

# Study The Bible In Chronological Order



One Year Plan  
Read or Listen to the Bible in  
Chronological, Historical Order  
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This reading schedule is different than the order of books in most Bibles.

First, you will notice Psalms and Proverbs are scheduled to be read along with the daily readings instead of as whole books in the middle of the Bible.

I thought daily praise or practical advice would go well with the historical readings. These books were not one continuous book when they were first written, but collections of similar materials written by numerous authors, in some cases hundreds of years apart, so reading at scattered times does not break any chronology.

The order of the primary, chronological readings is mostly as close as possible to either when the events took place or when the audience first heard them (as it is with Chronicles, though it covers earlier events it was probably the last book written in the Old Testament).

If you'd like a more detailed explanation of why I placed the various readings where I did, go to [www.bible805.com](http://www.bible805.com). There you will also find links to podcasts, videos, shareable courses, handouts, and other resources that go with the readings, as well as lessons that go along with reading through the Bible.

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Day	Passage	Ps. or Prov.	✓	Day	Passage	Ps. or Prov.	✓
1	Genesis 1-3	Psalms 1		47	Leviticus 11-13	Psalms 24	
2	Genesis 4-7	Proverbs 1		48	Leviticus 14-15	Proverbs 24	
3	Genesis 8-11	Psalms 2		49	Leviticus 16-18	Psalms 25	
4	Job 1-5	Proverbs 2		50	Leviticus 19-21	Proverbs 25	
5	Job 6-9	Psalms 3		51	Leviticus 22-23	Psalms 26	
6	Job 10-13	Proverbs 3		52	Leviticus 24-25	Proverbs 26	
7	Job 14-16	Psalms 4		53	Leviticus 26-27	Psalms 27	
8	Job 17-20	Proverbs 4		54	Numbers 1-2	Proverbs 27	
9	Job 21-23	Psalms 5		55	Numbers 3-4	Psalms 28	
10	Job 24-28	Proverbs 5		56	Numbers 5-6	Proverbs 28	
11	Job 29-31	Psalms 6		57	Numbers 7	Psalms 29	
12	Job 32-34	Proverbs 6		58	Numbers 8-10	Proverbs 29	
13	Job 35-37	Psalms 7		59	Numbers 11-13	Psalms 30	
14	Job 38-39	Proverbs 7		60	Numbers 14-15	Proverbs 30	
15	Job 40-42	Psalms 8		61	Numbers 16-17	Psalms 31	
16	Genesis 12-15	Proverbs 8		62	Numbers 18-20	Proverbs 31	
17	Genesis 16-18	Psalms 9		63	Numbers 21-22	Psalms 32	
18	Genesis 19-21	Proverbs 9		64	Numbers 23-25	Proverbs 1	
19	Genesis 22-24	Psalms 10		65	Numbers 26-27	Psalms 33	
20	Genesis 25-26	Proverbs 10		66	Numbers 28-30	Proverbs 2	
21	Genesis 27-29	Psalms 11		67	Numbers 31-32	Psalms 34	
22	Genesis 30-31	Proverbs 11		68	Numbers 33-34	Proverbs 3	
23	Genesis 32-34	Psalms 12		69	Numbers 35-36	Psalms 35	
24	Genesis 35-37	Proverbs 12		70	Deuteronomy 1-2	Proverbs 4	
25	Genesis 38-40	Psalms 13		71	Deuteronomy 3-4	Psalms 36	
26	Genesis 41-42	Proverbs 13		72	Deuteronomy 5-7	Proverbs 5	
27	Genesis 43-45	Psalms 14		73	Deuteronomy 8-10	Psalms 37	
28	Genesis 46-47	Proverbs 14		74	Deuteronomy 11-13	Proverbs 6	
29	Genesis 48-50	Psalms 15		75	Deuteronomy 14-16	Psalms 38	
30	Exodus 1-3	Proverbs 15		76	Deuteronomy 17-20	Proverbs 7	
31	Exodus 4-6	Psalms 16		77	Deuteronomy 21-23	Psalms 39	
32	Exodus 7-9	Proverbs 16		78	Deuteronomy 24-27	Proverbs 8	
33	Exodus 10-12	Psalms 17		79	Deuteronomy 28-29	Psalms 40	
34	Exodus 13-15	Proverbs 17		80	Deuteronomy 30-31	Proverbs 9	
35	Exodus 16-18	Psalms 18		81	Deuteronomy 32-34	Psalms 41	
36	Exodus 19-21	Proverbs 18		82	Joshua 1-4	Proverbs 10	
37	Exodus 22-24	Psalms 19		83	Joshua 5-8	Psalms 42	
38	Exodus 25-27	Proverbs 19		84	Joshua 9-11	Proverbs 11	
39	Exodus 28-29	Psalms 20		85	Joshua 12-15	Psalms 43	
40	Exodus 30-32	Proverbs 20		86	Joshua 16-18	Proverbs 12	
41	Exodus 33-35	Psalms 21		87	Joshua 19-21	Psalms 44	
42	Exodus 36-38	Proverbs 21		88	Joshua 22-24	Proverbs 13	
43	Exodus 39-40	Psalms 22		89	Judges 1-2	Psalms 45	
44	Leviticus 1-4	Proverbs 22		90	Judges 3-5	Proverbs 14	
45	Leviticus 5-7	Psalms 23		91	Judges 6-7	Psalms 46	
46	Leviticus 8-10	Proverbs 23		92	Judges 8-9	Proverbs 15	

