

THE TWELVE APOSTLES OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

Amos in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Amos sings in praise of God's promise of _____. Jude 24

Obadiah in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Obadiah sings in praise of God's promise of _____. Rom 6:14

Jonah in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Jonah stumbles at God's lovingkindness to outsiders, but sings in praise of a _____.

Minor Prophets Life Survey 3. God's election of the church, the Gentile bride of Jesus, does not mean the _____ of Israel, God's people.

_____ IN THEOLOGY

• Jonah is a type of the history of Israel • Jonah is a type of Jesus himself • Jonah is a type of the death-burial and resurrection of Christ • Jonah is a type of us believers called to preach to the lost

Micah in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Micah sings in praise of God's promise of _____.

Two proofs of the Bible: _____.

Nahum in Three Words: _____.

Thesis: Nahum sings in praise of God's promise of the enemy's _____.

Habakkuk in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Habakkuk sings in praise of God's promised _____.

Zephaniah in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Zephaniah sings in praise of God's promise of _____.

Minor Prophets Life Survey 4. If God cannot be _____, then he does not truly love.

Haggai in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Haggai sings in praise of God's promise of _____.

Minor Prophets Life Survey 5. If you want to be rapture-ready, you need to consider your ways and _____.

Zechariah in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Zechariah sings in praise of God's _____.

Minor Prophets Life Survey 6. Zechariah is the prophet showing God's persistent purpose _____ to his pervasive power.

Malachi in Three Words: _____

Thesis: Malachi sings in praise of God's _____.

Minor Prophets Life Survey 7. Two sure ways to avoid the curse of being condemned (1 Cor 3:15; 2 Cor 5:9-11) at the Judgment Seat of Christ is to give God the _____ and give God the _____.

BIBLE SURVEY IV: MASTERING THE BIBLE
Week Nine: Gospels
THE LIFE OF CHRIST

IN 400 SILENT YEARS

- **Pharisees** — the conservative wing
- **Sadducees** — progressives
- **Herodians** — Hellenists culturally aligned with Greeks and politically aligned with Rome
- **Zealots** — a right wing survivalist group

THE OLD TESTAMENT	THE NEW TESTAMENT
• The sigh for a priest to give us worship, Gen -Ruth	• The King is at hand in Matthew
• The cry for a king to give God's work, 1 Sam-Esther	• The Priest is serving in Mark
• The quest for a prophet to give us the word, Isa-Mal	• The Prophet is speaking in Luke

NEW TESTAMENT
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3 X 9 = 27 Books

The Gospels	History	Epistles	Prophecy
Foundational	Doctrinal	Final	Final
Biographical	Ecclesiastical	Personal	Prophetical
4 Books	1 Book	21 Books	1 Book
<i>Matthew-John</i>	<i>Acts</i>	<i>Romans-Jude</i>	<i>Revelation</i>

Point 1. In the Bible, Jesus is the embedded link _____.

Gospels Life Survey 1. Most of your panic attacks could be warded-off simply by consistently _____.

Gospels Life Survey 2. It is impossible to gain a complete and balanced view of biblical truth without using your reason to _____. 1 Cor 2:7-8

Gospels Life Survey 3. Revelation has to be interpreted by the Holy Spirit to be _____. 2 Pet 1:20-21

SYNTHESIS

THE NEW TESTAMENT GOSPELS
4 Books

King of Jews	Servant of Lord	Son of Man	Son of God
<u>MATTHEW</u>	<u>MARK</u>	<u>LUKE</u>	<u>JOHN</u>
His Teachings	His Works	His Parables	His Doctrine
In Sermons	In Miracles	In Stories	In Conversations
A King	A Servant	A Man	Very God
To the Jews	To the Romans	To the Greeks	To the World

SYNOPTIC	SUPPLEMENTARY
Matthew, Mark, Luke	John
Outer Facts of Life of Christ	Inner Workings of Mind of Christ
Human Aspects Emphasized	Divine Aspects Emphasized
Earthly Action Recorded	Heavenly Reaction Unfolded
The Kingdom of Heaven and God	The Son and the Father
The Public Parables	The Private Discourses
Works in Galilee	Words in Judea

- A _____ SAVIOR
- Zech 9:9—Behold thy King! (Matthew)
 - Isa 42:1—Behold my servant (Mark)
 - Zech 6:12—Behold the man (Luke)
 - Isa 40:9—Behold your God! (John)

Gospels Life Survey 4. This church is nothing more or less than the body of Christ, through which Jesus intends to keep on being who he is, and doing _____. John 1:1; Mark 16:20

Date and Location

- Matthew: _____, from Jerusalem
- Mark: _____, from Jerusalem before Acts 12
- Luke: _____, from Philippi during Luke's seven years' pastorate
- John: _____, from Ephesus

