

**Lamedh – v. 89 – a shepherd’s staff, used to lead and correct, to help us stay on track**

**I. THE BIBLE IS ABSOLUTE \_\_\_\_\_**

A. Forever settled in heaven – 89 – eternal; established, fixed, standing firm  
If Satan can’t get you to deny the Bible, he’ll get you to \_\_\_\_\_ it.

Matt. 24:35 – Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away.

B. It’s our survival kit – v. 92-96

v. 92 – Source of delight

v. 93 – “preserved” – to quicken, to revive from discouragement.

v. 94 – “sought out” – “to consult, to inquire, to beat a path, to read repeatedly”

v. 95 – “ponder” – to understand, to discern, to distinguish (good, better, best).

Don’t \_\_\_\_\_ – ponder God’s Word!!

Practical ideas for meditation:

1. Memorize - Prov. 22:18 –(the sayings of the wise and what I teach) for it is pleasing when you keep them in your heart and have all of them ready on your lips. it is a pleasant thing if you keep them within you.”

2. Personalize – “I” help Me – personal

3. Visualize – \_\_\_\_\_ this

4. Harmonize – \_\_\_\_\_ it

5. Analyze – see the principles at work in life.

But how do I put this into practice?

1. Choose a section that is significant to you and your situation.

2. Take advantage of \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Begin the \_\_\_\_\_ before. Ps. 63:6 – “On my bed I remember you; I think of you through the watches of the night.”

**Mem v. 97 – water, spring – the spring of all wisdom, etc.**

**II. THE BIBLE IS THE SOURCE OF ALL WISDOM**

A. Makes us wiser:

Makes us wiser than our \_\_\_\_\_ 98; Wiser than our (educators) teachers v. 99; Wiser than our elders v. 100 – because I \_\_\_\_\_

The key is meditation and obedience. (v. 99,100)

B. Helps us make good \_\_\_\_\_ – v. 101,102

C. Gives us the understanding to hate \_\_\_\_\_ – v. 104

