

WHY THE *Cando* BIBLE READING PLAN WHEN MANY ARE ALREADY AVAILABLE?

Many Christians have never read through the Bible because the typical "read through the Bible in a year" plans are too much daily reading for the average reader. Well-intended starts often end when the amount of daily reading becomes too overwhelming to sustain. For many who persevere all the way through the Bible in a year, the content becomes a blur, with limited comprehension of the Bible story. The CANDO Bible Reading Plan makes regular Bible reading sustainable with comprehension at a manageable pace.

WHAT IS THE *Cando* BIBLE READING PLAN?

The CANDO Bible Reading Plan divides regular Bible reading into manageable portions that the average reader "can do" while reading through the New Testament each year and through the Old Testament once in three years:

The New Testament has 260 chapters. You will read through the New Testament in one year by reading one chapter five days of each week (5 days x 52 weeks). This even allows for two days off per week!

The Old Testament has 929 chapters. You will read through the Old Testament in three years by reading one chapter six days of each week (6 days x 52 weeks x 3 years). This plan even allows for one day off per week! For the average reader, two chapters of regular Bible reading is a "can-do" way to read through the Bible systematically with comprehension. The extra days each week allow time to catch up again when "life happens" and you fall behind.

WHY IS SYSTEMATIC BIBLE READING IMPORTANT?

Bible readers who don't read systematically often never read the whole Bible. Does this matter? Yes—by never reading the entire Biblical narrative, many Christians never understand the meta-narrative and miss the grandeur of the entire story of how God redeems the world unto Himself. In fact, sporadic Bible reading of only familiar passages here and there can deprive a Christian of ever understanding the glory and magnitude of the whole plan of redemption. Odd as it may seem, well-intended but sporadic Bible reading limited to favorite Books and passages can lead to leanness of soul! While it is true that not all parts of the Bible need to be read with the same frequency, it is also sadly true that many Christians never grow to their full Spiritual potential in the Kingdom of God because they never read the entire Bible to understand the whole story of how and why God's Kingdom has come. The CANDO Bible Reading Plan is a manageable way to read the entire Bible systematically with comprehension by reading regularly—through the New Testament each year and the Old Testament every three years.

BIBLE READING ACCOUNTABILITY TEXTING

Being accountable helps us stay on plan. The CANDO Bible Reading Plan encourages individuals or groups to text each other to be accountable for their regular Bible reading commitments. Comments or suggestions are welcome.



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Cando SYSTEMATIC BIBLE READING • ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN TEXTING

THE OLD TESTAMENT IN 3 YEARS • 1 chapter 6 days per week
THE NEW TESTAMENT EACH YEAR • 1 chapter 5 days per week

WEEK 1

Matthew 1	Genesis 1
Matthew 2	Genesis 2
Matthew 3	Genesis 3
Matthew 4	Genesis 4
Matthew 5	Genesis 5
	Genesis 6

WEEK 2

Matthew 6	Genesis 7
Matthew 7	Genesis 8
Matthew 8	Genesis 9
Matthew 9	Genesis 10
Matthew 10	Genesis 11
	Genesis 12

WEEK 3

Matthew 11	Genesis 13
Matthew 12	Genesis 14
Matthew 13	Genesis 15
Matthew 14	Genesis 16
Matthew 15	Genesis 17
	Genesis 18

WEEK 4

Matthew 16	Genesis 19
Matthew 17	Genesis 20
Matthew 18	Genesis 21
Matthew 19	Genesis 22
Matthew 20	Genesis 23
	Genesis 24

WEEK 5

Matthew 21	Genesis 25
Matthew 22	Genesis 26
Matthew 23	Genesis 27
Matthew 24	Genesis 28
Matthew 25	Genesis 29
	Genesis 30

WEEK 6

Matthew 26	Genesis 31
Matthew 27	Genesis 32
Matthew 28	Genesis 33
Mark 1	Genesis 34
Mark 2	Genesis 35
	Genesis 36

WEEK 7

Mark 3	Genesis 37
Mark 4	Genesis 38
Mark 5	Genesis 39
Mark 6	Genesis 40
Mark 7	Genesis 41
	Genesis 42

WEEK 8

Mark 8	Genesis 43
Mark 9	Genesis 44
Mark 10	Genesis 45
Mark 11	Genesis 46
Mark 12	Genesis 47
	Genesis 48

WEEK 9

Mark 13	Genesis 49
Mark 14	Genesis 50
Mark 15	Exodus 1
Mark 16	Exodus 2
Luke 1	Exodus 3
	Exodus 4

WEEK 10

Luke 2	Exodus 5
Luke 3	Exodus 6
Luke 4	Exodus 7
Luke 5	Exodus 8
Luke 6	Exodus 9
	Exodus 10

