be idolaters as some of them were; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play."
- 1 Corinthians 14:21 In the Law it is written, "By people of strange tongues and by the lips of foreigners will I speak to this people, and even then they will not listen to me, says the Lord."
- 1 Corinthians 15:45 Thus it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit.
- 2 Corinthians 4:13 Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, "I believed, and so I spoke," we also believe, and so we also speak,
- 2 Corinthians 8:15 As it is written, "Whoever gathered much had nothing left over, and whoever gathered little had no lack."

2 Corinthians 9:9 As it is written, "He has distributed freely, he has given to the poor; his righteousness endures forever."

Galatians 3:10 For all who rely on works of the law are under a curse; for it is written, "Cursed be everyone who does not abide by all things written in the Book of the Law, and do them."

Galatians 3:13 Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree"—Galatians 4:22 For it is written that Abraham had two sons, one by a slave woman and one by a free woman.

Galatians 4:27 For it is written, "Rejoice, O barren one who does not bear; break forth and cry aloud, you who are not in labor! For the children of the desolate one will be more than those of the one who has a husband."

Hebrews 10:7 Then I said, 'Behold, I have come to do your will, O God, as it is written of me in the scroll of the book." (Isaiah 40:7)

1 Peter 1:16 since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy."

Matthew 5:18 "For truly I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the Law until all is accomplished.

1 - Matthew 24:35 "Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will not pass away.

#### Context

Matthew 24:3 As He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things happen, and what will be the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?"

In the midst of His answer – Matthew 24:35 "Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will not pass away.

Verse 4-34, 36-51 Jesus answered His disciples and describes the last days

Help us read the word, mix it with faith and believe the word.