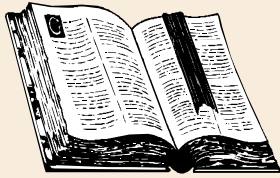


Inspiration

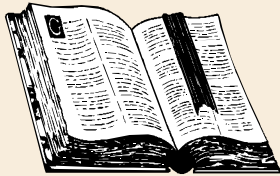
2 Timothy 3:16-17



“All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness.”

Note: “Inspiration” is from the Greek word “theopneustos” meaning “God-breathed” or “breathed out of God.”

Job 32:8



“But there is a spirit in man, and the breath of the Almighty gives him understanding.”

Note: The word in Hebrew, “neshamah,” means ‘to breathe’

NUMEROUS CLAIMS FOR INSPIRATION

- Over 2,500 times, the Bible writers claim to have been inspired.
- In the Old Testament, over 1,399 places set forth the plea for inspiration.
- To disclaim the Scriptures claim to be inspired is to disbelieve God in the matter

Jeremiah 1:9



“The Spirit of the Lord spoke through me; his word was on my tongue.”