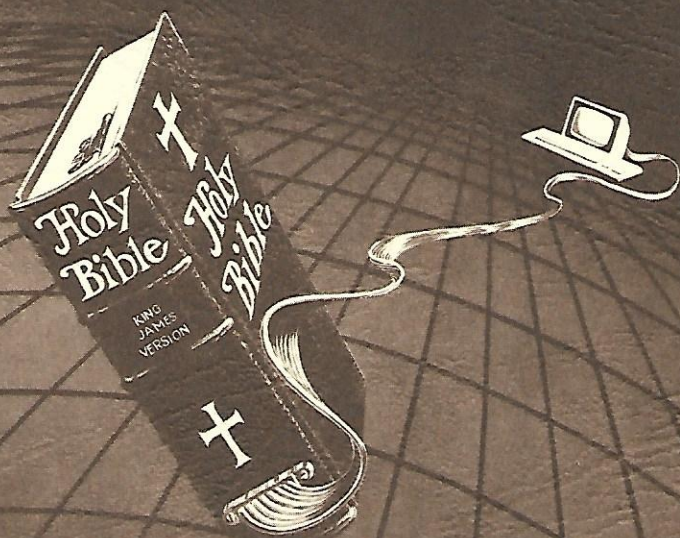


Still Searching?

What does the Bible say?
And where?

Bible Research Systems...

New dimensions in Bible study.



SCROLLING THROUGH THE BIBLE

In Austin in the shadow of the IBM assembly plant and near the newly installed headquarters of the Microelectronics and Computer Technology Corporation, sit the sparsely furnished, almost ascetic offices of Bible Research Systems. In 1982 the company's founders, Bert Brown and Kent Ochel, made history by becoming the first programmers to transform the entire Bible into a program for home computers. That is a formidable accomplishment. The product of their labor is aptly entitled The Word processor, and it is the most revolutionary thing to happen to any book since the invention of the paperback.

The Word processor's main menu acts like a control center, letting you locate and manipulate any size block of data according to preset criteria. You can search for words, phrases or even entire verses. Little more than a dozen keystrokes give you complete control over The Word processor. Within a fraction of a second the screen fills with the opening verses. To read, select the scroll option from a submenu at the bottom of the screen, and the text starts to unroll like an ancient parchment. Because there is no book to prop up or pages to turn and because even the scrolling speed can be adjusted with a single keystroke, The Word processor would make an excellent companion for all readers.

The Word processor can locate a book, chapter, or verse almost instantly. While viewing the text, you can interrupt your reading at any time and jump to another location by selecting the reference option from the submenu and entering the chapter and verse number of the desired passage. You can move uninhibited throughout the entire Bible.

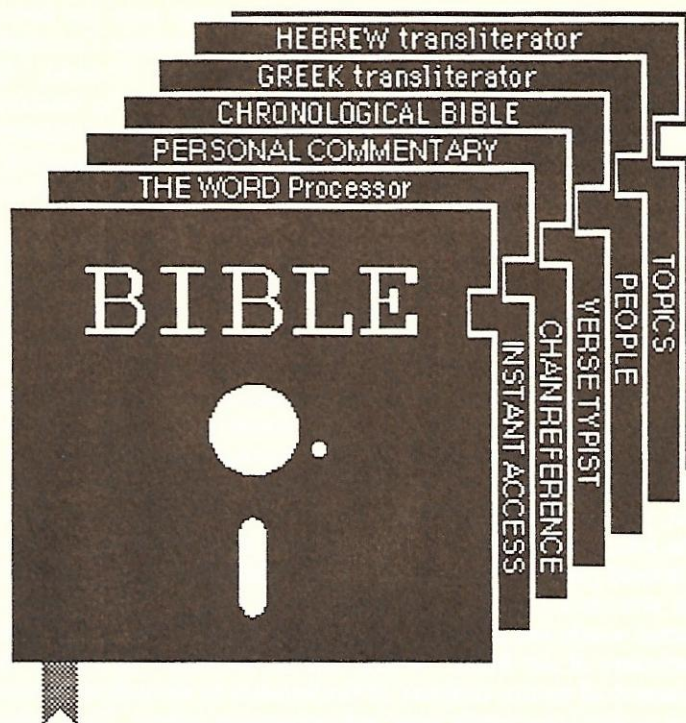
The Word processor's most impressive feature is its ability to create permanent indexes of selected words and phrases. The benefits of this capability will be obvious to students and scholars of the Bible. When I tested the indexing feature of The Word processor, it scanned all twelve chapters of Ecclesiastes in seconds and returned a list of seven references in which the words 'poor' and 'oppression' appear. Then I displayed those verses one at a time to determine whether they were relevant to my study. Several were not and I deleted them from the index. As time passes, I can build my index by scanning other books of the Bible for identical or distinct words and merging the results.

