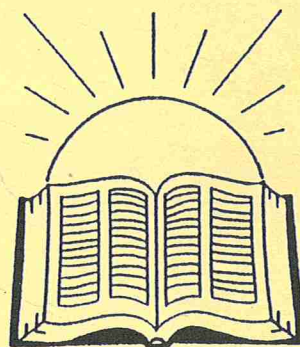


A LIGHT UNTO MY PATH

An Approach to Daily Bible Reading



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INTRODUCTION

Those who follow this schedule of daily Bible readings will read through the entire New Testament, Psalms, and Proverbs every year, and the rest of the Old Testament in three years. Each day's reading consists of one or two chapters of the Bible—a modest but steady commitment which, when coupled with daily prayer, provides a structure for an enriching daily devotional life, either alone or with other family members.

While this program can be used purely on a private or family basis, it is enhanced by being part of the life of a congregation, where each week's readings become the basis of the following Sunday's liturgy and preaching. In this way the worship life of a congregation may be enriched, and a group of God's people can grow systematically in their knowledge of God's Word (even without another meeting). **Permission to duplicate this material is freely given to any Christian congregation or study group that wants to use the schedule in this way.**

This program differs from some Bible reading programs in that the whole Bible is read rather than just selections; passages are not chosen on the basis of political correctness or an ideological agenda, but every word of scripture is included. Unlike some other "through the Bible in a year" programs, on the other hand, greater weight is given here to the New Testament than to the Old, as seems appropriate for Christian readers, and the daily assignments are somewhat shorter as a result of taking three years to read the Old Testament.

The psalms and proverbs, however, are read each year because of their special nature and value as devotional material. The proverbs are parceled out a few each day throughout the year and are arranged according to general topics, such as finances, rewards, honesty, etc.

The three-year Old Testament schedule, instead of corresponding to the order of the biblical books, is rearranged chronologically. There are of course widely differing opinions about the dates of certain biblical books, but the chronological arrangement herein adheres to a traditional conservative standpoint.

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Let the Bible speak for itself. It is not required to understand everything or even to have an opinion about everything. The important thing is to trust that God had the Bible written just as He wanted it to be, and that He had it written as a message for you.

INTRODUCTION TO YEAR ONE

In the Old Testament portion of Year One the following periods of Hebrew history are covered:

1. The Pre-Flood Accounts—Adam & Eve, Eden, the Fall, Cain & Abel, Noah
2. The Patriarchal Period—Abraham, Isaac & Ishmael, Job, Jacob & Esau, Joseph & his brothers
3. The Egyptian Captivity—the call of Moses
4. The Exodus—the ten plagues in Egypt, the Lord's passover, deliverance at the Red Sea
5. The Wilderness Experience & the Law at Sinai—God's provision and the people's rebellion, ceremonial and moral Law, including the Ten Commandments
6. The Conquest of Canaan (Israel)—Joshua, Rahab, Jericho, division of the territory

This year we will concentrate on the Pentateuch (the five books of Moses), Job, and Joshua. Watch for types, or patterns, of God's dealing with His people in all times and places.

The New Testament for Year One is rearranged to present a single story of the life of Jesus and the beginnings of the Christian church. This makes for a lot of skipping around, particularly in the gospels, as the assigned passages lead one through the incidents and teachings of Jesus' life chronologically as recorded by the various evangelists. Putting the accounts of the four gospels together in this way is what is known as a "harmony" of the gospels. Note how the different gospel writers give their own perspectives to the accounts, while providing four consistent testimonies to Jesus' nature and work.

When we get to the history of the early church, the New Testament epistles, or letters, are introduced as their authors or addresses appear in the Book of Acts. In this way the letters are tied to their place in the story of the early church. There is no attempt to arrange the epistles according to their dates of composition.

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Date	Old Testament	Psalm	Proverbs	New Testament
<u>PRE-FLOOD ACCOUNTS</u>				
JAN 1	Genesis 1:1-2:3	8	1:1-6	John 1:1-18
2	2:4-25	128	1:7	Matthew 1:1-17
3	3:1-7	1	1:20-23	Luke 1:1-25
4	3:8-24	49:1-9	1:24-28	Matt 1:18-25
5	4:1-16	49:10-15	1:29-33	Luke 1:26-80
6	4:17-26	49:16-20	2:1-5	2:1-20
7	5:1-24	5:1-6	2:6-8	2:21-38
8	5:25-6:8	5:7-12	2:9-15	Matt 2:1-12
9	6:9-22	2	2:16-19	2:13-23
10	7	3	2:20-22	Luke 2:39-52
11	8	4	3:13-18	Matt 3:1-12; Mark 1:1-8; Luke 3:1-18
12	9:1-17	6	3:19-20	Matt 3:13-17 Mark 1:9-11; Luke 3:21-38
13	9:18-29	7:1-9	3:21-26	Matt 4:1-11; Mark 1:12-13
14	10:1-20	7:10-17	4:1-2	Luke 4:1-13
15	10:21-32	9:1-6	4:3-6	John 1:19-34
16	11:1-9	9:7-14	4:7-9	1:35-51
17	11:10-32	9:15-20	7:1-3	2:1-11
18	1 Chron 1:1-23	10:1-9	8:1-4	2:12-25
19	Job 1	10:10-13	8:5-11	3:1-21
20	2	10:14-18	8:12-14	3:22-36
21	3	11	8:15-21	4:1-42
22	4	12	8:22-31	4:43-45
23	5	13	8:32-36	Matt 4:12-17 Mark 1:14-15 Luke 3:19-20
				4:14-30
				John 4:46-54
				Matt 4:18-22
				Mark 1:16-20
				Luke 5:1-11
				Mark 1:21-31
				Luke 4:31-39
				Matt 8:14-15

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		Psalm	Proverbs	
JAN 24	Job 6	14	9:1-6	Matt 4:23-25; Mark 1:32-39; Luke 4:40-44
25	7	15	14:33	Matt 5:1-16
26	8	16	16:16	5:17-48
27	9	17:1-7	16:22	6:1-18
28	10	17:8-15	19:8	6:19-34
29	11	18:1-6	20:5	7:1-14
30	12	18:7-15	20:8, 26	7:15-29
31	13	18:16-19	20:27	8:1-4; Mark 1:40-45; Luke 5:12-16
FEB 1	14	18:20-24	21:22	Matt 9:1-9; Mark 2:1-14; Luke 5:17-28
2	15	18:25-30	24:13-14	John 5:1-29
3	16	18:31-42	<u>GOOD WILL</u> 3:29	5:30-47
4	17	18:43-45	11:12	Matt 12:1-8; Mark 2:23-28; Luke 6:1-5
5	18	18:46-50	12:10	Matt 12:9-21; Mark 3:1-12; Luke 6:6-11
6	19	19:1-6	14:22	Matt 10:1-4; Mark 3:13-19; Luke 6:12-16
7	20	19:7-14	17:9	6:17-36
8	21	20	17:17; 18:24	6:37-49
9	22	21:1-7	18:22	Matt 8:5-13; Luke 7:1-17
10	23	21:8-13	19:14	7:18-35; Matt 11:1-19
11	24	22:1-5	21:9, 19	11:20-30; Luke 7:36-8:3
12	25	22:6-11	21:10	Matt 12:22-32; Mark 3:20-30; Luke 11:14-26
13	26	22:12-21	24:11	11:27-36
14	27	22:22-26	24:12	Matt 12:33-50; Mark 3:31-35; Luke 8:19-21

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FEB 15	Job 28	22:27-31	25:20	Luke 11:37-54
16	29	23	25:21-22	12:1-21
17	30	24	25:24	12:22-48
18	31	25:1-7	25:25	12:49-13:9
19	32	25:8-15	27:5-6	Matt 13:1-23
20	33	25:16-22	27:7	Mark 4:1-25; Luke 8:4-18
21	34	26:1-7	27:8	Matt 13:24-52; Mark 4:26-34
22	35	26:8-12	27:9	Matt 8:16-27; Mark 4:35-41; Luke 8:22-25
23	36	27:1-6	27:10, 14	Matt 8:28-34; Mark 5:1-20; Luke 8:26-39
24	37	27:7-14	27:15-16	Matt 9:10-17; Mark 2:15-22; Luke 5:29-39
25	38	28	<u>FINANCE</u> 6:1-5	Matt 9:18-26; Mark 5:21-43
26	39	29	10:2, 16	Luke 8:40-56; Matt 9:27-38
27	40	30:1-5	10:15, 22	13:53-58; Mark 6:1-6
28	41	30:6-12	11:15	Matt 10:5-42
MAR 1	42:1-6	31:1-5	13:7	Mark 6:7-13; Luke 9:1-6
2	42:7-17	31:6-13	13:8; 18:11	Matt 14:1-12; Mark 6:14-29; Luke 9:7-9
<u>PATRIARCHAL PERIOD</u>				
3	Genesis 12:1-9	31:14-18	13:11; 20:21	Matt 14:13-21; Mark 6:30-44
4	12:10-20	31:19-24	13:22	Luke 9:10-17; John 6:1-14
5	13	32	15:6, 27	Matt 14:22-36; Mark 6:45-56; John 6:15-24
6	14	33:1-5	15:16-17	6:25-59
7	15	33:6-17	16:8; 17:1	6:60-71; Matt 15:1-20

