

# THE WORD

## Part 1: Decisively Different



*All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.*

*2 Timothy 3:16-17 (ESV)*

**The Bible is \_\_\_\_\_**

- No book has a backstory like the Bible
- No book has been published more times or translated into more languages
- No book has had a greater impact on the world's stage

**Most people have \_\_\_\_\_ about the Bible.  
How \_\_\_\_\_ are yours?**

**2 Timothy 3:16 is a better \_\_\_\_\_  
than \_\_\_\_\_**

**The nature of \_\_\_\_\_ required a new word  
to describe it (Theopneustos = "God-breathed")**

**There have never been \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_  
resources to help you understand these God-  
breathed Words**

**We invite you to discover the \_\_\_\_\_  
nature of these Words for yourself!**



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## Why Is The Bible Different?

The world has never had more access to more content. Today we are able to read histories, stories, philosophies, and commentaries from the world's best thinkers and the world's greatest leaders. Why is the Bible different? Join us as we explore the Bible's origins, wrestle with challenging questions, and marvel at the impact that these Words are still having today.

September 13	"Decisively Different"
September 20	"Who Wrote the Bible?"
September 27	"What's the Gospel?"
October 4	"Is the Bible Accurate?"
October 11	"Is the Bible Authoritative?"
October 18	"The Whatabouts"
October 25	"Readers"

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## Curated Resource List



### **Ages 0-3**

- *The Power of a Praying Parent* by Stormie Omartian
- *The Big Book of Bible Stories for Toddlers* (The Gospel Project)

### **Preschool/Kindergarten**

- *The Beginners Bible* (Zonderkidz)
- *One Year Devotions for Preschoolers* (Tyndale Kids)
- *Jesus Calling For Little Ones* by Sarah Young
- Minno Kids (Subscription service with videos & songs)

### **Early Elementary (1-3rd Grade)**

- *The Jesus Storybook Bible* (Zonderkidz)
- *Jesus Calling for Kids* by Sarah Young
- *NirV Adventure Bible* (Zonderkidz)
- Minno Kids ("What's in the Bible?" videos)

### **PreTeens (4-5<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

- *The Action Bible* (David C. Cook)
- YouVersion App – Kids Experience
- *NIV Translation* – Choose a good size for PreTeen & retreats

### **Middle School (6-8<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

- *NIV Translation* – Choose a good size for Youth Group & retreats
- *NLT Study Bible* – For reference
- YouVersion Bible App
- Biblegateway.com
- TheBibleProject.com

### **High School (9-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

- *NIV Translation* – Something you can bring on retreats, to Youth Group
- *ESV Study Bible* – For reference
- Biblehub.com
- YouVersion Bible App
- Biblegateway.com
- TheBibleProject.com

### **Household Resources:**

- *The Jesus Storybook Bible* (Zonderkidz)
- *NIV Translation*
- *NLT Study Bible*
- *ESV Study Bible*
- *IVP Bible Background Commentary* (Old & New Testaments)