

Bible Introduction
Sister Jennifer Reynolds

| <u>Given</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Due</u> |
|--------------|---|------------|
| Oct. 17 | Memorize I Peter 3:15 | Oct. 24 X |
| Oct. 17 | Read through N.T. (AT LEAST 2 chpt. every week) end of year | Oct. 31 |
| Oct. 24 | 2 Timothy 3:16 <small>verses first one 4, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17</small> Memorize 10 commandments | Nov. 14 |
| Nov. 7 | Test on December 12, 2003 | |
| Dec. 5 | Memorize II Peter 1:21 | Jan. 16 |
| Jan 9 | | |

CLASS OVERVIEW

1. Memorize all books of the Bible.
2. Memorize key verses in the Bible.
3. The Canon.
4. The inspiration of the Bible.
5. Why we study the King James Version.
6. Principal characters, places, facts and events of the Bible.
(Oral report at end of year concerning. On a character.)

Course Description:

An introduction to the Holy Bible and to why we believe it is the infallible, inerrant, unadulterated, inspired Word of God, free ~~from~~ contradictions.
ALIVE, Quickening Power from

General Course Requirements:

To memorize all books of the King James Bible.

To do oral reports covering a principal character, place, fact and or event of the Bible.*

To complete all homework and tests given by the instructor.

NAMES OF THE BIBLE

1. BIBLE

"the book" see Matt 1:1, Gen.5:1, Esther 6:1, Psalm 40:7, Heb.10:7
Luke 4:17

2. OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT

What does testament mean? a covenant: a contract:
divisory will (a will in 2 parts): an agreement between men (+ God)
① THERE MUST BE WITNESSES. ② Must be confirmed by an oath
See Gen. 21:23+31, Neh. 9:38 ③ Written or sealed

Genesis 9:9-17 covenant with man and every living creature

Luke 22:19+20 covenant with disciples

Hebrews 9:22 blood used to seal the promise in OT and NT

3. SCRIPTURE

See II Timothy 3:15-17

Holy Scriptures- (Greek word~gramma) letter, note, epistle, writing

See II Peter 1:20

Scripture- (graphe) holy writing, its contents or a statement in it

See Matthew 22:29

Jesus referred to the Bible as Scriptures

4. THE WORD OF GOD

This is the most significant, powerful, impressive and complete name for the Bible.

See Hebrews 4:12

Quick- Life; alive; live

Powerful- active; effectual

Sharper- to cut; more keen

Piercing- to reach through; penetrate

GOD CONVICTS, COMMANDS, AND CREATES WITH HIS WORD.

ABOUT THE BIBLE

1. The Bible has 66 books. 39 in the OT and 27 in the NT.
2. The word HOLY in the Hebrew means a sacred place or thing, sanctity, consecrated, dedicated. In the Greek HOLY means sacred, pure, blameless, or religious consecrated.
3. The Bible covers a period of approximately 1600 years.
4. Some believe that the Bible has 40 authors.
5. The Bible is a divine book yet God used human character to express His divine truths.

Holy men= human element

Holy Ghost= divine element

6. The Bible is one book, one history, and one story----> *HIS STORY!*
7. Genesis is a book of origins. Revelation is a book of endings. The books of the Bible in-between are God's redeeming words to a wrecked ruined world.
8. No book or passage of the Bible can be disposed of. The divine revelation of the Bible moves smoothly from the beginning in Genesis (see Genesis 1:1) to its ending in Revelation (see Revelation 22:13).
9. Each book of the Bible has its own message, yet in its entirety a complete message of salvation to man is seen.

WHAT IS THE BIBLE?

The Bible is God's written Revelation of His will to men.

It's central theme is salvation through Jesus Christ.

The Old Testament was originally written in Hebrew.

The New Testament was originally written in Greek.

The King James Version is a translation from these original languages.

The Old Testament is an account of a nation.

The New Testament is an account of a man.

(Books of the Bible - Why + the KJV - Prominent People
+ Places = a few things I will learn in this class)

I Peter 3:15 ← memorize

What Bible School will do for me?