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MAR 8	Genesis 16	33:18-22	17:18	Mark 7:1-23
9	17:1-14	34:1-6	19:1	Matt 15:21-28; Mark 7:24-37
10	17:15-27	34:7-14	19:4	Matt 15:29-16:12
11	18:1-15	34:15-22	20:14	Mark 8:1-26
12	18:16-33	35:1-8	20:16; 27:13	Matt 16:13-28; Mark 8:27-38; Luke 9:18-27
13	19:1-29	35:9-16	20:17; 21:6	Matt 17:1-13; Mark 9:1-13; Luke 9:28-36
14	19:30-38	35:17-21	21:17, 20	Matt 17:14-21; Mark 9:14-29; Luke 9:37-42
15	20	35:22-28	22:7	Matt 17:22-27; Mark 9:30-32; Luke 9:43-45
16	21:1-21	36:1-6	22:16	Matt 18:1-22
17	21:22-34	36:7-12	22:26-27	Mark 9:33-50; Luke 9:46-50
18	22:1-19	37:1-6	23:4-5	Matt 18:23-35; Luke 9:51-62
19	22:20-23:20	37:7-11	28:11	10:1-24
20	24:1-33	37:12-17	30:7-9	17:11-19; John 7:1-13
<u>RESIST TEMPTATION & EVIL COMPANIONS</u>				
21	24:34-67	37:18-24	1:8-9	7:14-44
22	25:1-11	37:25-31	1:10-19	7:45-8:11
23	1 Chronicles 1:24-54	37:32-40	4:10-13	8:12-30
24	Genesis 25:12-34	38:1-8	4:14-19	8:31-59
25	26	38:9-14	5:1-6	Luke 10:25-37
26	27:1-40	38:15-22	5:7-14	10:38-11:13
27	27:41-28:9	39:1-6	9:13-18	John 9:1-41
28	28:10--22	39:7-13	13:20; 14:7	10:1-21
29	29:1-14	40:1-10	16:29-30	10:22-42
30	29:15-35	40:11-17	17:4	11:1-37
31	30:1-24	41:1-3	20:1	11:38-57
APR 1	30:25-43	41:4-13	20:19	Matt 19:1-2; Mark 10:1; Luke 13:10-30
2	31	42:1-6	22:14	13:31-14:14

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APR 3	Genesis 32:1-21	42:7-11	22:24-25	Luke 14:15-35
4	32:22-32	43	23:19-21	15:1-10
5	33	44:1-8	23:26-28	15:11-32
6	34	44:9-16	24:1-2	John 16:1-18
7	35	44:17-22	28:7; 29:3	16:19-33
<u>COUNSEL</u>				
8	36	44:23-26	11:14; 15:22	17:1-26
9	1 Chronicles 2	45:1-5	12:15	18:1-14
10	Genesis 37:1-11	45:6-9	14:28	Matt 19:3-12; Mark 10:2-12
11	37:12-36	45:10-17	14:34	Matt 19:13-15; Mark 10:13-16; Luke 18:15-30
12	38	46:1-7	15:5, 12	Matt 19:16-30; Mark 10:17-31
13	39	46:8-11	15:30	Matt 20:1-19; Mark 10:32-34; Luke 18:31-34
14	40	47	15:31-33	Matt 20:20-28; Mark 10:35-45
15	41:1-24	48:1-8	17:10	Matt 20:29-34; Mark 10:46-52; Luke 18:35-43
16	41:25-45	48:9-14	18:15; 19:20	19:1-27
17	41:46-57	50:1-6	19:25, 27	Matt 26:6-13; Mark 14:3-9; John 12:1-11
18	42:1-17	50:7-15	20:18	Matt 21:1-11; Mark 11:1-11
19	42:18-38	50:16-23	22:17-21	Luke 19:28-44; John 12:12-19
20	43	51:1-9	23:9, 12	Matt 21:12-22; Mark 11:12-26; Luke 19:45-48
21	44	51:10-14	23:22-25	Matt 21:23-32; Mark 11:27-33; Luke 20:1-8
22	45	51:15-19	24:5-6	Matt 21:33-46; Mark 12:1-12; Luke 20:9-19
23	46:1-27	52	24:7	Matt 22:1-14

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APR 24	Genesis 46:28-34	53	29:18	Matt 22:15-22; Mark 12:13-17; Luke 20:20-26
			<u>JUSTICE & INJUSTICE</u>	
25	47:1-12	54	13:23	Matt 22:23-33; Mark 12:18-27; Luke 20:27-40
26	47:13-31	55:1-8	17:23; 29:4	Matt 22:34-46; Mark 12:28-37; Luke 20:41-44
27	48	55:9-15	17:26; 18:5	Matt 23:1-22; Mark 12:38-40; Luke 20:45-47
28	49:1-12	55:16-19	18:1	Matt 23:23-39; Mark 12:41-44; Luke 21:1-4
29	49:13-28	55:20-23	19:10	John 12:20-36
30	49:29-50:14	66:1-7	19:28	12:37-50
MAY 1	50:15-26	66:8-15	21:3	Matt 24:1-14; Mark 13:1-13; Luke 21:5-19
	<u>EGYPTIAN CAPTIVITY</u>			
2	Exodus 1	66:16-20	21:7; 22:8	Matt 24:15-31; Mark 13:14-27
3	2:1-10	56:1-7	21:15; 28:4	Matt 24:32-51; Mark 13:28-37
4	2:11-25	56:8-13	22:28	Luke 21:20-38
5	3	57:1-6	22:22-23	Matt 25:1-30
6	4:1-17	57:7-11	23:10-11	25:31-46
7	4:18-31	58:1-5	24:17-18	Matt 26:1-5, 14-16; Mark 14:1-2, 10-11; Luke 22:1-6
	<u>THE EXODUS</u>			
8	5:1-21	58:6-11	24:23-25	Matt 26:17-20; Mark 14:12-17; Luke 22:7-18
9	5:22-6:13	77:1-9	25:1-5	22:24-30; John 13:1-20
10	6:14-27	77:10-15	25:26	Matt 26:21-25; Mark 14:18-21; Luke 22:21-23; John 13:21-30

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MAY 11	Exodus 6:28-7:13	77:16-20	26:1	Matt 26:26-29; Mark 14:22-25; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26
12	7:14-25	136:1-9	28:2	Luke 22:31-38; John 13:31-38
13	8:1-19	136:10-15	28:3	14:1-14
14	8:20-9:7	136:16-22	28:5, 12	14:15-31
15	9:8-35	136:23-26	28:15-16	Matt 26:30-35; Mark 14:26-31
16	10:1-20	61	28:17	John 15:1-17
17	10:21-29	78:1-4	28:21	15:18-16:15
18	11	78:5-8	28:24	16:16-33
19	12:1-28	78:9-16	28:28; 29:2	17:1-26
20	12:29-42	78:17-25	29:7; 31:8-9	18:1; Matt 26:36-46; Mark 14:32-42; Luke 22:39-46
21	12:43-51	78:26-31	29:10, 16	Matt 26:47-57; Mark 14:43-53; Luke 22:47-54
22	13:1-16	78:32-37	29:12-14	John 18:2-14
23	13:17-22	78:38-43	29:26-27	Matt 26:58-75; Mark 14:54-72
24	14:1-18	78:44-51	30:11-14	Luke 22:55-62; John 18:15-27
25	14:19-31	78:52-53	30:21-23	Luke 22:63-71
26	15:1-18	78:54-58	31:4-7	Matt 27:1-10; Acts 1:18-19
			<u>REWARDS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS</u>	
27	15:19-27	78:59-66	3:1-4	Matt 27:11-14; Mark 15:1-5; Luke 23:1-16
	<u>THE WILDERNESS & THE LAW</u>			
28	16:1-21	78:67-72	3:5-8	John 18:28-38
29	16:22-36	63	3:33-35	Matt 27:15-26; Mark 15:6-15; Luke 23:17-25; John 18:39-40

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MAY 30	Exodus 17	95:1-5	4:20-22	Matt 27:27-31; Mark 15:16-20; Luke 23:26-32
31	18:1-12	95:6-11	4:23-27	John 19:1-16
JUNE 1	18:13-27	97:1-7	6:20-23	Matt 27:32-50; Mark 15:21-37; Luke 23:33-46
2	19	97:8-12	9:10-11	John 19:17-30
3	20:1-17	106:1-5	10:3; 12:14	Matt 27:51-56; Mark 15:38-41; Luke 23:47-49; John 19:31-37
4	20:18-21:11	106:6-12	13:14; 15:24	Matt 27:57-66; Mark 15:42-47; Luke 23:50-56; John 19:38-42
5	21:12-36	106:13-18	14:26-27	Matt 28:1-15; Mark 16:1-8; Luke 24:1-12
6	22:1-15	106:19-27	16:2-3	John 20:1-18
7	22:16-31	106:28-33	16:6-7	Luke 24:13-35
8	23:1-19	106:34-39	16:9; 18:10	Mark 16:9-18; Luke 24:36-49
9	23:20-33	106:40-46	16:17; 19:23	John 20:19-31
10	24	106:47-48	16:31; 17:6	21:1-25
11	25:1-22	105:1-6	17:3; 20	Matt 28:16-20; Mark 16:19-20; Luke 24:50-53
12	25:23-40	105:7-15	17:19; 22:4	Acts 1:1-11
13	26	105:16-22	20:29	1:12-26
14	27	105:23-25	20:28; 21:21	2:1-13
15	28:1-14	105:26-36	<u>GOOD WIFE</u> 31:10-22	2:14-41
16	28:15-43	105:37-42	31:23-31	2:42-3:10
17	29:1-28	105:43-45	<u>DISCIPLINE</u> 3:11-12	3:11-4:4
18	29:29-46	114	12:1; 25:12	4:5-31
19	30:1-16	127	13:24; 19:18	4:32-5:11
20	30:17-38	133	18:14; 24:10	5:12-42
21	31:1-11	135:1-7	19:19; 20:30	6:1-15
22	31:12-18	135:8-14	20:11; 22:6	7:1-53
23	32:1-14	135:15-21	22:15; 23:13-14	7:54-8:4

