

How to Read and Interpret the Bible
A Bible Overview Information Paper

How to read and interpret the Bible:

1. Read it in the literal sense: when the plain sense makes common sense, seek no other sense

2. Read it in the grammatical sense: don't add meaning to already established words and terms. Don't make it what you want it to mean.

3. Read it in its historical sense. Put it in context.

4. Read it in its geographical sense

5. Read it to:
 - Observe: What do I see?
 - Interpret: What does it mean?
 - Application: How does it apply to me?

The Bible is our authority. See "Is the Bible truly God's Word?" at: <https://www.gotquestions.org/Bible-God-Word.html>