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Charles Stanley's Life Principle #3

God's Word is an immovable anchor in times of storm.

Reading volunteers will be needed for the following Scriptures. Please take a slip as they are passed around if you would like to volunteer.

- James 1:19-25
- Romans 15:1-4
- Psalm 119:9-11
- Hebrews 4:12-13
- 2 Timothy 3:12-17

The Balloons (James 1:19-25)

When the storms of life come, we can react in anger and resist the spiritual lessons God has for us. Or we can learn to respond as Scriptures say we should respond. According to James 1:19-25 how should we respond to the storms of life?

How does the example of the balloons help us understand this better?

(Romans 15:1-4)

What are some benefits of reading biblical stories of God's work with and through people (Rom. 15:4)?

Psalm 119:9-11

According to this Psalm, how can a believer walk in purity?

What does it mean to you to treasure God's Word in your heart?

Hebrews 4:12-13

This Scripture compares the word of God to a two-edged sword. Why do you think this is an effective analogy?

Why is Scripture reading generally more effective at correcting wrong thinking than a friend's rebuke or a powerful sermon? (See the end of verse 12.)

2 Timothy 3:12-17

We must always remember

"All Scripture is inspired by _____ and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in _____; so that the _____ may be adequate, equipped for every _____."

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (NASB)