

# Read the Bible at Your Own Pace

## OLD TESTAMENT READING CHART

<i>Genesis</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50										
<i>Exodus</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
<i>Leviticus</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27													
<i>Numbers</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36				
<i>Deuteronomy</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34						
<i>Joshua</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24																
<i>Judges</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21																			
<i>Ruth</i>	1	2	3	4																
<i>1 Samuel</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31									
<i>2 Samuel</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24																
<i>1 Kings</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22																		
<i>2 Kings</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25															
<i>1 Chronicles</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29											
<i>2 Chronicles</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36				
<i>Ezra</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10										
<i>Nehemiah</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13							
<i>Esther</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10										
<i>Job</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	41	42																		
<i>Psalms</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140
	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150										
<i>Proverbs</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31									
<i>Ecclesiastes</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12								
<i>Song of Solomon</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8												
<i>Isaiah</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
	61	62	63	64	65	66														
<i>Jeremiah</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52								
<i>Lamentations</i>	1	2	3	4	5															
<i>Ezekiel</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
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<i>Daniel</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12								
<i>Hosea</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14						
<i>Joel</i>	1	2	3																	
<i>Amos</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9											
<i>Obadiah</i>	1																			
<i>Jonah</i>	1	2	3	4																
<i>Micah</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7													
<i>Nahum</i>	1	2	3																	
<i>Habakkuk</i>	1	2	3																	
<i>Zephaniah</i>	1	2	3																	
<i>Haggai</i>	1	2																		
<i>Zechariah</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14						
<i>Malachi</i>	1	2	3	4																

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<i>Matthew</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28
<i>Mark</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
<i>Luke</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24
<i>John</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21
<i>Acts</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28
<i>Romans</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
<i>1 Corinthians</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
<i>2 Corinthians</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13
<i>Galatians</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6
<i>Ephesians</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6
<i>Philippians</i>	1 2 3 4
<i>Colossians</i>	1 2 3 4
<i>1 Thessalonians</i>	1 2 3 4 5
<i>2 Thessalonians</i>	1 2 3
<i>1 Timothy</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6
<i>2 Timothy</i>	1 2 3 4
<i>Titus</i>	1 2 3
<i>Philemon</i>	1
<i>Hebrews</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13
<i>James</i>	1 2 3 4 5
<i>1 Peter</i>	1 2 3 4 5
<i>2 Peter</i>	1 2 3
<i>1 John</i>	1 2 3 4 5
<i>2 John</i>	1
<i>3 John</i>	1
<i>Jude</i>	1
<i>Revelation</i>	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

Tuck this paper into your Bible and cross off each chapter as you read it. There are 1,189 chapters.

### Possible Goals (mark the one you adopt):

- Reading 5 chapters every weekday will lead you from cover to cover in under a year.
- You could read 3 chapters each day and 5 each Sunday and finish the Bible in a year.
- Read one book of the Bible every weekend. Just sit down and plow through it—it won't take as long as you think. On weekdays, read a Psalm and a chunk of Proverbs.
- Read for a set amount of time (15 minutes, for example) and you get as far as you get.

### Possible Strategies (mark the one you adopt):

- Read a mix from the OT and the NT each day.
- Read a Psalm a day and then split your reading between the OT and NT.
- Read one book at a time until you finish, alternating between the OT and the NT.
- You could read an equal number of chapters each day starting in three places: Genesis, Job, and Matthew.