

## **Book    Theme    Key Verse**

Genesis    Beginnings    1:1 In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

Exodus    Deliverance    20:2 I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

Leviticus    Holiness    20:7-8 Sanctify yourselves therefore, and be ye holy: for I am the Lord your God. And ye shall keep my statutes, and do them: I am the Lord which sanctify you.

Numbers    Wilderness wanderings    6:24-26 The Lord bless thee, and keep thee: the Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee: the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace.

Deuteronomy    Law restated    6:4-5 Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord: and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.

Joshua    Canaan conquest    1:9 Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: For the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

Judges    Defeat and deliverance    17: 6 In those days there was no king in Israel, but every man did that which was right in his own eyes.

Ruth    Loyalty    1:16 And Ruth said, Intreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God.

1 Samuel    Last judge, first king    8:5 And said unto him, Behold, thou art old, and thy sons walk not in thy ways: now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.

2 Samuel    David's reign    7:16 And thine house and thy kingdom shall be established for ever before thee: thy throne shall be established forever.

1 Kings    United to divided    11:11 Wherefore the Lord said unto Solomon, Forasmuch as this is done of thee, and thou hast not kept my covenant and my statutes, which I have commanded thee, I will surely rend the kingdom from thee, and will give it to thy servant.

2 Kings    Divided to captivity    23:27 And the Lord said, I will remove Judah also out of my sight, as I have removed Israel, and will cast off this city Jerusalem which I have chosen, and the house of which I said, My name shall be there.

1 Chronicles    David's faith    29:11 Thine, O Lord is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all.

2 Chronicles    Solomon's legacy    7:14 If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

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Ezra    Remnant returns    3:11 And they sang together by course in praising and giving thanks unto the Lord; because he is good, for his mercy endureth for ever toward Israel. And all the people shouted with a great shout, when they praised the Lord, because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid.

Nehemiah    Rebuilding    2:17 Then said I unto them, Ye see the distress that we are in, how Jerusalem lieth waste, and the gates thereof are burned with fire: come, and let us build up the wall of Jerusalem, that we be no more a reproach.

Esther    Faith in action    4:14 For if thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, then shall there enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place; but thou and thy fathers house shall be destroyed: and who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?

Job    Suffering    19:25 For I know that my redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth.

Psalms    Praise    100:4 Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

Proverbs    Gods wisdom    3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

Ecclesiastes    Mans wisdom    7:20 For there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good, and sinneth not.

Song of Solomon    Human and divine love    2:4 He brought me to the banqueting house, and his banner over me was love.

Isaiah    Promised Messiah    53:11 He shall see of the travail of his soul, and shall be satisfied: by his knowledge shall my righteous servant justify many; for he shall bear their iniquities.

Jeremiah    Warnings and promises    33:3 Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.

Lamentations    Weeping and wailing    3:22---23 It is of the Lords mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness.

Ezekiel    Judgment and glory    37:27-28 My tabernacle also shall be with them: yea, I will be their God, and they shall be my people. And the heathen shall know that I the Lord do sanctify Israel, when my sanctuary shall be in the midst of them for evermore.

Daniel    Rise and fall of kingdoms    2:21 And he changeth the times and the seasons: he removeth kings, and setteth up kings: he giveth wisdom unto the wise, and knowledge to them that know understanding.

Hosea    Redeeming love    2:19 And I will betroth thee unto me forever; yea, I will betroth thee unto me in righteousness, and in judgment, and in lovingkindness, and in mercies.

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Joel    Day of the Lord    1:15 Alas for the day! for the day of the Lord is at hand, and as a destruction from the Almighty shall it come.

Amos    Gods justice    5:24 But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream.

Obadiah    Edom's doom    15 For the day of the Lord is near upon all the heathen: as thou hast done, it shall be done unto thee: thy reward shall return upon thine own head.

Jonah    Gods mercy    3:10 And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them; and he did it not.

Micah    Judgment and restoration    6:8 He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?

Nahum    Nineveh's doom    1:7 The Lord is good, a strong hold in the day of trouble; and he knoweth them that trust in him.

Habakkuk    Doubt to faith    2:4 Behold, his soul which is lifted up is not upright in him: but the just shall live by his faith.

Zephaniah    Gods wrath    2:3 Seek ye the Lord, all ye meek of the earth, which have wrought his judgment; seek righteousness, seek meekness: it may be ye shall be hid in the day of the Lords anger.

Haggai    Rebuild the temple    1:8 Go up to the mountain, and bring wood, and build the house; and I will take pleasure in it, and I will be glorified, saith the Lord.

Zechariah    The coming Messiah    9:9 Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: behold, thy King cometh unto thee: he is just, and having salvation; lowly, and riding upon an ass, and upon a colt the foal of an ass.

Malachi    Repentance    3:7 Even from the days of your fathers ye are gone away from mine ordinances, and have not kept them. Return unto me, and I will return unto you, saith the Lord of hosts. But ye said, Wherein shall we return?

Matthew    Christ the King    16:15-16 He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am? And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.

Mark    Christ the servant    10:45 For even the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.

Luke    Christ the man    19:10 For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.

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John    Christ, the Son of God    20:30-31 And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: but these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name.

Acts    The early church    1:8 But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. Romans The Gospel 5:8 But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

1 Corinthians    Christian conduct    15:58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.

2 Corinthians    Christian righteousness    5:21 For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.

Galatians    Christian liberty    5:1 Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.

Ephesians    Christian standing    2:8---9 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: not of works, lest any man should boast.

Philippians    Christian joy 2:2    Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind.

Colossians    Preeminence of Christ    1:17-18 And he is before all things, and by him all things consist. And he is the head of the body, the church: who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead; that in all things he might have the preeminence.

1 Thessalonians    Return of Christ    4:16-18 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

2 Thessalonians    Stand firm    2:15 Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle.

1 Timothy    Leadership    6:12 Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses.

2 Timothy    Endurance    3:16-17 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.

Titus    Encouragement    2:11-13 For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world; looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ.

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Philemon    Forgiveness    14 But without thy mind would I do nothing; that thy benefit should not be as it were of necessity, but willingly.

Hebrews    Christ's sufficiency    4:14-16 Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

James    Living your faith    1:22 But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves.

1 Peter    Suffering and glory    2:24 Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

2 Peter    Faithfulness of Christ    3:9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us---ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

1 John    Fellowship    1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

2 John    Steadfastness    5 And now I beseech thee, lady, not as though I wrote a new commandment unto thee, but that which we had from the beginning, that we love one another.

3 John    Walk in truth    4 I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth.  
Jude    Keep the faith    3 Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

Revelation    Eternal triumph    21:3-4 And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God. And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away