- ① Prepare me for any facet of ministry
- ② Teach me how to study
Help me draw closer to God
- ③ Familiarize me with my Bible, Saviour, + Creator

Be on time for class. - teaches me dedication

- ④ Create a desire in me for the Word of God.
- ⑤ Renew my relationship, deepen, with God, Determination to live for God
- ⑥ Teach me organization.

When you meet someone:

- If we are to draw closer to God & His Word there must be ^①CONTACT.
Spend Great amounts of Time with God's Word.
- Names are given. (INTRODUCTIONS)

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27
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good
job!

I Peter 3: 15

But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear.

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OLD TESTAMENT & NEW TESTAMENT

The Old Testament begins with God. See Genesis 1:1

The New Testament begins with Jesus Christ. See Matthew 1:1

From Adam to Abraham we see-----> the history of the human race

Genesis 1:26+27, 4:1, 5:1-5, 5:32, 6:9+10, 7:17-22, 9:1, 11:27

Genealogy- a recorded history of one's ancestry; the study of family descent

From Abraham to Christ we see----->the history of a chosen race;
the Hebrew nation

The Hebrew nation.

Genesis 12:1-2, 22:15-18, 32:9-12, Joshua 1:1-3, Matthew 1:16, 17

From Christ on we see-----> the history of the church

Matthew 16:18, Acts 2:47, 11:26

The Old commences what the New completes.

The Old Testament gathers around what place? Mt. Sinai

Exodus 19:10+11, 20:1-17

The New gathers around what place? Calvary - Place of Skull
Luke 23:33

The Old focuses on what man? Moses

Exodus 2:10

The New focuses on what man? Christ

Luke 4:41

"THE NEW IS IN THE OLD CONTAINED,
THE OLD IS IN THE NEW EXPLAINED."

OLD TESTAMENT BOOKS

(5) LAW

(12) HISTORICAL

(5) POETICAL

(17) PROPHETICAL

5=MAJOR PROPHET

12=MINOR PROPHET

What is the Old Testament? The covenant God made with man about His salvation before Christ came.

In the Old Testament we find The covenant of the law.

NEW TESTAMENT BOOKS

(4) GOSPELS

(1) HISTORY (of the church)

(21) EPISTLES

14=PAULINE

7=GENERAL

(1) PROPHETIC

What is the New Testament? The agreement God made with man about His salvation after Christ came.
See John 3:3 and John 3:16

In the New Testament we find The Covenant of Grace

See Galatians 3:17-25

The New Testament was written to reveal to us the character and teachings of Jesus Christ. He is the mediator of the New Testament.
See I Timothy 2:5

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- ① God commands with His Word.
- ② God convicts with His Word.
- ③ God creates with His Word.

Genesis is a book of beginnings. Both good + bad.

These class is designed to Nov. 7, 2003
for the most part only present thumbnail
sketches, and won't deal with too much indepth.
— We can consider the O.T. as a
shadow of things to come. —

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II Tim. 3:16

All Scripture is given by inspiration
of God, and is profitable for doctrine,
for reproof, for correction, for instruction
in righteousness:

3000 words

3000 words

THE WORD

Why was the Bible written?

The Bible was written that men might believe, understand,
know, love, and follow Him.

The whole Bible is built around Christ + His promise of everlasting life to men

THE BIBLE IS GOD'S WRITTEN WORD. See II Timothy 3:16 and
 II Peter 1:21.
(For the prophecy)

Christ is the Living word! See John 1:1-5
(In the beginning was the Word)

His appearance on earth is the central event of all history! See
 Matthew 1:16-18

The OT sets the stage for it and the NT describes it.

The Hebrew nation was founded and nurtured by God for the
 purpose of bringing Christ into the world. See Genesis 12:1-3,
 Luke 1:31-35
(Now the Lord had said)

The most important fact in history is that Christ is alive !!!

See Job 19:25
(For I know that my Redeemer)

He died and rose again> Christ is the center and heart of the
 Bible.

