

TRUE & FALSE WITH THE BIBLE

TRUE or FALSE?

THE BIBLE WAS BASICALLY PASSED DOWN VERBALLY THROUGH CAMPFIRE STORIES AND FAMILY LEGEND.

FALSE! The Bible was passed down through the Masoretes (scholarly Jewish scribes) who set up safeguards insuring it's accuracy. The Dead Sea Scrolls discovery in 1947 (300 BC to 70 AD) confirmed the Bible (KJV) is nearly 100% accurate!

THE BIBLE IS JUST A BUNCH OF SUPERSTITIOUS STORIES AND FABLES WRITTEN BY MERE MEN. Ok, God divinely used

FALSE! 40 humans from diverse nations, times and backgrounds to write the Bible. It's deeply rooted in archaeological fact, prophecy and gives clear descriptions of the life and ministry of Christ up to thousands of years before his birth!

SCIENCE SHOWS IT AS A ANCIENT PRIMITIVE BOOK.

FALSE! The Bible contains many scientific and historical facts. Such as the earth being a sphere in a free float in space, thousands of years before Copernicus! (Job 26:7) It also established the fact that life is in the blood contrary to the popular bloodletting practices in past history. (Lev. 17:11)

THE BIBLE IS A TRUSTWORTHY ACCURATE SUPER-NATURAL RECORD OF GOD'S PLAN FOR ALL PEOPLE.

TRUE! The Bible was designed by God for all people to know him and his loving plan of salvation for us.

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Here's a intro to my life story.

"I lived to drink and drank to live. Living like that nearly cost me my life, in a serious drinking accident. The police that found me were writing up the D.O.A. report when I rolled over out of a pool of blood and passed out. The next day I laid in a hospital bed simply thankful to be alive. That's what it took for me to realize things needed to change." It all started with a simple prayer, God help me to change and show me why I can't change...



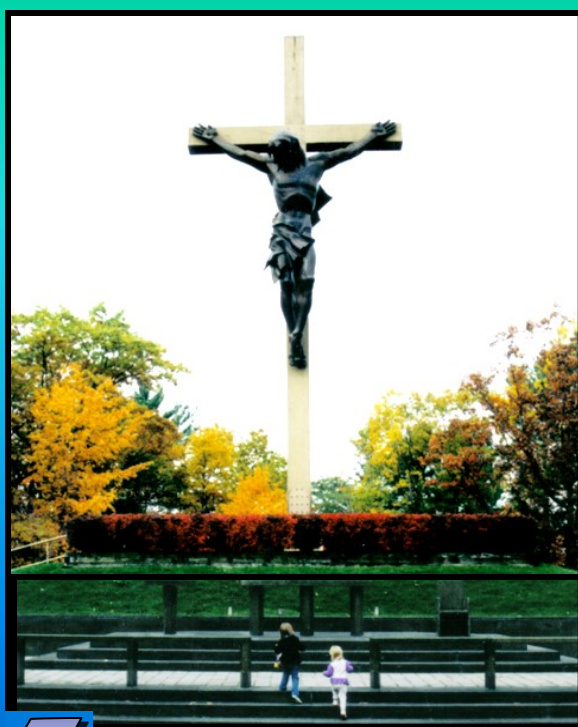
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5 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT JESUS.

1. He is the Creator.

John 1:3 - "Through him all things were made"

2. He is the Only Way to God.

Acts 4:12 - "Salvation is found in no one else"

3. He is the Image of God.

Col. 1:15 - "He is the image of the invisible God"

4. He is the Judge.

2 Tim. 4:1 - "... (He) will judge the living and the dead"

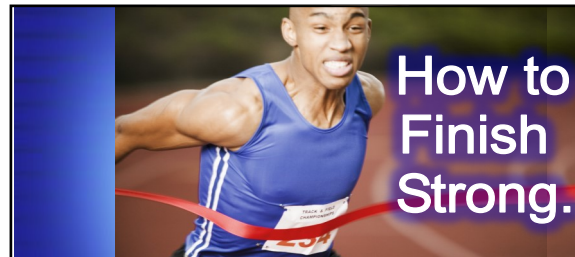
5. He Loves You & Died for You.

Rom. 5:8 - "God demonstrated his own love toward us that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us"

GOD'S FORGIVENESS IS COMPLETE

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness" (1 John 1:9)

"It is I, yes, I alone- am the one who blots out your sins for my own sake and will never think of them again." (Isaiah 43:25)



How to Finish Strong.

† LET GOD BE LORD OF YOUR MIND.

"Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ."

(2 Corinthians 10:5)

Changing your mind takes work and focus on Christ.

"Whatever is true, whatever is honest, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable; if anything is excellent or praise-worthy, think on these things." (Philippians 4:8)

HOW TO STAND STRONG FOR CHRIST.

God will help you get out of tempting situations.

