# MATTHEW

**Author:** 

**Matthew** 

**Main Characters:** 

Jesus and the Disciples

**Book Section:** 

The Gospels

# **MARK**

**Author:** 

Mark

**Main Characters:** 

**Jesus and the Disciples** 

**Book Section:** 

The Gospels

# LUKE

**Author:** 

Luke

**Main Characters:** 

Jesus and the Disciples

**Book Section:** 

The Gospels

# **JOHN**

**Author:** 

John

**Main Characters:** 

Jesus and the Disciples

**Book Section:** 

The Gospels

# **ACTS**

**Author:** 

Luke

**Main Characters:** 

Peter, Stephen, Philip, Barnabas, James, Paul, and Silas

**Book Section:** 

History

# **ROMANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Rome

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

Then a cloud appeared and covered them, and a voice came from the cloud: "This is my Son, whom I love. Listen to Him." Mark 9:7

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus served us by becoming obedient to His Father and by dying on the cross for our sins. Because of this, we are able to have new life in Him.

### **FUEL UP:**

"But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name." John 20:31

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the Son of the Living God! He is Savior of the world!

## **FUEL UP:**

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile." Romans 1:16

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the second Adam. In Genesis, Adam brought sin into the world. Jesus brings forgiveness from that sin. Everyone who believes will have eternal life.

#### **FUEL UP:**

"... on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it." Matthew 16:18b

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is King and is sovereign over everything! He forgives us of our sin, has the power to heal, and has power over death. He died and rose again for you and for me!

#### **FUEL UP:**

"Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham." Luke 19:9

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus was both fully God and fully man. Just like us, He had to suffer and struggle with temptation on earth. However, He lived a perfect life. Knowing what it means to be human, Jesus can help us in everything.

### **FUEL UP:**

"The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call." Acts 2:39

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

After Jesus' ascension, the Holy Spirit comes to be the Helper for believers. With the Holy Spirit's help, the apostles taught about Jesus everywhere they went!

# **1 CORINTHIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Corinth

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **2 CORINTHIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Corinth

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **GALATIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Galatia

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **EPHESIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Ephesus

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **PHILIPPIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Philippi

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **COLOSSIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Colosse

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

"But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." 2 Corinthians 12:9a

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus called Paul to ministry and watched over him all throughout his travels. Jesus is our Lord and comfort, just as He was for Paul.

#### **FUEL UP:**

"Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground." Ephesians 6:13

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus chooses us first, loves us, saves us, gives us hope, and transforms us. Just like when God raised Jesus from the dead, He also raises us to new life. All believers are part of His family as the Church.

## **FUEL UP:**

"He is before all things, and in him all things hold together." Colossians 1:17

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

This book explains how Jesus is Lord over everything. He is in charge of creation, helps us every day, and is the head of the Church.

#### **FUEL UP:**

"Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." 1 Corinthians 12:27

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Corinth was a city that had many sin problems.

Christ died for the sins of the world, which means He died for the sins of Corinth! We can have forgiveness and freedom from our sin!

### **FUEL UP:**

"There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus." Galatians 3:28

#### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the only One with the ability to make people right with God. He gave Himself to free us from our sins and from the brokenness of the world. When we face temptation, Jesus can give us strength to get through it.

### **FUEL UP:**

"What is more, I consider everything a loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord..." Philippians 3:8

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Paul shared with the Philippians that his only goal was to serve Jesus. Paul explains how Jesus is the perfect example for us to follow, and he gives Jesus all the credit for what he was able to accomplish in his life.

# **1 THESSALONIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Thessalonica

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# **2 THESSALONIANS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul and the Church in Thessalonica

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to churches** 

# 1 TIMOTHY

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul, Timothy, and the Church in Ephesus

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to Others** 

# **2 TIMOTHY**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul, Timothy, and the Church in Ephesus

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to Others** 

# **TITUS**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

**Paul and Titus** 

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to Others** 

# **PHILEMON**

**Author:** 

Paul

**Main Characters:** 

Paul, Philemon, and Onesimus

**Book Section:** 

**Letters by Paul to Others** 

"So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the teachings[b] we passed on to you, whether by word of mouth or by letter."

2 Thessalonians 2:15

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Paul teaches how Jesus is our hope for the future! He is going to return and conquer evil once and for all!

### **FUEL UP:**

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 1 Timothy 4:7

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Paul explains the gospel to Timothy. He explains how Jesus is our Savior, as He gave us salvation and eternal life.

