

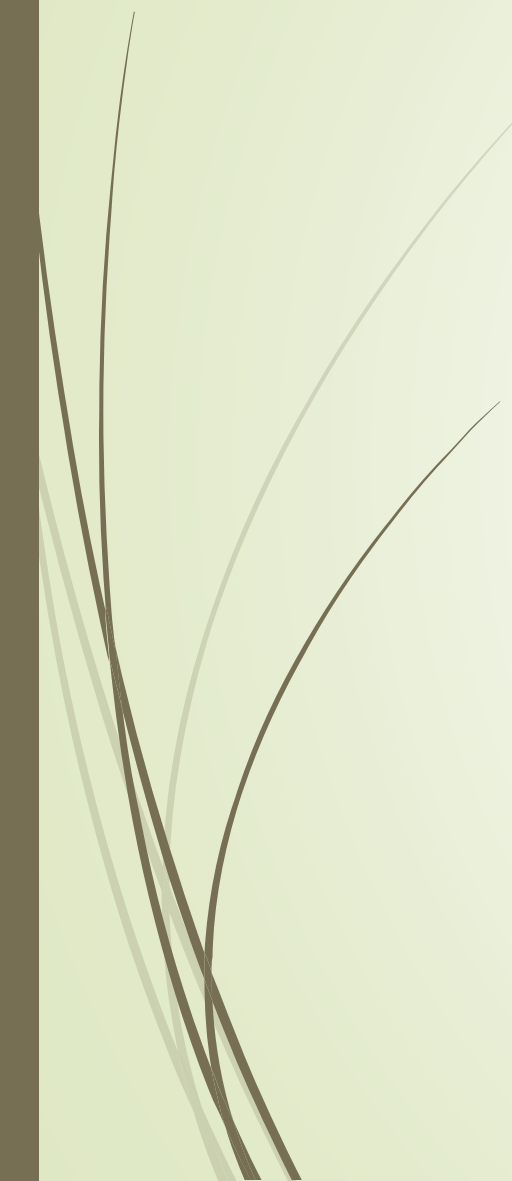
BIBLE READING



ORIENTATION FOR TALENT SEARCH



CRITERIA

- Introduction
 - Locating the correct portion, repeating the portion and starting of reading within 1 minute
 - Accuracy, Clarity and Continuity
 - Style of Reading
 - Posture
 - Conclusion
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STEP BY STEP – GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW

- Pick the chit from the bowl, open and show it to the person in charge.
- Take the chit and go to the podium
- Read out the portion to the audience (clearly and loudly)

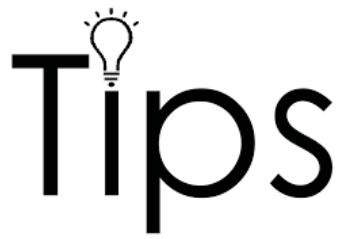


STEP BY STEP – GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW

- Read out the portion to the audience (clearly and loudly)

Eg : The Scripture portion is taken from
1 Corin: 13: 11-13

- **The Bible/ The Scripture portion is taken from
The First epistle of Paul the Apostle to the
Corinthians chapter thirteen verses eleven to
thirteen.**
- Then Open the Bible & Take the portion and
then repeat
- **First Corinthians chapter 13 verses eleven to
thirteen (1 Cor. 13:11-13)**



SPECIFY THE BOOK WITH AUTHOR

- From Genesis to Job: The book of _____ , Repeat: Genesis/ Job
- From Isaiah to Malachi: The book of Prophet Isaiah -, Repeat: Isaiah/ Malachi
- Lamentations: The book of Lamentations....
- Gospels: The gospel according to Saint Mathew/Mark/Luke/John, Repeat: Mathew /John
- Acts: The Acts of the Apostles..... Repeat: Acts
- Romans to Philemon: The Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Romans/ Philemon, Repeat: Romans/ Philemon
- Hebrews: The epistle to the Hebrews, Repeat: Hebrews
- James to Jude: The epistle of James, The first/ second epistle of Peter, The first/second/third epistle of John, The epistle of Jude, Repeat: James/ John
- Revelation: The book of Revelation ...Repeat: Revelation



STEP BY STEP – GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW

- Bible will be kept on the podium. (If no podium is available take and hold the Bible in hands; use both hands to hold the Bible.) . Remember handle the Bible with reverence and respect.
- Open the Bible “close to the portion” given from the Old Testament (OT) or the New Testament (NT).

