

## CHRONOLOGICAL & TOPICAL BIBLE READINGS

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| 1   | Genesis 1-3                                 | Creation, the fall   |
| 2   | Genesis 4-6                                 | Cain & Abel, genealogy from Adam to Noah   |
| 3   | Genesis 7-10                                | Noah & the Flood   |
| 4   | Genesis 11-14                               | The tower of Babel, Noah's descendants, Abram & Lot  |
| 5   | Genesis 15-17                               | God's promises, Ishmael  |
| 6   | Genesis 18-21                               | Sodom & Gomorrah, Isaac, Ishmael & Hagar   |
| 7   | Genesis 22:1-25:18                          | Abraham's test, death of Sarah, bride for Isaac, Abraham's 2 <sup>nd</sup> wife & children               |
| 8   | Genesis 25:19-28:9                          | Jacob & Esau   |
| 9   | Genesis 28:10-31:55                         | Jacob & Laban, Jacob's children  |
| 10  | Genesis 32-35                               | Jacob's new name, return to Canaan   |
| 11  | Genesis 36; I Chronicles 1<br>Genesis 37-38 | Esau, genealogies from Adam to Edom & Israel<br>Joseph's dreams & betrayal; Judah's love life & children |
| 12  | Genesis 39-41                               | Joseph: from slavery to prison to Pharaoh's court  |
| 13  | Genesis 42:1-45:15                          | When his brothers come to Egypt, Joseph's dreams are fulfilled.  |
| 14  | Genesis 45:16-47:31                         | Israel moves to Egypt.   |
| 15  | Genesis 48-50                               | Israel's blessings & death, Joseph forgives  |
| 16  | Job 1-3                                     | Job's prosperity, Satan's challenge, Job's loss & 1 <sup>st</sup> lament                                 |
| 17  | Job 4-7                                     | Eliphaz's rebuke & Job's response  |
| 18  | Job 8-10                                    | Bildad's remarks & Job's response  |
| 19  | Job 11-14                                   | Zophar's retort & Job's response   |
| 20  | Job 15-17                                   | Eliphaz's 2 <sup>nd</sup> round & Job's response   |
| 21  | Job 18-21                                   | Bildad, Job, Zophar & Job again  |
| 22  | Job 22-25                                   | Eliphaz's 3 <sup>rd</sup> round, Job & then Bildad   |
| 23  | Job 26-28                                   | Job's long discourse begins  |
| 24  | Job 29-31                                   | Job's long discourse continues   |
| 25  | Job 32-34                                   | Elihu's long protest begins  |
| 26  | Job 35-37                                   | Elihu's long protest continues, as a storm brews before their eyes.                                      |
| 27  | Job 38-39                                   | YHWH speaks from the storm   |
| 28  | Job 40-42                                   | YHWH's confrontation, Job's response & the conclusion  |
| 29  | Exodus 1:1-4:17                             | Moses' birth to his calling  |
| 30  | Exodus 4:18-7:7                             | Return to Egypt  |
| 31  | Exodus 7:8-10:20                            | Moses vs. Pharaoh & the 1 <sup>st</sup> eight plagues  |
| 32  | Exodus 10:21-13:16                          | Final plagues & the institution of Passover  |
| 33  | Exodus 13:17-15:21                          | Leaving Egypt & crossing the Red Sea   |
| 34  | Exodus 15:22-17:16                          | God's miraculous provision & protection  |
| 35  | Exodus 18-20:21                             | Jethro's advice, the 10 Commandments   |
| 36  | Exodus 20:22-23:33                          | God's laws   |
| 37  | Exodus 24-27                                | Elders, instructions for the tabernacle & furnishings  |
| 38  | Exodus 28-31                                | Priests & their garb, more articles of worship & incidentals   |
| 39  | Exodus 32:1-35:3                            | The golden calf & Moses' intervention  |
| 40  | Exodus 35:4-38:31                           | Offerings & crafting the holy things   |
| 41  | Exodus 39-40                                | Inspecting & setting up the tabernacle   |
| 42  | Leviticus 1-3                               | Offerings  |

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| 44  | Leviticus 8-10                      | Aaron's dedication & the death of two sons  |
| 45  | Leviticus 11-14                     | Dietary & health regulations  |
| 46  | Leviticus 15-17                     | Hygiene, Atonement, blood   |
| 47  | Leviticus 18-20                     | Social & religious guidelines   |
| 48  | Leviticus 21:1-24:9                 | Priestly & worship regulations  |
| 49  | Leviticus 24:10-27:34               | Blasphemer, Jubilee, blessings & curses, vows                                     |
| 50  | Numbers 1-4                         | Counting the people & making assignments  |
| 51  | Numbers 5-8                         | More rules, dedicating the altar, the Levites' assignments                        |
| 52  | Numbers 9-12                        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Passover, leaving Sinai, complaining & opposition                 |
| 53  | Numbers 13-15                       | 10+2 spies, Israel's unbelief, Sabbath-breaker                                    |
| 54  | Numbers 16-18                       | Korah's rebellion, Aaron's rod, priestly rewards                                  |
| 55  | Numbers 19-21                       | Purification after battle, Moses' sin, Miriam's & Aaron's death, war              |
| 56  | Numbers 22-25                       | Balaam  |
| 57  | Numbers 26-29                       | 2 <sup>nd</sup> census, sacrificial schedule                                      |
| 58  | Numbers 30-33                       | Vows, dividing the spoils of Midian, land east of the Jordan, review              |
| 59  | Numbers 34-36                       | Dividing the land, Cities of Refuge, women's inheritance                          |
| 60  | Deuteronomy 1-3                     | Reviewing their history   |
| 61  | Deuteronomy 4-6                     | Reviewing the Law   |
| 62  | Deuteronomy 7:1-10:11               | Displacing the inhabitants of Canaan, remembering God, God's grace                |
| 63  | Deuteronomy 10:12-13:18             | Follow God  |
| 64  | Deuteronomy 14:1-16:17              | Religious requirements & festivals  |
| 65  | Deuteronomy 16:18-20:20             | Laws & leaders; warfare   |
| 66  | Deuteronomy 21-25                   | Unsolved murder; civil & domestic laws  |
| 67  | Deuteronomy 26-28                   | Renewing the covenant, blessings & curses   |
| 68  | Deuteronomy 29:1-31:13              | Moses' exhortation, Joshua's commissioning  |
| 69  | Deuteronomy 31:14-33:29<br>Psalm 90 | Moses' songs & blessings  |
| 70  | Deuteronomy 34<br>Joshua 1-2        | Moses' view of Canaan & death<br>Joshua assumes leadership, spies in Jericho      |
| 71  | Joshua 3-6                          | Crossing the Jordan, circumcision & the fall of Jericho                           |
| 72  | Joshua 7-10                         | Achan's sin, defeat of Bethel & Ai, Gibeonite deception & rescue                  |
| 73  | Joshua 11-13                        | Conquest of Canaan  |
| 74  | Joshua 14-17                        | Caleb's inheritance, dividing the land for Judah & Joseph                         |
| 75  | Joshua 18-21                        | Dividing the land for the seven remaining tribes, cities of refuge, Levite cities |
| 76  | Joshua 22-24                        | Contention between Eastern & Western tribes, Joshua's challenge                   |
| 77  | Judges 1-3                          | Joshua's generation dies, angel at Bochim, Othniel, Ehud & Shamgar                |
| 78  | Judges 4-5                          | Deborah & Barak   |
| 79  | Judges 6-9                          | Gideon & his son, Abimelech   |
| 80  | Judges 10-12                        | Tola, Jair, Jephthah, Ibzan, Elon & Abdon   |
| 81  | Judges 13-16                        | Samson  |