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JUNE 24	Exodus 32:15-35	76:1-6	23:15-18	Acts 8:5-25
25	33:1-11	76:7-12	25:16-17	8:26-40
26	33:12-23	85:1-7	26:3; 27:22	9:1-31
27	34:1-16	85:8-13	27:11; 29:15	9:32-43
28	34:17-28	86:1-7	28:23; 27:17	10:1-23
29	34:29-35:3	86:8-17	29:17, 19, 21	10:24-48
30	35:4-29	99	<u>INDUSTRY</u> 6:6-11	11:1-18
JULY 1	35:30-36:7	100	10:4-5	11:19-30
2	36:8-38	103:1-5	10:26; 12:27	12:1-23
3	37:1-24	103:6-10	12:9, 11, 24	12:24-13:12
4	37:25-38:8	103:11-18	13:4; 15:19	13:13-43
5	38:9-31	103:19-22	14:4; 20:4	13:44-14:7
6	39:1-31	62:1-8	14:23; 16:26	Galatians 1:1-10
7	39:32-40:16	62:9-12	18:9; 20:13; 21:25	1:11-2:21
8	40:17-38	65:1-8	19:15, 24; 21:5	3:1-4:7
9	Leviticus 1	65:9-13	22:13	4:8-31
10	2	59:1-10	22:29; 27:18	5
11	3	59:11-17	24:3-4, 27	6
12	4:1-21	60:1-5	24:30-34	Acts 14:8-28
13	4:22-35	60:6-12	26:13-16	15:1-35
14	5:1-13	64	27:23-27	James 1:1-18
15	5:14-6:7	67	30:24-28	1:19-2:13
16	6:8-23	68:1-4	<u>GENEROSITY</u> 3:9-10	2:14-3:12
17	6:24-7:10	68:5-10	3:27-28	3:13-4:17
18	7:11-38	68:11-18	11:24-26	5
19	8	68:19-23	14:21, 31	Acts 15:36-16:5
20	9	68:24-27	17:5; 19:17	1 Timothy 1
21	10:1-5	68:28-35	17:8; 18:16	2
22	10:6-20	69:1-5	19:6-7	3
23	11:1-25	69:6-12	21:13, 26	4
24	11:26-47	69:13-18	21:14	5:1-6:2
25	12	69:19-28	22:9; 28:8	6:3-21
26	13:1-28	69:29-33	23:6-8	Acts 16:6-40
27	13:29-46	69:34-36	28:22, 27	Philippians 1
28	13:47-59	70	<u>ABOMINATIONS</u> 6:16-19	2
29	14:1-20	119:1-8	16:5	3
30	14:21-32	119:9-16	16:12; 17:15	4
31	14:33-57	119:17-24	21:27; 24:8-9	Acts 17
AUG 1	15:1-15	119:25-32	20:10, 23	1 Thessalonians 1

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		Psalms	Proverbs	New Testament
AUG 2	Leviticus 15:16-33	119:33-40	28:9	1 Thess 2:1-3:5
			<u>CONTRASTING REWARDS</u>	
3	16:1-19	119:41-48	10:6-7	3:6-4:12
4	16:20-34	119:49-56	10:8-9	4:13-5:28
5	17	119:57-64	10:10-11	Acts 18
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7	18:19-30	119:73-80	10:12; 12:16	2
8	19:1-18	119:81-88	10:17; 11:23	3
9	19:19-37	119:89-96	10:23-25	4
10	20:1-21	119:97-104	10:27-29	5
11	20:22-27	119:105-112	10:30-32	6
12	21	119:113-120	11:3-4	7
13	22:1-16	119:121-128	11:5-6	8
14	22:17-33	119:129-136	11:8-9	9
15	23:1-22	119:137-144	11:10-11	10
16	23:23-44	119:145-152	11:16-18	11:1-16
17	24:1-9	119:153-160	11:19-21	11:17-34
18	24:10-23	119:161-168	11:27-28	12
19	25:1-24	119:169-176	11:29-31	13
20	25:25-55	71:1-6	12:2-3	14
21	26:1-13	71:7-16	12:5-6	15:1-34
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29	3:1-13	115:9-13	13:17-19	6
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3	5:5-31	72:1-7	14:10, 30	11
4	6:1-21	72:8-14	14:14-16	12
5	6:22-7:11	72:15-20	14:17-18	13
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9	9:1-14	73:21-28	15:3, 8-9	2
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13	11	74:18-23	15:29; 22:12	5:1-20
14	12	75	17:22; 29:6	5:21-6:9
15	13:1-24	81:1-7	21:8; 28:1	6:10-24
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17	14:1-25	140:1-8	24:15-16	21:37-22:29
18	14:26-45	140:9-13	28:10, 18	22:30-23:11
19	15:1-21	79:1-7	28:13-14	Romans 1
20	15:22-41	79:8-13	28:19-20	2
21	16:1-27	80:1-7	28:25-26	3
			<u>LOOSE TALK</u>	
22	16:28-50	80:8-13	16:27-28	4
23	17	80:14-19	11:13	5
24	18	82	10:18-21	6
25	19	83:1-8	12:23; 13:3	7
26	20:1-13	83:9-12	15:2, 4, 7	8:1-17
27	20:14-29	83:13-18	15:23, 28	8:18-39
28	21:1-20	84:1-7	16:1, 10, 13	9
29	21:21-35	84:8-12	16:21, 23-24	10
30	22:1-20	87	17:7	11
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2	23:1-12	88:7-12	18:2, 4, 13	13
3	23:13-26	88:13-18	18:6-8	14
4	23:27-24:11	89:1-4	18:17, 20	15
5	24:12-25	89:5-12	18:21; 21:23	16
6	25	89:13-18	19:5; 21:28	Acts 23:12-35
7	26:1-51	89:19-24	20:15; 25:11	2 Thessalonians 1
8	26:52-65	89:25-29	25:8-10	2
9	27:1-11	89:30-37	25:15, 23	3
10	27:12-23	89:38-45	25:27; 26:28; 29:5	Acts 24
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12	28:16-31	101	26:24-26	25:23-26:32
13	29:1-11	102:1-11	29:20; 30:10	27:1-26
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14	29:12-40	102:12-17	6:30-31	27:27-28:10
15	30	102:18-24	11:1; 16:11	28:11-31
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22	35:6-34	104:31-35	28:6; 29:11	Hebrews 1
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			<u>& WISE MEN</u>	
23	36	107:1-3	9:7-9	2
24	Deuteronomy 1:1-25	107:4-9	9:12; 17:16	3
25	1:26-46	107:10-16	10:1; 13:1; 17:21	4:1-13
26	2:1-25	107:17-22	17:24; 26:12	4:14-5:10
27	2:26-3:11	107:23-32	17:25; 19:26	5:11-6:12
28	3:12-29	107:33-38	18:3; 19:29	6:13-7:10
29	4:1-31	107:39-43	21:11; 22:10	7:11-8:2
30	4:32-49	108:1-6	26:4-6	8:3-9:10
31	5:1-22	108:7-13	26:7-11	9:11-28
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3	7	109:13-19	5:15-19	11:1-22
4	8	109:20-25	5:20-23	11:23-40
5	9	109:26-31	6:23-26	12:1-13
6	10	110	6:27-29	12:14-29
7	11:1-25	111	7:4-9	13
8	11:26-12:14	112	7:10-23	Titus 1
9	12:15-32	113	7:24-27	2
10	13	116:1-4	12:4	3
11	14	116:5-11	30:18-20	2 Timothy 1
12	15	116:12-19	31:1-3	2:1-13
			<u>RESULTS OF EVIL</u>	
13	16:1-17	117	6:12-15	2:14-3:9
14	16:18-17:13	118:1-4	6:32-35	3:10-4:8
15	17:14-18:8	118:5-12	11:7; 14:12	4:9-22
16	18:9-22	118:13-18	14:13; 16:25	1 Peter 1:1-12
17	19	118:19-24	14:19; 16:4	1:13-25
18	20	118:25-29	15:10-11; 19:16	2:1-12
19	21:1-17	132:1-7	17:11-13	2:13-3:7
20	21:18-22:12	132:8-12	20:20; 30:17	3:8-22
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24	25	122	24:21-22	2
25	26	126	26:27; 29:1, 24	3
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30	30	92:10-15	16:32; 17:14	3:11-24
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2	31:30-32:27	96:1-6	18:19; 19:11	4:13-21
3	32:28-47	96:7-13	19:2-3; 21:29	5:1-12
4	32:48-33:12	98	20:3; 29:22	5:13-21
5	33:13-29	90:1-12	20:22, 25	2 John
6	34	90:13-17	22:1, 11	3 John
	<u>CONQUEST OF CANAAN</u>			
7	Joshua 1	130	23:1-3	Jude 1-13
8	2	131	23:29-35	14-25
9	3	134	25:28; 27:4, 12	Revelation 1
10	4	137	26:17-19	2:1-17
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13	6:22-7:1	139:13-18	30:15-16	4
14	7:2-26	139:19-24	30:32-33	5
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15	8:1-29	141	16:18-19	6
16	8:30-35	142	18:12, 23	7
17	9	143:1-6	20:9	8
18	10:1-28	143:7-12	21:4, 24	9
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20	12	144:9-15	12:25; 29:23	11
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22	14	145:8-14	13:12; 16:20	13
23	15	145:15-21	16:33; 18:18	14
24	16	146	19:21; 22:2	15
25	17	147:1-6	20:12, 24	16
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INTRODUCTION TO YEAR TWO

