

SCRIPTURE

Introduction – We come to understand a person by observing their actions and attitudes combined with their words that interpret their intentions. The Bible interprets the intentions of God for us.

- A. The Old Testament reveals God’s original intentions for all humanity and how He kept hope alive through His covenant promises.

2 Timothy 3:14-17

- B. The New Testament centers on God fulfilling His promises through Jesus and the Christ community.

John 5:36-40

- C. A Challenge for 2018

Acts 17:11

Conclusion – We must study all of Scripture to comprehend the character of God and His intentions for us. We must not get bogged down in the details of Scripture and fail to see its overarching message.