THE SWORD OF THE SPIRIT

Are Christians Perfect?

Do you find yourself struggling with the idea that you will never be good enough to serve God? Part of that struggle is real. You can never be perfect in the sense that you do not need Christ (Rom. 3:23). Even if you were to be baptized for the remission of your sins (Acts 2:38), you can still sin and fall away (1 Tim. 4:1-2). However, God's word can equip you to do everything He asks you to do

2 Timothy 3:16-17 says, "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all

good works." We can never obtain perfection in the sense that we no longer grow or need God in our lives. We obtain perfection by being "complete," or "whole" in Christ. God's word has every instruction that we could ever need so that we can serve Him (II Pet. 1:3). God's grace and mercy is available for every one of us (1 Tim. 1:12-15). Therefore, we can all serve Him faithfully if we so desire. Do you want to have access to all the good works and blessings Christ has to offer? Become a Christian (Acts 2:38) and obey God's inspired word!

Service Times: Sunday: 10 am,

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