The Word processor includes a complete manual of instructions, but once I learned how to get the program running, I found ample on-screen help with the stroke of a key. The video instructions were so thorough that I rarely looked at the paper version. Another easy-to-use feature is printing - you can print any range of text, including the collected verses of any index you may have created.

Bible Research Systems has developed complementary programs that are designed to help make The Word processor even easier to operate. TOPICS cross-references verses on two hundred subjects and PEOPLE does the same for 140 biblical protagonists. These work with The Word processor to allow you to examine and study a wide variety of citations, everything from marriage to forgiveness or from Adam to Zedekiah, whether or not the specific word or name actually appears in the verses selected. TOPICS and PEOPLE are useful study aids as well as impressive demonstrations of the indexing capability of The Word processor.

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To allow you to benefit from the speed and accuracy of computers, Bible Research Systems has created the following family of products that combine the text of the Bible with sophisticated computer software.

THE WORD processor (includes 1 translation of Bible text)

Add-on Products:

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| King James Version | (KJV translation) |
| New King James Version | (NKJV translation) |
| New International Version | (NIV translation) |
| Revised Standard Version | (RSV translation with Apocrypha) |
| PERSONAL COMMENTARY | (Adds personal comments to any verse) |
| CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE | (Time sequenced presentation of the Bible) |
| HEBREW transliterator | (Hebrew word studies using the English text) |
| GREEK transliterator | (Greek word studies using the English text) |
| TOPICS and PEOPLE | (Cross reference libraries to the Bible text) |
| CHAIN REFERENCE | (Chains together verses with a common thought) |
| INSTANT ACCESS | (Finds any word anywhere in the Bible instantly) |
| VERSE TYPIST | (Copies verses into your documents on demand) |



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THE WORD processor is a tool that helps the user in personal study of the Bible. Anyone with an interest in personal Bible study can use THE WORD processor to:

Read the Bible:

- display any verse
- page forward & backward
- jump instantly to any verse
- scroll automatically (you set the speed)
- display verses in separate windows for comparison
- compare Bible translations

Study the Bible:

- choose specific range to study
- search for any word
- search for any list of words
- search for any phrase
- search for any sentence
- search for any word beginnings
- search for any word endings
- search for any sequence of text
- search for combinations of these

Build your library:

- create Indexes on word usage
- create Indexes on subjects
- create Indexes on your lesson
- merge Indexes to find verses common to both subjects
- merge Indexes to combine current and past studies

Prepare your lessons:

- print any verse
- choose your own print format
- print your own comments
- print any range of verses
- print any Index of verses
- print all verses on one subject
- print all verses on your lesson

Increase your study potential:

As your Bible study broadens, THE WORD processor also provides support for a whole family of integrated add-on products to:

- study the Bible by several translations
- study the Bible by major subjects
- study the Bible by major characters
- study the Bible by chronological sequence of events
- study the Bible by following a chain of thought
- study the Bible by recording your thoughts in the margins
- study the Bible by Greek or Hebrew word usage



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Not since the transition from the handwritten word to the printing press has such innovation occurred. THE WORD processor is the first electronic publication to come complete with a 4.5 million character work of literature. It provides you with an extensive analytical tool for the Bible text in any of several popular translations. Since the text was extracted from the computer tape used to typeset the printed Bible, Bible Research Systems can guarantee that it is 100% accurate. Anyone with an interest in personal Bible study can use THE WORD processor to:

- Find and display any verse in the Bible instantly
- Search the Bible text for any word or phrase or sentence
- Create permanent concordances on any subject
- Print all Bible text related to a common subject
- Print any portion of the Bible in your choice of formats

SEARCHING

Searching the Bible is a breeze. Think of any portion of a verse and THE WORD processor can find it for you. And it's fast! With the INSTANT ACCESS utility installed, any word anywhere in the Bible can be found instantly with no delays for searching the text. When you enter the word you want to find, THE WORD processor will instantly display the verse containing your search criteria. For more complex search criteria you can combine any set of words, word beginnings, word endings, phrases, sentences or any string of characters.

