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# **Bible Facts and Statistics**

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#### **BIBLE FACTS:**

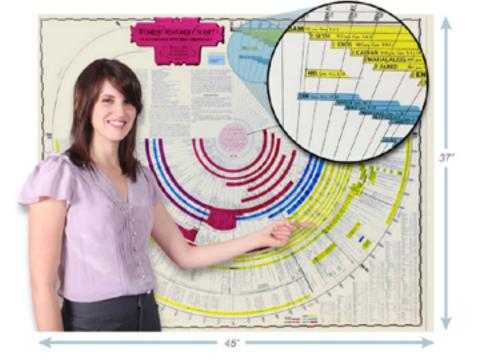
**The system of chapters** was introduced in A.D. 1238 by Cardinal Hugo de S. Caro, while the verse notations were added in 1551 by Robertus Stephanus, after the advent of printing.

A Bible in the University of Gottingen is written on 2,470 palm leaves.

According to statistics from Wycliffe International, the Society of Gideons, and the International Bible Society, the number of new Bibles that are sold, given away, or otherwise distributed in the United States is about 168,000 per day.

The Bible can be read aloud in **70 hours**.

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There are **8,674 different Hebrew words** in the Bible, **5,624 different Greek words**, and **12,143 different English words** in the King James Version.

Some verses in the Bible (KJV) contain all but 1 letter of the alphabet:

Ezra 7:21 contains all but the letter j;

Joshua 7:24, 1 Kings 1:9, 1 Chronicles 12:40, 2 Chronicles 36:10, Ezekiel 28:13, Daniel 4:37, and Haggai 1:1 contain all but q;

2 Kings 16:15 and 1 Chronicles 4:10 contain all but x;

Galatians 1:14 contains all but the letter k.





# **BIBLE STATISTICS (King James Authorized):**

Number of books in the Bible: 66

Chapters: 1,189 Verses: 31,102 Words: 783,137 Letters: 3,116,480

Number of promises that are given in the Bible: 1,260

Commands: 6,468

Predictions: over 8,000

Fulfilled prophecy: 3,268 verses Unfulfilled prophecy: 3,140 Number of questions: 3,294

Longest name: Mahershalalhashbaz (Isaiah 8:1)

Longest verse: Esther 8:9 (78 words)

Shortest verse: John 11:35 (2 words: "Jesus wept"). This is the King James Bible. Some Bibles might be Job

3:2 (Job said.), but King James has that as "Job answered" which is longer than Jesus wept.

Middle books: Micah and Nahum Middle verse: Psalm 103:2-3

Middle chapter: Psalm 117

Shortest chapter (by number of words): Psalm 117 (by number of words)

Longest book: Psalms (150 chapters)

Shortest book (by number of words): 3 John Longest chapter: Psalm 119 (176 verses)

Number of times the word "God" appears: 4,094 Number of times the word "Lord" appears: 6,781

Number of different authors: 40

Number of languages the Bible has been translated into: over 1,200

## **OLD TESTAMENT STATISTICS (King James Authorized):**

Number of books: 39

Chapters: 929 Verses: 23,145 Words: 602,585 Letters: 2,278,100 Middle book: Proverbs Middle chapter: Job 20

Middle verses: 2 Chronicles 20:17,18

Smallest book: Obadiah

Shortest Verse: 1 Chronicles 1:25

Longest verse: Esther 8:9 Longest chapter: Psalms 119

Largest book: Psalms

## **NEW TESTAMENT STATISTICS:**

Number of books: 27

Chapters: 260 Verses: 7,957 Words: 180,552 Letters: 838,380

Middle book: 2 Thessalonians Middle chapters: Romans 8, 9 Middle verse: Acts 27:17 Smallest book: 3 John Shortest verse: John 11:35 Longest verse: Revelation 20:4

Longest chapter: Luke 1 Largest book: Luke

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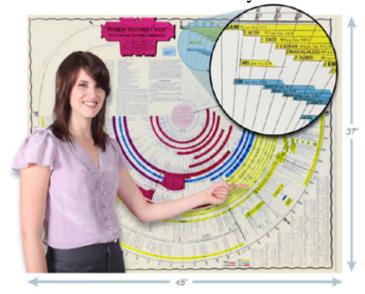
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