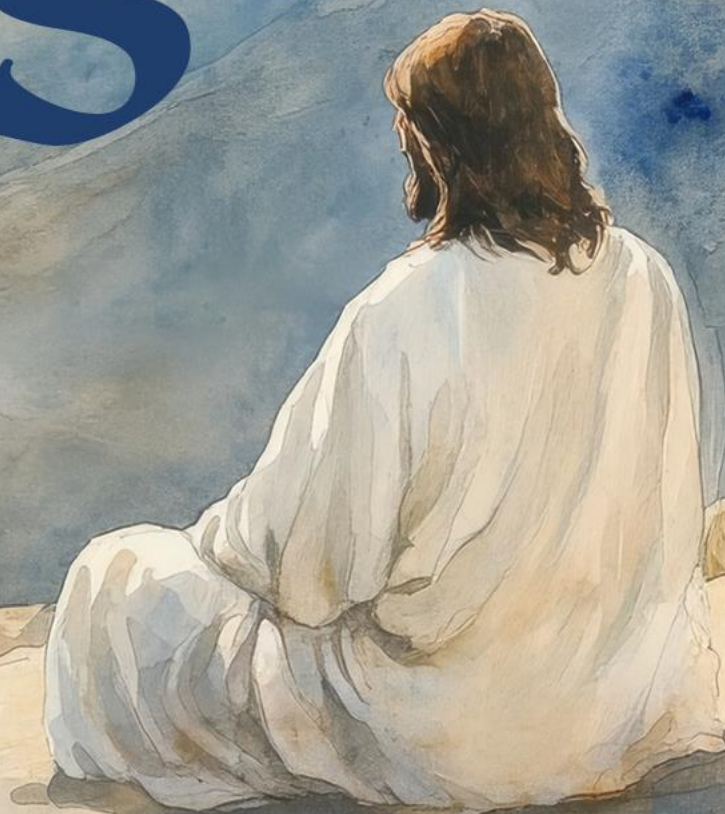


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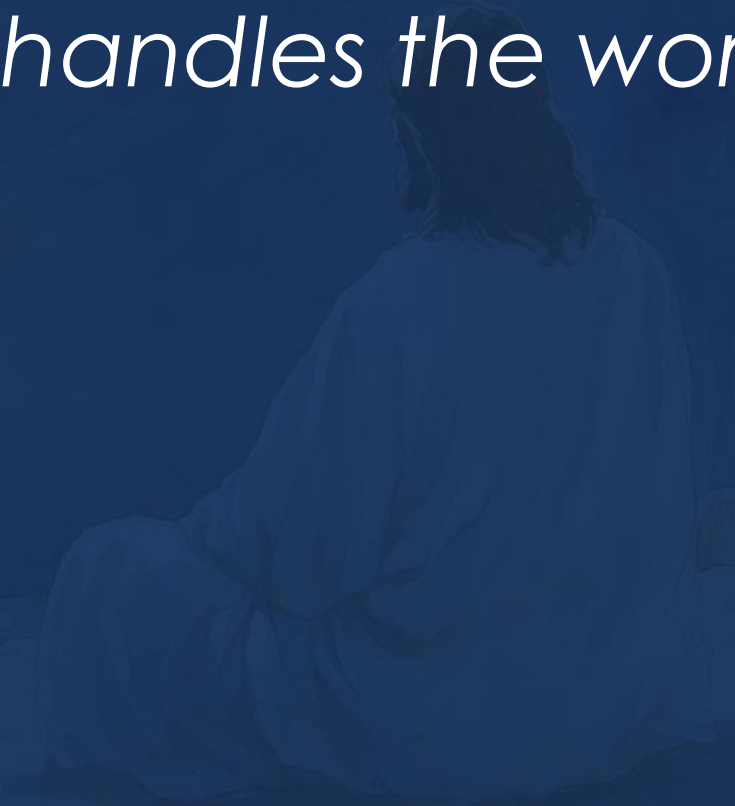


1 John 2:3-6 (NLT)

³ And we can be sure that we know him if we obey his commandments. ⁴ If someone claims, "I know God," but doesn't obey God's commandments, that person is a liar and is not living in the truth. ⁵ But those who obey God's word truly show how completely they love him. That is how we know we are living in him. ⁶ Those who say they live in God should live their lives as Jesus did.

2 Timothy 2:15 (NIV-UK)

¹⁵ Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth.



Jesus quotes the Bible directly – that is our Old testament – 49 times. If you take into account the repetition of the gospels that increases to 78 times. If you take into account the allusions and references to the Bible, it's over 300 times.



