

7 The law of the LORD is perfect, restoring the soul;  
The testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple.  
8 The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart;  
The commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.  
9 The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever;  
The judgments of the LORD are true; they are righteous altogether.  
10 They are more desirable than gold, yes, than much fine gold;  
Sweeter also than honey and the drippings of the honeycomb.  
11 Moreover, by them Thy servant is warned;  
In keeping them there is great reward.

The Psalms are refreshing to those who desire a closer appreciation of the majesty of God and His word. This week I was reading in the Psalms and rediscovered the passage above.

David speaks of the word of God and how he knows of so many wonderful things by it. His soul, heart, and eyes are renewed by an understanding of God and His revelation to man.

We have so much more in our NT than David had (1Tim. 1:10), it is a shame that so many neglect a daily reading of the Scriptures. David desired God and His word above even silver and gold. He realized that God's word was sweeter than any honey and endured forever.

Reading the Bible should not be a burden. Rather to understand God through His word means satisfaction, love, peace of mind, and rest. If you are not gaining what you should from your readings, examine your attitude and reread, allowing God to fill you up to overflowing!

See you Sunday!

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