In the Old Testament schedule for Year Two we finish reading about the Conquest of Canaan and move into the periods of the United and Divided Monarchies. The Hebrews were united under three kings—Saul, David, and Solomon—and then the nation experienced civil war, in which the north successfully split off from the south. This split resulted in the spiritual and political deterioration of each kingdom, a process that proceeded more quickly in the northern kingdom (Israel), which was conquered by the Assyrians in 721 B.C. The southern kingdom (Judah) continued for another century and a half, because of the grace of God, the ministry of the prophets, and the worship life of the temple in Jerusalem. But in 586 B.C. Judah succumbed to the Babylonians. The city of Jerusalem and its temple were destroyed, and all but the peasant class of inhabitants were deported into exile.

In following this story in chronological order, we do some bouncing around among the books of Samuel, Kings, and Chronicles plus some of the great writings of the early prophets. The incidents recorded in this part of the story of the Jews contain many lessons for the present-day believer.

Some of the psalms are arranged to coincide with events with which they are traditionally associated in the life of King David.

The New Testament books for Year Two are arranged by author. Thus we begin with the books written by the apostle John—his gospel, three letters, and Revelation. Then we read Mark and the letters of his mentor, Peter; then Jude and Matthew; then the letters of Paul in the order in which they appear in the Bible, followed by James. The year's readings are concluded with the great two-volume work, Luke-Acts, by the beloved physician and companion of Paul.

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3	Judges 1:1-26	71:1-6	11:24-26	2		
4	1:27-2:5	71:7-16	14:21, 31	3:1-21		
5	2:6-23	71:17-19	17:5; 19:17	3:22-36		
6	3:1-11	71:20-24	17:8; 18:16	4:1-26		
7	3:12-31	119:1-8	19:6-7	4:27-54		
8	4	119:9-16	21:13, 26	5:1-30		
9	5	119:17-24	21:14	5:31-6:24		
10	6:1-32	119:25-32	22:9; 28:8	6:25-71		
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12	7:9-25	119:41-48	28:22, 27	7:25-52		
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13	8:1-21	119:49-56	6:30-31	8:1-30		
14	8:22-35	119:57-64	11:1; 16:11	8:31-59		
15	9:1-21	119:65-72	12:17-22	9		
16	9:22-57	119:73-80	19:22; 20:6-7	10:1-21		
17	10	119:81-88	24:26; 25:19	10:22-42		
18	11:1-28	119:89-96	25:13-14	11:1-44		
19	11:29-40	119:97-104	25:18	11:45-12:11		
20	12	119:105-112	28:6; 29:11	12:12-50		
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22	14	119:121-128	6:32-35	13:21-38		
23	15	119:129-136	11:7; 14:12	14:1-21		
24	16:1-22	119:137-144	14:13; 16:25	14:22-31		
25	16:23-31	119:145-152	14:19; 16:4	15		
26	17	119:153-160	15:10-11; 19:16	16:1-15		
27	18	119:161-168	17:11-13	16:16-33		
28	19:1-21	119:169-176	20:20; 30:17	17		
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30	20:12-48	121	21:16, 18	18:19-40		
31	21	123	24:19-20	19:1-27		
FEB 1	Ruth 1	125	24:21-22	19:28-42		
2	2	127	26:27; 29:1, 24	20:1-18		
<u>GOOD WILL</u>						
3	3	129	3:29	20:19-31		
4	4	128	11:12	21:1-14		
5	1 Samuel 1:1-20	106:1-5	12:10	21:15-25		
6	1:21-2:11	106:6-12	14:22	1 John 1		
7	2:12-36	106:13-18	17:9	2:1-17		

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9	4	106:28-33	18:22	3:7-24
10	5	106:34-39	19:14	4:1-12
11	6	106:40-46	21:9, 19	4:13-5:5
12	7	106:47-48	21:10	5:6-21
<u>THE UNITED MONARCHY</u>				
13	8	4	24:11	2 John
14	9	5:1-6	24:12	3 John
15	10:1-8	5:7-12	25:20	Revelation 1
16	10:9-27	10:1-9	25:21-22	2:1-17
17	11	10:10-13	25:24	2:18-3:6
18	12	10:14-18	25:25	3:7-22
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22	14:36-52	12	27:9	7
23	15	13	27:10, 14	8
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<u>RESIST TEMPTATION & EVIL COMPANIONS</u>				
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26	17:1-30	9:1-6	1:10-19	11
27	17:31-58	9:7-14	4:10-13	12:1-6
28	18:1-16	9:15-20	4:14-19	12:7-17
MAR 1	18:17-30	59:1-10	5:1-6	13:1-10
2	19	59:11-17	5:7-14	13:11-18
3	20:1-23	34:1-6	9:13-18	14
4	20:24-42	34:7-14	13:20; 14:7	15
5	21	34:15-22	16:29-30	16:1-9
6	22	52	17:4	16:10-21
7	23:1-14	53	20:1	17
8	23:15-29	54	20:19	18
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13	27	56:1-7	24:1-2	21:1-21
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20	1:17-27	19:7-14	15:30	3:20-4:20
21	2:1-23	18:1-6	15:31-33	4:21-41
22	2:24-3:5	18:7-15	17:10	5:1-20
23	3:6-21	18:16-19	18:15; 19:20	5:21-43
24	3:22-39	18:20-24	19:25, 27	6:1-29
25	4	18:25-30	20:18	6:30-56
26	5	18:31-42	22:17-21	7:1-23
27	1 Chronicles 3	18:43-45	23:9, 12	7:24-37
28	4	18:46-50	23:22-25	8:1-26
29	5	6	24:5-6	8:27-38
30	6:1-30	8	24:7	9:1-29
31	6:31-81	20	29:18; 27:17	9:30-50
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3	9	25:1-7	20:9; 29:23	11:1-26
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6	12:1-22	26:1-7	12:25; 29:23	13
7	12:23-40	26:8-12	30:29-31	14:1-11
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8	13	28	3:30-32	14:12-31
9	2 Samuel 6	30:1-5	11:22; 19:13	14:32-52
10	7:1-17	30:6-12	14:29; 15:1, 18	14:53-72
11	7:18-29	89:1-4	16:14-15	15:1-20
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15	16:1-36	89:25-29	19:2-3; 21:29	2:1-10
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17	17:16-27	89:38-45	20:22, 25	3:8-22
18	18	89:46-52	22:1, 11	4
19	2 Samuel 9	23	23:1-3	5
20	10	24	23:29-35	2 Peter 1
21	1 Chronicles 19	60:1-5	25:28; 27:4, 12	2
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24	11:14-27	51:10-14	27:21; 11:2	Matthew 1
25	12:1-14	51:15-19	30:15-16	2
26	12:15-31	22:1-5	30:32-33	3

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3	16:15-17:14	7:10-17	21:11; 22:10	7:15-29
4	17:15-29	27:1-6	26:4-6	8:1-22
5	18:1-18	27:7-14	26:7-11	8:23-9:8
6	18:19-33	29	27:3	9:9-34
7	19:1-15	31:1-5	29:8-9	9:35-10:20
			<u>WISDOM</u>	
8	19:16-43	31:6-13	1:1-6	10:21-42
9	20	31:14-18	1:7	11:1-19
10	21:1-14	31:19-24	1:20-23	11:20-12:8
11	21:15-22	32	1:24-28	12:9-32
12	22:1-25	33:1-5	1:29-33	12:33-50
13	22:26-51	33:6-17	2:1-5	13:1-23
14	23:1-7	33:18-22	2:6-8	13:24-52
15	23:8-39	35:1-8	2:9-15	13:53-14:21
16	24:1-17	35:9-16	2:16-19	14:22-36
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18	1 Chronicles 21:1-13	35:22-28	3:13-18	15:21-39
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26	28:1-10	37:7-11	8:5-11	20:17-34
27	28:11-21	37:12-17	8:12-14	21:1-22
28	29:1-19	37:18-24	8:15-21	21:23-46
29	29:20-30	37:25-31	8:22-31	22:1-14
30	1 Kings 1:1-27	37:32-40	8:32-36	22:15-46
31	1:28-53	38:1-8	9:1-6	23:1-36
JUNE 1	2:1-12	38:9-14	14:33	23:37-24:14
2	2:13-46	38:15-22	16:16	24:15-51
3	3:1-15	146	16:22	25:1-30
4	3:16-28	88:1-6	19:8	25:31-46