Remember:

- Always open bible with the lengthwise facing you.
- Do not refer the contents/ index written at the beginning of Bible with page nos. in it.
- Also after opening the Bible, Make sure that you are going to the right direction for turning the pages (eg. If OT Book, towards your left, if NT vice versa...)

STEP BY STEP – GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW

- Read out the Bible portion again., this time you should say eg: First Corinthians : Chapter “13” : Verses: “1-3”

1. While Reading the portion

- Read the portion clearly and audibly
- Maintain eye contact with the audience, where it is appropriate to do, if you can (meaning to say, if it's so difficult for you, instead of making mistake, it's better not to do.)
- Pause at the punctuations and at the full stop.

2. After completing the lesson reading

Say: **Here ends the lesson**

OR

- If Old/New Testament Books: - **This is the Word of the Lord.**
- Gospel Books: - **This is the Word of the Lord Jesus**



STEP BY STEP – GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW

- **Close the Bible from front to back – (Always place the Bible with the cover facing you).**
- **Return the chit to the person in charge & back to your seat.**


REMEMBER THIS – BE VIGILANT


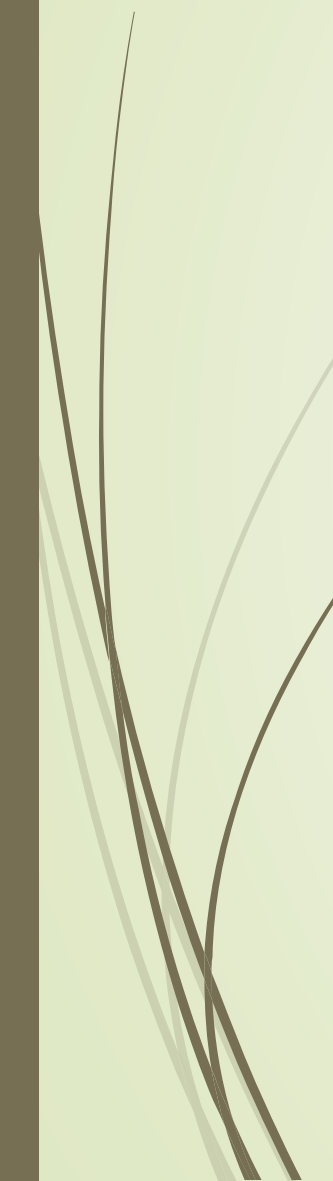
1. Books with one chapter only: Old Testament: Obadiah, New Testament: Philemon, 2nd John(epistle), 3rd John (epistle), Jude.
- ▶ Chapter should not be mentioned, Verses from to only.