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| 82  | Judges 17-18                                     | Micah's idol, the Levite & the Danites  |
| 83  | Judges 19-21                                     | A Levite, his concubine & the Benjamite scandal   |
| 84  | Ruth   | Naomi, Ruth & Boaz  |
| 85  | 1 Samuel 1-3                                     | The birth, calling & early ministry of Samuel   |
| 86  | 1 Samuel 4-7                                     | Death of Eli & his sons, capture & return of the ark  |
| 87  | 1 Samuel 8:1-10:16                               | Israel demands a king & Samuel anoints Saul   |
| 88  | 1 Samuel 10:17-12:25                             | Saul declared, tested & confirmed as king, Samuel's farewell address  |
| 89  | 1 Samuel 13-15                                   | Saul's bad decisions & the Lord's rejection   |
| 90  | 1 Samuel 16-18<br>Psalm 23                       | David's anointing, service, defeat of Goliath & friendship w/ Jonathan; shepherd's song   |
| 91  | Psalms 8, 19 & 145                               | David's praise for God's handiwork  |
| 92  | Psalms 26, 131 & 139                             | David's commitment to personal holiness, confidence in his integrity & invitation for God to examine him & make him holier still  |
| 93  | 1 Samuel 19-20<br>Psalms 25 & 59                 | Saul's jealous rage & Jonathan's intervention<br>David's prayers for deliverance  |
| 94  | 1 Samuel 21<br>Psalms 56 & 34                    | David escapes to Nob & then Gath<br>Praise for God's protection in face of his enemies  |
| 95  | Psalms 7, 13, 28 & 35                            | David's prayers for deliverance in face of accusation & persecution   |
| 96  | 1 Samuel 22<br>Psalms 142, 57-58 & 52            | David hides in the cave of Adullam. Saul murders the priests. Abiathar takes refuge with David.<br>Prayers for refuge & safety; declaration of judgment against evildoers |
| 97  | Psalm 64, 70, 86 & 140                           | Desperate & needy, David cries for God's help.  |
| 98  | 1 Samuel 23-24                                   | David saves Keilah; Saul pursues, & David spares his life.  |
| 99  | Psalms 54, 63 & 143                              | David's prayers for protection & thirsting for God  |
| 100 | 1 Samuel 25<br>Psalms 37, 12, 14 & 53            | David, Nabal & Abigail<br>The folly & downfall of evil & arrogant men   |
| 101 | 1 Samuel 26-27                                   | David again saves Saul's life, & then joins the Philistines.  |
| 102 | Psalms 6, 11, 17 & 141                           | David's prayers for deliverance   |
| 103 | 1 Samuel 28-30                                   | Philistines go to war with Israel. Saul & the medium<br>David & his men return to Ziklag & rescue their families.   |
| 104 | 1 Samuel 31; 1 Chronicles 10<br>2 Samuel 1       | Saul's defeat & suicide<br>David's response to the news of Saul & Jonathan's death  |
| 105 | 2 Samuel 2-4                                     | David is made king of Judah. Abner crowns Ish-Bosheth king of Israel in place of Saul. War between Israel & Judah; murder   |
| 106 | 2 Samuel 5:1-10 & 23:8ff<br>1 Chronicles 11 & 12 | David is made king of Israel.<br>His mighty men & capture of Jerusalem  |
| 107 | 1 Chronicles 13-15<br>2 Samuel 5:11-6:23         | David's 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> attempts to bring the ark to Jerusalem, fighting the Philistines, building his home & family                                    |
| 108 | 1 Chronicles 16<br>Psalms 29-30 & 68             | Dedicating the new worship center<br>David's songs for the dedication of the temple   |
| 109 | Psalms 27, 122 & 133<br>Psalms 95 & 100          | Worship in the tabernacle<br>Anonymous admonitions to exuberantly worship God   |

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| 110 | 2 Samuel 7; 1 Chronicles 17<br>Psalms 21 & 61                         | God's promises to David<br>Thanks for making him king  |
| 111 | 2 Samuel 8; 1 Chronicles 18<br>Psalms 60 & 108                        | David's victories over surrounding nations, his fame, his officials<br>God's help against the Edomites                         |
| 112 | Psalms 4, 9, 124 & 144  | Thanksgiving for help defeating godless nations  |
| 113 | 2 Samuel 9<br>Psalms 15, 24 & 101                                     | David's kindness to Mephibosheth<br>Who has access to God  |
| 114 | 2 Samuel 10; 1 Chronicles 19  | David's war against the Ammonites  |
| 115 | 2 Samuel 11-12<br>1 Chronicles 20:1-3                                 | David & Bathsheba, confrontation by Nathan, death of a child, birth of Solomon, capture of Rabbah                              |
| 116 | Psalms 32, 38, 39 & 51  | David tells about hiding sin, confession & restoration.  |
| 117 | 2 Samuel 13-14  | Amnon rapes Tamar. Absalom takes revenge, flees & is brought back to Jerusalem.  |
| 118 | 2 Samuel 15-17  | Absalom's conspiracy & David's flight  |
| 119 | Psalms 41, 55 & 69  | David describes the pain of betrayal.  |
| 120 | Psalms 3, 40 & 62   | David's appeal for God's help & protection   |
| 121 | 2 Samuel 18-19  | Absalom's death, David's mourning & return to Jerusalem  |
| 122 | Psalms 22, 109-110 & 118  | David's Messianic psalms/prophetic visions of the crucifixion  |
| 123 | 2 Samuel 20<br>Psalm 5, 31 & 36                                       | Sheba's revolt, Joab murders Amasa<br>Appeal for help against rebels   |
| 124 | 2 Samuel 21<br>1 Chronicles 20:4-8<br>2 Samuel 22 & Psalm 18          | Appeasing the Gibeonites<br>War with the Philistines<br>David's song of deliverance  |
| 125 | 2 Samuel 24<br>1 Chronicles 21:1-22:1 & 27                            | David's officials, his census of the fighting men & plague<br>Purchase of the future temple site                               |
| 126 | Psalms 16, 103 & 138  | The Mercy of God   |
| 127 | 1 Kings 1<br>1 Chronicles 22:2ff<br>1 Chronicles 28:1-29:24           | Adonijah attempts to assume the throne.<br>David makes Solomon king & commissions him to build the temple.                     |
| 128 | 1 Chronicles 23-26  | David assigns duties to the Levites  |
| 129 | Psalms 47, 81, 98 & 150   | A song of Asaph, one by the "Sons of Korah" & anonymous songs encourage worship with every available instrument.               |
| 130 | 2 Samuel 23:1-7<br>Psalm 20 & 65<br>1 Kings 2<br>1 Chronicles 29:25ff | David's final words to encourage the people & his son<br>Solomon carries out his father's advice, & establishes his authority. |
| 131 | Psalms 45 & 72  | Songs for Solomon's wedding  |
| 132 | Song of Solomon 1-4   | Love poem from Solomon to his bride (probably Abishag), part 1   |
| 133 | Song of Solomon 5-8   | Love poem from Solomon to his bride, part 2  |
| 134 | 2 Chronicles 1:1-13<br>1 Kings 3-4                                    | Solomon asks for wisdom & makes a wise ruling.<br>The extent of his kingdom & his officials                                    |
| 135 | 1 Kings 5<br>2 Chronicles 2   | Solomon's treaty with King Hiram of Tyre<br>Preparing to build the temple  |
| 136 | 1 Kings 6-7 & 2 Chronicles 3-4  | Constructing the Temple & its furnishings, building his palace   |