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JUNE 5	1 Kings 4:1-19	88:7-12	20:5	Matthew 26:1-16
6	4:20-34	88:13-18	20:8, 26	26:17-35
7	Song of Solomon 1	45:1-5	20:27	26:36-56
8	2	45:6-9	21:22	26:57-75
9	3	45:10-17	24:13-14	27:1-31
			<u>FINANCE</u>	
10	4	55:1-8	6:1-5	27:32-66
11	5	55:9-15	10:2, 16	28
12	6	55:16-19	10:15, 22	Romans 1
13	7:1-9	55:20-23	11:15	2
14	7:10-8:4	61	13:7	3
15	8:5-14	62:1-8	13:8; 18:11	4
16	2 Chronicles 1	62:9-12	13:11; 20:21	5
17	2	65:1-8	13:22	6:1-11
18	3	65:9-13	15:6, 27	6:12-23
19	4	68:1-4	15:16-17	7
20	5	68:5-10	16:8; 17:1	8:1-17
21	6:1-11	68:11-18	17:18	8:18-39
22	6:12-42	68:19-23	19:1	9
23	7:1-10	68:24-27	19:4	10
24	7:11-22	68:28-35	20:14	11
25	1 Kings 5	58:1-5	20:16; 27:13	12
26	6:1-30	58:6-11	20:17; 21:6	13
27	6:31-7:12	66:1-7	21:17, 20	14
28	7:13-47	66:8-15	22:7	15:1-13
29	7:48-8:11	66:16-20	22:16	15:14-33
30	8:12-21	67	22:26-27	16
JULY 1	8:22-53	41:1-3	23:4-5	1 Corinthians 1
2	8:54-66	41:4-13	28:11	2
3	9:1-14	69:1-5	30:7-9	3
			<u>JUSTICE &</u> <u>INJUSTICE</u>	
4	9:15-28	69:6-12	13:23	4
5	10:1-13	69:13-18	17:23; 29:4	5
6	10:14-29	69:19-28	17:26; 18:5	6
7	2 Chronicles 8	69:29-33	18:1	7
8	9	69:34-36	19:10	8
9	Ecclesiastes 1	72:1-7	19:28	9
10	2	72:8-14	21:3	10
11	3	72:15-20	21:7; 22:8	11
12	4	70	21:15; 28:4	12
13	5	86:1-7	22:28	13

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JULY 14	Ecclesiastes 6	86:8-17	22:22-23	1 Corinthians 14
15	7	101	23:10-11	15:1-34
16	8	103:1-5	24:17-18	15:35-58
17	9	103:6-10	24:23-25	16
18	10	103:11-18	25:1-5	2 Corinthians 1
19	11	103:19-22	25:26	2
20	12	108:1-6	26:1	3
21	1 Kings 11:1-25	108:7-13	28:2	4
22	11:26-43	109:1-5	28:3	5
23	12:1-24	109:6-12	28:5, 12	6:1-13
<u>THE DIVIDED MONARCHY</u>				
24	12:25-33	109:13-19	28:15-16	6:14-7:1
25	2 Chronicles 10	109:20-25	28:17	7:2-16
26	11	109:26-31	28:21	8
27	12	110	28:24	9
28	1 Kings 13:1-10	42:1-6	28:28; 29:2	10
29	13:11-34	42:7-11	29:7; 31:8-9	11:1-15
30	14:1-20	43	29:10, 16	11:16-33
31	14:21-31	44:1-8	29:12-14	12:1-10
AUG 1	2 Chronicles 13	44:9-16	29:26-27	12:11-21
2	14	44:17-22	30:11-14	13
3	15	44:23-26	30:21-23	Galatians 1:1-10
4	16	46:1-7	31:4-7	1:11-2:10
<u>GOOD WIFE</u>				
5	17	46:8-11	31:10-22	2:11-21
6	1 Kings 15:1-8	47	31:23-31	3:1-25
<u>REWARDS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS</u>				
7	15:9-24	48:1-8	3:1-4	3:26-4:20
8	15:25-16:7	48:9-14	3:5-8	4:21-5:12
9	16:8-28	49:1-9	3:33-35	5:13-26
10	16:29-17:6	49:10-15	4:20-22	6
11	17:7-24	49:16-20	4:23-27	Ephesians 1
12	18:1-19	50:1-6	6:20-23	2
13	18:20-46	50:7-15	9:10-11	3
14	19	50:16-23	10:3; 12:14	4:1-16
15	20:1-22	150	13:14; 15:24	4:17-32
16	20:23-43	135:1-7	14:26-27	5:1-20
17	21:1-16	135:8-14	16:2-3	5:21-6:9
18	21:17-29	135:15-21	16:6-7	6:10-24
19	22:1-28	73:1-9	16:9; 18:10	Philippians 1
20	22:29-40	73:10-14	16:17; 19:23	2:1-11

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AUG 21	1 Kings 22:41-53	73:15-20	16:31; 17:6	Philippians 2:12-30
22	2 Chronicles 18	73:21-28	20:29	3:1-16
23	19	74:1-8	17:3, 20	3:17-4:7
24	20:1-12	74:9-11	17:19; 22:4	4:8-23
25	20:13-30	74:12-17	20:28; 21:21	Colossians 1:1-23
<u>ABOMINATIONS</u>				
26	20:31-21:3	74:18-23	6:16-19	1:24-2:5
27	21:4-20	75	16:5	2:6-23
28	22	76:1-6	16:12; 17:15	3:1-17
29	2 Kings 1	76:7-12	21:27; 24:8-9	3:18-4:6
30	2:1-18	77:1-10	20:10, 23	4:7-18
31	2:19-25	77:11-15	28:9	1 Thessalonians 1
<u>CONTRASTING REWARDS</u>				
SEP 1	3	77:16-20	10:6-7	2:1-16
2	4:1-17	78:1-4	10:8-9	2:17-3:13
3	4:18-37	78:5-8	10:10-11	4:1-12
4	4:38-44	78:9-16	10:13-14	4:13-5:28
5	5	78:17-25	10:12; 12:16	2 Thessalonians 1
6	6:1-23	78:26-31	10:17; 11:23	2
7	6:24-7:2	78:32-37	10:23-25	3
8	7:3-20	78:38-43	10:27-29	1 Timothy 1
9	8:1-6	78:44-51	10:30-32	2
10	8:7-24	78:52-53	11:3-4	3
11	8:25-29	78:54-58	11:5-6	4
12	9:1-13	78:59-66	11:8-9	5
13	9:14-37	78:67-72	11:10-11	6
14	10:1-17	82	11:16-18	2 Timothy 1
15	10:18-36	83:1-8	11:19-21	2
16	11	83:9-12	11:27-28	3
17	12	83:13-18	11:29-31	4
18	2 Chronicles 23	84:1-7	12:2-3	Titus 1
19	24:1-16	84:8-12	12:5-6	2
20	24:17-27	85:1-7	12:7-8	3
21	2 Kings 13:1-13	85:8-13	12:12-13	Philemon
22	13:14-25	87	12:26, 28	Hebrews 1
23	14:1-22	94:1-7	13:2, 5-6	2
24	14:23-29	94:8-11	13:10, 13	3
25	Jonah 1	94:12-15	13:9	4:1-13
26	2	94:16-23	13:15-16	4:14-5:14
27	3	95:1-5	13:17-19	6
28	4	95:6-11	13:21, 25	7

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SEP 29	2 Chronicles 25:1-13	96:1-6	14:1, 11	Hebrews 8
30	25:14-28	96:7-13	14:2, 8-9	9
OCT 1	2 Kings 15:1-22	97:1-7	14:3, 5-6	10:1-18
2	15:23-38	97:8-12	14:10, 30	10:19-39
3	Amos 1:1-2:3	98	14:14-16	11:1-22
4	2:4-16	99	14:17-18	11:23-40
5	3	100	14:20	12:1-11
6	4	102:1-11	14:24-25	12:12-29
7	5:1-17	102:12-17	14:32, 35	13
8	5:18-6:7	102:18-24	15:3, 8-9	James 1
9	6:8-7:9	102:25-28	15:13-15	2
10	7:10-17	104:1-4	15:20-21	3
11	8	104:5-9	15:25-26	4
12	9	104:10-23	15:29; 22:12	5
13	2 Chronicles 26	104:24-26	17:22; 29:6	Luke 1:1-38
14	27	104:27-30	21:8; 28:1	1:39-80
15	Isaiah 1:1-17	104:31-35	22:3	2:1-20
16	1:18-31	105:1-6	24:15-16	2:21-52
17	2	105:7-15	28:10, 18	3
18	3:1-4:1	105:16-22	28:13-14	4:1-30
19	4:2-5:7	105:23-25	28:19-20	4:31-5:11
20	5:8-30	105:26-36	28:25-26	5:12-6:11
<u>TRUST & PEACE</u>				
21	6	105:37-42	13:12; 16:20	6:12-49
22	Joel 1	105:43-45	16:33; 18:18	7:1-17
23	2:1-17	90:1-12	19:21; 22:2	7:18-35
24	2:18-32	90:13-17	20:12, 24	7:36-50
25	3	91:1-8	21:1-2	8:1-15
26	2 Kings 16	91:9-16	21:30-31	8:16-56
27	Micah 1	92:1-9	26:2	9:1-36
28	2	92:10-15	27:1; 29:25	9:37-50
29	3	93	30:1-4	9:51-10:16
30	4	107:1-3	30:5-6	10:17-42
<u>SEX</u>				
31	5	107:4-9	5:15-19	11:1-28
NOV 1	6:1-8	107:10-16	5:20-23	11:29-54
2	6:9-7:7	107:17-22	6:23-26	12:1-34
3	7:8-20	107:23-32	6:27-29	12:35-59
4	Hosea 1	107:33-38	7:4-9	13:1-17
5	2:1-13	107:39-43	7:10-23	13:18-35
6	2:14-3:5	111	7:24-27	14:1-24
7	4	112	12:4	14:25-35