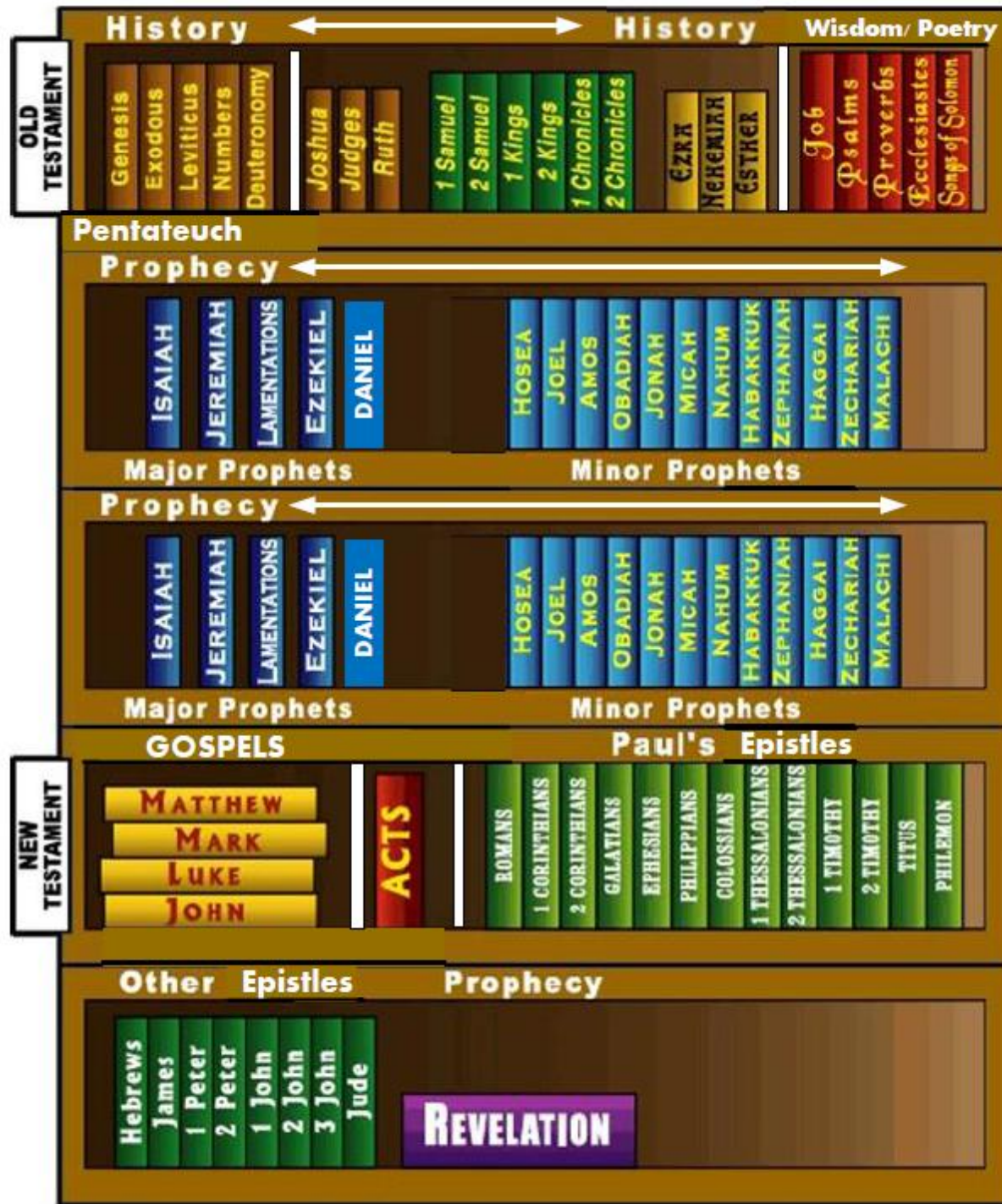
Example: The epistle of Jude verses three to five, repeat:
Jude verses 3 to 5.



AVOID

- ➡ **LOOKING AT THE INDEX PAGE**
 - ➡ **SWINGING OF BODY, LEANING TO SIDES**
 - ➡ **OPENING THE BIBLE FROM THE WRONG SIDE**
 - ➡ **MENTIONING CHAPTER OF BOOKS WITH ONE CHAPTER ONLY**
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- ➡ **Friends..** all the very best ...
 - ➡ Please make / maintain the habit of Bible reading
 - ➡ Please participate...
 - ➡ The main objective is to make you proud to stand with The Word of God and you are standing before God... That's all..
 - ➡ No matter the end result.. Our “Immanuel” which means “God with us” with you.





ANY QUESTIONS