

BIBLE STUDY

Outline

The Bible as a Library



The Bible is not just a random assortment of books inspired by God. If we consider the literary context of the different books of the Bible, it can aid in our understanding of their intent and meaning. To that end, the outline below is provided for your reference.

See if the groupings below help your understanding of the Bible as a "library" of books:

1. OLD TESTAMENT -- Covenant (39 Books)

a. The 5 Books of Law (Pentateuch)

Genesis

Exodus

Leviticus

Numbers

Deuteronomy

b. The 12 Books of History

Joshua

Judges

Ruth

1 Samuel

2 Samuel

1 Kings

2 Kings

1 Chronicles

2 Chronicles

Ezra

Nehemiah

Esther

c. The 5 Books of Poetry

Job

Psalms

Proverbs

Ecclesiastes

Song of Solomon

d. The 17 Books of Prophecy (5 Major and 12 Minor)

Isaiah
Jeremiah
Lamentations
Ezekiel
Daniel

Hosea
Joel
Amos

Obadiah
Jonah
Micah
Nahum
Habakkuk
Zephaniah
Haggai
Zechariah
Malachi

2. NEW TESTAMENT -- Covenant (27 Books)

a. The 4 Books of Biography (The Gospels); Christ as:

King - Matthew
Servant - Mark
Man - Luke
God - John

b. The 1 Book of History

Acts

c. The 21 Books of Doctrine (The Epistles, to People and Churches)

Romans
I Corinthians
II Corinthians
Galatians
Ephesians
Philippians
Colossians
I Thessalonians
II Thessalonians
I Timothy

II Timothy
Titus
Philemon
Hebrews
James
I Peter
II Peter
I John
II John
III John
Jude

d. The 1 Book of Prophecy

Revelation

May God bless you in your study of His Word.

In Christ,

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