

Psalm 119: Introduction and Verses 1 – 8

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Introduction:

- How would you describe the overall theme of Psalm 119?
- What are some characteristics that make Psalm 119 unique among the other psalms?

Verses 1 – 8:

(1 – 2) What does it mean to be “blessed”? How does the psalmist describe the source of blessedness? What does it mean to seek God, and how does this apply to our understanding of His word?

(Psalm 1: 1 – 2; Luke 11: 27 – 28)

(3 – 4) What does God command us to do regarding His word? What is the outcome for those who abide by God’s word?

(Deuteronomy 6: 17; John 14: 21)

(5 – 6) Describe the psalmist’s meaning in these two verses. What is the source of the shame that the psalmist mentions?

(Romans 10: 11; 2 Corinthians 7: 9 – 10)

(7 – 8) What is the result of gaining a true understanding of God’s word? Describe the connection between praising God and being obedient to His word. *(Psalm 19: 8)*