

# Verbal Plenary Inspiration

**PLENARY:** Derived from a Latin word which means “full.” This means that the Scriptures are inspired fully, completely, and in every part. This further means that, due to the Divine inspection of the complete text, that there are no contradictions in the Bible.

**VERBAL:** Refers to words, meaning that the words themselves, as they were originally written, are the words God chose and directed the Bible writers to pen.

**MORE THAN 3,000 TIMES IN THE OLD TESTAMENT, THE CLAIM IS MADE THAT THE SCRIPTURES ARE THE “WORD” OR “WORDS” OF GOD.**

- **Exodus 17:14** - And Jehovah said unto Moses, Write this for a memorial in a book.”
- **2 Samuel 23:2** - David wrote: “The Spirit of the Lord spake by me, and His Word was in my tongue.”
- **Jeremiah 1:9** - God said to Jeremiah: “I have put my words into thy mouth.”
- More than 175 times in **Psalm 119** alone the Scriptures are exalted as the Word of God.
- **Matthew 5:17-18** - Jesus said, “One jot or one tittle” would not pass away from the law until all things be accomplished.” **NOTE:** The “jot” was the smallest Hebrew letter and the “tittle” was a tiny projection on certain Hebrew characters. Jesus quoted from the Old Testament in recognizing its authenticity.