Some scripture on the WORD:

John 1:1-4 "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with
 God, and the Word was God."

Genesis 1:26 "Let us"

I John 1:1-3 "the Word of life" (That which was from)

Revelation 19:11-13 "the Word of God" (And I saw Heaven opened)

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STUDY QUESTIONS #1

1. How many books are in the Bible?

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2. What is the Bible?

God's written revelation of His will to men.

3. What is the Bible's central theme?

Salvation through Jesus Christ

4. The Old Testament was written in what language?

Hebrew

5. The New Testament was written in what language?

Greek

6. Give four names for the Bible other than Bible or "the book".

① Old Testament + ② New Testament ③ Word of God ④ Scripture

7. What do we see in scripture from Adam to Abraham?

History of the human race.

8. What do we see in scripture from Abraham to Christ?

History of the Chosen race.

9. What do we see in scripture from Christ on?

History of the Church

10. What is the Old Testament?

The Covenant God made with man about His salvation before Christ came.

11. What do we find in the Old Testament?

The covenant of the law

12. What is the New Testament?

The covenant ~~of the law~~, God made with man about His salvation before Christ came.

13. What do we find in the New Testament?

Covenant of Grace

14. Why was the Bible written?

That man might believe, know, understand, love, and follow Him.

15. What is the central event of all history?

Christ's appearance on earth.

16. Give verbatim I Peter 3:15. But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts and

be ready always to give an answer of the hope that is in you with meekness

17. Give verbatim II Timothy 3:16. + 17 and fear.

All Scripture is given by inspiration of God and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness.

That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.

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New Testament Scripture

Old Testament Word of God

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The appearance of Christ on the earth.

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C Bonus* Also give II Timothy 3:17.

That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.

List all 10 commandments in order

1. How many books are in the Bible?
2. What is the Bible?
3. What is the Bible's central theme?
4. The O.T. was written in what language?
5. The N.T. was written in what language?
6. Give 4 names for the Bible other than the Bible or the Book.

7. What do we see in Scripture from Adam to Abraham?

8. What do we see in Scripture from Abraham to Christ?

9. What do we see in Scripture from Christ on?

10. What is the O.T.?

11. What do we find in the O.T.?

12. What is the N.T.?

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STUDY QUESTIONS

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- C 1. Give the definition for inspiration.
An inhaling or an stimulus to create a thought or action.
- C 2. Give verbatim II Peter 1:21.
For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.
- C 3. Who wrote scripture?
Holy men of God moved upon, driven by the prompting of the Holy Spirit.
- C 4. Inspiration is the action of God leading to what?
The writing, preservation, & collection of His words to His people in the Bible.
- C 5. What purpose does inspiration have?
Producing an authoritative and genuine record of persons, teachings, and events.
- C 6. List two theories each of false and true inspiration.
False
1. Natural Inspiration
2. Illumination, or Universal Christian Inspiration
True:
1. Infallible Inspiration
2. Verbal Inspiration
- C 7. List two ways that as believers we claim what the Bible claims for itself.
1. The Bible is the Word of God
2. The Bible is the revelation of God to His creation.
- C 8. What type of unity does the Bible display?
Unbroken & Perfect unity.
- C 9. List three ways that the Bible displays its fearless foretelling.
1. The Person of Christ
2. The People of Israel
3. Places of Renown
- C 10. Describe who the Bible has peerless power over.
Man kind, woman kind, slave kind, child kind, Me
- C 11. List seven ways that the Bible displays its unity.
History Doctrine Truth Scripture
Prophecy Purpose Spirit
- C 12. Give a definition for the key words found in II Timothy 3:16.
Profitable advantage - gain
Doctrine the principles of religion, foundational truths
Reproof rebuke, find fault with, address in sharp disapproval
Correction to make right, punish, discipline
Instruction to teach educate or inform

THE INSPIRATION OF THE BIBLE

What is meant by the term inspiration?

Scripture itself answers this question best.

* II Timothy 3:16 "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness."

