THEMES OF BIBLE BOOKS - One Sentence

A one-sentence overview of every book of the Bible. They're listed in the order they show up in the Bible. When he speaks, he teaches us what he is like, how he acts, and how he desires us to respond. As a whole, the Bible is about God. It's about God the Father displaying his glory through God the Son by the power of God the Holy Spirit.

The Bible is one book made up of 66 books. Each book has a major theme that emphasizes an aspect of God's character or a way he is working to carry out his perfect plan. What follows is an attempt to capture these themes.

• <u>Genesis</u>	Begin with God.
• Exodus	Come out for God.
• <u>Leviticus</u>	Get right with God.
• <u>Numbers</u>	Get somewhere!
• <u>Deuteronomy</u>	Stop and think.
• <u>Joshua</u>	Take the land.
• <u>Judges</u>	Watch the borders.
• Ruth	Gather the grain.
• <u>1 Samuel</u>	Light the altar lamps.
• <u>2 Samuel</u>	Call David—God's anointed.
• 1 Kings	Set the King on his throne.
• 2 Kings	Get the mantle.
• 1 Chronicles	Keep the royal line.
• 2 Chronicles	Honor the King.
• Ezra	Repair God's house.
• <u>Nehemiah</u>	Rebuild God's city.
• Esther	Trust God's grace.
• <u>Job</u>	"Let Him have His way with you."
• <u>Psalms</u>	Praise and pray.

• <u>Proverbs</u>	Walk and work.
• <u>Ecclesiastes</u>	"Fear God"—if you be wise.
• Song of Songs	Love Him with all your heart.
• <u>Isaiah</u>	He is coming!
• <u>Jeremiah</u>	Get ready with cleansing.
• <u>Lamentations</u>	Get ready with weeping.
• <u>Ezekiel</u>	He will restore the Temple.
• <u>Daniel</u>	He will bring the Kingdom.
• <u>Hosea</u>	Return, therefore, O Israel.
• <u>Joel</u>	Sound the alarm.
• Amos	Drop the plumb line.
• <u>Obadiah</u>	Possess your possessions.
• <u>Jonah</u>	"Preach the preaching I bid thee."
• <u>Micah</u>	Look and live.
• <u>Nahum</u>	Behold, the mountains quake!
• <u>Habakkuk</u>	But there's light ahead.
• Zephaniah	So sing, as you go.
• <u>Haggai</u>	Work as you go.
• <u>Zechariah</u>	"For the Lord shall yet comfort Zion."
• <u>Malachi</u>	Lo! His Messenger!
• <u>Matthew</u>	The Messiah is here!
• <u>Mark</u>	His wonderful works prove Him.
• <u>Luke</u>	He is a friend of sinners.
• <u>John</u>	He is the Son of God!
• Acts	He is at God's right hand for us!

• Romans	Come to Him for righteousness.
• 1 Corinthians	For all the gifts of His grace.
• 2 Corinthians	For comfort and riches.
• <u>Galatians</u>	For freedom and power.
• Ephesians	For fulness of life.
• Philippians	Take Him for joy.
• Colossians	"Ye are complete in Him."
• 1 Thessalonians	He is surely coming again!
• 2 Thessalonians	But wait and work till He comes.
• 1 Timothy	Guard the gospel.
• 2 Timothy	Guard the witness.
• <u>Titus</u>	Adorn the doctrine.
• <u>Philemon</u>	Be kind to all for His sake.
• <u>Hebrews</u>	He is our intercessor at the throne.
• <u>James</u>	Work out His salvation.
• 1 Peter	"To you who believe He is precious."
• 2 Peter	To you who believe He is gracious—and glorious.
• <u>1 John</u>	He is the life.
• <u>2 John</u>	He is the truth.
• <u>3 John</u>	He is the way.
• <u>Jude</u>	He is able to keep you from falling.
• Revelation	And to present you faultless at His appearing.

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