

1) God's word is a lamp that is not hidden from those who seek it

Luke 8:16

2) God's word is a lamp that exposes the darkness within us

Luke 8:17

3) Our response to God's word will determine our eternal destiny

Luke 8:18

Luke 8:19-21

Luke 11:27-28

4) What can prevent us from hearing God's word and putting it into practice

*a) The work of the devil (8:12)*

*b) Times of testing (8:13)*

*c) Life's worries, riches and pleasures (8:14)*