Luke 2:40-52



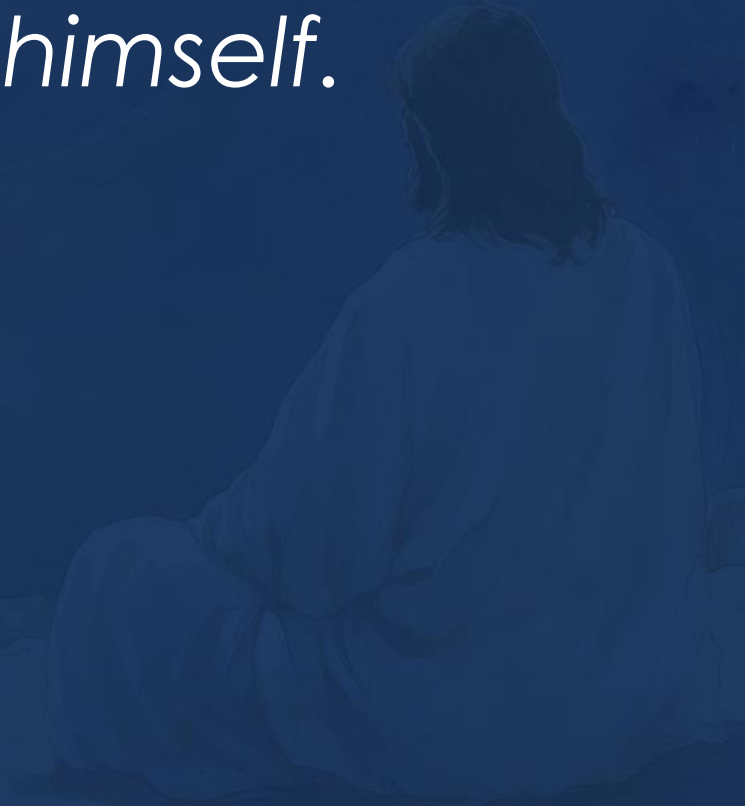
Luke 2:40-52 (ESVA)

40 And the child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom. And the favour of God was upon him.

52 And Jesus increased in wisdom and in stature and in favour with God and man

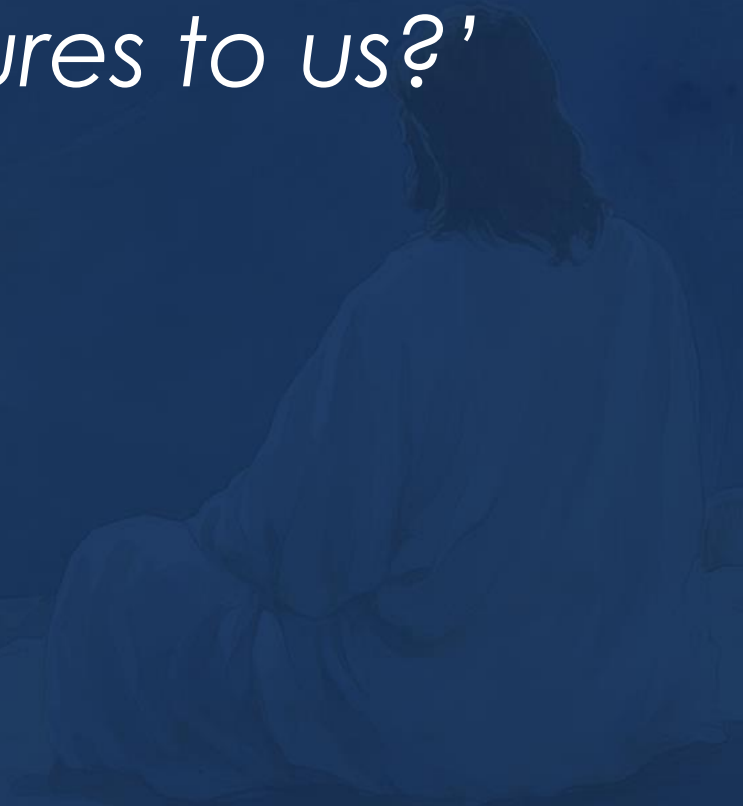
Luke 24:27 (NIV-UK)

²⁷ And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself.



Luke 24:32 (NIV-UK)

³² They asked each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?'



Luke 4:1-13 (NLT)

4 Then Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan River. He was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, ² where he was tempted by the devil for forty days. Jesus ate nothing all that time and became very hungry.

³ Then the devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, tell this stone to become a loaf of bread.”

***4 But Jesus told him,** “No! The Scriptures say, ‘People do not live by bread alone.’”*

Luke 4:5-8 (NLT) – the second temptation

⁵ Then the devil took him up and revealed to him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time. ⁶ “I will give you the glory of these kingdoms and authority over them,” the devil said, “because they are mine to give to anyone I please. ⁷ I will give it all to you if you will worship me.”

⁸ **Jesus replied,** “The Scriptures say, ‘You must worship the Lord your God and serve only him’”

Luke 4:9-13 (NLT) – the third temptation

⁹ Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, to the highest point of the Temple, and said, “If you are the Son of God, jump off! ¹⁰ For the Scriptures say, ‘He will order his angels to protect and guard you. ¹¹ And they will hold you up with their hands so you won’t even hurt your foot on a stone.’”

¹² **Jesus responded**, “The Scriptures also say, ‘You must not test the Lord your God.’ [e]”

¹³ When the devil had finished tempting Jesus, he left him until the next opportunity came.

Ephesians 6:13-17 (NIV-UK)

*¹³ Therefore put on the full armour of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. ¹⁴ Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled round your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, ¹⁵ and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. ¹⁶ In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. ¹⁷ Take the helmet of salvation and **the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.***

2 Timothy 2:15 (NIV-UK)

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2 Timothy 3:16 (NASB)

¹⁶ All Scripture is inspired by God and beneficial for teaching, for rebuke, for correction, for training in righteousness;



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