Nehemiah 9v13 and the Holy Bible

"Thou camest down also upon mount Sinai, and spakest with them from heaven, and gavest them right judgements, and true laws, good statutes and commandments;"

Just like God gave His word to the Jews in the Old Testament, He's also preserved it for us in the Church age in the King James Bible.

This verse is Nehemiah says that His word is "right," "true," and "good." Psalm 19 says that God's word is "perfect," "sure," "right," "pure," "true," and "righteous."

Psalm 119 talks about it being, among many other things, "righteous," delightful, "settled," "exceeding broad," "sweet," respectable, "right," "upright," "pure," "very faithful," true, quickening, awful, lovely, and helpful.

One way to get your mind and heart ready to meet with the Lord is to read through Psalm 119 and make note of all the attributes of God's word as well as the things that it's compared to. If you really believe what you're reading, then soon your heart will be standing "in awe of thy word."

What a wonderful Book! It's so comforting to know that "every word of God is pure" (Prov 30v5) and that each word has been "tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times."

There are of course times when a Christian will wonder what God MEANS in a particular place, but he or she need not ever wonder what He SAYS. The Spirit of God is actively working through His word and guiding believers "into all truth," when they read it.

I used to love God's word in theory, but if you'd have asked me to be sure of anything, and then challenged me by bringing up another "rendering" of a passage, then I would have been stumped. The Lord did a work in my heart some years back though, and now when I wonder what God means about something, I see what He has to say in the King James Bible. Being that I'm a dull-witted little guy who was born in sin with a tiny mind that can't comprehend the things of God on my own, I always give him the benefit of the doubt and go with how He "rendered" it.

I'm so thankful that the Lord didn't leave us down here blind to our condemned state before God to die in our sins, but gave us a "**true**" testimony of our condition and showed "**unto us the way of salvation**."

Thank you Lord for this old Book, the King James Bible, and thank you that we can trust You completely when we read it!