

5. The Bible is unique in it _____

The Bible's standard for prophecies is _____%

Deuteronomy 18:14-22

The Bible shows _____ personalities

- Moses, Numbers 20:9-12
- King David, 1 Kings 15:1-15
- Peter, Luke 22:54-62

6. The Bible is unique in its _____

The Bible claims to be _____

Timothy 3:16-17

The Bible claims to be _____

Proverbs 30:5

The Bible claims to be _____

Hebrews 4:12

The Bible claims to be _____

John 8:32

The Bible claims to be _____

John 20:31



Welcome to Understanding Your Bible!

I remember learning about engines many years ago. As a teen I recall opening the hood of the engine only to wonder how anyone could understand something that was so complicated. Then I took a class and the instructor took each individual system one at a time and explained it. At the end we put it all together and it made sense. I could now understand what I was looking at when I opened the hood of a car.

The bible is like that in some ways. When we take a book that is Middle Eastern in thought and put together in different ways then we are use to, it often is more confusing than helpful when we read it. This class is designed to help you learn the bits and pieces so you can see the big picture.

Thank you for joining us and I hope you will enjoy learning about the greatest book of all time, the Holy Bible.

Bible Teacher, Pastor Jerry Troyer

Discussion questions:

1. I have heard people say that the Bible is...
2. What intrigues you about the Bible?
3. What are some expectations you have for this study?

Guidelines for our time together:

1. Feel free to ask a question at any time.
2. Feel free to ask any question about the Bible.
3. Feel free to invite others.
4. What to do if you miss a session.

Six Unique Factors about the Bible

1. **The Bible is unique in its** _____
 - Written over a period of _____ years.
 - Written by _____ authors from every walk.
 - Written in different _____
 - Written in different _____
 - Written in different _____

2. The Bible is unique in its _____

**“The New is in the Old concealed,
The Old is in the New revealed.”**

Old Testament _____ books

New Testament _____ books

Hebrews construction of a story...

Examples:

Genesis 3:24 and Revelation 22:1-5; 13-14

Examples:

Genesis 3:15 and Hebrews 2:14-15

3. The Bible is unique in its _____

First book ever _____ (1400's in Gutenberg)

First book ever _____

It's still is the world's _____

It's the world's most _____ book

4. The Bible is unique in its _____

“The grass withers and the flowers fall,
but the word of our God stands forever.”
Isaiah 40:8