

THREE VITAL KEYS IN

RIGHTLY DIVIDING

GOD'S WORD

PART FOUR

First, you must carefully examine _____ God is addressing.

Second, you must always place Scripture in its proper

_____.

Third, you must hold to a _____ interpretation of
God's Word.

"For verily I say unto you, Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled." **Matthew 5:18**

"Every word of God is pure: he is a shield unto them that put their trust in him. Add you not unto his words, lest he reprove you, and you be found a liar." **Proverbs 30:5-6**

- When we do not allow the words of the Bible to speak for themselves in a literal sense:
 - We either end up with a person's _____ interpretation or multiple interpretations.

"Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation." **2 Peter 1:20**

- We end up adding to or taking away from the Scripture.

Proverbs 30:5-6, Revelation 22:18-19

- People's _____ in God's Word is undermined.

2 Timothy 2:17-18

- Everything in God's Word points to a literal interpretation.
 - _____ Testament prophecies were fulfilled literally.
 - _____ fulfilled prophecies concerning Himself literally.
 - Christ _____ literally.
 - He _____ from the dead literally.
 - God gave Abraham a literal _____ (from Sarah) with literal descendants.
- When a Scripture is symbolic, the meaning will be very _____ from the context.

"The next day John sees Jesus coming unto him, and says, Behold the Lamb of God, which takes away the sin of the world." **John 1:29**

The entire Bible is written _____ us, but it's not all written _____ us.