

## Do You Know These Facts about the Bible?

1. The Bible has \_\_\_ books, divided into an \_\_\_ & \_\_\_ Testament.
2. There are \_\_\_ books in the Old Testament.
3. There are \_\_\_ books in the New Testament.
4. The word "testament" means "\_\_\_" or "\_\_\_".
5. The Bible was written under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit by over \_\_\_ different authors from all walks of life. This includes shepherds, tax collectors, tent-makers, physicians, fishermen, priests, disciples, prophets, apostles, philosophers and kings.
6. Moses wrote the first five books in the Old Testament, called the \_\_\_, from Greek meaning "five books" or "five scrolls".
7. The Apostle Paul contributed the most books to the New Testament. He wrote \_\_\_ books of the New Testament.
8. The Bible was written over a period of some \_\_\_ years, from around 1450 B.C. (time of Moses) to about 100 A.D. (following the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ).
9. The oldest book in the Old Testament by many scholars is \_\_\_ and was written by an unknown Israelite around 1500 B.C. Others believe the \_\_\_ are the oldest books of the Bible, written between 1446 - 1406 B.C.
10. The newest book in the Old Testament is \_\_\_, written about 400 B.C.
11. The oldest book of the New Testament is believed to be the book of \_\_\_, written sometime in A.D. 45.
12. The newest book in the New Testament is \_\_\_, written about 95 A.D.
13. The Bible was written in three languages: \_\_\_, \_\_\_ and \_\_\_.
14. The terms B.C. means "\_\_\_" and A.D. stands for "\_\_\_".
15. The New Testament was canonized before 375 A.D. The Old Testament was canonized before the coming of Christ.
16. The word "canon" is derived from the \_\_\_ word "Kanon," signifying a measuring rod. It became the collection of books or writings accepted by the apostles and leadership of the early

- Christian church as a basis for Christian belief. It is the standard by which all Christians throughout the ages live and worship.
17. The first translation of the Bible made into English occurred in 1382 A.D. by \_\_\_.
  18. The Bible was printed in 1454 A.D. by \_\_\_ who invented the "type mold" for the printing press. It was the first book ever printed.
  19. The book of \_\_\_ is the longest book in the Bible.
  20. The book of \_\_\_ is the shortest book in the Bible.
  21. \_\_\_ is the longest chapter in the Bible.
  22. \_\_\_ is the shortest chapter in the Bible.
  23. \_\_\_ is the longest verse in the Bible.
  24. \_\_\_ is the shortest verse in the Bible.
  25. The book of Esther does not mention the word "\_\_\_".
  26. The bible has \_\_\_ chapters, \_\_\_ in OT and \_\_\_ in NT.
  27. There are \_\_\_ verses in the Bible, \_\_\_ OT & \_\_\_ NT.
  28. The Bible includes \_\_\_ words, \_\_\_ OT & \_\_\_ NT.
  29. Methuseiah was the oldest man that ever lived. He was \_\_\_ years old (Genesis 5:27).
  30. Enoch and Elijah were the two men who never died, but were caught up to heaven. Enoch, \_\_\_ with God (Genesis 5:22-24) and Elijah was \_\_\_ by a whirlwind. (II Kings 2:11).
  31. \_\_\_ was the meekest man in the Bible (not including Jesus), (Numbers 12:3).
  32. Most of the biblical story occurred in the Middle East, but also included \_\_\_, parts of Africa, \_\_\_ and \_\_\_.
  33. There are \_\_\_ parables in the Bible (in Matthew, Mark and Luke.)
  34. The number of women mentioned in the bible includes \_\_\_ in the Old Testament and \_\_\_ in the New Testament. This includes those named, unnamed, groups, in parables or prophecies.
  35. The Bible has been translated into \_\_\_ languages, with countless more partial translations, and audio translations.
  36. The *Codex Vaticanus* is the \_\_\_ manuscript of the Bible, dating from the first half of the fourth Century. It is located in the library of the \_\_\_ in Rome. There are older fragments of the Bible that are still preserved of which the oldest being a tiny scrap of the Gospel of John that was found in Egypt, dating back to the beginning of the second century.
  37. The Bible is the \_\_\_ in the world.