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**Studying the Bible in chronological order** offers a unique perspective on the events, characters, and teachings found within its pages. For many believers and scholars alike, understanding the timeline of biblical events can lead to a deeper comprehension of the Scriptures, revealing the interconnectedness of stories and the unfolding of God's plan for humanity. This article will explore the significance of studying the Bible chronologically, provide a roadmap for doing so, and offer tips for making the most of this approach.

## Why Study the Bible Chronologically?

Studying the Bible in chronological order allows readers to grasp the historical context of biblical events. Here are several reasons why this method is beneficial:

## **1. Understanding Historical Context**

- The Bible is not just a collection of spiritual teachings; it is also a historical document. Events that shaped the world and the people of God are recorded in a specific order and understanding that order can enhance comprehension.
- Knowing the timeline helps in recognizing cultural, political, and social influences that affected the characters and events in the Bible.

## **2. Enhancing Comprehension of Themes**

- Many major themes in the Bible, such as redemption, covenant, and prophecy, unfold over time. A chronological study can illustrate how these themes develop and interconnect throughout the Scriptures.
- It allows readers to see God's consistent nature and purpose across different times and circumstances.

## **3. Deepening Spiritual Insights**

- Engaging with the Bible chronologically can lead to new revelations about God's character and His relationship with humanity.
- It fosters a sense of continuity and progression in faith, showing how past events inform present beliefs and practices.

## **How to Approach a Chronological Study of the Bible**

To study the Bible in chronological order, you can follow these steps:

### **1. Choose a Chronological Bible Plan**

- Many Bibles are specifically designed to present Scripture in chronological order. Some popular options include:
- The One Year Chronological Bible
- The Chronological Study Bible
- The Daily Chronological Bible

### **2. Utilize Online Resources**

- Numerous websites and apps provide chronological reading plans. Some trusted resources include:
- YouVersion Bible App: Offers various reading plans, including chronological ones.
- Bible Gateway: Features reading plans and tools for tracking progress.

### **3. Create Your Own Reading Plan**

- If you prefer a more personalized approach, consider creating your own chronological reading plan. You can follow this general outline:

- Pentateuch (Genesis - Deuteronomy)
- Historical Books (Joshua - Esther)
- Poetical Books (Job - Song of Solomon)
- Prophets (Isaiah - Malachi)
- Gospels (Matthew - John)
- Acts and the Epistles (Acts - Revelation)

## **Key Events in Chronological Order**

To assist in your study, here are some key events and their approximate chronological order:

### **Creation to Abraham**

1. Creation of the World (Genesis 1-2)
2. The Fall of Man (Genesis 3)
3. The Flood (Genesis 6-9)
4. The Tower of Babel (Genesis 11)
5. Call of Abraham (Genesis 12)

### **Patriarchs to Exodus**

6. Isaac's Birth (Genesis 21)
7. Jacob and Esau (Genesis 25-27)
8. Joseph in Egypt (Genesis 37-50)
9. The Israelites' Slavery in Egypt (Exodus 1)
10. The Exodus (Exodus 12-14)

