

"The People of The Book"

(Various Passages)

As a teacher

"If God speaks through the Bible, we should listen for His voice *there*. We can only hear where He has chosen to speak. I may have preferred Him to speak elsewhere, but if the Bible is where He has spoken that is where I must listen. We should not, therefore, despair of hearing the voice of God through the Scriptures until we have exposed ourselves to them directly and faithfully in order that they may do their work in our lives. But how few [people] do any regular or systematic reading or study of the Bible." (Donald Miller)

As our suffering Savior

INTRODUCTION:

I. THE PLACE OF SCRIPTURE IN THE LIFE AND TEACHING OF JESUS

As a child

As He faced temptation

II. WHAT ABOUT THE NEW TESTAMENT?

III. JESUS' NEW COMMUNITY – Acts 2:42