### **FUEL UP:**

If he has done you any wrong, or owes you anything, charge it to me. Philemon 18

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

The story of Philemon tells us how God forgives our sins. Onesimus did something bad to separate him from his master, but he was able to be forgiven when Paul was willing to pay for his crime. This is just like how Jesus paid for our sins so we could be reunited with God.

#### **FUEL UP:**

"... you accepted it not as a human word, but as it actually is, the word of God, which is indeed at work in you who believe." 1 Thessalonians 2:13b

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is our hope. He is going to return, and that will be an amazing day for those who trust in Him!

#### **FUEL UP:**

"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity." 1 Timothy 4:12

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the One who makes us right with God, as the mediator. Without Him, we would be separated from God forever!

## **FUEL UP:**

"In everything set them an example by doing what is good." Titus 2:7a

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Paul explains the gospel to Titus. He explains how Jesus is our Savior, as He gave us salvation and eternal life.

# **HEBREWS**

**Author:** 

Unknown

**Main Characters:** 

Jesus

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# **JAMES**

**Author:** 

James, the half brother of Jesus

**Main Characters:** 

James and persecuted Christians

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# 1 PETER

**Author:** 

Peter

**Main Characters:** 

Peter and the persecuted
Christians

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# 2 PETER

**Author:** 

Peter

**Main Characters:** 

Peter and Christians in the Church

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# 1 JOHN

**Author:** 

John

**Main Characters:** 

John and other Christians

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# 2 JOHN

**Author:** 

John

**Main Characters:** 

John and "the chosen lady"?

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says." James 1:22

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

James tells us how following Jesus affects every part of life. We are able to obey God's commandments and apply the Word to our lives all the time!

### **FUEL UP:**

"but prophets, though human, spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit."

2 Peter 1:21b

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

When Jesus returns, everybody will see Him in His fullness, filled with power and glory!

## **FUEL UP:**

"And this is love: that we walk in obedience to his commands. As you have heard from the beginning, his command is that you walk in love." 2 John 1:6

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

We can live by truth because we know God's Word is true! We can know God through Jesus and His teachings.

### **FUEL UP:**

"Because God wanted to make the unchanging nature of his purpose very clear to the heirs of what was promised, he confirmed it with an oath." Hebrews 6:17

#### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the Great High Priest. He offered the greatest sacrifice possible to cover our sins when He sacrificed Himself. Because of that, we don't have to make sacrifices for our sins anymore, and we can all pray to God wherever we are.

### **FUEL UP:**

Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe In him. 1 Peter 1:8a

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus the example by which we can live our lives. When we are having good days or bad days, we can ask Jesus for help. He can give us joy when we are sad. And, we have hope that He will come again soon to conquer evil once and for all!

#### **FUEL UP:**

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:9

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

As Jesus is both man and God at the same time, He is called both the Son of God and the Son of Man. People didn't believe this was possible, so John wrote in this book that it was true! We can know Jesus is who He says He is.

# 3 JOHN

**Author:** 

John

**Main Characters:** 

John and Gaius

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

## JUDE

**Author:** 

Jude

**Main Characters:** 

Jude and other believers

**Book Section:** 

**General Letters** 

# **REVELATION**

**Author:** 

John

**Main Characters:** 

John, Jesus, and the seven churches in Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia, and Laodicea

**Book Section:** 

**Prophecy** 

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**Author:** 

**Main Characters:** 

**Book Section:** 

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**Author:** 

**Main Characters:** 

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**Author:** 

**Main Characters:** 

**Book Section:** 

"... keep yourselves in God's love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life." Jude 1:21

### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

We learn in Jude that we can trust Jesus to take care of us and help us when we are tempted to sin. He loves us and wants to help us!

#### **FUEL UP:**

"We ought therefore to show hospitality to such people so that we may work together for the truth." 3 John 1:8

#### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Jesus is the perfect example for us to follow of how to show love to others each and every day!

#### **FUEL UP:**

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## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

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### **FUEL UP:**

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Look! God's dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them."

Revelation 21:3a

## **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

Revelation is the prophecy of what Jesus will do when He returns! He is both the Lamb and the Triumphant King in Revelation. It will be a joyous day when He comes again!

### **FUEL UP:**

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### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

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#### **FUEL UP:**

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### **ALL SIGNS POINT TO JESUS:**

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