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Psalm 19:7, "The law of the LORD is <u>perfect</u>, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the LORD are <u>trustworthy</u>, making wise the simple."

The Hebrew word for *perfect* is **te mi mah** which means *sound*, *complete*, *upright and no blemish*. There is no doubt that the law of our LORD is without any fault of any kind, because that is Who God is. The LORD is perfect in every way and so His Word is also perfect in every way. This is such a critical fact for us to comprehend because it is a foundation for our faith.

Because we can rely upon the Word of God, it brings us refreshment and it satisfies our souls. There is great comfort in knowing that our LORD will never fail; EVER! He is the rock we can stand on. He is the foundation we can build on. He is the well of living water that will never run dry.

The Hebrew word for *trustworthy* is **ne ema nah** which means *sure*, *sound*, *assured*, *reliable and firm*. Again, we can have great assurance that the Word will stand for eternity and that is guaranteed by the giver of the Word, God Himself! I love the last part of this verse which says - making wise the simple. There is hope for me! I can be so foolish sometimes; thinking that I know so much, when in fact, I am so self-assured. I don't need more of me, I always need more of Him and His word in my life.

Dear LORD, fill us today with Your perfect and trustworthy Word. We need You more now than ever! Help us to meditate upon Your Word and put it to practice in our lives. In Jesus Name, Amen