WEEK 11

Luke 7	Exodus 11
Luke 8	Exodus 12
Luke 9	Exodus 13
Luke 10	Exodus 14
Luke 11	Exodus 15
	Exodus 16

WEEK 12

Luke 12	Exodus 17
Luke 13	Exodus 18
Luke 14	Exodus 19
Luke 15	Exodus 20
Luke 16	Exodus 21
	Exodus 22

WEEK 13

Luke 17	Exodus 23
Luke 18	Exodus 24
Luke 19	Exodus 25
Luke 20	Exodus 26
Luke 21	Exodus 27
	Exodus 28

WEEK 14

Luke 22	Exodus 29
Luke 23	Exodus 30
Luke 24	Exodus 31
John 1	Exodus 32
John 2	Exodus 33
	Exodus 34

WEEK 15

John 3	Exodus 35
John 4	Exodus 36
John 5	Exodus 37
John 6	Exodus 38
John 7	Exodus 39
	Exodus 40

WEEK 16

John 8	Leviticus 1
John 9	Leviticus 2
John 10	Leviticus 3
John 11	Leviticus 4
John 12	Leviticus 5
	Leviticus 6

WEEK 17

John 13	Leviticus 7
John 14	Leviticus 8
John 15	Leviticus 9
John 16	Leviticus 10
John 17	Leviticus 11
	Leviticus 12

WEEK 18

John 18	Leviticus 13
John 19	Leviticus 14
John 20	Leviticus 15
John 21	Leviticus 16
Acts 1	Leviticus 17
	Leviticus 18

WEEK 19

Acts 2	Leviticus 19
Acts 3	Leviticus 20
Acts 4	Leviticus 21
Acts 5	Leviticus 22
Acts 6	Leviticus 23
	Leviticus 24

WEEK 20

Acts 7	Leviticus 25
Acts 8	Leviticus 26
Acts 9	Leviticus 27
Acts 10	Numbers 1
Acts 11	Numbers 2
	Numbers 3

WEEK 21

Acts 12	Numbers 4
Acts 13	Numbers 5
Acts 14	Numbers 6
Acts 15	Numbers 7
Acts 16	Numbers 8
	Numbers 9

WEEK 22

Acts 17	Numbers 10
Acts 18	Numbers 11
Acts 19	Numbers 12
Acts 20	Numbers 13
Acts 21	Numbers 14
	Numbers 15

WEEK 23

Acts 22	Numbers 16
Acts 23	Numbers 17
Acts 24	Numbers 18
Acts 25	Numbers 19
Acts 26	Numbers 20
	Numbers 21

WEEK 24

Acts 27	Numbers 22
Acts 28	Numbers 23
Romans 1	Numbers 24
Romans 2	Numbers 25
Romans 3	Numbers 26
	Numbers 27

WEEK 25

Romans 4	Numbers 28
Romans 5	Numbers 29
Romans 6	Numbers 30
Romans 7	Numbers 31
Romans 8	Numbers 32
	Numbers 33

WEEK 26

Romans 9	Numbers 34
Romans 10	Numbers 35
Romans 11	Numbers 36
Romans 12	Deut. 1
Romans 13	Deut. 2
	Deut. 3

WEEK 27

Romans 14	Deut. 4
Romans 15	Deut. 5
Romans 16	Deut. 6
1 Corinth. 1	Deut. 7
1 Corinth. 2	Deut. 8
	Deut. 9

WEEK 28

1 Corinth. 3	Deut. 10
1 Corinth. 4	Deut. 11
1 Corinth. 5	Deut. 12
1 Corinth. 6	Deut. 13
1 Corinth. 7	Deut. 14
	Deut. 15

WEEK 29

1 Corinth. 8	Deut. 16
1 Corinth. 9	Deut. 17
1 Corinth. 10	Deut. 18
1 Corinth. 11	Deut. 19
1 Corinth. 12	Deut. 20
	Deut. 21

WEEK 30

1 Corinth. 13	Deut. 22
1 Corinth. 14	Deut. 23
1 Corinth. 15	Deut. 24
1 Corinth. 16	Deut. 25
2 Corinth. 1	Deut. 26
	Deut. 27

WEEK 31

2 Corinth. 2	Deut. 28:1-35
2 Corinth. 3	Deut. 28:36-68
2 Corinth. 4	Deut. 29
2 Corinth. 5	Deut. 30
2 Corinth. 6	Deut. 31
	Deut. 32

WEEK 32

2 Corinth. 7	Deut. 33
2 Corinth. 8	Deut. 34
2 Corinth. 9	Joshua 1
2 Corinth. 10	Joshua 2
2 Corinth. 11	Joshua 3
	Joshua 4

