

How can we pray for one another and our church this week?

### Quotes to Ponder

*I cannot forbear to plead, that although a rebellious prodigal, I am still Thy servant, Thy child. I still bear the child's mark of an interest in Thy covenant.... Let me then lie humbled and self-abased. But let me not forget my claim—what He has done for me.*

Charles Bridges

*If you aren't sure about the Bible's trustworthiness—or if you have friends who aren't sure—just give yourselves to reading it. Even if you don't believe a knife is sharp, if it is, it can still cut you.*

Timothy Keller

*Holy Bible, Book divine,  
Precious Treasure, thou art Mine;  
Mine to tell me whence I came;  
Mine to teach me what I am.*

John Burton, Senior

*The psalmist has chosen to obey God's commandments by loving Him and by walking in His ways (Dt. 30:15 ff), and therefore he can claim the promises of God.*

Alexander Anderson

*The school days of a disciple are never over in this life, moral perfection is not consummated in this world, the child of God is to keep on growing in the grace and knowledge of His Lord.*

George Zemek

*Only God, the giver of the law, can enable His servant to keep it.*

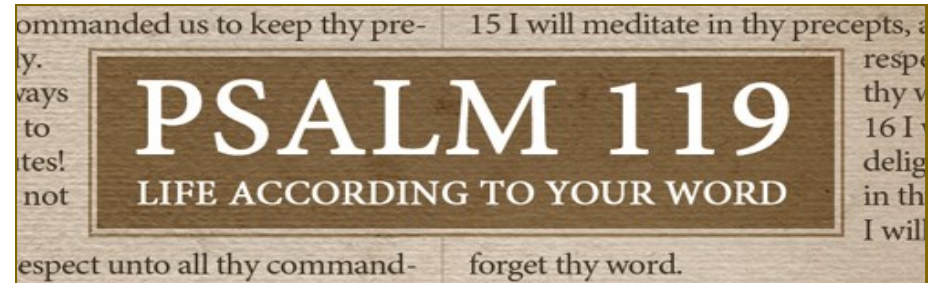
Oswald Allis

*When God's Word fills your heart,  
the right words will come out of your mouth.*

William Varner

*The highest flights of human devotion must end in confession of sin.... The sincerest professions of human fidelity must give place to the acknowledgment of helplessness.... The loftiest human declarations of love to God's law must come down to the mournful acknowledgment that we have only not forgotten it.*

C.A. Davis



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1. What in the text/sermon impacted you most? Encouraged you? Convinced you? Challenged you? Confused you?

2. What does this section of *Psalm 119* (verses 169-176) teach about God?

About His Word?

About mankind?

3. What are the prayer requests presented in this section (verses 169-176)? What are the requested or reciprocal response to each request?

*Verse 169* —

*Verse 170* —

*Verse 171* —

*Verse 172* —

*Verses 173-174* —

*Verse 175* —

*Verse 176* —

4. What prayer is made in *Psalm 119:12, 26, 64, 66, 68, 108, 124, 135, and 171*? How often do we pray like this?

5. The psalmist's love for and dedication to the Word of God has not made him more spiritually independent, but more spiritually dependent upon God. What did he need in the following verses?

*Verse 169* —

*Verses 173-174* —

*Verse 170* —

*Verse 175* —

*Verses 171-172* —

6. Read *verse 176*. If the poet has not forgotten God's commandments, how is it that he has wandered off like a lost sheep?

7. What have you learned from our study of *Psalm 119*?

8. What changes has God made in you through this study?

9. Has *Psalm 119* kindled a deeper love in you for God's Word? Explain.

10. What is your Bible reading plan for 2019?

**Reflection Questions:** Am I longing for God, His Word, and His salvation? How do I actively show this longing? When I stray from God what is my prayer?