Northwest Bible Church - April 24, 2022 - 2 Peter - Alan Conner

**2 Peter 1:19-21**

The Prophetic Word

Intro

**A. THE SURE PROPHETIC WORD (2 Peter 1:19).**

 1. The contrast view - Scripture is more sure than the experience of the Transfiguration.

 2. The confirmation view - The Transfiguration confirms the prophetic word.

 3. The appropriate response to the Word.

 a. Pay attention -

 b. Analogy - “as to a lamp shining in a dark place”.

 c. Duration - “until the day dawns and the morning star arises in your hearts”

**B. THE INTERPRETATION OF PROPHECY (2 Peter 1:20).**

1. No prophecy of Scripture is a matter of one’s own interpretation.

 2. The apostles correctly interpret O.T. prophecy

**C. THE DIVINE ORIGIN OF PROPHECY (2 Peter 1:21).**

 1. No prophecy comes by an act of human will.

 2. Prophecy comes by men moved by the Spirit.

Conclusion

 *How should the second coming impact your life today?*

 *How can we better treasure the inspired Word of God in our lives?*