

# Sola Scriptura: Why does it matter?

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4. No matter the hellish wilderness or the wild beasts one must face, \_\_\_\_\_ , accompanied by the grace of a \_\_\_\_\_ God, enables one to return in the power of the Spirit. (4:11; Mk. 1:13; Lk. 4:14)

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*"I do not pray that You should take them out of the world, but that You should keep them from the evil one. They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth. As You sent Me into the world, I also have sent them into the world. Jn. 17:15-18*

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