INDEXING

For subjects of more lasting interest you may create permanent Indexes (concordances) to the Bible text. Once created, these Indexes allow you to gain immediate access to verses in the Bible that pertain to a specific subject. You can create as many Indexes as you wish. Bible Research Systems offers a starting library of topical Indexes called TOPICS. You can expand upon this library with your own studies or you can build new ones. Indexes can also be merged to combine your current studies with previous studies.

PRINTING

THE WORD processor allows you to print any portion of the Bible text in the format you specify. You may also print the verses referenced by your Indexes. This option allows you to print all verses common to one topic or any of your personal studies. You can print your own comments along with each verse. Any portion of the Bible text can be made easily accessible by your word processing programs for your personal use in your own lesson documents.

WINDOWING

Multiple windowing capabilities are provided with THE WORD processor and its family of add-on products. Separate windows for Bible text, Indexes, commentary, chain references, and dictionaries are designed to display the variety of scripture information in an optimum manner. Separate windows can be used to compare verses from different parts of the Bible or from different Bible translations.



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EASY TO USE

THE WORD processor always keeps you informed of what you can do next. Each option is listed on a menu. You control THE WORD processor by selecting one of the options from the menu. A built-in HELP function along with a user's manual explains the functions in direct, non-technical terms. The user's manual for THE WORD processor has a chapter that provides a "hands on" exercise to acquaint you with the main features of the product. The manual contains complete, clearly written explanations of each product capability. Technical knowledge of computers is not required.

LESSON PREPARATION

THE WORD processor is designed to help you study the Bible. Then it helps you to record your studies both for building your own library and for sharing your lessons with others. The Indexing capabilities are similar to personal concordances that cross reference your Bible any number of ways. Each of your lessons become a permanent part of your Bible, available for future reference. Any part of your studies can be printed for use in a class you are teaching or for sharing with others.

INTEGRATED ADD-ONS

THE WORD processor is only the beginning of many possible tools to aid in your study of the Bible. As you become familiar with the ease of use and flexible capabilities of THE WORD processor you may choose from several add-on products. The optional TOPICS, PEOPLE, PERSONAL COMMENTARY, CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE, CHAIN REFERENCE, GREEK transliterator and HEBREW transliterator products will all completely integrate into THE WORD processor.



INSTANT ACCESS

THE WORD processor is a text search program. When you request to find a word, THE WORD processor scans the Bible text until your search criteria is found. INSTANT ACCESS is a special utility that works with THE WORD processor and has already searched for every word in the Bible. With this utility installed, when you want to find a word, THE WORD processor knows exactly where to look. Any word anywhere in the Bible will be found instantly with no delays for searching the text. INSTANT ACCESS also improves the speed of searching for a phrase. It identifies what text contains all words included in the phrase. Then THE WORD processor searches only those verses to determine if those words are in the proper order you specified in the phrase.

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VERSE TYPIST

Imagine yourself using your word processing program to compose a lesson or sermon. You frequently want to include Bible verses in your text. You must stop your writing, look up the verse in your Bible, type in the text, correct your errors and then continue with your lesson.

The Verse Typist does this for you automatically. As a memory resident program, it can be activated at any time, even from inside your word processing program. You simply position the cursor within your lesson document where you want the Bible verse and then activate the Verse Typist. You may then browse through the Bible text and request scriptures to be inserted into your document automatically. It is as simple as that.

The Verse Typist is a memory resident program. That means it shares memory with your word processing program. That also means it reduces the memory previously available to your word processing program. If the Verse Typist used 100K of memory this could mean your word processing program would only handle small documents containing short lessons. Therefore, the Verse Typist has been carefully designed to require only 20K of memory allowing it to share memory without placing limitations on most word processing programs. A hard disk is strongly recommended.