ANALYSIS

Matthew in Three Words: _____

THE ABC'S OF MATTHEW (GIFT OF THE LORD)	
Author	Matthew
Background	Historical — The First Coming of the King Doctrinal — Parables on the Second Coming of the King Inspirational — Meekness over militancy is God's way to victory
Christ Seen	As the Promised King, 21:5
Description	28 Chapters; 1071 Verses; 23,684 Words; 2,669 Word Vocabulary
Era	4 BC - AD 33
Factoid	Theme — New King for God's Kingdom, 2:2 Key Verse — 27:37 Key Word — Kingdom (56X)
Glance	Key People—Jesus of Nazareth, Simon Peter, the Pharisees Key Events—Jesus' birth (1-2); Sermon on the Mount (5-7); rejection by blaspheming the Holy Ghost (12); crucifixion (27) and new commission (28)

Matt 9:9; Luke 5:27-29; 6:15-16

PROFILE OF MATTHEW	
Alias	AKA Levi
Hometown	Capernaum and Later Damascus
Family	Son of Alphaeus
Occupation	Publican (official of the Empire)
Hobbies	Officially Tying Jesus Life to Israel's History

MATTHEW 28 Chapters Two Rejections			
REJECTION OF THE KINGDOM CH 1-12		REJECTION OF THE KING CH 13-27	
1-4	Its Presentation	13-15	His Rejection
5-7	Its Proclamation A Ten-Fold Message	16-20	His Preparation of Disciples Detour in Galilee
8-12	Its Power In Ten Miracles	21-27	His Passion Climax in Judea
Proclamation of the Kingdom in Galilee		Presentation of the King in Judea	
Organized Topically		Organized Chronologically	
Teaching to the Multitudes		Teachings to the Disciples	
Ready to Serve		Ready to Suffer	
His Miracles Prominent		His Parables Prominent	
Christ Seen As Abraham's Seed		Christ Seen As David's Son	

Mark in Three Words: _____

The ABC's of Mark (Worker)	
Author	Mark
Background	Historical — The Works of the Messiah Doctrinal — The Suffering Servant of the LORD Inspirational — God Is Effective Even When Man Has Failed
Christ Seen	As the Servant of the LORD, 10:45; Isa 53:11
Description	16 Chapters; 678 Verses; 15,171 Words; 1,679 Word Vocabulary

Era	AD 26 – 33
Factoid	Theme — New Servant for God's Work Key Verse — 10:45 Key Word — Straightway or Immediately (42X)

Act 12:12; Col 4:10; Acts 12:25; 13:13; 15:37-40; 2 Tim 4:11; 1 Pet 5:13

PROFILE OF MARK	
Alias	AKA John Mark
Hometown	Jerusalem
Family	One of the Marys
Occupation	Servant of Apostles
Hobbies	Succinctly Showing Off Servant Jesus

MARK 16 CHAPTERS TWO WORKS			
THE WORK OF SERVICE CH 1-10		THE WORK OF SACRIFICE CH 11-16	
1-2	Dawn of Acclamation	11-13	Evening of Condemnation
3-8	Morning of Opposition	14-15	Night of Crucifixion
9-10	Afternoon of Instruction	16	New Day of Resurrection
Proclamation in Galilee		Passion in Judea	
c. 3 ½ Years		8 Days	
Work in Life: Ministry		Work in Death: Ransom	
Parables and Miracles		Prophecies and Controversies	
Faithful to the Task		Obedient unto Death	
The Servant Presented		The Servant Promoted	

Luke in Three Words: _____

The ABC's of Luke (Light)	
Author	Luke
Background	Historical — The Coming of the Son of Man Doctrinal — Gentile Aspects of a Jewish Messiah Inspirational — How to Deal with Our Humanity
Christ Seen	As the Son of Man, 19:10
Description	24 Chapters; 1151 Verses; 25,944 Words; 2,395 Word Vocabulary
Era	6 BC – 33 AD
Factoid	Theme — New Man for God's Tasks, 5:24 Key Verse — 19:10 Key Word — Man

Col 4:14; Acts 16:10; 17:1; 20:5; 27:1; 2 Tim 4:11

PROFILE OF LUKE	
Alias	Doc (Col 4:14)
Hometown	Philippi
Family	Unknown (Gentile)
Occupation	Medical Doctor and Student of Human Nature
Hobbies	Showing Jesus in Human Capacity as Son of Man

LUKE 24 CHAPTERS FOUR PERIODS					
CH 1-8 Seeking the Lost			CH 9-24 Saving the Lost		
Preparation Ch 1-3	Identification Ch 4-8	Instruction Ch 9-18	Culmination Ch 19-24		
In Nazareth	In Galilee	In Judea	In Jerusalem		
For 30 Years	For 1 ½ Years	For 6 Months	For 8 + 50 Days		
Angels Prominent	Miracles Prominent	Parables Prominent	People Prominent		
Mighty in Growth	Mighty in Deed	Mighty in Word	Mighty in Death		
Consecration	Commencement	Compassionate	Conquest		
Annunciation & Advent	Announcements & Activities	Antagonism & Admonition	Atonement & Ascension		
BEHOLD THE SON OF MAN					
His Coming	His Ministry	His Message		His Victory	
GENESIS	EXODUS	LEV	NUM	DEUT	JOSH
Birth and Infancy	Temptation in Wilderness	Charge to 12 New Levites	Sending of Seventy	Taught by New Law-Giver	Passion and Resurrection

