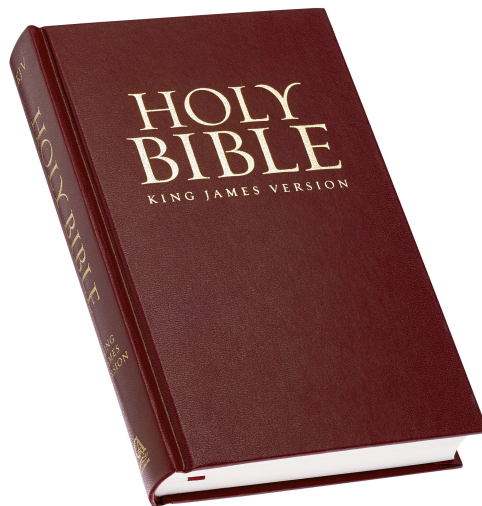




Introduction to the Bible - Part 1

A cursory look into the Doctrine of the Bible:



The Bible is a collection of 66 books written by about 40 authors, in three different languages, on three different continents, and over approximately 1,600 years.

The Bible claims to be inspired and inerrant.

This means that the Bible claims to be from God and that it is without error in everything it addresses.



The Bible describes the origin of man in the Garden of Eden along with his fall into sin and out of fellowship with God.

It then describes how God called out a special people to Himself, the Israelites.

He promised the Israelites a future Messiah who would restore mankind's relationship with God.

The Bible is the account of the work of God in history bringing to fruition His prophetic declarations concerning Jesus.

Jesus was born of the Virgin, died on the cross, and paid for sins, just as the Bible prophesied in the Old Testament and fulfilled in the New.



The Old Testament Books written by the prophets such as Moses, David, Isaiah, etc.

Pentateuch: 5 books:

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy

Historical Books: 12 books:

Joshua, Judges, Ruth, First Samuel, Second Samuel, First Kings, Second Kings, First Chronicles, Second Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther

Poetical: 5 books:

Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon

Prophetical: 17 books:

Major Prophets--Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel

Minor Prophets--Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi

The New Testament Books written by those who knew Jesus or were under the guidance of those who did

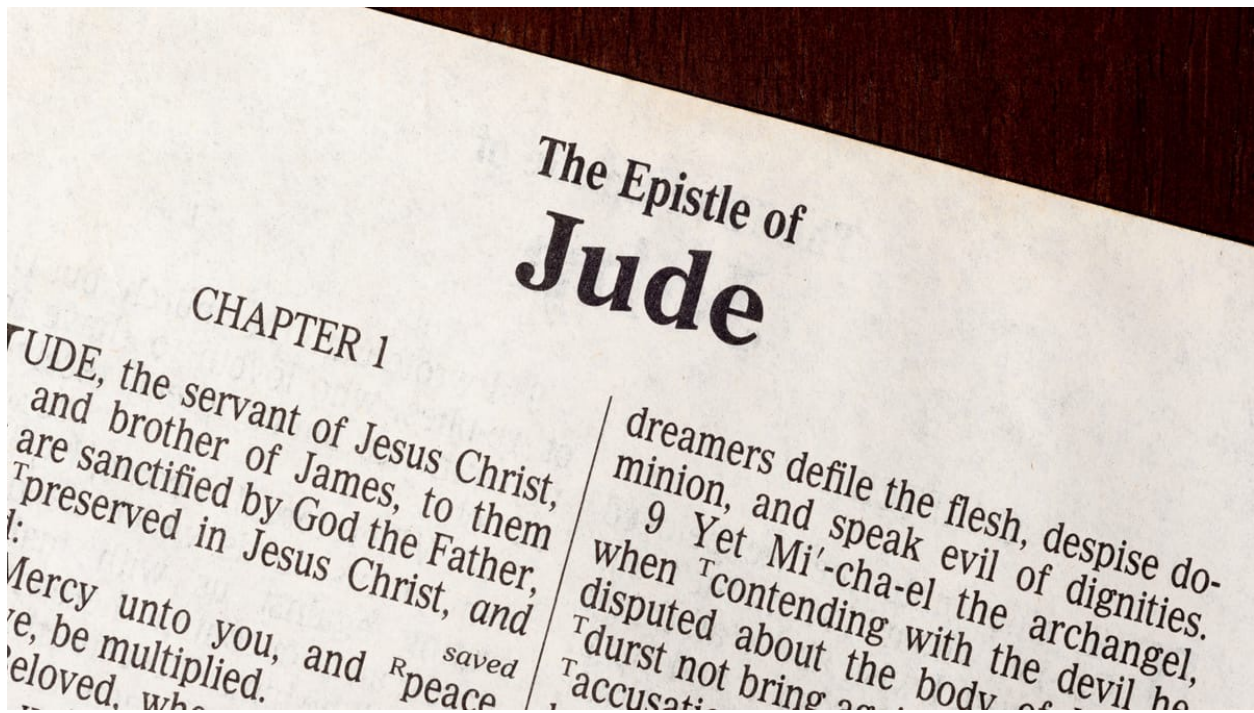


Historical Books: 5 books:

Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts

Pauline Epistles: 13 books:

Romans, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon



Non-Pauline Epistles: 9 books

Hebrews, James, 1 Peter, 2 Peter, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John, Jude, Revelation



Note: Some authors attribute Hebrews to Paul.

How do we obtain the Forgiveness of our Sins?



How do we get right with God, regardless of our individual sins?

Just say this Prayer and all of your sins will be forgotten, and you will have Eternal life, with Christ Jesus, in Heaven:

Lord Jesus, I repent of all my sins, and I ask you to come into my life, and I believe, that God raised You from the dead, this day, I ask you to be my Lord and Savior.

Romans 10:9 New Living Translation Reads:

9 If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

Friends, if you prayed that prayer, I believe that you are born again, and you have ever lasting life, get in a good bible teaching church, and may you keep growing, in the Lord, and may HE use you to help save many souls for His Kingdom !

In, Jesus Mighty Name!

Rev. Jesus Del Rio, Ed

