

# THE ESSENTIAL 100 BIBLE READING PLAN

## OLD TESTAMENT

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### IN THE BEGINNING

#### MEMORIZE

- 1 Creation
- 2 The Fall
- 3 The Flood
- 4 God's Covenant with Noah
- 5 Tower of Babel

#### GENESIS 2:1-2

- Genesis 1:1-2:25
- Genesis 3:1-24
- Genesis 6:5-7:24
- Genesis 8:1-9:17
- Genesis 11:1-9

### THE JUDGES

#### MEMORIZE

- 26 Israel's Disobedience
- 27 Deborah Leads Israel
- 28 Gideon Defeats the Midianites
- 29 Samson Defeats the Philistines
- 30 The Story of Ruth

#### JUDGES 2:18

- Judges 2:6-3:6
- Judges 4:1-5:31
- Judges 6:1-7:25
- Judges 13:1-16:31
- Ruth 1:1-4:22

### ABRAHAM, ISAAC AND JACOB

#### MEMORIZE

- 6 The Call of Abraham
- 7 God's Covenant with Abraham
- 8 Isaac's Birth and Sacrifice
- 9 Jacob and Esau Compete
- 10 Jacob and Esau Reconcile

#### GENESIS 15:6

- Genesis 12:1-20
- Genesis 15:1-21
- Genesis 21:1-22:19
- Genesis 27:1-28:22
- Genesis 32:1-33:20

### THE RISE OF ISRAEL

#### MEMORIZE

- 31 Samuel Listens to God
- 32 King Saul
- 33 David and Goliath
- 34 David and Saul
- 35 King David

#### 2 SAMUEL 7:16

- 1 Samuel 1:1-3:21
- 1 Samuel 8:1-10:27
- 1 Samuel 16:1-18:16
- 1 Samuel 23:7-24:22
- 2 Samuel 5:1-7:29

### THE STORY OF JOSEPH

#### MEMORIZE

- 11 Sold into Slavery
- 12 Prison and a Promotion
- 13 Ten Brothers Go to Egypt
- 14 The Brothers Return
- 15 Joseph Reveals his Identity

#### GENESIS 45:5

- Genesis 37:1-36
- Genesis 39:1-41:57
- Genesis 42:1-38
- Genesis 43:1-44:34
- Genesis 45:1-46:7

### THE FALL OF ISRAEL

#### MEMORIZE

- 36 David and Bathsheba
- 37 King Solomon
- 38 Solomon's Temple
- 39 Elijah and the Prophets of Baal
- 40 The Fall of Jerusalem

#### 1 KINGS 8:22-23

- 2 Samuel 11:1-12:25
- 1 Kings 2:1-3:28
- 1 Kings 8:1-9:9
- 1 Kings 16:29-19:18
- 2 Kings 25:1-30

### MOSES AND THE EXODUS

#### MEMORIZE

- 16 Birth of Moses
- 17 The Burning Bush
- 18 The Ten Plagues
- 19 Passover and Exodus
- 20 Crossing the Red Sea

#### EXODUS 14:14

- Exodus 1:1-2:25
- Exodus 3:1-4:17
- Exodus 6:28-11:10
- Exodus 12:1-42
- Exodus 13:17-14:31

### PSALMS AND PROVERBS

#### MEMORIZE

- 41 The Lord is My Shepherd
- 42 Have Mercy on Me
- 43 Praise the Lord
- 44 Godly Wisdom
- 45 Proverbs of Solomon

#### PSALM 23:1-6

- Psalms 23:1-6
- Psalms 51:1-19
- Psalms 103:1-22
- Proverbs 1:1-4:27
- Proverbs 16:1-18:24

### THE LAW AND THE LAND

#### MEMORIZE

- 21 The Ten Commandments
- 22 The Golden Calf
- 23 Joshua Succeeds Moses
- 24 Crossing the Jordan
- 25 The Fall of Jericho

#### EXODUS 33:13

- Exodus 19:1-20:21
- Exodus 32:1-34:35
- Joshua 1:1-18
- Joshua 3:1-4:24
- Joshua 5:13-6:27