Profitable- advantage or gain

Doctrine- the principles of religion, foundation truths, "stepping stones"

Reproof- rebuke, fight and scold with, to address in sharp disapproval "That's wrong"

Correction- to make right; to punish or discipline → Don't "sulk," PRAY.

Instruction- to teach, relate, or inform

When rebuked
zip it and say
your sorry.
And PRAY.

When Paul uses the words "given by" it signifies that the writings in the Bible are a result of a certain influence exerted by God upon the author. Inspiration defined by Paul in this passage is the strong inbreathing of God into men that qualifies them to give utterance to truth.

Inspiration- an "inhaling" or any stimulus to create a thought or action
Inspire- to motivate by divine influence, to incite.

* II Peter 1:21 "For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost." *

This passage teaches that holy men of God wrote the scripture when moved to do so by the Holy Ghost!

SCRIPTURE WAS NOT WRITTEN BY MERE MEN!

* Who wrote scripture? "holy" men moved upon, driven by the prompting of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit was miraculously present with the writers of scripture. The Holy Spirit revealed to them the truth of God that they did not know before. See Romans 15:4, Philippians 3:15, John 20:30+31, John 21:25

Inspiration is the action of God leading to the writing, preservation, and collection of His words to His people into the Bible.

The English word inspiration comes from the Latin word *in spiro* which means "to breath in".

Inspiration, then, is the influence of the Holy Spirit upon individuals for the purpose of producing an authoritative and genuine record of persons, teachings, and events.

* Inspired-to breathe in or God-breathed.

Authority = K.J.V

SOME THEORIES OF INSPIRATION

X = false

----> true

✓ Natural Inspiration- Genius of a high order, but not experiential, mysterious or poetical.

This is type of inspiration that Shakespeare showed in his writings.

X Universal Christian Inspiration or Translation- The ordinary Christian of today is inspired as much as the Bible writers. (Then it ought to be possible that new Bibles could be written for today). See Psalm 119:99 and Revelation 22:18+20

✓ Mechanical Inspiration of Scripture- figures, similes, and idioms the writers wrote ~~just like a machine~~. How then does one account for difference in style? See Hebrews 4:10-11

----> Infallible Inspiration- The Bible as a whole is without any errors because it is in its entirety the Word of God. Usually those who hold to this view are careful to distinguish between the original manuscripts and the present form of the Bible. See 2 Timothy 3:15

----> Verbal inspiration- The Holy Ghost gave the very words of Scripture. The writers were not left游离 in themselves in the choice of words that they should use. See 1 Peter 1:21

----> Plenary or Full Inspiration- All Scripture is equally inspired. See II Timothy 3:16

As believers we claim what the Bible claims for itself:

1. that the Bible is indeed *and in truth the very word of God*
2. that it is the *revelation of God to his creation*
3. that *infallible guidance was given to those who wrote it so as to preserve them forever*
4. that *what the authors of the scriptures have written is, God's own words written as it is in the original language*
5. that *God is in the full sense responsible for every it*
6. that *the ideas expressed in the Bible are the very ideas the Holy Ghost intended to convey*

"3 Things the Bible has that no other Book ever written has"

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I. Unbroken + Perfect Unity

Unity — the state of being one (concord, agreement, harmony & music example)

Unbroken — combined, connected; associated

The Bible pierces (Heb. 4:12) the heart, & also has a calming effect. — John 14:27 God is Our Peace

The Word is ALIVE. The Word is CAPTIVATING

Acts 12:1-5 The Church was persecuted & martyred for the TRUTH. — They loved the TRUTH.

The Bible displays its Unity.

A. One in History

God's dealing with men — History

The whole Bible is not only consistent with itself, but also with what man knows of history

Gen. 1:1 — Rev. 22:13

B. One in Prophecy

Every Biblical prophecy (^{that} is fulfilled to date) is perfectly accurate.

Isa. 53:4, 5 — John 19:1-3

C. One in Doctrine

The same lofty doctrines are found throughout with a higher emphasis found in the N.T.

There are no contradictions.