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NOV 8	Hosea 5	113	30:18-20	Luke 15:1-10
9	6	114	31:1-3	15:11-32
<u>LOOSE TALK</u>				
10	7	115:1-8	16:27-28	16:1-15
11	8	115:9-13	11:13	16:16-31
12	9	115:14-18	10:18-21	17:1-19
13	10	116:1-4	12:23; 13:3	17:20-37
14	11	116:5-11	15:2, 4, 7	18:1-17
15	12	116:12-19	15:23, 28	18:18-43
16	13	117	16:1, 10, 13	19:1-27
17	14	118:1-4	16:21, 23-24	19:28-48
18	2 Chronicles 28	118:5-12	17:7; 19:9	20
19	Isaiah 7:1-17	118:13-18	17:27-28	21
20	7:18-25	118:19-24	18:2, 4, 13	22:1-38
21	8:1-10	118:25-29	18:6-8; 24:28-29	22:39-71
22	8:11-22	122	18:17, 20	23:1-43
23	9:1-7	124	18:21; 21:23	23:44-24:12
24	9:8-10:4	126	19:5; 21:28	24:13-53
25	10:5-19	130	20:15; 25:11	Acts 1
26	10:20-34	131	25:8-10	2:1-13
27	11:1-9	132:1-7	25:15, 23	2:14-47
28	11:10-16	132:8-12	25:27; 26:28; 29:5	3
29	12	132:13-18	26:20-23	4
30	13:1-16	133	26:24-26	5:1-16
DEC 1	13:17-14:2	134	29:20; 30:10	5:17-42
<u>INDUSTRY</u>				
2	14:3-15	136:1-9	6:6-11	6
3	14:16-23	136:10-15	10:4-5	7
4	14:24-32	136:16-22	10:26; 12:27	8:1-13
5	15	136:23-26	12:9, 11, 24	8:14-40
6	16	138	13:4; 15:19	9:1-30
7	17	139:1-12	14:4; 20:4	9:31-43
8	18	139:13-18	14:23; 16:26	10
9	19:1-15	139:19-24	18:9; 20:13; 21:25	11
10	19:16-25	141	19:15, 24; 21:5	12:1-17
11	2 Kings 17:1-6	149	22:13	12:18-13:3
12	17:7-23	143:1-6	22:29; 27:18	13:4-43
13	17:24-41	143:7-12	24:3-4, 27	13:44-14:7
14	18:1-16	79:1-7	24:30-34	14:8-28
15	18:17-37	79:8-13	26:13-16	15:1-35
16	19:1-8	80:1-7	27:23-27	15:36-16:5
17	19:9-19	80:8-13	30:24-28	16:6-40

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DEC 18	2 Kings 19:20-37	80:14-19	3:11-12	Acts 17:1-15
19	20:1-11	81:1-7	12:1; 25:12	17:16-34
20	20:12-21	81:8-16	13:24; 19:18	18:1-17
21	Nahum 1	137	18:14; 24:10	18:18-19:7
22	2	144:1-8	19:19; 20:30	19:8-41
23	3	144:9-15	20:11; 22:6	20
24	Isaiah 20	145:1-7	22:15; 23:13-14	21
25	21:1-10	145:8-14	23:15-18	22
26	21:11-17	145:15-21	25:16-17	23
27	22:1-14	147:1-6	26:3; 27:22	24
28	22:15-25	147:7-14	27:11	25
29	23	147:15-20	28:23	26
30	24:1-13	148:1-6	29:15, 17	27
31	24:14-23	148:7-14	29:19, 21	28

INTRODUCTION TO YEAR THREE

In Year Three we finish the dreadful story of the downfall and destruction of the Hebrew nation, the Exile in Babylon (which took place in three stages), and finally the Restoration of the Jewish exiles to their homeland under the great Persian king Cyrus and his successors. These readings are rich in the accounts of the Hebrew prophets, who tried to warn their people of the consequences of turning away from God, and then tried to comfort their people and interpret to them the consequences of their rebellion.

The New Testament is arranged in Year Three around the main seasons of the church year. Broadly speaking, the church year is divided in half. The first half, including Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Lent/Easter, Ascension, and Pentecost, deals with the life and ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ. Advent and Christmas deal with Christ's coming to us and becoming flesh (the incarnation). Epiphany relates specifically to the visit of the Magi to the Christchild and by extension to Christ's reaching out to the Gentile world to include them in God's people. The word *epiphany* comes from the Greek word for "appearance" or "manifestation." The season of Lent/Easter focuses on the work of the cross—namely, Christ's atonement for the sins of the world by His blood—and His resurrection. Ascension is the season affirming Christ's glorification to His place of honor with His Father as King of kings and Lord of lords. Pentecost honors the ministry of the Holy Spirit in the life of individual Christians and collectively in the church.

The second half of the church year continues from the end of Pentecost to the beginning of Advent and focuses on Christian discipleship. The purpose of the church year is to insure that the church pays attention to all the great themes of the gospel.

In attempting to relate New Testament passages to these various seasons, the dates for the parts of the church year vary from year to year, with the exception of Advent and Christmas. So in any given year the readings will not match up exactly with a liturgical calendar, but they will be close.

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Date	Old Testament	Psalms	Proverbs	New Testament
<u>GOOD WILL</u>				
<u>CHRISTMAS</u>				
JAN 1	Isaiah 25	145:1-7	3:29	John 1:1-18
2	26:1-11	145:8-14	11:12	Philippians 1:1-26
3	26:12-21	145:15-21	12:10	1:27-2:11
4	27	147:1-6	14:22	2:12-30
<u>EPIPHANY</u>				
5	28:1-13	147:7-14	17:9	Matthew 2:1-12
6	28:14-22	147:15-20	17:17; 18:24	2:13-23
7	28:23-29	91:1-8	18:22	3
8	29:1-12	91:9-16	19:14	4:1-11
9	29:13-24	1	21:9, 19	4:12-25
10	30:1-18	3	21:10	10
11	30:19-33	4	24:11	John 1:19-42
12	31	69:1-5	24:12	1:43-2:11
13	32:1-8	69:6-12	25:20	2:12-25
14	32:9-20	69:13-18	25:21-22	Romans 2:1-16
15	33:1-12	69:19-28	25:24	2:17-3:8
16	33:13-24	69:29-33	25:25	3:9-31
17	34	69:34-36	27:5-6	9:1-29
18	35	5:1-6	27:7	9:30-10:13
19	36:1-12	5:7-12	27:8	10:14-11:12
20	36:13-37:4	7:1-8	27:9	11:13-36
21	37:5-20	7:9-17	27:10, 14	Jude
22	37:21-38	80:1-7	27:15-16	Ephesians 1:1-14
<u>REWARDS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS</u>				
23	38:1-8	80:8-13	3:1-4	1:15-2:10
24	38:9-22	80:14-19	3:5-8	2:11-3:6
25	39	106:1-5	3:33-35	3:7-21
26	2 Chronicles 29:1-19	106:6-12	4:20-22	Colossians 1
27	29:20-36	106:13-18	4:23-27	Revelation 6
28	30:1-12	106:19-27	6:20-23	7
29	30:13-27	106:28-33	9:10-11	8
30	31:1-10	106:34-39	10:3; 12:14	9
31	31:11-21	106:40-46	13:14; 15:24	10
FEB 1	32:1-8	106:47-48	14:26-27	11
2	32:9-23	6	16:2-3	12:1-12
3	32:24-33	9:1-6	16:6-7	12:13-13:10
<u>LENT</u>				
4	33:1-20	9:7-14	16:9; 18:10	13:11-18
5	33:21-25	9:15-20	16:17; 19:23	14:1-11
6	Isaiah 40:1-11	85:1-7	16:31; 17:6	14:12-20

