

Memorize one division at a time. Some are much longer than others.

After you have memorized all the books in the Bible in order, begin reading the Scriptures and thinking about the major event in each Book.

Memorize the one word that describes who Jesus is in that Book. That will help you begin to remember.

THE MAJOR DIVISIONS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

The Pentateuch (*The Law of Moses*):

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy

Historical Books:

Joshua, Judges, Ruth,

1st & 2nd Samuel, 1st & 2nd Kings, 1st & 2nd Chronicles,

Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther

Poetic and Wisdom Writing (*skill in living and the powers of observation*):

Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, and Song of Solomon

The Major Prophets (*remind the people of their covenantal promises*):

Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel

The Minor Prophets (*addressed both the king and the people and became social-spiritual commentators*):

Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum,

Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi

THE MAJOR DIVISIONS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

Gospels & Acts (*5 Historical Books*):

Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts

Paul's Epistles and Hebrews:

Romans, 1st & 2nd Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians,

1st & 2nd Thessalonians, 1st & 2nd Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Hebrews

General Epistles & Revelation:

James, 1st & 2nd Peter, 1st, 2nd & 3rd John, Jude, Revelation