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The "Lamp" and the "Light"

Psalms 119:105-112 Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path. ¹⁰⁶I have taken an oath and confirmed it, that I will follow Your righteous laws. ¹⁰⁷I have suffered much; preserve my life, Lord, according to Your word. ¹⁰⁸Accept, Lord, the willing praise of my mouth, and teach me Your laws. ¹⁰⁹Though I constantly take my life in my hands, I will not forget Your law. ¹¹⁰The wicked have set a snare for me, but I have not strayed from Your precepts. ¹¹¹Your statutes are my heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart. ¹¹²My heart is set on keeping Your decrees to the very end.

Proverbs 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; ⁶in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight.

1. God's word _____ our lives.

a. The word of God produces _____.

2 Timothy 3:14-15

But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, ¹⁵and how from infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.

Romans 10:16-17

But not all the Israelites accepted the good news. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our message?" ¹⁷Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word about Christ.

b. The word of God gives direction in _____.

John 8:31-32 To the Jews who had believed Him, Jesus said, "If you hold to My teaching, you are really My disciples. ³²Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

2. God's word _____ our lives.

3. God's word _____ our heart.