

*"Every word of God is flawless; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him. Proverbs 30:5 (NIV)*

## **My Refuge**

You are my refuge. I know that I can take shelter in you. You guard and guide my life. You watch over me. You set the course of my life. You help me to run the race that has been set before me. Your hand is on me. Your favor rests on me. You are with me to help me. For all these things I give you all my thanks and praise. **That is very good.**

**What makes you so certain of all these things? How do you know for sure that I am your refuge and that you can take shelter in me?** Your word is true. Your word is flawless. I can completely trust every one of your promises. Your word is worthy of my placing all my faith and complete trust in you. Of this I am absolutely certain. But that is not all, there is more. **Like what?** My life experience has taught me that your word is trustworthy and true. I have never regretted coming to you for help. It has never been a mistake to take refuge in you. You have sheltered me in every storm. You have helped me through every difficulty. I have been able to hold on to you and your promises as you have held on to me. **That is very good.**

There is something else that I would like to say. **What's that?** I don't evaluate your word. Your word evaluates me. All my thoughts and opinions and values are nothing in comparison to your word. **What do you mean by that?** If any one of my thoughts and opinions or values are in conflict with your word, I know that it is time to change my thinking. Your thoughts are higher than my thoughts. Your ways are better than my ways. I welcome you to change any thought, opinion or value of mine that is not in agreement with your word. It is my prayer that you will bring my life into complete alignment with your word. **That is a very good prayer.** It is my desire to live a life that is fully pleasing to you. **That is a very good desire.**

**What will you do with my word?** I will listen attentively to your word. I will let your word dwell in me richly. I will meditate on your word. I will memorize your word. I will study your word. I will pray your word. I will put your word into practice. I will take a hold of your word, so it can take hold of me. **That will be very good. Then you will truly be taking refuge in my word.**

*Lord, I know that your word is completely trustworthy and true. I will listen attentively to your word. I will obey your word. I will put your word into my daily practice. Thank you that your word has guarded and guided my life. I will take refuge in your word. Amen*

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Is Flawless*

"Every word of God is flawless; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.

NIV Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Proves True*

Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.

ESV Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Proves True*

Every word of God proves true. He is a shield to all who come to him for protection.

NLT Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Is Pure*

Every word of God is pure; He is a shield to those who put their trust in Him.

NKJV Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Proves True*

Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.

NRSV Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Promise Of God Is Proves True*

The believer replied, "Every promise of God proves true; he protects everyone who runs to him for help.

MSG Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Is Tried And Purified*

Every word of God is tried and purified; He is a shield to those who trust and take refuge in Him.

AMP Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Proves True*

Every word of God proves true. He defends all who come to him for protection.

TLB Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Is Tested*

Every word of God is tested; He is a shield to those who take refuge in Him.

NASB Proverbs 30:5

**God's Word** *Every Word Of God Is True*

"Every word of God is true. He guards those who come to him for safety.

NCV Proverbs 30:5

# Every Word Of God Is Flawless

Year \_\_\_\_ Week \_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_

**God's Word** – Proverbs 30:5

**In Context:** *Read Proverbs 30*

**Begin With Prayer:**

***Here I am Lord. I Am Listening.***

**Meditating On God's Word:** ***(What is God speaking to your heart?)***

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**Considering The Words:** ***(What words speak to your heart?)***

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**Praying The Scripture:**

***(What prayer from your heart will you write?)***

Lord, I know that your word is completely trustworthy and true. I will listen attentively to your word. I will obey your word. I will put your word into my daily practice. Thank you that your word has guarded and guided my life. I will take refuge in your word. Amen

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**What It Means:**

***(What questions speak to your heart?)*** *(Suggested questions for small group discussion are in bold)*

**When have you taken refuge in God's word?**

How has God's word been a shield of protection for your life?

**What from God's word are you particularly relying on right now?**

What do you do when you are waiting and trusting in God's word?

What do you do when the world says one thing and God's word says another?

When has it been hard to continue to trust in God's word?

**How has God's word proven to be true in your own experience?**

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**Living It Out:**

***(What action step is God guiding your heart to take?)***

Rely on God's word as you take refuge in Him.

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**Seeing It Happen:**

***(What are you trusting God for in your heart?)***

Have faith that God's word is completely trustworthy as you take refuge in Him.

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**Get Ready To Share:**

***(What can you share with others from your heart?)***

Share with another person or your small group how you are relying on God's word as you take refuge in Him.

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**Close With Prayer:**

***Quiet Yourself Before The Lord***

*Pause And Offer Prayers Of...*

*With An Attitude Of Faith Listen To What The Lord Wants To Say To You*

Adoration...

Thanksgiving...

Confession...

Intercession...

Petition...

**Journal**

*As You Quiet Yourself Before The Lord*

**What Do You Want To Say To Me Lord?**

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**What Prayers Are You Praying Today?**

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**Prayer Of Blessing**

*(What Prayer Of Blessing Can You Pray For Another?)*

*May you take refuge in the flawless word of God.*

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**Prayer To Carry**

*(What Prayer Would You Like To Carry Throughout Your Day?)*

*Lord, I will take refuge in your flawless word.*

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**What Do You Want To Remember About Today?**

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**A Question To Ask God**

*(What Would You Like To Ask God?)*

*Lord, how can I take refuge in your flawless word today?*

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