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| 137 | 1 Kings 8:1-9:9<br>2 Chronicles 5-7                | Installing the Ark of the Covenant, dedicating the Temple<br>YHWH appears to Solomon.   |
| 138 | Psalms 48, 84, 87, 132 & 134                       | Songs by the "Sons of Korah" & an anonymous authors, extolling the greatness of God & His temple                                  |
| 139 | Psalms 96, 105, 107 & 136                          | Anonymous authors recount what God has done for Israel.   |
| 140 | Psalms 77-78, 106 & 114                            | Asaph & anonymous authors' accounts of God's discipline & deliverance of Israel   |
| 141 | Psalms 2, 33, 75-76 & 149                          | Songs of Asaph & others that God's authority extends to all nations   |
| 142 | Psalms 82, 97, 99 & 113                            | Songs by Asaph & anonymous authors about God's universal rule   |
| 143 | Psalms 93, 104 & 147-148                           | Anonymous songs about God's rule over & care for creation   |
| 144 | Psalms 66-67, 117, 126 & 130                       | Anonymous songs about the blessings of God, encouraging everyone to bless Him   |
| 145 | Psalms 127-128                                     | Solomon & an anonymous author tell of the blessings of families.  |
| 146 | Proverbs 1-4                                       | Solomon admonishes his sons to love Wisdom.   |
| 147 | Proverbs 5-7                                       | Solomon warns about the pitfalls of adultery.   |
| 148 | Proverbs 8-10                                      | Wisdom personified, contrasting righteous & wicked people   |
| 149 | Proverbs 11-14                                     | The benefits of living righteously  |
| 150 | Proverbs 15-18                                     | Wise vs. fools  |
| 151 | Proverbs 19:1-22:16                                | Wise advice   |
| 152 | Proverbs 22:17-25:28                               | Dos & Don'ts for living   |
| 153 | Proverbs 26-29                                     | More wise words about life, etc.  |
| 154 | Proverbs 30-31                                     | Wise words from Agur & Lemuel<br>Acrostic poem about a woman of excellence  |
| 155 | 1 Kings 9:10-11:8<br>2 Chronicles 1:14ff, 8:1-9:28 | Solomon enlarges his kingdom. A visit from the Queen of Sheba<br>Solomon's exploits, acquisitions & compromises                   |
| 156 | Ecclesiastes 1-3                                   | Solomon's quest for meaning & observations on the futility of life  |
| 157 | Ecclesiastes 4-6                                   | Money & power   |
| 158 | Ecclesiastes 7-8                                   | Wisdom & obedience  |
| 159 | Ecclesiastes 9-12                                  | Make the most of life while you can, but remember God.  |
| 160 | Psalms 1, 49 & 112                                 | Anonymous psalms comparing the righteous & the wicked   |
| 161 | Psalms 73, 92, 125 & 146                           | Songs by Asaph & anonymous authors about the fate of the wicked & the righteous   |
| 162 | 1 Kings 11:9-12:24<br>2 Chronicles 9:29-11:4       | The consequences of Solomon's compromises for himself & his son, Rehoboam; 10 tribes break away from Judah & Benjamin             |
| 163 | 1 Kings 12:25-14:31<br>2 Chronicles 11:5-12:16     | King Rehoboam of Israel, his idolatry & confrontation by prophets<br>Rehoboam's corrupt reign, attack by Shishak of Egypt & death |
| 164 | Psalms 44 & 80                                     | The "Sons of Korah" & Asaph describe God's contempt for hypocrisy & foretell the abandonment of His people.                       |
| 165 | Psalms 135 & 115<br>Psalm 83                       | Anonymous songs about the uselessness of idols<br>Asaph's imprecatory prayer against the wicked                                   |
| 166 | 1 Kings 15:1-15<br>2 Chronicles 13-15              | Abijah & Asa follow Rehoboam as kings of Judah.<br>Continued conflict between them and Rehoboam                                   |
| 167 | 1 Kings 15:16-16:28<br>2 Chronicles 16             | King Rehoboam's dynasty ends when Baasha defeats Nadab.<br>Baasha's son Elah is overthrown by Zimri, who's defeated by Omri.      |