### THE PROPHETS

#### MEMORIZE

- 46 The Suffering Servant
- 47 Jeremiah's Call and Message
- 48 Daniel in the Lion's Den
- 49 The Story of Jonah
- 50 The Day of Judgment

#### ISAIAH 53:6

- Isaiah 51:1-53:12
- Jeremiah 1:1-3:5
- Daniel 6:1-28
- Jonah 1:1-4:11
- Malachi 1:1-4:6

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## NEW TESTAMENT

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### THE LIVING WORD

- MEMORIZE LUKE 1:32-33
- 51 The Living Word John 1:1-18
- 52 Gabriel's Messages Luke 1:1-80
- 53 The Birth of Jesus Luke 2:1-40
- 54 John the Baptist Luke 3:1-20
- 55 Baptism and Temptation Matthew 3:13-4:17

### THE TEACHINGS OF JESUS

- MEMORIZE MATTHEW 13:44
- 56 Sermon on the Mount - Part 1 Matthew 5:1-6:4
- 57 Sermon on the Mount - Part 2 Matthew 6:5-7:29
- 58 The Kingdom of Heaven Matthew 13:1-58
- 59 The Good Samaritan Luke 10:25-37
- 60 Lost and Found Luke 15:1-37

### THE MIRACLES OF JESUS

- MEMORIZE LUKE 9:23-25
- 61 Feeding of the Five Thousand Luke 9:1-36
- 62 Walking on Water Matthew 14:22-36
- 63 Healing a Blind Man John 9:1-41
- 64 Healing a Demon-possessed Man Mark 5:1-20
- 65 Raising Lazarus from the Dead John 11:1-57

### THE CROSS OF CHRIST

- MEMORIZE JOHN 20:29
- 66 The Last Supper Luke 22:1-46
- 67 Arrest and Trial John 18:1-40
- 68 The Crucifixion John 19:1-42
- 69 The Resurrection John 20:1-21:25
- 70 The Ascension Acts 1:1-11

### THE CHURCH IS BORN

- MEMORIZE ACTS 4:12
- 71 The Day of Pentecost Acts 2:1-47
- 72 Growth and Persecution Acts 3:1-4:37
- 73 The First Martyr Acts 6:8-8:8
- 74 Sharing the Word Acts 8:26-40
- 75 Good News for All Acts 10:1-11:18

### THE TRAVELS OF PAUL

- MEMORIZE ACTS 16:30-31
- 76 The Road to Damascus Acts 9:1-31
- 77 The First Missionary Journey Acts 13:1-14:28
- 78 The Council at Jerusalem Acts 15:1-41
- 79 More Missionary Journeys Acts 16:1-17:34
- 80 Greece and Macedonia Acts 19:1-20:38

### PAUL TO THE CHURCHES

- MEMORIZE PHILIPPIANS 4:4-7
- 81 More Than Conquerors Romans 8:1-39
- 82 The Fruit of the Spirit Galatians 5:15-26; 6:1-10
- 83 The Armor of God Ephesians 6:10-20
- 84 Rejoice in the Lord Philippians 4:4-9
- 85 The Supremacy of Christ Colossians 1:1-23

### PAUL TO THE LEADERS

- MEMORIZE 2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17
- 86 Elders and Deacons 1 Timothy 3:1-16
- 87 The Love of Money 1 Timothy 6:3-21
- 88 Good Soldiers of Christ 2 Timothy 2:1-26
- 89 All Scripture is God-breathed 2 Timothy 3:10-4:8
- 90 The Coming of the Lord 1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11

### THE APOSTLES' TEACHING

- MEMORIZE 1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7
- 91 The Most Excellent Way 1 Corinthians 13:1-13
- 92 A New Creation in Christ 2 Corinthians 4:1-6:2
- 93 A Living Hope 1 Peter 1:1-2:26
- 94 Faith and Works James 1:1-2:26
- 95 Love One Another 1 John 3:11-4:21

### THE REVELATION

- MEMORIZE REVELATION 21:3
- 96 A Voice and A Vision Revelation 1:1-20
- 97 Messages to the Churches Revelation 2:1-3:22
- 98 The Throne of Heaven Revelation 4:1-7:17
- 99 Hallelujah! Revelation 19:1-20:15
- 100 The New Jerusalem Revelation 21:1-22:21