Monotheism — the doctrine of One God

God's relationship with man — it is the same throughout Scripture. (Bring man to salvation, Atonement)

Ezek. 18:31,32 — John 3:3

Lev. 19:2 — Matt. 5:48

The standard of righteousness is throughout.

ONE DOCTRINE

UNITY

PERFECT UNITY, Oneness

Psalm 133:1-3 Blessing of God on Unity

The world is nothing but chaos, no unity

Psalm 86:11

Eph. 4:1-6 "Oneness" — United into One

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"Be not unequally yoked" — 2 Cor. 6:14

D. The Bible is One in Purpose

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Ephesians 1:18

The revelation of God and is will to men that they may know and fulfill the purpose of their creation.

* — to make amends for wrong doing; the redeeming of man kind through Jesus.

E. One in Truth

The clear, distinct authority of the Bible lies in the fact it is Truth.

John 17:17 - "Thy Word is Truth"

Ps. 119:151

F. One in Spirit

John 6:63 ; 4:24

No matter where you look in Scripture the Holy Spirit knows what you need and will need and he will reveal and enlighten.

G. One in Structure

Every part relating to another + each other. Like a great building with each part solidly relating to each other.
① History ② Instruction ③ Prophecy
(3 divisions of either O.T. or N.T.)

Gen. & Revelation complement - Creation/New Creation

Entrance of Sin and death / Exit of Sin + Death

Gen. 4:1-10 ↔ Rev. 20:14,15

Beginning of Warfare with Satan (End of Warfare....)

Promise of Redeeming King / Coronation of Redeemer

2 Peter 1:10,11

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"Prophecy and Fulfillment"

1.

Old Testament Prophecy: Zech. 11:12

Christ would be Betrayed
for 30 pieces of silver

New Testament Fulfillment:

Matthew 26:14-15

Judas sold his savior for 30
pieces of silver

2.

Old Testament Prophecy:

Micah 5:2

The Messiah would be born in
Bethlehem

New Testament Fulfillment:

Matthew 2:1

The birth of Christ occurred in a
stable in Bethlehem

3.

Old Testament Prophecy:

Psalm 22:17

None of His bones would be
broken

New Testament Fulfillment:

John 19:33,36

They broken none of his bones

4.

Old Testament Prophecy:

Isaiah 7:14

Messiah would be born of a virgin

New Testament Fulfillment:

Matthew 1:18

The virgin Mary gave birth to
Jesus

5.

Old Testament Prophecy:

Isaiah 40:3

A voice in the wilderness

New Testament Fulfillment:

Matthew 3:3

John the Baptist was that voice in
the wilderness

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II Peter 1:21

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the will of man: but holy men of God spake
as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.

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II. Fearless Foretelling

Ps 22:1 → Mark 15:33, 34

Foretells Great Truths and Doctrines,
but also great events ages before they happen.

A. The Person of Christ

1. His Birth in Bethlehem Matt. 2:1/Mic. 5:2
2. Death of Shame Matt. 27:35/Is. 22:18
3. Burial by the Rich Matt. 27:57/
4. Triumphal Resurrection Matt. 28:5, 6/
5. Glorious Ascension Lu. 16:19/

B. The People of Israel

1. Their scattering unto all lands Jer. 50:6, 17
2. (Eze. 11:17 Promise of their return)
3. Destruction of their land Jer. 2:14, 15
3. Their Terrible Persecutions (i.e. Egypt/Babylon)
4. Their future Acknowledgement of the Messiah

Israel's history was foretold by Moses. Deut. 4:25-31
These things came to pass.

All these things were recorded centuries before Christ came into His own, & His own received Him not. John 1:11 / Rom. 14:11 / Isa. 45:23

C. Places of Reknown

1. Babylon Isa. 13:19 Jer. 51:37
2. Jerusalem Luke 19:41-44

D. Periods of Time

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A. Dan. 12: 4-13 Daniel gives us 4

marks of the Last Days (or Periods of Time)

1. Running to and fro

2. Increase of Knowledge

3. Intensified Godliness in the Remnant

4. Multiplication of wickedness ^{in the world} & never before

B. II Timothy 3:1-9

1. Self Love

2. Money Love

3. Pleasure lovers

Isa. 46: 9,10 "Declaring the end from Beginning"

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III. Peerless Power

Peerless - having no equal

power - the ability to do or act; authority; strength

No Book EVER WRITTEN CAN COMPARE TO THE BIBLE.