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| 168 | 1 Kings 16:29-19:21   | King Ahab, drought in Israel, Elijah & the widow of Zerephath, showdown at Mt. Carmel, Elijah's flight from Jezebel & anointing of Elisha              |
| 169 | Psalms 46, 71, 91 & 111   | Song by the "Sons of Korah" & anonymous songs concerning our security in the protection of God   |
| 170 | 1 Kings 20-21<br>Psalms 10, 94 & 129  | Ahab vs. Benhadad, Naboth's vineyard<br>Anonymous appeals to God for help against oppressors   |
| 171 | 2 Chronicles 17:1-19:3<br>1 Kings 22:1-40                                   | King Ahab of Israel & King Jehoshaphat of Judah<br>Micaiah foretells Ahab's defeat & death.  |
| 172 | 1 Kings 22:51-53 & 2 Kings 1<br>1 Kings 22:41-50<br>2 Chronicles 19:4-20:37 | Elijah & Ahaziah, King of Israel<br>King Jehoshaphat's good reign<br>Defeating God's enemies without weapons   |
| 173 | Psalm 119   | Anonymous acrostic extolling the merits of God's Law   |
| 174 | 2 Kings 8:16-24<br>2 Chronicles 21  | The wicked reign & tragic demise of King Jehoram of Judah  |
| 175 | 2 Kings 2-5   | Elijah is taken to heaven & succeeded by Elisha<br>Joram & Jehoshaphat vs. Mesha of Moab<br>Elisha's care for the people of Israel & healing of Naaman |
| 176 | 2 Kings 6:1-8:15  | Elisha & the king of Israel vs. the Syrians/Arameans<br>Hazeal murders Benhadad to become king of Aram.  |
| 177 | 2 Kings 8:25-10:36<br>2 Chronicles 22:1-9                                   | King Ahaziah of Judah<br>Jehu is anointed & seizes the throne of Israel, killing Jezebel & both royal families.  |
| 178 | 2 Chronicles 22:10-24:27<br>2 Kings 11-12                                   | Athaliah seizes the throne of Judah, and then is overthrown.<br>Josiah's reign, reforms, rebellion & assassination                                     |
| 179 | Joel  | During a time of disaster & distress, God promises His Spirit & restoration  |
| 180 | 2 Kings 13-14<br>2 Chronicles 25  | Jehoahaz, Jehoahash & Jereboam II, kings of Israel; death of Elisha; King Amaziah of Judah   |
| 181 | Jonah   | Jonah's calling, flight, the big fish & Ninevah  |
| 182 | Amos 1-2<br>Psalm 123   | Declarations against the enemies of the Jews<br>Dependence on God in face of ridicule  |
| 183 | Amos 3-6  | God's declaration of judgment against the people of Israel   |
| 184 | Amos 7-9  | The coming destruction of Israel & a promised restoration  |
| 185 | 2 Chronicles 26<br>2 Kings 15:1-7 & Isaiah 6                                | The rise & downfall of Uzziah (Azariah), king of Judah<br>Isaiah's vision/calling at Uzziah's death  |
| 186 | Hosea 1-3   | Hosea & Gomer, prophesy of Israel's punishment & restoration   |
| 187 | Hosea 4-8   | Charges & judgment against unrepentant Israel  |
| 188 | Hosea 9:1-11:11   | Punishment for Israel, God's love  |
| 189 | Hosea 11:12-14:9  | Israel's sin, YHWH's anger; repentance & restoration   |
| 190 | Psalm 50<br>Isaiah 1  | Asaph's psalm of God's correction of His people<br>Intro to Isaiah; YHWH confronts Judah & Jerusalem.  |
| 191 | Micah 1-3   | Judgment against Jerusalem, its leaders & false prophets   |
| 192 | Micah 4-7   | Prophecies regarding the mountain of God, the destruction of Judah, a ruler from Bethlehem & God's lawsuit   |

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| 194 | 2 Kings 15:8-16:20<br>2 Chronicles 27-28<br>Isaiah 7        | A rapid succession of kings of Israel—Zechariah, Shallum, Menahem, Pekahiah & Pekah; Kings Jotham & Ahaz of Judah; Ahaz vs. Pekah & the sign of Immanuel |
| 195 | Isaiah 8-12   | Another son of Isaiah, prophecy concerning Assyria, the promised Child & Branch of Jesse, song of praise   |
| 196 | Isaiah 13:1-14:23 & 21:1-10                                 | Prophecies against Babylon   |
| 197 | Isaiah 14:24-17:14 & 21:11-17                               | Prophecies against Assyria, Philistia, Moab, Syria & Edom  |
| 198 | Isaiah 18-20 & 30-31  | Prophecies against Egypt & Cush and those who rely on them   |
| 199 | Isaiah 22-24  | Prophecies about Jerusalem, Tyre & worldwide destruction   |
| 200 | Isaiah 25-27  | Songs of praise and promise of deliverance for Israel  |
| 201 | Isaiah 28-29  | Judgments against Ephraim & Ariel (Jerusalem)  |
| 202 | Isaiah 32-35  | The righteous king, judgment against the nations & joy of the redeemed   |
| 203 | 2 Kings 17<br>Nahum   | Hoshea, last king of Israel<br>Defeat by Assyria & resettling of the land of Israel by foreigners<br>An oracle against Ninevah, the capital of Syria     |
| 204 | 2 Kings 18:1-16<br>2 Chronicles 29-31                       | Hezekiah's good reign & reforms  |
| 205 | 2 Kings 18:17-19:37<br>2 Chronicles 32:1-23<br>Isaiah 36-37 | Sennacherib's invasion of Jerusalem, Hezekiah's prayer, Isaiah's reassurance & Sennacherib's defeat & death  |
| 206 | 2 Kings 20<br>2 Chronicles 32:24ff<br>Isaiah 38-39          | Hezekiah's illness & healing<br>Envoys from Babylon<br>Isaiah's prophecy of doom because of Hezekiah's showing off                                       |
| 207 | Isaiah 40:1-44:23   | God's superiority over man-made idols<br>The Shepherd of Israel, Servant of YHWH<br>Promises to strengthen, restore & re-gather the Jews                 |
| 208 | Isaiah 44:24-45:25  | God's divine calling for Cyrus, the future king of Persia  |
| 209 | Isaiah 46-48  | False gods of Babylon & that empire's fall<br>God's warning for the Jews to forsake the gods of Babylon & flee   |
| 210 | Isaiah 49-50  | Contrasting Israel's obstinacy & God's Servant's obedience   |
| 211 | Isaiah 51-53  | God's wrath will be poured out on His suffering Servant, so Israel can be forgiven & restored.   |
| 212 | Isaiah 54-55  | God promises to reclaim His forsaken bride & restore her to her former glory.  |
| 213 | Isaiah 56-59  | Accusation against the wicked; comfort for the contrite<br>True fasting; sin, confession & redemption  |
| 214 | Isaiah 60-62  | Rebuilding Zion, God's favor & her new name  |
| 215 | Isaiah 63-66  | God's vengeance & judgment; salvation; new heavens & earth   |
| 216 | 2 Kings 21 & 2 Chronicles 33                                | Manasseh, wicked king of Judah, & his son Amon   |
| 217 | Psalms 42-43 & 120-121                                      | Songs by the "Sons of Korah" & anonymous authors yearning for God & comfort  |

