## **Understanding The Bible**

The Bible portrays Jesus Christ, the Saviour of the World.

Genesis is the book that shows us how everything began.

Exodus is the book of our salvation from sin, the world, and Satan.

Leviticus is the book that shows us how to worship God.

Numbers is the book that shows us how to prepare for spiritual battle.

**Deuteronomy** is the book that shows us the importance of obedience.

Joshua is the book that shows us how to obtain the victory.

Judges is the book that shows us how sin can destroy our spiritual life and take away our victory.

**Ruth** is the book that shows us that God chose us by grace.

1 & 2 Samuel, 1 & 2 Kings, 1 & 2 Chronicles show us that only God should be our King.

Ezra & Nehemiah show us that only God can restore everything, and bring back hope.

Esther shows us that God is in control of everything in our lives and that it is He who sets up the circumstances of our lives to bring about blessings through those circumstances.

Job shows us that nothing happens in our lives that God doesn't know about and that without His permission, the enemy cannot harm you.

Psalms shows us that God can truly meet all of our needs.

Proverbs shows us how we can be wise when we need to make decisions.

Ecclesiastes shows us how vain and empty life is without Jesus Christ in it.

Song Of Songs shows us how our love for God, as individuals, should be.

**The Prophets** show us what happens when we don't listen to God after so many repeated warnings. And that is that judgment must finally come.

The Gospels show us how we can obey our Father in Heaven by following Christ's footsteps.

Acts shows us that if we allow ourselves to be guided by the Holy Spirit, our lives will be fruitful and victorious.

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**Romans** shows us why we are sinners, how we are saved by faith, how we can separate ourselves from sin and to God, how we can consecrate our lives to Him, and how we ought to conduct ourselves as Christians in our service to Him, to our brethren, and towards the world.

1 & 2 Corinthians shows us that unless we see the Absolute Lordship of Christ, we cannot become mature Christians, and our Christian conduct will have many flaws.

Galatians shows us that our salvation is by grace from start to finish, that we have freedom in Christ, and that we must always depend on the Holy Spirit.

**Ephesians** shows us the purpose of God in saving us, to form one Body in Christ. It shows us that we must learn to see ourselves as members of that Body.

**Philippians** shows us that our attitude should always be one of joy in everything that we do for the Lord.

**Colossians** shows us that Christ should be our all in everything, we must see Him as our very life!

1 Thessalonians shows us that Jesus Christ is coming to rapture us, and teaches us how to live in view of this glorious hope we have in Him.

**2** Thessalonians shows that certain things must take place before the coming of the Antichrist and the Second Coming of Jesus Christ to establish His Kingdom on Earth.

1 & 2 Timothy and Titus show us how pastors and deacons should be as leaders, and how we should be as church members.

**Philemon** shows us how genuine and sincere our Christian love and forgiveness ought to be.

**Hebrews** shows us why Christ is better than religion; it shows us that He always intercedes for us, and that He understands exactly what we go through.

James shows us that our faith must be put into action.

1 & 2 Peter shows us that we must be patient in suffering, and have hope, because our suffering is not for nothing, and because in Christ we have so many privileges and so many promises.

1, 2, & 3 John shows us that we must walk in His Light. It shows us that how we are to love Him and others. It shows us how we can be true to Him.

Jude shows us that we must be willing and ready to defend our faith against all error.

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**Revelation** shows us that Christ and His Church will be victorious in the end. It shows us how God will bring judgment against sin and evil, and how only the righteous will remain standing in the end.