

Daleth

My soul clings to the dust; give me life according to your word!

When I told of my ways, you answered me; teach me your statutes!

*Make me understand the way of your precepts, and I will meditate
on your wondrous works.*

*My soul melts away for sorrow; strengthen me according to your
word!*

Put false ways far from me and graciously teach me your law!

I have chosen the way of faithfulness; I set your rules before me.

I cling to your testimonies, O LORD; let me not be put to shame!

*I will run in the way of your commandments when you enlarge my
heart!*

We read that in creation, we were created from the dust. It was by God's word that we have been given life and made in His image. When we consider this great revelation, it is such a humbling thought to realize without God and His word, we are only dust. When our eyes are opened by God's grace to see the sin within us, we cannot hesitate any longer. We must cry out to our Creator God and confess our sins and plead for His mercy. We must ask for more grace, more wisdom, and more holiness.

He answers us by giving us His word and His ways. He teaches us by the work of the Holy Spirit, that we might turn from our ways and into His. Hold onto God's word tightly. His word is life. If God has enlarged your heart, has given you life, then run to Him. Run to Him quickly. Run to His word, the words of life everlasting.