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| 219 | Zephaniah  | The “Day of the Lord”; Israel’s punishment & restoration  |
| 220 | Jeremiah 1:1-3:5   | Jeremiah’s calling & commission by YHWH; Israel’s apostasy  |
| 221 | Jeremiah 3:6-6:30  | Judah & Jerusalem’s treachery & its consequences  |
| 222 | Jeremiah 7-9   | Coming invasion & destruction   |
| 223 | Habakkuk   | Dialog between Habakkuk & God about injustice & God’s remedy  |
| 224 | Jeremiah 10-13   | False gods vs. <i>the</i> God<br>Jeremiah is forbidden to pray for his people<br>The prophet’s complaint; strange illustrations   |
| 225 | Jeremiah 14-17   | Jeremiah’s conversations with God<br>The prophet is forbidden to marry or celebrate with others.  |
| 226 | 2 Kings 23:1-30<br>2 Chronicles 35   | Josiah’s reforms; the great Passover feast<br>Josiah’s foolish war with Pharaoh Necho & the king’s death  |
| 227 | 2 Kings 23:31-24:7<br>2 Chronicles 36:1-8<br>Jeremiah 22 & 26                                  | Josiah’s sons, Jehoahaz & Jehoiakim (originally Eliakim) reign.<br>Jeremiah’s declarations against Josiah’s corrupt descendants<br>His 1 <sup>st</sup> arrest & defense               |
| 228 | Jeremiah 25<br>Jeremiah 46-47  | Israel’s 70-year exile; the cup of God’s wrath against the nations<br>Reassurance to Israel; prophecies against Egypt & Philistia   |
| 229 | Jeremiah 48:1-49:33<br>Obadiah   | Prophecies against Moab, Ammon, Edom, Syria, Kedar & Hazor  |
| 230 | Jeremiah 50:1-51:58  | Prophecies against Babylon  |
| 231 | Jeremiah 35-36 & 45  | The temperate Rechabites<br>Jeremiah dictates to Baruch; Baruch reads the scroll in public.<br>Scribes read to King Jehoiakim, who destroys the scroll.<br>God’s assurances to Baruch |
| 232 | Daniel 1-4   | Daniel & his friends during early years of Nebuchadnezzar’s reign   |
| 233 | 2 Chronicles 36:9-10<br>2 Kings 24:8-17<br>Jeremiah 24 & 29                                    | Jehoiachin’s brief reign<br>Nebuchadnezzar’s 1 <sup>st</sup> invasion & deportation of the Jews<br>Jeremiah’s vision of good & bad figs & a letter to the captives                    |
| 234 | 2 Chronicles 36:11-14<br>2 Kings 24:18-20<br>Jeremiah 27-28 & 23<br>Jeremiah 49:34ff & 51:59ff | Zedekiah begins to reign.<br>“The yoke of Babylon”—Jeremiah’s early prophecies to Zedekiah & his officials; false prophets<br>The destruction of Persia (Elam) & Babylon              |
| 235 | Ezekiel 1-3  | Ezekiel’s vision of the glory of God & His angelic escort<br>The prophet & the scroll; God’s calling as Israel’s watchman   |
| 236 | Ezekiel 4-7  | Ezekiel enacts the siege & destruction of Jerusalem<br>God’s declarations against idolatrous Judah  |
| 237 | Ezekiel 8-11   | Ezekiel’s vision of the Jewish leaders’ idolatry at the temple & the departure of the glory of God; promise of Israel’s restoration   |
| 238 | Ezekiel 12-14  | Dramatization of the exile<br>Condemnation of false prophets & corrupt elders   |
| 239 | Ezekiel 15-17  | Parables of the vine, an adulterous wife & eagles   |
| 240 | Ezekiel 18-21  | Personal responsibility for sin; lament for Israel’s princes<br>Israel’s rebellion, rejection & restoration<br>Judgments against sinful Jews: Fire in the Negev; sword of YHWH        |



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| 241 | Jeremiah 18-21   | The prophet & the potter; warnings to Zedekiah & the people<br>Pashhur imprisons & releases Jeremiah   |
| 242 | Ezekiel 22-24  | Parables of a smelter's furnace, immoral sisters & a boiling pot   |
| 243 | Jeremiah 30-33   | Restoration predicted<br>Jeremiah purchases the potter's field.  |
| 244 | Jeremiah 34 & 37-38  | Jeremiah warns of Zedekiah's impending doom, is imprisoned again, put into a cistern & then rescued.   |
| 245 | Ezekiel 29-32  | Ezekiel's visions over several years concerning Egypt & Pharaoh  |
| 246 | Ezekiel 25-28  | Ezekiel's prophecies against Ammon, Moab, Edom, Tyre & Sidon<br>Tyre's ruler portrayed as Lucifer  |
| 247 | 2 Chronicles 36:15-21<br>Jeremiah 52:1-30<br>2 Kings 25:1-21 | Nebuchadnezzar's defeat, capture & sentence of Zedekiah<br>The destruction of Jerusalem & deportation of the Jews  |
| 248 | Lamentations   | Jeremiah's dirge over Jerusalem  |
| 249 | Psalms 74, 79, 89<br>Psalm 137                               | Asaph & Ethan the Ezrahite foretell the fall of Jerusalem.<br>Captive Israelites mourn the destruction of Jerusalem.   |
| 250 | Ezekiel 33-35  | Ezekiel's instructions as watchman over Israel<br>News of the fall of Jerusalem<br>Prophecies against corrupt shepherds & Edom for exploiting Jews   |
| 251 | Jeremiah 39-41<br>2 Kings 25:22-26                           | Gedaliah is appointed governor over Judah & then assassinated.   |
| 252 | Jeremiah 42-44   | Remaining Jews flee to Egypt, against Jeremiah's counsel to stay   |
| 253 | Ezekiel 36-39  | Restoration of Israel & the valley of dry bones<br>Gog & Magog defeated & disposed of  |
| 254 | Psalms 85 & 102<br><br>Psalms 88 & 116                       | Song by the "Sons of Korah" & anonymous lament appealing for God to restore the temple & the fortunes of His people<br>Heman the Ezrahite & an anonymous author sing about being in the pits & God's rescue. |
| 255 | Ezekiel 40-43  | The new temple & return of God's glory to Jerusalem  |
| 256 | Ezekiel 44-46  | The Prince, the priests, sacrifices & instructions   |
| 257 | Ezekiel 47-48  | A life-giving river; dimensions & division of the land   |
| 258 | 2 Kings 25:27-30<br>Jeremiah 52:31-34<br>Daniel 7-8 & 5      | King Jehoiachin's release from prison by King Evil-Merodach<br>Daniel's visions during Belshazzar's reign; a fatal feast   |
| 259 | Daniel 6 & 9-12  | Daniel in the lions' den<br>Daniel's prayer for the restoration of the Jews to their land<br>Visions during the reigns of Cyrus the Persian & Darius the Mede  |
| 260 | 2 Chronicles 36:22-23<br>Ezra 1-3                            | Cyrus the Great's decree to rebuild the temple<br>Return of the exiles & beginning to rebuild the temple   |
| 261 | 1 Chronicles 2-5   | Genealogies of Judah, Simeon, Reuben, Gad & Manasseh   |
| 262 | 1 Chronicles 6-9   | Genealogies of Levi, Issachar, Benjamin, Naphtali, the rest of Manasseh, Ephraim & Asher; returnees after the exile  |
| 263 | Ezra 4<br>Hagai<br>Zechariah 1:1-6                           | Enemies of the Jews contact Ahasuerus (Cyaxeres the Mede) & get Artaxerxes (Pseudo-Smerdis) to halt temple construction.<br>YHWH encourages the Jews through Hagai & Zechariah.                              |