TOPICS

TOPICS is a topical cross reference of the Bible that works with THE WORD processor. Over 200 of the most frequently discussed subjects in scripture are included. The cross references deal not only with the word content but also with the concept of the subject. For example, a topic such as WORSHIP would cross reference to verses containing the word 'worship', plus concepts such as praise, awe, rejoicing, bowing down, etc. These Indexes are in the same format as those you create for word searches or for lesson preparation. They can be merged using THE WORD processor to find verses that deal with combinations of the topics. TOPICS is a starting library of cross reference Indexes that you can expand on for your personal studies.



PEOPLE

PEOPLE, like TOPICS is a set of Indexes created using THE WORD processor. These Indexes cross reference the Bible by more than 140 of the most frequently referenced personalities, allowing you to study the lives of the most significant people in the scriptures. You can search out the triumphs, defeats, joys and sorrows of such people as Aaron, Daniel, David, Jacob, Mary, Rachel, Simon and many more.

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CHAIN REFERENCE

The most valuable tool for interpreting the Bible is the Bible itself. To better understand a verse, you can study other verses that use the same words or address the same concept. The Chain Reference product provides you with over 55,000 chains that associate a specific word in a verse with a list of other verses from which you may add or delete references. The screen is divided into three windows containing the starting verse, the chained references and, at your request, any one of the chained verses. If one of the chained verses has its own chain you may immediately switch to following that chain. You may continue this through many levels and then, with one press of a key, return to the verse that started you on your search. A hard disk is strongly recommended.



CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE

A presentation of the Bible in chronological sequence. A Chronological Bar Chart of the Bible is displayed and you may select any point in time to begin your reading. A time sequenced outline of the Bible is then displayed beginning at the point you selected. Each event in the outline is keyed to the scripture text and determines the order of text display.

As an example with the Chronological Bible you can view Christ's ministry from a variety of perspectives. Each area of His ministry is broken down into separate categories. Each of those categories may have several sub-categories so that you may study at even greater depth. At this point you will be able to study all of the verses that deal with the time period in which you are interested. In some cases you can study the relevant verses from all four gospels to gain a greater understanding of Christ's ministry.



PERSONAL COMMENTARY

Have you ever written comments in the margin of your Bible? Margin notes in many Bibles represent years of personal study. Buying a new Bible implies the loss of these notes or many hours of copying. Well, now you can do even better with PERSONAL COMMENTARY. This product is designed to work with THE WORD processor to provide a full featured text editor for entering, editing, saving, retrieving and printing your commentary for any verse in the Bible. When THE WORD processor is displaying Bible text, PERSONAL COMMENTARY adds a separate window containing your commentary. The Trace feature will find the next verse associated with the same commentary. The Commentary window displays previously entered commentary or allows you to enter new commentary for the verse being displayed. The text of the verse can be automatically included in the commentary.

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GREEK transliterator

To better understand the text of an English translation, a student of the Bible can refer back to the original Greek. However, the required language skills have limited such studies to a select few with training in linguistics and years of practice in translation. The GREEK transliterator allows anyone with a knowledge of English to study word usage in Greek. The GREEK transliterator includes:

- Strong's reference numbers assigned to the English text of the New Testament
- a dictionary of Greek words including the English definition, the Greek transliteration, word origin and derivations.

SEARCHING FOR GREEK WORDS

You can begin with an English word and request to find:

- where the English word occurs in the New Testament
- which Greek word was in the original text (Strong's reference #)
- the transliteration (English syllable form) of the Greek word
- the definition of the Greek word in English

You can begin with a Greek word and request to find:

- where the Greek word occurs in the New Testament
- the English word(s) to which it was translated
- word relationships to trace word roots and derivations

ORIGINAL WORD MEANINGS

The study of word usage is an important part of translating between two languages. Accuracy requires careful analysis of the original message and selection of words that convey the equivalent meaning in the new language. This is not a direct process. The English word "spring" could be translated into another language as a pool of water, a metal coil or a season of the year. A translator determines by context which word best fits. The GREEK transliterator can show how often each word was used and many different ways the same word was translated. These word origin reports assist in understanding how a word was originally used and in what context it assumed different meanings.