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FEB 7	Isaiah 40:12-31	85:8-13	20:29	Revelation 15
8	41:1-16	8	17:3, 20	16
9	41:17-29	10:1-9	17:19; 22:4	17
10	42:1-9	10:10-13	20:28; 21:21	18
<u>SELF-CONTROL</u>				
11	42:10-25	10:14-18	3:30-32	19
12	43:1-13	17:1-7	11:22; 19:13	20
13	43:14-28	17:8-15	14:29; 15:1, 18	21:1-21
14	44:1-20	118:1-4	16:14-15	21:22-22:5
15	44:21-28	118:5-12	16:32; 17:14	22:6-21
16	45:1-13	118:13-18	17:2; 19:12; 20:2	Matthew 21:1-22
17	45:14-25	118:19-24	18:19; 19:11	21:23-46
18	46	118:25-29	19:2-3; 21:29	26:1-29
19	47	11	20:3; 29:22	26:30-46
20	48:1-11	22:1-5	20:22, 25	26:47-68
21	48:12-22	22:6-11	22:1, 11	26:69-27:10
22	49:1-7	22:12-21	23:1-3	27:11-31
23	49:8-21	22:22-26	23:29-35	27:32-56
24	49:22-50:3	22:27-31	25:28; 27:4, 12	27:57-28:10
25	50:4-11	2	26:17-19	28:11-20
26	51:1-16	107:1-3	27:19-20	Hebrews 1
27	51:17-23	107:4-9	27:21; 11:2	2
28	52:1-12	107:10-16	30:15-16	3
MAR 1	52:13-53:12	107:17-22	30:32-33	4
<u>LOOSE TALK</u>				
2	54:1-10	107:23-32	16:27-28	5
3	54:11-17	107:33-38	11:13	6
4	55:1-5	107:39-43	10:18-21	7
5	55:6-13	108:1-6	12:23; 13:3	8
6	56:1-8	108:7-13	15:2, 4, 7	9
7	56:9-57:13	40:1-10	15:23, 28	10
8	57:14-21	40:11-17	16:1, 10, 13	John 12:1-19
9	58	41:1-3	16:21, 23-24	12:20-43
10	59:1-15	41:4-13	17:7	12:44-13:16
11	59:16-21	109:1-5	17:27-28	13:17-38
12	60:1-14	109:6-12	18:2, 4, 13	18:1-27
13	60:15-22	109:13-19	18:6-8	18:28-40
14	61:1-3	109:20-25	18:17, 20	19:1-22
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26	22:3-20	21:8-13	14:28	22:47-71
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28	23:15-30	25:8-15	15:5, 12	23:26-49
29	Jeremiah 1	25:16-22	15:30	23:50-24:12
30	2:1-19	81:1-7	15:31-33	24:13-35
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4	4:5-22	38:15-22	22:17-21	11:27-12:27
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7	5:20-31	51:1-9	24:5-6	14:26-52
8	6:1-15	51:10-14	24:7	14:53-72
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12	7:30-8:3	49:10-15	1:20-23	16:9-20
13	8:4-17	49:16-20	1:24-28	Matthew 8:1-22
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15	9:12-26	77:11-15	2:1-5	9:14-38
16	10:1-16	77:16-20	2:6-8	11
17	10:17-25	55:1-8	2:9-15	12:1-21
18	11:1-13	55:9-15	2:16-19	12:22-50
19	11:14-23	55:16-19	2:20-22	14
20	12:1-13	55:20-23	3:13-18	16:1-20
21	12:14-13:11	61	3:19-20	16:21-17:13
22	13:12-27	62:1-8	3:21-26	17:14-27
23	14:1-16	62:9-12	4:1-2	22:1-14
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3	25:1-11	103:6-10	9:1-6	1:15-26
4	25:12-29	103:11-18	14:33	1 Thessalonians 4
5	25:30-38	103:19-22	16:16	5
6	26:1-19	12	16:22	2 Thessalonians 1
7	26:20-24	13	19:8	2
8	27	14	20:5	3
9	28	15	20:8, 26	Revelation 1
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10	29:1-23	139:1-12	20:27	John 14:1-24
11	29:24-32	139:13-18	21:22	14:25-15:11
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16	32:1-15	24	18:1	1:26-2:16
17	32:16-25	26:1-7	19:10	12
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19	33:1-18	27:1-6	21:3	14:1-19
20	33:19-34:7	27:7-14	21:7; 22:8	14:20-40
21	34:8-22	33:1-5	21:15; 28:4	Galatians 5
22	35	33:6-17	22:28	6
23	36:1-19	33:18-22	22:22-23	Acts 2:1-13
24	36:20-32	110	23:10-11	2:14-47
25	37:1-10	31:1-5	24:17-18	3
26	37:11-21	31:6-13	24:23-25	4:1-31
27	38:1-13	31:14-18	25:1-5	4:32-5:11
28	38:14-28	31:19-24	25:26	5:12-42
29	2 Chron 34:1-13	35:1-8	26:1	6
30	34:14-33	35:9-16	28:2	7:1-29
31	35:1-19	35:17-21	28:3	7:30-60
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2	36:1-10	74:1-8	28:15-16	8:26-40
3	36:11-23	74:9-11	28:17	9:1-31
4	Jeremiah 19	74:12-17	28:21	9:32-10:16

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8	22:1-17	30:1-5	29:10, 16	12:20-13:12
9	22:18-30	30:6-12	29:12-14	13:13-52
10	23:1-8	34:1-6	29:26-27	14
11	23:9-22	34:7-14	30:11-14	15:1-35
12	23:23-40	34:15-22	30:21-23	15:36-16:15
13	Zephaniah 1:1-13	83:1-8	31:4-7	16:16-40
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			<u>& PEACE</u>	<u>PENTECOST</u>
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15	2:4-15	83:13-18	16:33; 18:18	17:16-34
16	3	32	19:21; 22:2	18:1-23
17	Habakkuk 1:1-11	45:1-5	20:12, 24	18:24-19:20
18	1:12-2:5	45:6-9	21:1-2	19:21-41
19	2:6-20	45:10-17	21:30-31	20:1-16
20	3	42:1-6	26:2	20:17-38
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22	1:8-21	43	30:1-4	21:27-22:29
23	2:1-23	36:1-6	30:5-6	22:30-23:11
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25	2 Kings 23:31-24:7	46:1-7	11:1; 16:11	24
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27	25:1-21	48:1-8	19:9; 24:28-29	26
28	25:22-30	48:9-14	19:22; 20:6-7	27:1-38
29	Obadiah 1:1-10	137	24:26; 25:19	27:39-28:10
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5	42:7-22	37:32-40	6:23-26	7
6	43	104:1-4	6:27-29	13:1-23
7	44:1-14	104:5-9	7:4-9	13:24-58
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10	47	104:27-30	12:4	18:1-22
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14	49:7-27	105:16-22	12:1; 25:12	23:1-22
15	49:28-39	105:23-25	13:24; 19:18	23:23-39
16	50:1-28	105:26-36	18:14; 24:10	Mark 1:1-28
17	50:29-46	105:37-42	19:19; 20:30	1:29-2:12
18	51:1-33	105:43-45	20:11; 22:6	2:13-3:6
19	51:34-64	52	22:15; 23:13-14	3:7-35
20	52:1-11	79:1-7	23:15-18	4:1-34
21	52:12-34	79:8-13	25:16-17	4:35-5:20
22	Lamentations 1:1-17	71:1-6	26:3; 27:22	5:21-43
23	1:18-2:10	71:7-16	27:11; 28:23	6:1-29
24	2:11-22	71:17-19	29:15, 17	6:30-56
25	3:1-39	71:20-24	29:19, 21	7:1-30
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26	3:40-66	50:1-6	3:9-10	7:31-8:21
27	4:1-11	50:7-15	3:27-28	8:22-38
28	4:12-22	50:16-23	11:24-26	9:1-29
29	5	54	14:21, 31	9:30-50
30	Ezekiel 1	97:1-7	17:5; 19:17	Luke 3
31	2:1-3:11	97:8-12	17:8; 18:16	4:1-30
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3	5	119:17-24	21:14	6:1-31
4	6	119:25-32	22:9; 28:8	6:32-49
5	7	119:33-40	23:6-8	7:1-35
6	8	119:41-48	28:22, 27	7:36-8:3
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			<u>REWARDS</u>	
7	9	119:49-56	10:6-7	8:4-25
8	10	119:57-64	10:8-9	8:26-56
9	11	119:65-72	10:10-11	9:1-36
10	12	119:73-80	10:13-14	9:37-62
11	13	119:81-88	10:12; 12:16	10:1-24
12	14	119:89-96	10:17; 11:23	10:25-42
13	15	119:97-104	10:23-25	11:1-26
14	16:1-29	119:105-112	10:27-29	11:27-54
15	16:30-63	119:113-120	10:30-32	12:1-34
16	17	119:121-128	11:3-4	12:35-59
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21	22:1-16	119:161-168	11:19-21	16:1-17
22	22:17-31	119:169-176	11:27-28	16:18-31
23	23:1-35	56:1-7	11:29-31	17:1-21
24	23:36-49	56:8-13	12:2-3	17:22-18:14
25	24:1-14	57:1-6	12:5-6	18:15-43
26	24:15-27	57:7-11	12:7-8	John 3:1-21
27	25	58:1-5	12:12-13	3:22-36
28	26	58:6-11	12:26, 28	4:1-42
29	27:1-24	63	13:2, 5	4:43-54
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31	28:11-19	94:8-11	13:6, 9	5:30-47
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2	29	94:16-23	13:17-19	6:35-71
3	30	59:1-10	13:21, 25	7:1-36
4	31	59:11-17	14:1, 11	7:37-8:11
5	32:1-16	60:1-5	14:2, 8-9	8:12-59
6	32:17-32	60:6-12	14:3, 5-6	9
7	33:1-20	64	14:10, 30	10:1-21
8	33:21-33	133	14:14-16	10:22-42
9	34:1-19	68:1-4	14:17-18	17
10	34:20-31	68:5-10	14:20	Romans 1
11	35	68:11-18	14:24-25	4
12	36:1-15	68:19-23	14:32, 35	5
13	36:16-38	68:24-27	15:3, 8-9	6
14	37:1-14	68:28-35	15:13-15	7
15	37:15-28	44:1-8	15:20-21	8:1-17
16	38:1-16	44:9-16	15:25-26	8:18-39
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18	39:17-29	44:23-26	17:22, 29:6	13
19	Daniel 3:1-18	65:1-8	21:8, 28:1	14
20	3:19-30	65:9-13	22:3	15:1-13
21	4:1-27	76:1-6	24:15-16	15:14-33
22	4:28-37	76:7-12	28:10, 18	16
23	Ezekiel 40:1-34	89:1-4	28:13-14	1 Corinthians 3
24	40:35-49	89:5-12	28:19-20	4
25	41	89:13-18	28:25-26	5
26	42	89:19-24	6:1-5	6
27	43:1-17	89:25-29	10:2, 16	7:1-24
28	43:18-27	89:30-37	10:15, 22	7:25-40