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| 264 | Ezra 5-6   | The people begin to rebuild, referring to Cyrus' decree. After Darius' librarians find it, he orders a halt to the opposition.  |
| 265 | Zechariah 1:7-2:13   | Visions of the man among the myrtles, 4 horns & 4 craftsmen, & the measurement of Jerusalem   |
| 266 | Zechariah 3-6  | Encouragement for Joshua the priest & Zerubbabel the governor<br>Visions of a lamp stand w/ 2 olive trees, the flying scroll, Wickedness w/ her attendants & 4 chariots   |
| 267 | Zechariah 7-10   | Facetious & genuine fasting; judgment against Zion's enemies<br>The coming King brings restoration.   |
| 268 | Zechariah 11-14  | Confronting Judah's shepherds—wicked leaders<br>Mourning for the One who was pierced<br>Cleansing the land; victorious reign of YHWH  |
| 269 | Esther 1-2   | Ahasuerus (Xerxes I) replaces Queen Vashti with Esther. Mordecai uncovers & reveals an assassination plot.  |
| 270 | Esther 3-6   | The plot of Haman to exterminate the Jews<br>Esther's fast, courageous appearance & feast<br>Mordecai's honor at Haman's expense  |
| 271 | Esther 7-10  | Haman's plot is exposed & he is executed.<br>Esther & Mordecai turn the tables & establish the feast of Purim.  |
| 272 | Ezra 7-10  | Ezra & other Levites come to Jerusalem, as authorized by Artaxerxes (Longimanus), & make reforms.   |
| 273 | Nehemiah 1-3   | Nehemiah gets permission from Artaxerxes to rebuild the wall.   |
| 274 | Nehemiah 4-7   | The wall is rebuilt & the people return, in spite of opposition.  |
| 275 | Nehemiah 8-10  | The people's response to the Law, sending away foreign wives  |
| 276 | Nehemiah 11-13   | Populating Jerusalem & dedicating the wall; Nehemiah's reforms  |
| 277 | Malachi  | A loving God confronts His people, preparing them for His coming.   |
| 278 | Luke 1 & Matthew 1<br>Luke 2:1-38 & Matthew 2<br>Luke 2:39-52  | Angelic announcements of John's & Jesus' conception<br>Jesus' birth, the shepherds' visit, dedication at the temple, wise men's visit & flight to Egypt; young Jesus at the temple  |
| 279 | John 1:1-28, Matthew 3,<br>Mark 1:1-11 & Luke 3                | Jesus' baptism  |
| 280 | Mark 1:12-13, Luke 4:1-13<br>Matthew 4:1-11                    | Jesus' 40-day fast & temptation by the devil  |
| 281 | John 1:29--4:45  | Jesus' 1 <sup>st</sup> disciples: Andrew, John, Peter, Philip & Nathaniel<br>Jesus turns water into wine at a wedding in Cana of Galilee.<br>During Passover, Jesus cleanses the temple.<br>Encounters with Nicodemus & a Samaritan woman |
| 282 | John 4:46-54<br>Luke 5:1-11<br>Mark 1:14-20<br>Matthew 4:12-25 | Jesus returns to Galilee, where He is received with enthusiasm.<br>In Cana, Jesus heals the son of a government official.<br>While preaching at the sea of Galilee, Jesus invites Peter, Andrew, James & John to become "fishers of men." |
| 283 | Matthew 5-7  | The Sermon on the Mount, according to Matthew   |
| 284 | Luke 6:17ff, 11:1-13 & 33-36,<br>12:13-34                      | Some of the same material as the Sermon on the Mount dispersed throughout Luke's Gospel   |

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| 285 | Luke 4:31-44, 5:12-16, 7:1-17 & 36ff; Mark 1:21-45; Matthew 8:1-17                                    | At Capernaum, Jesus delivers a man at the synagogue. He heals a leper, a Centurian's servant, Peter's mother-in-law & others. A dead man is raised in Nain; a 'sinful woman' is forgiven.   |
| 286 | Matthew 8:18ff<br>Mark 4:35-5:20<br>Luke 9:57-62, 14:25ff, 8:22-39                                    | The cost of discipleship<br>Jesus calms the sea, & then delivers demon-possessed men in territory of the Garasenes.   |
| 287 | Matthew 9:1-17<br>Mark 2:1-22<br>Luke 5:17ff  | When He returns to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, Jesus forgives & heals a paralyzed man. He calls Matthew/Levi & is criticized for eating w/ 'tax collectors & sinners.' John's disciples & the Pharisees question Him about fasting. |
| 288 | Luke 8:40ff<br>Mark 5:21-43<br>Matthew 9:18-34  | Healing of the woman with the chronic bleeding problem, Jairus' daughter, blind men & a demonized man   |
| 289 | Luke 6:12-16, 7:18-35, 9:1-6, 10:1-24, 12:2-12 & 49-53<br>Mark 3:13-19 & 6:7-13<br>Matthew 9:35-11:30 | Jesus names & sends out the 12 disciples & later the 70.<br>John, in prison, sends messengers to Jesus.<br>Woes against unrepentant cities.   |
| 290 | John 5<br>Matthew 12:1-14<br>Mark 2:23-3:6<br>Luke 6:1-11   | Jesus returns to Jerusalem for another Passover, where He heals a lame man at the pool of Bethesda, then deals w/ Jewish critics.<br>The disciples pick grain; Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath.<br>Healing the man with a withered hand          |
| 291 | Matthew 12:15ff<br>Mark 3:7-12 & 20ff<br>Luke 6:17-19; 8:19-21 & 11:14-32                             | Jesus heals & delivers.<br>Jews say He's working with Beelzebul; His family thinks He's crazy.  |
| 292 | Mark 4:1-34; Matthew 13:1-52<br>Luke 8:1-18 & 13:18-21  | Jesus teaches about the kingdom of heaven in parables—using farmers, seeds, lamps, salt, weeds, yeast, treasures & fish.  |
| 293 | Matthew 13:53-14:36<br>Mark 6:1-6 & 14-56<br>Luke 4:14-30 & 9:7-17<br>John 6:1-21                     | Jesus is rejected in Nazareth.<br>John's death is recounted.<br>Jesus feeds 5000+ with a few loaves & fish.<br>Jesus walks on water & challenges Peter to join Him.   |
| 294 | John 6:22-7:1<br>Matthew 15:1-31<br>Mark 7 & Luke 11:37ff   | Jesus shakes up the Jews with His Bread of Life teaching.<br>Jesus confronts the Jewish leaders about hypocritical practices.<br>Faith of the Canaanite woman; healing a deaf & dumb man  |
| 295 | Matthew 15:32-16:28<br>Mark 8:1-9:1<br>Luke 12:1 & 9:18-27  | Jesus feeds 4000+ with a few loaves & fish.<br>When a sign is demanded, Jesus refuses & warns against the 'yeast of the Pharisees.'<br>Peter declares that Jesus is Messiah.<br>Jesus foretells His death & rebukes Satan when Peter objects. |
| 296 | Matthew 17<br>Mark 9:2-32<br>Luke 9:28-45   | The transfiguration, a demonized boy & miraculous provision for paying the temple tax   |
| 297 | Matthew 18<br>Mark 9:33ff<br>Luke 9:46-56, 15 & 17:1-4  | Greatness in God's kingdom & forgiveness; our responsibility to others; dealing with competition & opposition<br>Parables of lost sheep, coins & sons   |