"But remember that the temptations that come into your life are no different from what others experience. And God is faithful. He will keep the temptation from becoming so strong that you can't stand up against it. When you are tempted, he will show you a way out so that you will not give in to it."

(1 Corinthians 10:13)

LEARN THE BIBLE.

"Study to show yourself approved unto God, a workman that does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." (2 Timothy 2:15)

Reading the Bible renews your mind spiritually.

"And be not conformed to this world: but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God." (Rom. 12:2)

PRAY AND MAKE TIME FOR GOD EVERYDAY.

"I love them that love me and those who seek me early shall find me." (Proverbs 8:17)

Don't give up on God, the reward is worth the fight.

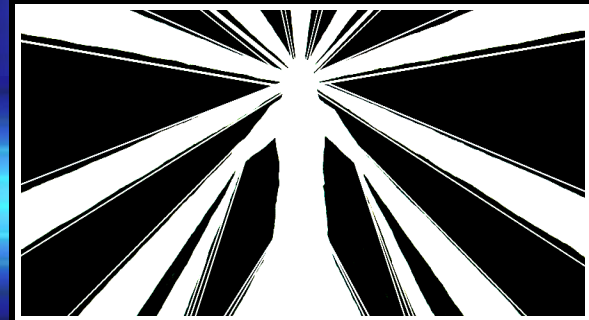
(In Heaven) "God shall wipe away all tears from your eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: the former things are passed away." (Revelation 21:4)

"The world and it's desires will pass away, but the man who does the will of God lives forever."

1 John 2:17

Christian Survival Guide

The Bible Basics Manual



John 8:12 - Jesus said, "I am the light of the world, he who follows me will not stumble in darkness but will have the light of life."

Dear friend,

In the past I lived a life full of sin and was slipping further and further into darkness. When I discovered Jesus, I knew I found the light of life.

In this flyer you'll find...

- **The Basics with God.**
- **True & False with the Bible.**
- **5 Facts About Jesus.**
- **Gifts of the Holy Spirit.**
- **The Bible's text on Satan.**
- **An Intro to my Life Story.**

Jesus Christ and his word, the Bible will lead you on the path of life are you ready to follow Him? God bless you on your journey,

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The Basics with God.

† HOW TO GET RIGHT WITH GOD.

"That if you shall **confess** with your mouth Jesus is Lord, and shall **believe in your heart** that God has raised him from the dead, you shall be saved. For with the heart man believes unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation." **(Romans 10:9-10)**

A. Admit your sin.
(Romans 3:23)

B. Believe in Jesus Christ
as your Savior. (Act 4:12)

C. Confess your sins and
turn from them. (Luke 13:5)

ASK GOD TO MAKE YOU BORN AGAIN.

Jesus said, "The truth is, no one can enter the Kingdom of God without being born of water and the Spirit. Humans can reproduce only human life, but the Holy Spirit gives new life from heaven." **(John 3:5-6)**

YOU ARE SAVED BY YOUR FAITH

NOT BY HOW GOOD YOU ARE.

"Therefore, being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ" **(Rom. 5:1)**

GOING TO CHURCH IS A MUST.

Try out a few Churches until one fits, then get involved.

"Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another- and all the more as you see the day His return approaching." **(Hebrews 10:25)**

GET BAPTIZED.

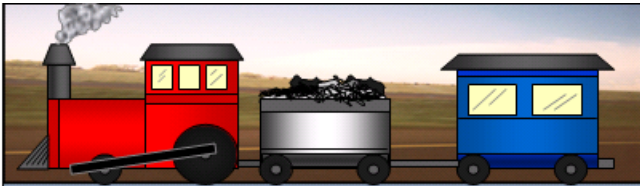
"Go therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit:" **(Matthew 28:19)**

OBEY THE LORD AND LIVE FOR HIM.

"Those who claim they belong to the Lord must turn from all wickedness." **(1 Timothy 2:19)**

Because it is written, "Be holy; for I am holy."
(1 Peter 1:16)

"Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature, the old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. **(2 Corinthians 5:17)**



Faith Fact Feeling

Sometimes we may feel like "I'm not saved anymore" but the Bible says God is committed to us and if we repent and come back to Him, God forgives our sins and then forgets them! See (Isaiah 43:25) Feelings will often betray us, facts can at times breed doubt but faith can move mountains. The Holy Spirit will lead us to repent from sin urge us back to God but Satan delights in causing guilt, and condemnation. Who is Satan?

Satan is our worst enemy and accuser.
He is a real threat to our faith in Christ.

The Bible tells us how to fight him and win.

"Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walks about, seeking whom he may devour." **(1 Peter 5:8)**

"Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you." **(James 4:7)**

Satan is a liar and is the voice of accusation and discouragement.

