

# The Abiding Word

Back To The Bible & Let The Bible Speak

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Yesterday  
is history

Tomorrow is a  
Mystery

Today  
is a gift

That's why we call it the  
Present

## PROVERB FOR THE DAY

One of the key methods I have learned over the years for dealing with the everyday challenges that living throws my way is to meditate on the Word of God each day as I walk with God.

I have found that reading the Proverb for the day in the morning and reflecting on that Proverb and seeing how I can put it to action in my life as I go through the day has become a great faith builder and strength when trials and conflicts come my way.

Each day has its own Proverb and in one month I have applied all 31 Proverbs ready to do it again the next month. It really works, try it.

Since they hated knowledge  
and did not choose to fear the LORD...  
they will eat the fruit of their ways and  
be filled with the fruit of their schemes.  
Proverbs 1:29, 31



## ABOUT REFLECTIONS

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# Beyond

If it were possible for you and me to look beyond today, to roll away the mists that obscure our vision, perhaps much of the grief of today would be done away. There are so many things we cannot understand, being limited to reasoning with our senses of sight or hearing or taste or smell or touch.

But through our faith in God, we know that all dreary days will soon be bright and that all life's wrongs will be made right. The pains of disease and broken hearts will all be healed in the better world in which we shall live.

For the present, though, it is not God's will that we know all things about the world to come. The revealed things of God are the ones we must concern ourselves with; we must trust in God to lead us into those unseen things beyond today.

I know not the way I am going,  
But well do I know my guide!

With a childlike faith do I give my hand  
To the mighty Friend by my side.

And the only thing that I say to Him  
As He takes it, is, Hold it fast!

Suffer me not to lose the way,  
And lead me home at last.

We cannot see what lies before,  
And so we cling to Him the more.

He leads us till this life is o'er,  
If we trust and obey.

Trust and obey,  
For there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus,  
But to trust and obey.

## An Invitation!



Each Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM we host a Bible Study  
in our home.

We are currently in the Book of Hebrews.  
Starting January 8, 2020 we will begin a series on the  
Letters of Paul starting with Galatians.

If you are near and able,  
Joy and I invite you to join our study group.