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| 298 | John 7:2-10:21   | Teaching at the temple during the Feast of Tabernacles—Living Water, Light of the World, Abraham’s children & Good Shepherd<br>A woman caught in adultery is forgiven.<br>A man born blind is healed & then excommunicated.  |
| 299 | Luke 10:25ff, 13:1-17<br>John 10:22ff  | The Good Samaritan; Mary & Martha<br>Conflicts with the Jews intensify, as Jesus confronts sin & heals on the Sabbath. At the Feast of Dedication (Hanukkah), Jesus is almost stoned for saying He is one with the Father.   |
| 300 | Luke 13:22-14:24 & 16<br>John 11<br>Luke 17:11-19                                    | Parables of the narrow door, a wedding banquet, a shrewd business manager & Lazarus the leper vs. the rich man<br>Lazarus of Bethany dies & is brought to life by Jesus 4 days later.<br>Jesus heals 10 lepers, but only one returns to thank Him.                 |
| 301 | Matthew 19:1-20:16<br>Mark 10:1-31<br>Luke 18:1-30                                   | Jesus teaches about divorce, blesses children & encounters the rich young ruler.<br>Parables of the workers in the field, the persistent widow & the Pharisee vs. the tax collector  |
| 302 | Matthew 20:17ff<br>Mark 10:32ff<br>Luke 18:31-19:10                                  | For a 3 <sup>rd</sup> time, Jesus foretells His suffering, death & resurrection.<br>James, John & their mother request positions of honor.<br>Blind men see & Zacchaeus is saved, as Jesus goes thru’ Jericho.   |
| 303 | Matthew 21:1-22<br>Mark 11:1-25<br>Luke 17:5-10 & 19:28ff<br>John 12:12-19           | The triumphal entry, followed by Jesus cleansing the temple again.<br>The cursed fig tree & a lesson in faith  |
| 304 | Matthew 21:23ff<br>Mark 11:26-12:12<br>Luke 20:1-19                                  | Jewish leaders question Jesus’ authority, then He tells the parables of 2 sons & the landowner vs. the tenants   |
| 305 | Matthew 22<br>Mark 12:13-37<br>Luke 20:20-44<br>John 12:20-36                        | Jesus’ teachings during the Feast: the wedding banquet, paying tribute, marriage & the resurrection, the greatest commandments   |
| 306 | John 12:37ff<br>Matthew 23<br>Luke 20:45-21:4<br>Mark 12:38-44                       | Unbelief of the Jews & woes on the religious leaders<br>The widow’s offering   |
| 307 | Matthew 24:1-31<br>Mark 13:1-27<br>Luke 21:5-28                                      | End-times prophecies   |
| 308 | Mark 13:28ff<br>Matthew 24:32-25:46<br>Luke 12:35-48, & 54-56,<br>17:20ff & 19:11-27 | Parables of the fig tree, the thief, the unwise steward, 10 virgins, the talents/minas & the sheep vs. goats   |
| 309 | Matthew 26:1-35<br>Mark 14:1-31<br>Luke 22:1-38<br>John 12:1-11 & 13:1-38            | At a banquet hosted by Simon the leper 2 days before Passover, Mary (Lazarus’ sister) anoints Jesus. Judas takes offense & agrees to betray Jesus to the Jews. At the Last Supper, Jesus washes the disciples’ feet. He predicts His abandonment & Peter’s denial. |

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| 310 | John 14-17  | On the way to Gethsemane, Jesus comforts His disciples, explains the vine principle, promises His return & the ministry of the Holy Spirit, then prays for them.  |
| 311 | Matthew 26:36ff<br>Mark 14:32ff<br>Luke 22:39ff<br>John 18:1-27       | Jesus prays in the Garden of Gethsemane. He is betrayed by Judas & arrested. Jesus heals the man whose ear is cut off, then the disciples flee. Jesus' trial before the Jews & Peter's denial.  |
| 312 | Matthew 27<br>Mark 15<br>Luke 23<br>John 18:28-19:42                  | Judas returns his blood money, & then hangs himself. The Jews buy the Potter's field. Jesus' trials before Pontius Pilate & Herod His scourging, crucifixion, death & burial  |
| 313 | Matthew 28:1-15,<br>Mark 16:1-14,<br>Luke 24:1-43 & John 20           | As promised, Jesus is raised from the dead 3 days later. Jewish leaders bribe the soldiers guarding the tomb to lie about it. Jesus appears to the women & His followers.   |
| 314 | John 21<br>Matthew 28:16ff; Mark 16:15ff<br>Luke 24:44ff; Acts 1:1-11 | Jesus' restoration of Peter. The Lord's final instructions before He ascends into heaven.   |
| 315 | Acts 1:12-2:47  | Judas' replacement is chosen. At Pentecost, those in the Upper Room are filled with the Spirit. Peter's sermon & the conversion of 3,000; early church fellowship   |
| 316 | Acts 3-5  | Healing a lame beggar & facing the Sanhedrin The believers share all, but Ananias & Saphira are killed for lying. More persecution  |
| 317 | Acts 6-8  | Following a dispute over food distribution, 7 deacons are chosen. Deacon Stephen's arrest, testimony & stoning The ministry of the deacon, Phillip the evangelist   |
| 318 | Acts 9:1-11:18  | Saul's conversion & early witnessing Peter raises Dorcas & witnesses to the centurion, Cornelius.   |
| 319 | Acts 11:19-14:28  | The church in Antioch James & Peter are arrested. James is killed, but Peter escapes. Paul & Barnabus embark on their 1 <sup>st</sup> missionary journey—to Cyprus, Psidian Antioch, Iconium, Lystra & Derbe.                                       |
| 320 | Acts 15-17  | The council at Jerusalem regarding Gentile Christians A dispute over John Mark separates Paul & Barnabus. Paul & Silas begin a 2 <sup>nd</sup> missionary journey—to Derbe, Lystra, Philippi, Thessalonica, Berea & Athens. Timothy joins the team. |
| 321 | James 1-3   | James, brother of Jesus, writes about trials/temptations, hearing vs. doing, favoritism, faith vs. works, taming the tongue & wisdom  |
| 322 | James 4-5   | Submitting to God & resisting the devil, assumptions about the future, warning the rich, perseverance & prayers of faith  |
| 323 | Galatians 1:1-4:7   | Paul confronts legalism, defends his credentials & explains grace through faith in Christ vs. the Law.  |
| 324 | Galatians 4:8-6:18  | Paul warns about circumcision, using Hagar & Sarah to illustrate slavery under the Law vs. freedom in salvation by grace. Living by the flesh vs. living by the Spirit  |

