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# Systematic Theology

## **Westminster Confession of Faith Chapter 1 - Of the Holy Scriptures**

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### **1. What is the chief end of man?**

*A. Man's chief end is to glorify God and enjoy him forever.*

## **Confessional**

2. What is a confession of faith?

3. How is it different from a creed or a statement of faith?

4. When, and by whom, was the Westminster Confession of Faith written?

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### *Section 1 (\*L.C. 2)*

5. Why do you think the Confession begins with the Holy Scriptures?

6. How many kinds of revelation are there? Name and define them.

7. Is there proof of God's existence? Where?

8. Why must the remedy of man's condition be God's special (Word) revelation?

9. How does God reveal himself and His will today?

### **Section 2-5 (L.C. 3, 4; S.C. 2)**

10. How did we get these books listed in Section 2?

11. In Section 3 What is the Apocrypha?

12. Where does the Bible's authority come from according to Section 4?

Look up the following verses and explain what each says:

**2 Peter 1:19-20**

**2 Timothy 3:16**

**1 Thessalonians 2:13**

13. In Section 5 what are the ways which demonstrate the Bible to be the Word of God?

### ***Section 6 & 7 (L.C. 5; S.C. 3)***

14. What things are clearly presented in Scripture?

15. Are there areas not so clearly presented?

### ***Section 8***

16. What do you think Section 8 is trying to say?

17. What are we talking about when we say the Word of God is inerrant and infallible?

### ***Section 9***

18. The best commentary on Scripture is \_\_\_\_\_.  
What does that mean?

### ***Section 10***

19. An extremely helpful conclusion. The one Supreme Judge in our lives, the One Who discerns the thoughts and intents of our hearts and Who leads us to all truth is to be \_\_\_\_\_.