There ~~is~~ is a natural inspiration + a Divine inspiration.

A. Over Mankind

Ex. 20:8

John 8:36 The Lord's laws

+ power over us grant us perfect liberty.

B. Over Woman Kind

The Bible does not believe in slavery.

Servdom - a person in futile servitude considered a ^{partner} ~~property~~ with lord

1) Drives out woman servdom.

2) Abolishes [redacted] polygamy ITim.3:2,12

Prov. 31:10-15 - her price = FAR ABOVE RUBIES

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[Make sure your marriage is thus saith the Lord.]

C. Over Slave kind

Luke 4:18

Wherever the Bible is allowed to reign, the "flog of the free" floats.

D. Over Childkind

Matthew 19:14 God is concerned about children.

First things taught & learned are deeply rooted.

E. Over Me

Acts 16:30,31

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"The Canonization of the Bible"

Literal Def: cone, measuring rod, a ruler or staff [Ex- LEVEL]
A standard, or a model, Any standard or norm
Christian Meaning: a rule of doctrine or discipline, the genuine books of the Holy Scriptures,
written rule of faith

Rule: a measuring or ruler line, (plumb line) a guiding principle or formula

Amos 7:7,8

Canon came to be used as the list of books which were recognized as the genuine, original, inspired, authoritative Word of God the Rule

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* The Formation of the BIBLE *

1. TEN COMMANDMENTS Deut. 10:1-5

Ex. 31:18

2. MOSES' LAW Deut. 31: 24-26

3. COPIES OF THE COMMANDMENTS WRITTEN Deut. 17:18-20

4. JOSHUA WRITES IN THE BOOK Joshua 24:26

JESUS REFERRED TO THE BOOK AS:

1. Scriptures Matt. 22:29
John 5:39

2. Word of God Luke 11:28
"Genuine Word of God"

APOTLES REFERRED TO THE BOOK AS:

1. Scriptures I Tim. 5:18

2. Other Scriptures 2 Peter. 3:15, 16
"God INSPIRED"

I Thess. 2:13; Rev. 1:2; ^{Mt.} 10:10 REFERRED TO THEIR
WRITINGS AS THE WORD OF GOD.

WHAT DETERMINES THE CANONICITY OF A BOOK?

IT MUST BE God INSPIRED.

** MEMORIZE THE 66 Books of the Bible. **

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WHICH BIBLE IS THE GENUINE WORD OF GOD?

The Christians Life, Faith, Growth, + Trust are all founded on the Word of God.

How does Scripture effect people in each stage of life?

1. Man must first realize (he is a sinner) (First Stage)

Rom. 3:23 ; 6:23 ; 5:8

2. Second, He needs to know the remedy for sin -

(SALVATION). Rom. 10:9 ; I Peter 2:24 ; 1 John 1:7;

John 3:16

3. Third, God calls him to be a (soldier).

2 Tim. 2:3 God prepares the soldier with armor -

the SWORD OF THE SPIRIT - WORD OF GOD

Eph. 6:11-18 [v. 16 ABOVE ALL FAITH]

→ Is your sword sharp or dull? EXAMINE YOUR WEAPON! ←

What is the devil doing to our BIBLE?

The devil is changing our Bible - diluting, cutting out

1. Omitting Words

2. Omitting Verses

3. Omitting Paragraphs

4. Changing Words

Some books called BIBLE ARE NOT BIBLE AT ALL.

False versions MOR the truth.

Mor - to injure so as to make imperfect; spoil

Ps. 18:30 God's written will for man is PERFECT.

Eph. 5:25-27

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What device is the devil using to change the Bible?