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| 325 | 1 Thessalonians                        | Paul's 1 <sup>st</sup> letter to the Thessalonian church, after leaving the city—living the pure life, the 2 <sup>nd</sup> coming & miscellaneous instructions                                     |
| 326 | 2 Thessalonians                        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> letter to Thessalonica—antichrist, perseverance & laziness   |
| 327 | Acts 18-19                             | More of Paul's 2 <sup>nd</sup> journey—to Corinth & Ephesus<br>Priscilla, Aquila & Apollos   |
| 328 | 1 Corinthians 1-4                      | Paul's 1 <sup>st</sup> letter to the church in Corinth—Divisions in the church, divine wisdom & spiritual leaders  |
| 329 | 1 Corinthians 5-7                      | Church discipline, lawsuits, sexual immorality vs. godly marriage  |
| 330 | 1 Corinthians 8-10                     | To eat or not to eat, apostolic privileges, lessons from Israel  |
| 331 | 1 Corinthians 11-14                    | Guidelines for worship & the Lord's Supper<br>Gifts of the Spirit & their proper function; <i>agape</i> love   |
| 332 | 1 Corinthians 15-16<br>Acts 20:1-21:14 | The resurrection of Christ & believers; giving; personal requests<br>Traveling back through Macedonia & Greece, Paul raises Eutychus from the dead & the Holy Spirit warns of trials in Jerusalem. |
| 333 | 2 Corinthians 1-3                      | Paul's 2 <sup>nd</sup> letter to the Corinthians—regarding God's comfort; a change in Paul's plans; forgiving the sinner; the new covenant   |
| 334 | 2 Corinthians 4-7                      | Containers of God's grace; our heavenly homes; ministry of reconciliation; being unequally yoked<br>Paul describes his hardships for the Gospel & justifies his 1 <sup>st</sup> letter.            |
| 335 | 2 Corinthians 8-9                      | Principles of giving; the offering for the church in Jerusalem   |
| 336 | 2 Corinthians 10-13                    | Paul gives his credentials & urges reforms before his 3 <sup>rd</sup> visit.   |
| 337 | Romans 1-4                             | Paul introduces himself & his message to the believers in Rome.  |
| 338 | Romans 5-8                             | Our legacies of death & life in Adam & Christ; marriage illustration; walking by the flesh vs. walking by the Spirit   |
| 339 | Romans 9-11                            | God's choice of the Jews; their rebellion & promised restoration   |
| 340 | Romans 12-16                           | Spiritual gifts, love, submission to authorities, deference to weaker-willed believers; Paul's ministry, plans to visit Rome & greetings   |
| 341 | Acts 21:15-23:35                       | Rioting in Jerusalem; Paul's arrest & testimony before the Jews; assassination plot & move to Felix's palace   |
| 342 | Acts 24-26                             | Paul's testimony before Felix, Festus, Agrippa & Bernice   |
| 343 | Acts 27-28<br>Philemon                 | Paul's trip to Rome & 2-year imprisonment<br>Paul writes to Philemon, appealing for the freedom of Onesimus, the runaway slave who came to him while he was in Rome.                               |
| 344 | Ephesians 1-3                          | Paul's encouragement, thanksgiving & prayers for the Ephesians<br>Our life & unity in Christ; Paul's ministry  |
| 345 | Ephesians 4-6                          | Christian lifestyle; domestic instructions; armor of God   |
| 346 | Colossians                             | Paul's prayers & thanks for the believers in Colosse<br>Christ's divine role & nature; Paul's ministry & message<br>Christian lifestyle; domestic instructions                                     |
| 347 | Philippians                            | Paul's encouragement from prison to the believers in Philippi<br>Imitate Christ's humility & look forward to exaltation w/ Him.<br>Paul's helpers, his credentials, challenges & joy               |
| 348 | 1 Timothy 1-3                          | Paul's 1 <sup>st</sup> letter of encouragement & instruction to Timothy at Ephesus regarding false teachers vs. godly instruction, proper worship & choosing leaders                               |

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| 349 | 1 Timothy 4-6            | Dealing w/ various people & circumstances, godly conduct   |
| 350 | Titus                    | Paul's instructions to Titus at Crete—how to select leaders & what should be taught in the church  |
| 351 | 1 Peter                  | Peter's 1 <sup>st</sup> letter of instruction to believers scattered abroad regarding our hope & status in Christ, holy living, submission to authorities, domestic instructions & godly leadership  |
| 352 | 2 Timothy                | Paul's 2 <sup>nd</sup> letter encouraging Timothy regarding faithfulness, godly living & good leadership, followed by personal requests & farewell   |
| 353 | 2 Peter                  | Peter's 2 <sup>nd</sup> letter to believers—making sure we are in the faith, Biblical prophecy vs. false prophets, the Day of the Lord   |
| 354 | Hebrews 1:1-4:13         | Teachings geared toward Jews from an anonymous author concerning Christ's supremacy to men (including Moses) & angels Sabbath rest for the faithful vs. destruction for the unbelieving  |
| 355 | Hebrews 4:14-6:20        | Jesus is our perfect High Priest.  |
| 356 | Hebrews 7-10             | More about Christ's priesthood—"in the order of Melchizedek"—minister of a new covenant & worship better than before   |
| 357 | Hebrews 11-13            | Examples of faith in action; God's discipline & our response   |
| 358 | Jude<br>2 John<br>3 John | Jude, another brother of Jesus, cites Old Testament examples of God's judgment, & urges believers to persevere in faith. John tells a woman to love all, but be careful whom she listens to. He encourages Gaius to continue showing hospitality to traveling ministers, warns against a prideful man & commends a good one. |
| 359 | 1 John                   | John testifies concerning Christ, the Word of life & His cleansing, atoning work; loving God vs. the world, antichrist, living & loving as children of God, testing the spirits, advantages of faith in Christ   |
| 360 | Revelation 1-3           | John introduces a series of end-times visions—beginning w/ a revelation of Christ in His glorified state, relaying messages to the leaders of 7 Asian churches: Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia & Laodicea.  |
| 361 | Revelation 4-7           | In the throne room of heaven, the Lamb breaks the 1 <sup>st</sup> 6 of 7 seals—unleashing 4 riders, revealing martyrs & causing disasters. 144,000 righteous Jews from 11 of the tribes of Israel are sealed. Saints "from every nation, tribe, people & language" worship Jesus.  |
| 262 | Revelation 8-11          | The 7 <sup>th</sup> seal is broken & 7 trumpets are sounded, unleashing even more terrifying disasters on the earth, sea & sky. The angel & the little scroll; two powerful witnesses  |
| 363 | Revelation 12-14         | A vision of a woman & a dragon, followed by 2 beasts. The 144K join Jesus; Babylon's fall is foretold; the earth is reaped.  |
| 364 | Revelation 15-18         | 7 bowls unleash God's wrath on the kingdom of the beast; an army gathers to fight against God. Babylon is revealed & defeated.   |
| 365 | Revelation 19-22         | Jesus comes w/ the armies of heaven to defeat the beast's forces. Satan is bound, while Christ reigns w/ His saints for 1000 years, & then is released to be defeated for good. Final judgment; the new heavens & earth  |