

Bible Basics



1. The Bible is God's Word.
2. The Author is the Holy Spirit.
3. The Bible was given by visions, dreams, speaking, inner promptings.
4. The recorders were 40 men.
5. Number of New Testament manuscripts: 25,000.
6. Bible Versions: King James, New King James, New Int'l, New Living Translation.
7. Major characters: Adam, Eve, Noah, Abraham, Moses, David, Jesus, John, Peter, Paul.
8. Pray before using the Bible.
9. Place the Bible on top.
10. Read or listen to 1-5 chapters a day.
- 11.0.. Improve your relationship with God, others, self, and enemies.
12. Do something good today for your family, friends and neighbors.

The Guide for Honoring God and Helping Men

The Old Testament was written mainly in Hebrew between about BC 1400 and 400 and consists of 39 books: 5 Pentateuch, 12 History, 5 Writings, and 17 Prophets.

The New Testament was written mainly in Greek between about AD 40 and 95 and consists of 27 books: 4 Gospels, 1 History, 13 Paul's letters, 8 Epistles and 1 Prophetic book.

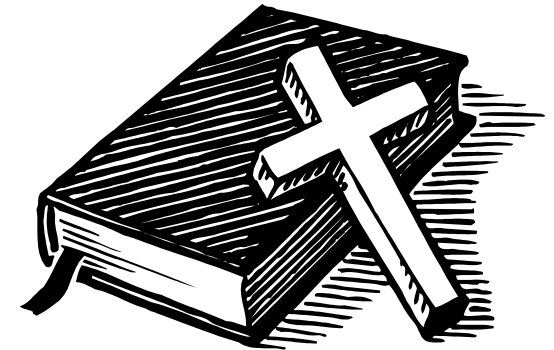
Some of the central passages are Genesis 1-3, Exodus 20, Psalms 23, 91, Isaiah 53, Matthew, 5-7, 24, 25, Luke 1,2, John 1-3, Acts 2, Romans 8, 1 Corinthians 13, Hebrews 11, Revelation 21,22.

The Stories of the Hebrews and Christ

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Timeline Bible Course: 1 From History to Prophecy

The Word Alive



How to Get a Blessing from the Bible

Name _____

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Inductive Bible Study helps you reach your conclusions from the Bible.

A. Observe 2 Tim 1:5, 3:14,15

Note it. Mark it.

What does the passage **SAY**?

Circle the right answer(s).

1. Timothy had genuine: anger, faith, hate.
2. From *whom* did Timothy learn the Bible? Lois, Eunice, Mary.
3. The *Holy Scriptures* then were the: Old Testament, New Testament, Whole Bible.
4. The Bible makes one wise for: salvation, work, religion.
5. Salvation is through in Christ: study, good works, faith.
6. **Mark your Bible. Underline the central word:** things, wise, continue.
7. What markings do you like to use? circles, notes, underline.

B. Interpret 2 Tim 3:13,16

Understand it. Analyze it.

What does it **MEAN**?

Circle the right answer(s).

8. All Scripture is given by: dictation, inspiration, signs.
9. Another name for doctrine is: guideline, principle, rule.
10. Reproof is necessary when one: sins, plays, disobeys.
11. Correction sets one on the: right path, easy path, end path.
12. An example of instruction in righteousness is: forgiving, praying, counting.
13. This text is: history, poetry, prophecy, a lesson, a parable.
14. The text that correlates with this text is: 2 Tim 3:1; 2 Tim 3:5; 2 Pet 1:16-21.
15. This was written in the context of: joy, travel, imposters.

C. Apply 2 Tim 3:17. Do it

What does it **MEAN to ME**?

Circle the right answer(s).

16. To be complete, I have to follow ___ of God's laws: all, some, most.
17. I am to study the Bible: daily, weekly, monthly.
18. My equipment includes: translations of the Bible, weekly plans, commentaries.
19. I am being thoroughly equipped when I: pray, memorize scripture, understand people.
20. My good work consists of: helping, teaching, smiling, encouraging, serving.

Helps for Interpreting:

*Bible Dictionary,
Bible Handbook,
Strong's Concordance,
Various Bible Versions,
Commentaries, Online
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