WEEK 33

2 Corinth. 12	Joshua 5
2 Corinth. 13	Joshua 6
Galatians 1	Joshua 7
Galatians 2	Joshua 8
Galatians 3	Joshua 9
	Joshua 10

WEEK 34

Galatians 4	Joshua 11
Galatians 5	Joshua 12
Galatians 6	Joshua 13
Ephesians 1	Joshua 14
Ephesians 2	Joshua 15
	Joshua 16

WEEK 35

Ephesians 3	Joshua 17
Ephesians 4	Joshua 18
Ephesians 5	Joshua 19
Ephesians 6	Joshua 20
Philippians 1	Joshua 21
	Joshua 22

WEEK 36

Philippians 2	Joshua 23
Philippians 3	Joshua 24
Philippians 4	Judges 1
Colossians 1	Judges 2
Colossians 2	Judges 3
	Judges 4

WEEK 37

Colossians 3	Judges 5
Colossians 4	Judges 6
1 Thess. 1	Judges 7
1 Thess. 2	Judges 8
1 Thess. 3	Judges 9
	Judges 10

WEEK 38

1 Thess. 4	Judges 11
1 Thess. 5	Judges 12
2 Thess. 1	Judges 13
2 Thess. 2	Judges 14
2 Thess. 3	Judges 15
	Judges 16

WEEK 39

1 Timothy 1	Judges 17
1 Timothy 2	Judges 18
1 Timothy 3	Judges 19
1 Timothy 4	Judges 20
1 Timothy 5	Judges 21
	Ruth 1

WEEK 40

1 Timothy 6	Ruth 2
2 Timothy 1	Ruth 3
2 Timothy 2	Ruth 4
2 Timothy 3	1 Samuel 1
2 Timothy 4	1 Samuel 2
	1 Samuel 3

WEEK 41

Titus 1	1 Samuel 4
Titus 2	1 Samuel 5
Titus 3	1 Samuel 6
Philemon	1 Samuel 7
Hebrews 1	1 Samuel 8
	1 Samuel 9

WEEK 42

Hebrews 2	1 Samuel 10
Hebrews 3	1 Samuel 11
Hebrews 4	1 Samuel 12
Hebrews 5	1 Samuel 13
Hebrews 6	1 Samuel 14
	1 Samuel 15

WEEK 43

Hebrews 7	1 Samuel 16
Hebrews 8	1 Samuel 17
Hebrews 9	1 Samuel 18
Hebrews 10	1 Samuel 19
Hebrews 11	1 Samuel 20
	1 Samuel 21

WEEK 44

Hebrews 12	1 Samuel 22
Hebrews 13	1 Samuel 23
James 1	1 Samuel 24
James 2	1 Samuel 25
James 3	1 Samuel 26
	1 Samuel 27

WEEK 45

James 4	1 Samuel 28
James 5	1 Samuel 29
1 Peter 1	1 Samuel 30
1 Peter 2	1 Samuel 31
1 Peter 3	2 Samuel 1
	2 Samuel 2

WEEK 46

1 Peter 4	2 Samuel 3
1 Peter 5	2 Samuel 4
2 Peter 1	2 Samuel 5
2 Peter 2	2 Samuel 6
2 Peter 3	2 Samuel 7
	2 Samuel 8

WEEK 47

1 John 1	2 Samuel 9
1 John 2	2 Samuel 10
1 John 3	2 Samuel 11
1 John 4	2 Samuel 12
1 John 5	2 Samuel 13
	2 Samuel 14

WEEK 48

2 John	2 Samuel 15
3 John	2 Samuel 16
Jude	2 Samuel 17
Rev. 1	2 Samuel 18
Rev. 2	2 Samuel 19
	2 Samuel 20

WEEK 49

Rev. 3	2 Samuel 21
Rev. 4	2 Samuel 22
Rev. 5	2 Samuel 23
Rev. 6	2 Samuel 24
Rev. 7	1 Kings 1
	1 Kings 2

WEEK 50

Rev. 8	1 Kings 3
Rev. 9	1 Kings 4
Rev. 10	1 Kings 5
Rev. 11	1 Kings 6
Rev. 12	1 Kings 7
	1 Kings 8:1-33

WEEK 51

Rev. 13	1 Kings 8:34-66
Rev. 14	1 Kings 9
Rev. 15	1 Kings 10
Rev. 16	1 Kings 11
Rev. 17	1 Kings 12
	1 Kings 13

WEEK 52

Rev. 18	1 Kings 14
Rev. 19	1 Kings 15
Rev. 20	1 Kings 16
Rev. 21	1 Kings 17
Rev. 22	1 Kings 18
	1 Kings 19

