



Why The Scriptures Are So Important To Us: EYE WITNESS ACCOUNTS .

“That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched - this we proclaim concerning the Word of life.” 1 John 1:1a NIV

“He who saw it has borne witness - his testimony is true, and he knows that he is telling the truth - that you also may believe.” John 19:35 NIV

The Word Of Life: Our Connection To The ETERNAL GOD .

“The life appeared; we have seen it and testify to it, and we proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and has appeared to us.” 1 John 1:2 NIV

“In him was life, and the life was the light of men.” John 1:4 ESV

*“I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live.”
John 11:25 ESV*

*“I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”
John 14:6 ESV*

The Word Of Life: Our Connection To The FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS .

“We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with The Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ.” 1 John 1:3 NIV

Jesus: “I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me.” John 17:20-21 NIV

Sharing the Word Of Life With Others FILLS US WITH JOY .

“We write this to make our joy complete.” 1 John 1:4 NIV

James: “Count it all joy, my brothers...” James 1:2 ESV

Paul: “Rejoice in the Lord always...” Philippians 4:4 ESV

“Peter: “Rejoice with a joy that is inexpressible...” 1 Peter 1:8 ESV