



- Hosea  
Joel  
Amos  
Obadiah  
Jonah  
Micah  
Nahum  
Habakkuk  
Zephaniah  
Haggai  
Zechariah  
Malachi
- Romans  
1 & 2 Corinthians  
Galatians  
Ephesians  
Philippians  
Colossians  
1 & 2 Thessalonians  
1 & 2 Timothy  
Titus  
Philemon  
Hebrews  
James  
1 & 2 Peter  
1, 2 & 3 John  
Jude

Old Testament 75%  
(also called Hebrew Scriptures)

New Testament 25%

2,600 people named, including 3 Josephs and 31 Zechariahs

Longest name: Mahershalalhashbaz

Shortest name: Og

The Bible has been translated into 670 languages and the New Testament into 1,521 languages.\*

**Hapax Legomenon:** Some words appear only once in the Bible, including grandfather, garlic, and ceiling.

**Oral tradition:** Stories, songs, and poems that were passed down in families and by community storytellers became the basis of the writings of the Hebrew Bible.

**Biblical Canon:** Canon, from Hebrew and Greek, meaning "measuring stick," is the set of authoritative texts that were determined by Jewish rabbis and scholars in the Hebrew Bible and later by church councils in the fourth and fifth centuries as the books of the New Testament.

**Apocrypha:** Protestants do not consider these writings to be Scripture, but they are of historical and spiritual importance.

\* <http://www.scribbr.com/bible/>

# BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

Bible: Bible, from Latin and Greek, means "books."

The Bible			
66 books	1,189 chapters	31,173 verses	808,000 words
The Old Testament (also called Hebrew Scriptures)		The New Testament	
Written in Hebrew (A few chapters are written in Aramaic)		Written in common Greek	
Written between 1400-450 BCE		Written between 50-100 CE	
The law, histories, writings, and prophecies that show God's relationship with ancient Israel		The gospel of Jesus and the growth of the early church	
39 books		27 books	
929 chapters		260 chapters	
23,214 verses		7,959 verses	
Longest verse: Esther 8:9		Shortest verse: John 11:35	
623,000 words		185,000 words	

What do the numbers mean?  
See: John 3:2  
Say: John, chapter 3, verse 2



All numbers and percentages are approximate.