

# GOD'S **LOVE** LETTER TO YOU



# WEEK 8: THE “SUFFICIENCY” OF THE BIBLE

## WELCOME

What is a book (besides the Bible), movie, streaming series, or podcast series you think everyone should experience at least once in their life and why?

## WORSHIP

Read *Psalm 19:7-14* aloud together as a group, pausing after each verse for someone to briefly praise God for the truth revealed in it.

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## WORD

1. Share some examples of how modern culture encourages people to seek truth or fulfillment apart from God's Word.

2. Read *Psalm 19:7-14*. List the various ways David describes God's Word and discuss what those qualities mean. How do those qualities point to its sufficiency?

\*\*\*The Sufficiency of the Bible means that God's Word contains everything necessary for salvation, spiritual growth, and guidance in life (2 Timothy 3:16-17).

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3. Read **Psalm 19:10**; **Proverbs 16:16**; **Matthew 6:19-21**; and **Hebrews 4:12**. What do these verses teach about the value of God’s Word compared to worldly riches?

4. In **2 Peter 1:3-4**, Peter writes that God’s promises enable us to “escape the corruption in the world.” What does this tell us about Scripture’s power and sufficiency?

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5. List 3-5 promises of God from **2 Peter 1:3-4** that you want to meditate on and apply to your life this week.

6. In what ways have you seen God’s Word be sufficient in your own life (whether through guidance, comfort, conviction, growth, etc.)?

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7. Which of the following describes where you currently are in your spiritual walk and how can you use it or achieve it?

- Hunger for the Word
- Hear more of the Word
- Hang onto the Word
- Help others find the Word

## **WITNESS**

How does fully trusting the sufficiency of Scripture change how you share God’s Word with people who aren’t Christians?

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## PERSONAL REFLECTION & DEEPER STUDY FOR THIS WEEK

- Memorize **Psalm 19:14**.
- Read **Psalm 19:7-14** and **2 Timothy 3:16-17**.
  - List the qualities and benefits of God’s Word as described in these passages (e.g., “perfect,” “revives the soul”).
  - Reflect on how these qualities apply to your life...
  - Which of these benefits have you personally experienced?
- David calls God his “Rock and Redeemer” in **Psalm 19:14**. Read **Isaiah 44:8**; **Psalm 62:6-7**; and **1 Corinthians 1:30-31**.
  - How do these verses expand on what it means for God to be your “Rock and Redeemer”?
  - In what ways can you trust God more as your Rock in daily life?
  - How does redemption affect how you approach struggles with sin?
- **2 Peter 1:3-4** states that God has given us “everything we need for a godly life.” Read **Ephesians 1:3**; **Philippians 4:19**; and **John 15:5**.
  - How do these passages reinforce the idea that God provides for your spiritual needs?
  - Identify areas where you feel you lack strength or resources...
  - How can you rely more on God’s provision?