A FORTY-DAY BIBLE READING PLAN

If you're new to the Bible and are looking for suggestions on where to start, we offer a forty-day reading program that will help you gain an overall understanding of what the Bible is all about. It will introduce you to some of the most important passages of the Bible, it will help you see the big picture of what God has done, and it's easy to accomplish.

| Day 1 Day 2 Day 3 | Genesis 1-2 Genesis 3 Genesis 15; 17:15-27 | The Creation Account The Beginning of Sin God's Covenant with Abraham |
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| Day 4 | Genesis 21:1-7; 22 | God's Faithfulness and Abraham's Faith |
| Day 5 | Exodus 3-4 | God Calls Moses to Deliver His People |
| Day 6 | Exodus 20 | The Ten Commandments |
| Day 7 | Joshua 1 | Conquering the Promised Land |
| Day 8 | 1 Samuel 16-17 | David and Goliath |
| Day 9 | 1 Kings 3; 8:1-9:9 | King Solomon's Wisdom and the Temple |
| Day 10 | 1 Kings 18 | The Prophet Elijah and the Prophets of Baal |
| Day 11 | 2 Kings 25 | The Siege of Jerusalem and Exile of Judah |
| Day 12 | Daniel 2-3 | Daniel in Babylon; The Fiery Furnace |
| Day 13 | Ezra 3 | Rebuilding the Temple in Jerusalem |
| Day 14 | Isaiah 9, 53, 61 | Isaiah's Prophecy of the Coming Messiah |
| Day 15 | Luke 1-2 | The Birth of Jesus |
| Day 16 | John 1:1-18 | Who Jesus Is |
| Day 17 | Luke 4:14-44 | Jesus Begins His Ministry |
| Day 18 | Matthew 5-6 | The Core of Jesus' Teaching |
| Day 19 | John 3 | God's Love for the World |
| Day 20 | John 5 | Jesus' Miracles and Authority |
| Day 21 | John 11 | Jesus' Power Over Death |
| Day 22 | John 15 | The Christian Life Defined |
| Day 23 | John 17 | Jesus' High Priestly Prayer |
| Day 24 | Matthew 26-27 | The Arrest and Crucifixion of Jesus |
| Day 25 | John 20 | The Resurrection of Jesus |
| Day 26 | Luke 24 | The Ascension of Jesus |
| Day 27 | Acts 2 | The Coming of the Holy Spirit |
| Day 28 | Acts 9 | The Conversion of Saul |
| Day 29 | Acts 16 | The Gospel Spreads to Europe |
| Day 30 | Acts 26 | Paul's Defense of the Christian Faith |
| Day 31 | Romans 3 | Justification by Faith Alone |
| Day 32 | Romans 7-8 | The Battle With Sin; Life in the Spirit |
| Day 33 | 1 Corinthians 13 | The Dayyar of the Decumention |
| Day 34 | 1 Corinthians 15 | The Power of the Resurrection |
| Day 35 | Galatians 5 | Freedom in Christ |
| Day 36 | Ephesians 6 | The Whole Armor of God |
| Day 37 | Philippians 1:18-2:18 | Christ's Example |
| Day 38 | Colossians 3:1-17 | Putting on the New Self |
| Day 39 | James 1 | Pure Religion |
| Day 40 | Revelation 21-22 | The New Heaven and Earth |