



ALL-IN: 60 Days in the New Testament
Part 1 – The Challenge of the New Testament
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This is a record of the ancestors of Jesus the Messiah...
- Matthew 1:1

The New Testament...

- is the **INSPIRED WORD OF GOD.**

All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right.
- 2 Timothy 3:16

- is made up of **27 BOOKS.**
- was written in **50 YEARS** by **9 WRITERS.**
- points to Jesus and the key verb is **GIVE.**

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.
- John 3:16

- can be read in **63 DAYS.**

THE NEW TESTAMENT CHALLENGE: READ IT FOR YOURSELF.

Jesus said, “If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”
- John 8:31-32

60 DAYS IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

1) Make it the FOUNDATION of my life.

Anyone who listens to my teaching and follows it is wise, like a person who builds a house on solid rock. – Matthew 7:24

2) Give it the FIRST PART of my day.

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. – Matthew 6:33

Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed.

- Mark 1:35

3) Use it as a WEAPON for life’s challenges.

¹³ Therefore, put on every piece of God’s armor so you will be able to resist the enemy in the time of evil. Then after the battle you will still be standing firm... ¹⁷ and take the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. – Ephesians 6:13,17

The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.” ⁴ Jesus answered, “It is written...”
– Matthew 4:3-4

4) Allow it to GROW DEEPER in my life.

I have not stopped thanking God for you. I pray for you constantly,¹⁷ asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. ¹⁸ I pray that your hearts will be flooded with light so that you can understand the confident hope he has given to those he called—his holy people who are his rich and glorious inheritance. – Ephesians 1:16-18