-MODERN VERSIONS-

5,000 to 36,000 changes - depending upon which version you look at.
to words \oplus doctrine

EXAMPLES:

1. DIETY OF CHRIST
2. Virgin Birth
3. Infallibility of the Bible
4. Doctrine of Salvation by Faith.
5. The Trinity
6. Parts of the "Lord's Prayer" removed. < Disciples Prayer (Translation vs. Version)
7. Changes parts of the Communion
8. "Resurrection" is omitted from book of Mark
9. Hundreds of words & phrases are omitted
10. Downgraded the Lordship of Jesus.

What was Satan's first tactic against man?

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To cast doubt on God's Word

Gen. 3:1-6 "...Hath God said?"

Gen. 2:15-17 < God said !!! v. 14 + 2:17

Do we need faith to receive salvation? YES

Rom. 10:17 If that Word is changed... ?? ☺

Gal. 2:16 ^{Salv.} Action By faith & Faith by Word

Ps. 119:89 ; Matt. 24:35 ; Num. 23:19

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Author of Confusions tearing down, chipping away of the
fundamental truths of God's Word.

Stripped of our armor & so weak & open
WOUNDED - So they enemy may DESTROY.
What this means to the Soldier of Christ

- Modern Versions -

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Diety of Christ under Attack

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Mark 5:6 NAS "Bowed down before him" (KJV. Worshipped)

[Bow - Bend the head in respect or agreement; in a greeting sometimes ^{concerning}]

[Worship - showing reverence for a deity; intense love]

Christ received worship. (Angels did not, Apostles did not)

John 9:35 NAS "Do you believe in the Son of MAN?" (KJV God)

- Salvation by Faith Under Attack-

1 Peter 2:2 RSV "May Grow up to Salvation"

John 6:47 NAS "He that Believes has Eternal Life" (KJV ^{Believers} on me)

Virgin Birth Under Attack

Isaiah 7:14 RSV "a young woman" (KJV a virgin)

" " GNB "a young woman who is pregnant"

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Matt. 6:33 N^A"Seek first his Kingdom" (KJV. Kingdom of God)

Matt. 9:13 N^A"I did not come to call righteous but sinners." (KJV ^{sinners} to Repentance)

Matt. 20:16 N^A"Many are called, few are chosen"

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How do we know the KJV is a
Faithful Translation?

^(Latin) Textus Receptus — Received Text, (The Great Vulgate)
^{(Also known as}

What the KJV is based on.

"Vulgate" means "popular".

Uncombined books used by Christ,

Apostles, etc. The Early Church were

led of the Spirit to put them in combined
book form — resulting in the TEXTUS RECEPTUS.

(not everyone spoke Hebrew, Greek was common language)

King James of England

Appointed 54 Hebrew & Greek ~~Scholars~~ Scholars

[July 22, 1604] ↙ KJV

METHOD

These scholars were organized into six
groups. Groups were to meet separately.
Each group was designated a particular portion
of scripture to translate into English.

Each scholar made his own translation then
passed it on to be reviewed by each
member in the group.

After finishing a section of the Bible it
was passed on to the other five
groups for scrutiny & criticism.
To guard from possible error another
committee was formed. Two men

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from each group were selected to review
the translation as a whole.

The fact it was taken from original
manuscripts places K.J.V. in Position
of AUTHORITY.

Italics were not in original manuscript, placed
there simple for easier reading.
All ^{knowledgeable} men of the land could be called upon
for their judgments.

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STUDY QUESTIONS

1. Give the definition for canon (literal meaning and Christian meaning).

Literal: cane, measuring rod, ruler, or staff, a standard or a model, any standard or Norm

Spiritual: A rule of doctrine or discipline, the Genuine books of the Holy Scriptures, ^{Written rule of faith} ✓

2. Cannon came to be used as the list of books which were recognized as

what? ... Genuine, original, inspired, authoritative Word of God which is the rule of our faith.

3. Jesus referred to "the Book" as what?

Scriptures & Word of God

4. What determines the canonicity of a book?

I must be God inspired.

