

"The Word of the Lord"

Text - I Pet. 1:23-2:3 (3:24-19 pm)

No greater * source * secret * strength } than the word of God.

*for b. leaves
the
the
the*

Believers have: * Experienced ~ same Birth

* Casual * Express ~ same Love
* Caustic * Enjoy ~ same Nourishment
* Actions

*with the
Scriptures
? (here?)*

*in being born
and enjoyed
part of the birth*

- Past/Present/Future

* MILK
* MEAT
* MANNA

*God's word
Has life
Gives life
Nourishes life
is life*

The DEPOSIT of the Word - 1:23

* Indestructible Seed K 50

in the heart - we must get it in us (at least in our hearts)
* carrying
* ingesting
* trusting
* hearing
* smelling strength

*not a magic amulet
we lay on or carry w/ us*

*Love KJV but
I'm not used about
it*

The DURABILITY of the Word - 1:23-25

Endures - "abideth" "endureth"
 Ensures - guarantees

*It works
It LASTS*

The DESIRE of the Word - 2:2

As newborn babes "desire" *"rather want
etc"*
 "To know/To grow/To Go" [intensely crave possessing]

The DEMAND of the Word - 2:1-3

Stipulations
 "laying aside all malice . . ."

*Leave
meanness
pretense
envy
evil speaking*