"The devil was a murderer from the beginning and has always hated the truth. There is no truth in him. When he lies, it is consistent with his character; for he is a liar and the father of lies." **(John 8:44)**

Avoid temptation, be honest w/ friends, follow God not man.

"Don't be joined up with those who are unbelievers. How can goodness be a partner with wickedness? How can light live with darkness? What harmony can there be between Christ and the Devil?" **(2 Corinthians 6:14-15)**

Christian's don't have a right to sin. To love him is to obey him.

"But cowards who turn away from me, and unbelievers, and the corrupt, and murderers, and the fornicators, (sex before marriage) and those who practice witchcraft, and idol worshipers, and all liars- their doom is in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur. This is the second death." **(Revelation 21:8)**

At death we will all stand before God and explain our lives to him.

"So then, each of us will give an account of himself to God." **(Romans 14:12)**

We have the power to bind demonic forces and send them away.

"...whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven."
(Matthew 16:19)



Who is the Holy Spirit?

He's the Spirit of God, a.k.a. the Holy Ghost. He is our helper, guide, close friend and source of power.

"Having believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession, to the praise of his glory." **(Eph. 1:13,14)**

Baptism of the Holy Spirit

It's the igniting of power & working of God's gifts.

He (Jesus) shall baptize you with the **Holy Spirit** and with **fire.**" **(Luke 3:16)**

(How do I get the baptism of the Holy Spirit?)

Ask the Lord for it.

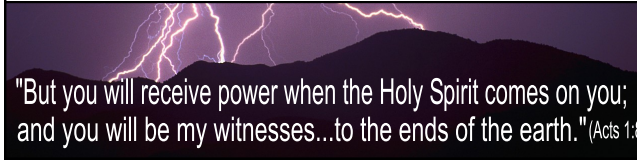
"If you sinful people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him." **(Luke 11:13)**

Still don't have it? Turn to God completely.

"Each of you must turn from your sins and turn to God, and be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. Then you will receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit." **(Acts 2:38)**

Have a trustworthy follower of God pray for you.

"When Paul laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them: they spoke with tongues, and prophesied." **(Acts 19:6)**



"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses...to the ends of the earth." **(Acts 1:8)**

(What's speaking in tongues, is that bad?)

It may seem strange but is good and given from God. It is a prayer language that connects to God for us.

"I would like every one of you to speak in tongues, but I would rather have you prophesy." **(1 Corinthians 14:5)**

"Do not forbid speaking in tongues. But everything should be done in a fitting and orderly way. **(1 Cor. 14:39-40)**

Trying to be a Christian without the Holy Spirit can lead to dry religion & frustrating powerlessness.

"To be carnally (sinfully) minded is death but to be spiritually minded is life and peace." **(Romans 8:6)**

Living with the Holy Spirit gives us these qualities.

"But the fruit of the Spirit is **love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self control**: against such there is no law. And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts" **(Galatians 5:22-24)**

Gifts of the Holy Spirit

"For to one is given by the Spirit the gifts of:

- + **Word of wisdom;** (Words of wise counsel from God)
- + **Word of knowledge** (A word of insight from God)
- + **Faith** (Great faith, that stirs others and trusts God)
- + **Gifts of healing** (By prayer the sick can be healed)
- + **Working of miracles;** (God can do the impossible)
- + **Prophecy;** (One who hears/gives words from God)
- + **Discerning of spirits;** (Awareness of spiritual)
- + **Different kinds of tongues;** (Prayer languages)
- + **Interpretation of tongues;** (Understanding tongues)

"It is the one and only Holy Spirit who distributes these gifts. He alone decides which gift each person should have." **(1 Corinthians 12:8-11)**

Grow in God's Gifts.



Many of God's gifts are practical like these below.

"God has given each of us the ability to do certain things well. So if God has given you the ability to **prophesy**, speak out when you have faith that God is speaking through you. If your gift is that of **serving others**, serve them well. If you are a **teacher**, do a good job of teaching. If your gift is to **encourage** others, do it! If you have money, **share** it generously. If God has given you **leadership** ability, take the responsibility seriously. And if you have a gift for showing **kindness** to others, do it gladly." **(Romans 12:5-9)**

There's also gifts, services and workings, or practical & spiritual abilities, management & operations.

There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit. There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. There are different kinds of working, but the same God works all of them in all men. **(1 Corinthians 12:4-5)**

This verse is called the "five fold ministry".

"And he gave some to be, **apostles**; some, **prophets**; some, **evangelists**; some, **pastors** and **teachers**; For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ-" **(Ephesians 4:11-13)**

- + **Apostles** (Church/ministry builder, sent by God)
- + **Prophets** (Hears and gives words from God)
- + **Evangelists** (Excels sharing the gospel)
- + **Pastors** (Leaders and overseers of the church)
- + **Teachers** (Gifted in educating others)

True Holy Spirit power will point people towards Jesus and will give glory to God not man.