INDEXING

The GREEK transliterator can create Indexes on Greek word content. The Greek Indexes are stored in the same form as the Indexes created by THE WORD processor based on English word content. Therefore, English and Greek Indexes are interchangeable between the two products. THE WORD processor can be used to merge Indexes to find combinations of word usage in the New Testament.

The GREEK transliterator assists the user to better understand the message intended by the original author without becoming an expert in Greek. It is designed for anyone with a personal computer and does not require special knowledge of the Greek language or computers.

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HEBREW transliterator

This product works just like the GREEK transliterator but for the Old Testament using Hebrew reference numbers and a Hebrew dictionary. The HEBREW transliterator includes:

- Strong's reference numbers assigned to English text of the Old Testament .
- a dictionary of Hebrew words including the English definition, the Hebrew transliteration, word origin and derivations.

The HEBREW transliterator assists the user to better understand the message intended by the original author without becoming an expert in Hebrew.



Examples Using the Transliterators

When you select the Display Text option, the text is displayed with Strong's reference numbers assigned to the English words as in the example below:

MAT 1:1 The book of the generation of Jesus Christ the son
0976 1078 2424 5547 5207

You can scan for specific Strong's reference numbers. You may then select a word in the verse for study. For example, if you select the word **Christ (#5547)** for study, the word that occurred in the Greek text will be displayed in the following format:

Strong's Reference Number:	5547
Derivation:	Derived from 5548
Greek Transliteration:	Christos
Definition:	Anointed; the Messiah

Word relationships, roots and derivations will be shown. A Trace option allows you to trace the word back to it's primary source. You may also use the Word Origin Analysis option to find various Greek origins for a common English word or various English translations of a specific Greek word. For example:

For the English word "pray":

Strong's #	Frequency
1189	0005
2065	0002
2172	0002
3870	0002
4336	0042

This shows the word "pray" occurs 53 times in the set range of verses and is translated from 5 different Greek words.

For Strong's Reference Number 4151:

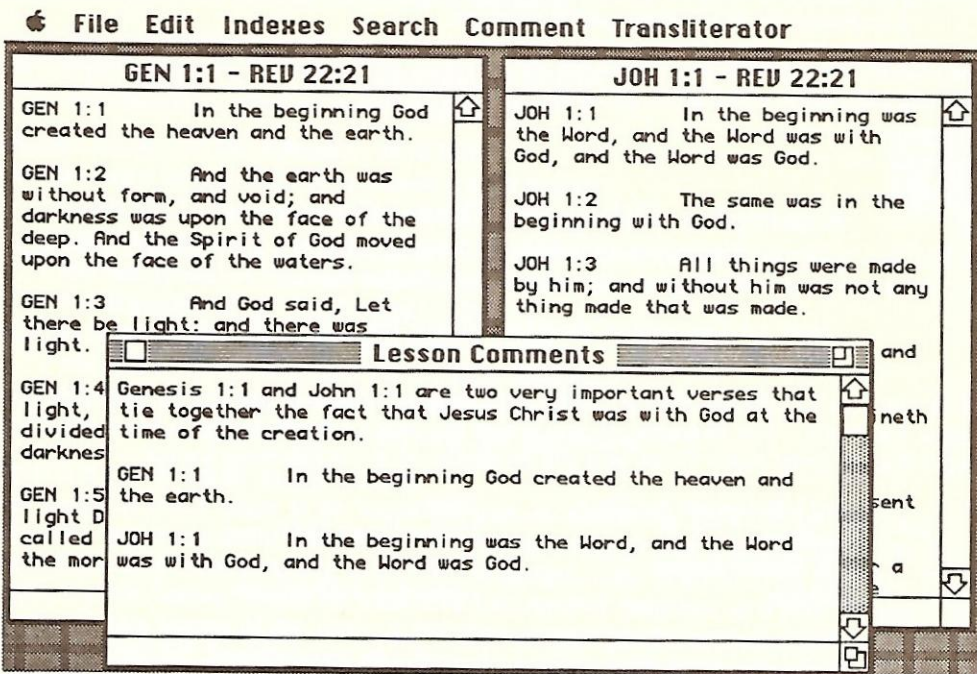
English Word:	Frequency
ghost	0007
spirit	0009
spirits	0003

The Greek word (#4151) occurs 19 times and is translated into English three different ways within the set range.

