

**Disciple: Be One. Make One.
Continue In The Truth - 2 Timothy 3
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1-5 Difficult times - sin in the world

6-9 Difficult people - sin in the church

10-12 The godly will be persecuted.

13-17 In the midst of all this, hold on to God's Word which leads to salvation and growth.

Inspired - theopneustos = God-breathed

"Inspiration is God's superintending of human authors so that using their own individual personalities they composed and recorded without error His revelation to man in the words of the original autographs." (Charles Ryrie)

2 Peter 1:20-21 "...men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God."

Christ's view of the scriptures:

1. He considered every word to be inspired and accurate
(Matthew 5:18; John 10:35)

2. He quoted the Old Testament as the inspired word of God -

- to Satan - Matthew 4:1-11

- to the Pharisees - Matthew 19:4-7

- of Himself - Luke 24:27

3. He attributed the words of scripture to God - Matthew 15:4

- The Old Testament was verified by Jesus.

- The New Testament was confirmed by the church.

- We can trust in God and His Word.