

"I AM NOT ASHAMED OF THE GOSPEL."

OR

"PAUL'S GREAT HONORABLE AVOWAL."

1. Scriptures:

1. Romans 1:16; Mark 8:38; 2 Tim. 1:12;
1 Peter 4:16; 2 Tim. 1:7,8; 2 Tim.2:15..

If we are ashamed to be true to our ideal

2. Ashamed. Used in the Bible about 120 times.

the time will come when we shall be put to

3. There is no subject so truly interesting to man as the gospel. *Shame in the presence of it*

1. On the truth or fallacy of the gospel rest all of man's hopes...hopes in this life and the world to come.

2. Liberty is of all things most desired by the slave and captive.

3. Food is most anxiously sought by the hungry and famishing.

4. Health is most eagerly looked for by the sick.

5. Life ~~is~~ is that for which a man will part with all he possesses to retain.

4. The gospel in connection with the above.

1. The gospel is the announcement of freedom to the bound.

2. The gospel is the announcement of food to the starving.

3. The gospel is the announcement of health to the afflicted.

4. The gospel is the announcement of life, eternal life to the condemned and perishing children of men

