

NAVIGATING YOUR BIBLE

WHO WROTE THE BIBLE?

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The Bible is the inspired Word of God. God used over 40 different authors over a period of 1500 years to write the words we read today.

GOD HAS BREATHED LIFE INTO ALL OF SCRIPTURE IT IS USEFUL FOR TEACHING US WHAT IS TRUE. IT IS USEFUL FOR CORRECTING OUR MISTAKES. IT IS USEFUL FOR MAKING OUR LIVES WHOLE AGAIN, IT IS USEFUL FOR TRAINING US TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT. 2 Timothy 3:16 (NIRV)

THE BIBLE HAS TWO MAJOR PARTS

OLD TESTAMENT AND NEW TESTAMENT (TESTAMENT MEANS COVENANT OR PROMISE).

OLD TESTAMENT = The Old Testament is the story of God's people (the Israelites) and God's promises to them. It begins with the creation of the world and records the history of God's relationship with mankind until about 400 years before Jesus was born. It also records many prophecies that are fulfilled in the New Testament.

NEW TESTAMENT = The New Testament is the story of how God fulfilled his promises through sending the 'good news', Jesus Christ. It records Jesus' birth, ministry, death on the cross, and resurrection. It also shows the beginning of the Christian church, and records the instructions and activities given by Paul and other early Christian leaders. The last book of the Bible, Revelation, gives us a glimpse into the future as John writes about the last days of the earth.

BOOKS OF THE BIBLE OLD TESTAMENT

LAW

Genesis Exodus Leviticus Numbers Deuteronomy

HISTORY

Joshua Judges Ruth 1 Samuel 2 Samuel 1 Kinas 2 Kings 1 Chronicles 2 Chronicles Ezra Nehemiah Esther

POETRY

Job Psalm Proverbs Ecclesiastes Song of Solomon

MAJOR PROPHETS

Isaiah Jeremiah Lamentations Ezekiel Daniel

MINOR **PROPHETS**

Hosea Joel Amos Obadiah Jonah Micah Nahum Habbakuk Zephaniah Haggai Zechariah Malachi

GOLDHWAITE

NEW TESTAMENT

GOSPELS

Matthew Mark Luke John

HISTORY

Acts

PAUL'S **EPISTLES**

Romans 1 Corinthians 2 Corinthians Galatians **Ephesians** Philippians Colossians 1 Thessalonians

TO INDIVIDUALS

1 Timothy

2 Timothy

Philemon

Titus

2 Thessalonians

66 TOTAL**

**(All books of the Bible are listed by sections on the back cover of the journal)

GENERAL **EPISTLES**

Hebrews James 1 Peter 2 Peter 1 John 2 John 3 John Jude

APOCALYPTIC

Revelation

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WRITE IT:

WRITE OUT THE KEY VERSE OR MAIN IDEA OF THE PASSAGE.



OBSERVE IT:

WHAT STICKS OUT TO YOU?



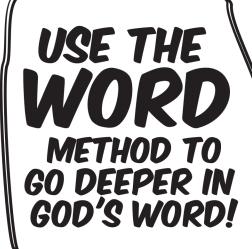
REQUEST IT:

PRAY AND ASK GOD TO HELP YOU.



DO IT:

HOW CAN YOU LIVE THIS OUT?



MAIN PASSAGE FOR TODAY

BOOK:

CHAPTER:

VERSE/VERSES:

WRITE IT

WRITE OUT THE KEY VERSE OR MAIN IDEA OF THE PASSAGE.