John in Three Words: _____

THE ABC'S OF JOHN (LORD OF GRACE)	
Author	John
Background	Historical — The Word Became Flesh Doctrinal — The Coming of the Son of God Inspirational — The Deity of Christ
Christ Seen	As the Son of God, 1:34
Description	21 Chapters; 879 Verses; 19,099 Words; 1,401 Word Vocabulary
Era	AD 26–33
Factoid	Theme — New Sign on God's Son, 1:14, 18 Key Verse — 1:11-12; 16:28; 20:31 (to front, side & back doors) Key Word — Believe (98X)

John 21:20,24; Matt 4:21; Luke 9:49-56; Gal 2:9; Acts 12:1-2

PROFILE OF JOHN	
Alias	The Beloved Disciple
Hometown	Capernaum
Family	Son of Zebedee, Brother of Apostle James
Occupation	Fisherman Turned Exile on Patmos
Hobbies	Fishing for People with the Love of Jesus

- I. In Him Was Life—Genesis Section—His **Signs** (Ch 1-7)
 - A. Contact with Life (Ch 1-4)—Brazen Laver
 - B. Conflicts with Life (Ch 5-7)—Table of Shewbread
- II. The Light of Men—Exodus Section—His **Saving** (Ch 8-12)
 - C. Conflicts with the Light (Ch 8-10)—Brazen Altar
 - D. Cleavage from the Light (Ch 11-12)—Menorah (Golden Candlestick)
- III. Private Ministry of the Life—Leviticus Section—His **Secrets** (Ch 13-17)
 - E. Private Ministry of the Lover (Ch 13-17)—Altar of Incense
- IV. Painful Persecution of the Lover—Numbers Section—His **Sorrows** (Ch 18-19)
 - F. Painful Persecution of the Lover (Ch 18-19)—Veil
- V. Public Power of Love—Deuteronomy Section—His **Sayings** (Ch 20-21)
 - G. Public Power of Love (Ch 20-21)—Ark of the Covenant

JOHN 21 Chapters THREE WITNESSES		
CH 1-12 "That You May Believe"	CH 13-21 "That You May Have Life"	
WITNESS OF WORDS & WORKS CH 1-12	WITNESS TO WITNESSES CH 13-17	WITNESS TO THE WORLD CH 18-21
Witnessed By the Jews	Witnessed By the Disciples	Witnessed By Christ
Spoken Word in Promise	Witnessing Word in Person	Working Word in Power
Rejection of Message	Reception of Christ	Distribution of Power
Contact	Cleaving	Crucifixion
A Few Years	A Few Hours	A Few Weeks
In Judea & Galilee	In a Room & a Garden	At Calvary & Tiberias
Problems	Prayer	Promise
Public Ministry to Jews	Private Ministry to Own	Passover Meal to Triumph
Life Eternal	Light Essential	Love Effectual
Source	Secret	Strength
Seven Miracles	Son's Men	Supreme Miracle

SUMMARY

<i>The Eternal View, John 16:28</i>		
FROM THE FATHER	INTO THE WORLD	TO THE FATHER
PRE-INCARNATE	INCARNATE	POST-INCARNATE
All OT Appearances	33½ Years, 4 BC–AD 30	After Ascension

Matt 2:2; Mark 10:43-45; Luke 19:10; John 1:18

THE SUBJECT OF THE KINGDOM			
In Four Steps			
THE KINGDOM	THE KING	THE KING'	THE KINGDOM'
Proclaimed	Presented	Rejected	Suspended
MATTHEW 4:12-22	4:23-16:20	16:21-CH 20	CH 21-26
MARK 1:1-34	1:35-8:30	8:31-CH 10	CH 11-14
LUKE 4:14-5:11	5:12-9:20	9:21-CH 18	CH 19-23
JOHN 1:35-CH 5	CH 6	7-11:54	11:55-CH 17

THE LIFE OF CHRIST		
In Three Steps		
Glory to Bethlehem	Nazareth to Jerusalem	The Tomb to the Throne
30 Years	3 1/2 Years	40 Days
Nazareth	All Israel	Jerusalem & Galilee
Preparation	Presentation	Glorification
Childhood	Manhood	Priesthood
Private	Public	Personal
MATTHEW 1-3:12	3:13-CH 27	CH 28
MARK 1:1-8	1:9-CH 15	CH 16
LUKE 1-3:20	3:21-CH 23	CH 24
JOHN 1:1-28	1:29-CH 19	CH 20-21