For Macintosh Users

THE WORD processor is designed to take maximum advantage of the Macintosh hardware/software environment. Every effort has been made to implement Macintosh user interface standards.

Windows containing Bible text can be resized so that you may view different portions of Bible text at the same time. You can Copy and Paste the text of the Bible directly into an edit window to integrate with your own comments and then make further enhancements with your word processing system.



THE WORD processor will work under Switcher on a machine with at least 1 megabyte of memory or under MultiFinder with at least 2 megabytes of memory.

Our Desk Accessory called the **VERSE TYPIST** provides the quickest, simplest way to transfer Bible text directly into your lesson documents while you are using your own word processing program.

COMPUTER SPECIFICATIONS:

COMPUTER BRAND	OPERATING SYSTEM	MEMORY SIZE	# of Text Disks	
			5.25	3.5
IBM-PC (any model)	PC-DOS	512K	4	2
IBM Compatibles	MS-DOS	512K	4	2
MACINTOSH	MAC	512K	-	4
APPLE II Series	ProDOS	64K	8	3

Disks are available in your choice of 5.25 or 3.5 inch disks. The disks are not copy protected, but they are copyrighted. All programs and related text can be transferred to a hard disk. (Approximately 1.4 megabytes for each translation of the Bible.)

PRODUCTS	AVAILABLE FOR:	PRICE
THE WORD processor (includes 1 translation of Bible text)	IBM, MAC, APPLE	\$199.95
Additional Translations:		
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New International Version	IBM, MAC, APPLE	\$100.00
Revised Standard Version	IBM, MAC	\$100.00
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INSTANT ACCESS	IBM, MAC	\$ 49.95
TOPICS	IBM, MAC, APPLE	\$ 49.95
PEOPLE	IBM, MAC, APPLE	\$ 49.95
PERSONAL COMMENTARY	IBM, MAC	\$ 49.95
CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE	IBM, MAC	\$ 49.95
VERSE TYPIST	IBM, MAC	\$ 49.95

When ordering be sure to specify the kind of computer you have, the Bible text you wish (KJV, NKJV, NIV or RSV), 5.25 or 3.5 inch disks and the specific products you want. Include Check or Money Order made payable to Bible Research Systems or call and we will ship COD. We accept MasterCard or VISA with a service charge for credit. There is a shipping/handling fee of \$3.00 for each product ordered (\$10.00 for orders outside the USA and Canada). For orders outside the USA, payment must be drawn on a USA bank.

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CUSTOMER COMMENTS:

A number of our customers and dealers have gone out of their way to voice their comments about our product line. A few of them are shown below:

"THE WORD processor version 4.0 is the finest software for general Bible research we have found. Its ease of use and great speed and capabilities commend it to the novice as well as to the seasoned researcher. THE WORD processor 4.0 has our strongest recommendation."

E.W. Goodrick and John R. Kohlenberger III, Co-editors
The NIV Complete and Handy Concordances.

"The Bible Research Systems products have become an integral part of my research and sermon preparation. They are a natural extension to my studies. It would be difficult to get along without them now that I have been spoiled with their capabilities."
Dan Davis of Hope Chapel, Austin, Tx.

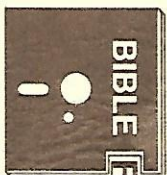
"I'm having a wonderful time with the programs. As a student and minister they cut down on a lot of leg work. It's an overall great program."
Frank Mc Ghee of Trotwood, Oh.

"Outstanding, excellent, extremely helpful and well worth the money! It is an easy to use tool for studying the Bible."
Glen Yeager Enterprises of Tyler, Tx.

"I use it every time I study the Bible. It is a very practical application to develop my sermons based upon the Greek and Hebrew languages. I wish that I had owned it 10 years ago."
Rev. Gwin Turner of Los Angeles, Ca.







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