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3	46:1-15	66:16-20	13:22	11:17-34
4	46:16-24	67	15:6, 27	2 Corinthians 1
5	47:1-12	72:1-7	15:16-17	2
6	47:13-23	72:8-14	16:8, 17:1	3
7	48:1-20	72:15-20	17:18	4
8	48:21-35	73:1-9	19:1	5
9	Daniel 5:1-12	73:10-14	19:4	6
10	5:13-31	73:15-20	20:14	7
11	6:1-15	73:21-28	20:16, 27:13	10
12	6:16-28	70	20:17, 21:6	11:1-29
13	7:1-14	47	21:17, 20	11:30-12:13
14	7:15-28	75	22:7	12:14-13:14
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16	8:15-27	84:8-12	22:26-27	2
17	9:1-19	86:1-7	23:4-5	3:1-18
18	9:20-27	86:8-17	28:11	3:19-4:11
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25	<u>RESTORATION</u> Ezra 1	78:1-4	12:25, 29:23	4
26	2:1-35	78:5-8	30:29-31	Colossians 2:1-19
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29	3:7-13	78:26-31	4:10-13	1 Thessalonians 1
30	4:1-5	78:32-37	4:14-19	2
31	4:6-24	78:38-43	5:1-6	3
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2	6:1-12	78:52-53	9:13-18	2
3	6:13-22	78:54-58	13:20, 14:7	3
4	Haggai 1	78:59-66	16:29-30	4
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9	3	102:1-11	22:24-25	3
10	4	102:12-17	23:19-21	4
11	5	102:18-24	23:26-28	Titus 1
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14	8	100	<u>GOOD WIFE</u> 31:10-22	Philemon
15	9	101	31:23-31	1 Corinthians 16
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21	Esther 1	113	14:4; 20:4	13
22	2:1-18	114	14:23; 16:26	James 1
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25	4	121	22:13	4
26	5	122	22:29; 27:18	5
27	6	18:1-6	24:3-4, 27	<u>ADVENT</u> 1 Peter 1
28	7	18:7-15	24:30-34	2
29	8:1-8	18:16-19	26:13-16	3
30	8:9-17	18:20-24	27:23-27	4
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2	9:23-10:3	18:31-42	6:16-19	2 Peter 1
3	Ezra 7:1-26	18:43-45	16:5	2
4	7:27-8:14	18:46-50	16:12; 17:15	3
5	8:15-36	123	21:27; 24:8-9	1 John 1
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7	10:1-17	125	28:9	2:18-29
8	10:18-44	126	9:7-9	3
9	Malachi 1	127	9:12; 17:16	4
10	2:1-16	128	10:1; 13:1; 17:21	5
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20	6:1-14	140:9-13	6:32-35	Luke 1:1-25
21	6:15-7:3	141	11:7; 14:12	Luke 1:26-56
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30	13:1-14	149	24:21-22	10:23-34
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APPENDIX: THE BIBLE

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THE THING IS ... the Bible is both true and effective.

1. All Word of God is not Bible, but all Bible is Word of God. The Word of God is what God says. He says Creation; He says Jesus; He says Bible. When He speaks now, He does not contradict what He said then.
2. The writers of at least fifty-two of the sixty-six books in the Bible consciously claim to be writing the word of God at God's command, and in the rest of the books of the Bible such divine authorship is at least implied. As in the case of Jesus, if these writers lied, not only are they not inspired, but they are not even trustworthy, let alone good. Just as Jesus won't let us get away with passing Him off as just a good man or a teacher, so the Bible won't let us water it down to just literature or history.
3. I believe the Bible is the Word of God for two main reasons, both unexplainable to me from a purely human standpoint:
 1. The degree of foreshadowing of the end from the beginning through both prophecy and typology; and
 2. The unity of focus, vocabulary, symbolism, and theme through a large book written over a period of many centuries by many authors.
4. "Typology" refers to the foreshadowing of a later, more developed twist of the story in an earlier, less developed person or event. Thus Joseph is often seen as an Old Testament type, or picture, of Christ, and the Old Testament sacrificial system as a much more complex type, or foreshadow, of the atonement of Christ.
5. The Bible was written by at least thirty different authors over a period longer than the time from Chaucer to the present. How else than by the hand of God can one explain the Bible's consistency of focus, vocabulary, symbolism, and theme? It takes more faith than I have to conclude the Bible's unity happened by chance, just as it requires more faith than I have to conclude the cosmos' order happened by chance.
6. "Inerrant" has to do with truth, and "infallible" has to do with effectiveness, or if you will, with God's omniscience and His omnipotence respectively. The doctrine of the Bible's inerrancy asserts that the Bible story is God's story and is written the way God wants it to be written. The doctrine of the Bible's infallibility asserts that the story happens as God tells us it happens.

7. This doesn't mean I understand everything in the Bible or that everything in the Bible has the same relevance for me. But I still believe even the parts I don't understand. I just put what is currently not clear or applicable to me on the shelf, so to speak, until such time as God desires to make it plain or pertinent, as He has already done with so much of His Word.

8. Without the Bible we would know very little about God except that He exists and that He is powerful (Romans 1:20). It is crucial to take the Bible seriously as God's communication to us. Without the Bible God tends to become a generic source of abstract humanistic ideals. We need the Bible to tell us the very specific will of a living God, whose nature and purpose we would never guess on our own. Praise God for the miracle of His Word!

THE THING IS ... the Bible is the story of what God did.

9. The God Abraham, Moses, and Isaiah knew is the same God Peter, Paul, and James knew. In fact He is the same God Christians know today.

10. Don't let anybody turn the Bible into two stories, one old and one new. It's the same story, and the end is misunderstood without the beginning. And don't let anybody turn the New Testament into two stories, one the gospel according to Jesus and one the gospel according to Paul. Jesus perfectly lived out the gospel according to Paul, and Paul perfectly formulated the gospel according to Jesus.

11. This is not to say that all parts of the Bible have equal applicability to all people at all times. The Bible is the story of what God did in history with a specific nation to prepare the way for the One they call the Messiah. A story has a beginning, a middle, and an end. The end is not the same as the beginning; there is development in the story through the middle. Thus what God did and said to His people at the beginning of the story is not necessarily the same as what He does and says to His people at the end of the story. That does not mean that God contradicts Himself or changes His mind, because His nature, will, and plan remain consistent throughout the story. But as the story unfolds, His nature, will, and plan unfold. What changes is not God, but our ability to see and participate in the end of the story.

THE THING IS ... most problems of interpretation of the Bible are really problems of unbelief.

12. The Bible is not hard because it is obscure, but because it is different from everything else we know.

13 The main difference is that in the Bible God is the most important thing, almost to the exclusion of everything else. That makes the Bible very difficult for us to understand, because in the world we inhabit we are the most important thing, almost to the exclusion of everything else.

14 The worldview of the Bible is totally alien to the worldview of this age. In the biblical worldview, "The things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal" (2 Corinthians 4:18). The worldview of this age sees only what science sees, a closed system apprehensible by our senses. The biblical worldview adds to the physical realm the spiritual realm, which overlaps the physical realm in a manner apprehensible only by the eyes of faith. Is it any wonder we have trouble understanding the Bible?

15 The Bible presents us with a different way of looking at things, with God at the center not only of our individual lives, but of our social and cultural lives as well. That's enough to make the Bible virtually impenetrable until "when a man turns to the Lord the veil is removed" (2 Corinthians 3:16).

16 The basic rule of biblical interpretation is to get straight who's interpreting whom. Are we interpreting God, or is He interpreting us? Is the Bible subject to our judgment, or are we subject to its judgment? As Peter says, "No prophecy is a matter of one's own interpretation ..." (2 Peter 1:20-21). Lord, let Thy light break forth out of Thy Word.

17 If we will not submit to the message and worldview of the Bible, we will have all kinds of trouble interpreting what we don't agree with. I am convinced, along with the leaders of the Protestant Reformation, that although we may not understand everything in the Bible, anyone who can read can come to understand enough to know God's plan for his life, provided he "stands under" its authority.

18 You don't have time to spend in God's Word? Of course not. You must make time. When you got married, didn't you rearrange your life? What makes you think that when you become a Christian, it's business as usual?

19 Being a Bible-believer is not so much a matter of doctrine as of attitude. Do we love the Bible, read it fondly, trust it, and try to obey it? If so, we can disagree on some matters of interpretation, but still be one in the Spirit.

THE THING IS ... The closer we come to agreeing on who the Bible is from and what the Author means to us, the closer we will come to agreeing about what He says to us.