5. As Christians our life, faith, Growth, and trust is founded on the Word of God



6. What does the devil do before he can penetrate your defenses? Destroy your Sword

Cast doubt on God's Word. He must strip us of our armor. Tearing down & chipping away the fundamental Truths of the Bible. Destroying our Sword.

7. What is the devil doing to our Bibles and what device is he using?

He is polluting it Modern Bible Versions.

8. What do modern versions do to truth?

Modern Versions more truth.

False

9. What was Satan's first tactic against man?

Casting Doubt on God's Word

10. What is Textus Receptus?

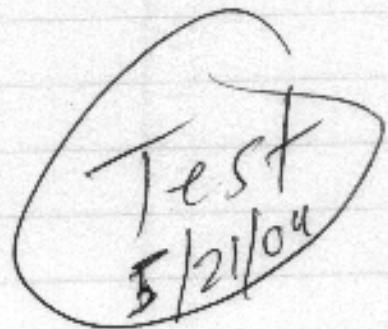
Latin for Received Text

Final

3 Tests still gone

66 Books

10 Commandments



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| Genesis | Daniel | Matthew |
| Exodus | Hosea | Mark |
| Leviticus | Joel | Luke |
| Numbers | Ruins | John |
| Deuteronomy | Obadiah | Acts |
| Joshua | Jonah | Romans |
| Judges | Micah | I Corinthians |
| Ruth | Nahum | II Corinthians |
| I Samuel | Habakkuk | Galatians |
| II Samuel | Zephaniah | Ephesians |
| I Kings | Haggai | Philippians |
| II Kings | Zechariah | Colossians |
| Chronicles | Malachi | I Thessalonians |
| II Chronicles | | II Thessalonians |
| Ezra | | I Timothy |
| Nehemiah | | II Timothy |
| Esther | | Titus |
| Job | | Philemon |
| Psalms | | Hebrews |
| Proverbs | | James |
| Ecclesiastes | | I Peter |
| Song of Solomon | | II Peter |
| Tobit | | I John |
| Jeremiah | | II John |
| Lamentations | | III John |
| Ezekiel | | Jude |
| | | Revelation |

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1. Give the definition for "Inspiration".

God-Breathed

2. Give verbatim II Peter 1:21.

For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.

3. Who wrote Scripture?

Holy men of God moved upon, driven by the prompting of the Holy Ghost.

4. What purpose does inspiration have?

To provide an authoritative and genuine record of events, teachings, and people.

5. What type of unity does the Bible display?

Unbroken and Perfect unity.

6. List 3 ways that the Bible displays its fearless foretelling.

1. Person of Christ
2. People of Israel
3. Places of Return

7. Who does the Bible have fearless power over?

Man kind, woman kind, slave kind, child kind, and ME.

8. List 7 ways that the Bible displays its unity.

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| ① History | ③ Doctrine | ⑤ Truth |
| ② Prophecy | ④ Purpose | ⑥ Structure |
| | | ⑦ Spirit |

- 9/10. List 2 theories each of false and true inspiration.

False

- ① Natural Inspiration
- ② Illumination

True

- ① ~~Inerrant~~ Infallible Inspiration
- ② Verbal Inspiration

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Modern versions mar the truth. more to injure; to make imperfect or spoil.

- C 9. What was Satan's first tactic against man?

Tried to get him to doubt God's Word.
- Casting doubt on God's Word. -

- C 10. What is Textus Receptus?

It means "received text", [Latin]

- C Bonus question: Who did King James appoint to produce a Bible?

540 scholars (of Greek & Hebrew) in whom was the fear of God. They were well aware of the gravity of their task. Very well qualified men.

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Matthew

Jude

Mark

Revelation

Luke

John

Acts

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I Corinthians

II Corinthians

Galatians

Ephesians

Philippians

Colossians

I Thessalonians

II Thessalonians

I Timothy

II Timothy

Titus

Philemon

Hebrews

James

I Peter

II Peter

I John

II John

III John

Meadow