**BEGINNERS BIBLE READING PLAN 3**  
A 31 Day Encounter with Jesus

This is an excellent Bible Reading plan to start out with, or use to refresh yourselves in Jesus. In just a *few* minutes a day for a month, you will be stronger in your faith and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!   
*Recommend printing this plan and keeping a copy in your Bible.*

**Day Theme Passage**Day 1. Jesus is Predicted: [Isaiah 53](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Isaiah+53)  
Day 2. The Birth of Jesus: [Matthew 1:18–25](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+1%3A18-25&version=NIV)  
Day 3. John the Baptist Prepares the Way for Jesus: [Matthew 3:1—4:11](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+3%3A1-4%3A11&version=NIV)  
Day 4. Jesus first Miracle Water to Wine and the Samaritan Woman: [John 2:1–11](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+2%3A1%E2%80%9311&version=NIV); [John 4:1–26](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+4%3A1-26&version=NIV)  
Day 5. Jesus is Rejected in His own Hometown: [Luke 4:14–30](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+4%3A14%E2%80%9330&version=NIV)  
Day 6. Jesus Calls His Disciples: [Luke 5:1–11](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+5%3A1-11&version=NIV); [Matthew 9:9–13](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+9%3A9-13&version=NIV)  
Day 7. The Sermon on the Mount: [Luke 6:17–46](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+6%3A17%E2%80%9346&version=NIV)  
Day 8. The Centurion, the Widow’s Son and a Sinful Woman: [Matthew 8:1–13](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+8%3A1%E2%80%9313&version=NIV); [Luke 7:11–17](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+7%3A11%E2%80%9317&version=NIV); [7:36–50](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+7%3A36-50&version=NIV)  
Day 9. Jesus Encounters the Pharisees: [Matthew 12:1–13](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+12%3A1%E2%80%9313&version=NIV); [22–45](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+12%3A22%E2%80%9345&version=NIV)  
Day 10. Parable of the Sower, Weeds and Seeds: [Matthew 13:1–43](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+13%3A1%E2%80%9343&version=NIV)  
Day 11. Jesus Calms the Storm and Walks on Water: [Luke 8:22–25](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+8%3A22%E2%80%9325&version=NIV); [Mark 6:45–56](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Mark+6%3A45%E2%80%9356&version=NIV)  
Day 12. Jesus Heals a Man, a Woman and a Girl: [Mark 5:1–43](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Mark+5%3A1%E2%80%9343&version=NIV)  
Day 13. Jesus Feeds the 5000: [John 6:1–14](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+6%3A1%E2%80%9314&version=NIV)  
Day 14. Peter Knows Jesus Christ and the Transfiguration: [Luke 9:18–27](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+9%3A18%E2%80%9327&version=NIV); [Luke 17:1–8](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+17%3A1%E2%80%938&version=NIV)  
Day 15. Healing by Faith: [Mark 9:14–32](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Mark+9%3A14%E2%80%9332&version=NIV)  
Day 16. More Teachings and Parables: [Matthew 17:24—18:20](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+17%3A24%E2%80%9418%3A20&version=NIV)  
Day 17. More Teachings and Parables: [Matthew 18:21—19:15](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+18%3A21%E2%80%9419%3A15&version=NIV)  
Day 18. The Rich Young Ruler: [Mark 10:17–31](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Mark+10%3A17%E2%80%9331&version=NIV)  
Day 19. The Disciples Sent Out: [Luke 10:1–24](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+10%3A1%E2%80%9324&version=NIV)  
Day 20. The Great Commandment: [Mark 12:28-44](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Mark+12%3A28-44&version=NIV)  
Day 21. The Parable of the Good Samaritan: [Luke 10:25–37](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+10%3A25%E2%80%9337&version=NIV)  
Day 22. The Lord’s Prayer, Jesus Teaches us how to Pray: [Luke 11:1–13](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+11%3A1%E2%80%9313&version=NIV)  
Day 23. Jesus Raises Lazarus from the Dead: [John 11:1–44](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+11%3A1%E2%80%9344&version=NIV)  
Day 24. The Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem: [Matthew 21:1–27](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+21%3A1%E2%80%9327&version=NIV)  
Day 25. The Last Supper: [John 13:1–17](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+13%3A1%E2%80%9317&version=NIV); [Matthew 26:17–35](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+26%3A17%E2%80%9335&version=NIV)  
Day 26. The Love of Jesus for the Disciples: [John 14–15](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+14%E2%80%9315&version=NIV)  
Day 27. Jesus Arrested and Betrayed: [Matthew 26:36–75](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+26%3A36%E2%80%9375&version=NIV)  
Day 28. Jesus’ Unfair Trial: [John 18:19—19:16](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+18%3A19%E2%80%9419%3A16&version=NIV)  
Day 29. Jesus Crucifixion and Death: [John 19:17–42](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+19%3A17%E2%80%9342&version=NIV)  
Day 30. Jesus’ Resurrection and Appearances: [John 20–21](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John+20%E2%80%9321&version=NIV)  
Day 31.The Great Commission & Ascension of Jesus: [Matthew 28:16–20](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew+28%3A16%E2%80%9320&version=NIV); [Luke 24:50–53](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+24%3A50%E2%80%9353&version=NIV)  
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