### **Conquest to Monarchy**

11. Joshua Leads the Israelites (Joshua 1-6)
12. The Period of the Judges (Judges 1-21)
13. The Anointing of Saul as King (1 Samuel 9-10)
14. David's Reign (2 Samuel)
15. Solomon's Reign (1 Kings 1-11)

### **Division to Exile**

16. The Division of the Kingdom (1 Kings 12)
17. The Prophets of Israel and Judah (Isaiah, Jeremiah, etc.)
18. The Babylonian Exile (2 Kings 24-25)

### **Return to Restoration**

19. The Return from Exile (Ezra and Nehemiah)

- 20. The Intertestamental Period (400 years of silence)
- 21. The Birth of Jesus (Matthew 1, Luke 2)

## **Life and Ministry of Jesus**

- 22. Jesus' Baptism (Matthew 3)
- 23. The Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5-7)
- 24. The Crucifixion and Resurrection (Matthew 27-28)

## **The Early Church**

- 25. The Ascension of Jesus (Acts 1)
- 26. Pentecost (Acts 2)
- 27. Paul's Missionary Journeys (Acts 13-21)
- 28. The Revelation of John (Revelation)

## **Tips for Effective Chronological Study**

To maximize the benefits of a chronological study, consider these practical tips:

### **1. Take Notes**

- Keep a journal to write down insights, questions, and reflections as you read through the Bible chronologically.
- Note connections between events and themes.

### **2. Discuss with Others**

- Join a Bible study group or online forum to share insights and discuss interpretations.
- Engaging with others can deepen understanding and provide different perspectives.

### **3. Use Cross-References**

- Take advantage of cross-references in your Bible to explore related passages that may not be in chronological order.
- This can deepen your understanding of connections between different parts of Scripture.

### **4. Pray for Guidance**

- Approach your study with a heart of prayer, asking for wisdom and understanding.
- Seek to connect with God through His Word, allowing it to transform your life.

# Conclusion

Studying the Bible in chronological order is a powerful method for unlocking the richness of its teachings and narratives. By understanding the timeline of events, readers can gain insights into God's faithful character and His unfolding plan for humanity. Whether you choose a structured reading plan or create your own, the journey through Scripture in chronological order can deepen your faith and enhance your understanding of the Bible's profound message. As you embark on this study, remember to engage thoughtfully, seek connection with God, and share your journey with others.

## Frequently Asked Questions

### **What does it mean to study the Bible in chronological order?**

Studying the Bible in chronological order means reading the scriptures as they were written or as the events occurred in history, allowing for a clearer understanding of the narrative and context.

### **What are the benefits of studying the Bible chronologically?**

Benefits include gaining a better grasp of the historical context, seeing the unfolding of God's plan, understanding the relationships between characters, and enhancing overall comprehension of biblical themes.

### **How can I find a chronological Bible reading plan?**

You can find chronological Bible reading plans through various online resources, Bible apps, or printed materials from churches and Christian organizations that specialize in Bible study.

### **Are there chronological Bibles available for purchase?**

Yes, there are several chronological Bibles available for purchase, which arrange the text in chronological order and often include timelines and historical context.

### **What is the difference between a chronological Bible and a traditional Bible?**

A chronological Bible arranges the text based on the timeline of events, while a traditional Bible follows the order of the books as they are commonly compiled, which may not reflect the actual historical sequence.

### **Can studying the Bible chronologically help with understanding prophecy?**

Yes, studying the Bible chronologically can help to better understand prophetic texts by placing them within the historical context of their fulfillment and the overarching story of redemption.

## What resources can aid in studying the Bible chronologically?

Resources include chronological Bibles, study guides, timelines, commentaries, and online tools that provide structured reading plans and historical context.

## Is it necessary to study the Bible in chronological order?

No, it is not necessary, but studying it in chronological order can provide unique insights and a deeper understanding of the text's narrative flow.

## How long does it typically take to read the Bible in chronological order?

The time it takes can vary based on the reading plan chosen, but many plans are designed to be completed in one year, averaging about 15-20 minutes of reading per day.

## What challenges might one face when studying the Bible chronologically?

Challenges can include the complexity of interweaving narratives, difficulty in tracking multiple characters and timelines, and the need for additional historical context to fully understand certain passages.

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