

The 3-letter Bible Abbreviation System

This abbreviation system was designed to help keep consistency in abbreviations used on this web-site. It is easy to remember because all abbreviations are only three letters, and in most cases it is the first three letters of the book name. If the two books have the first three letters, the first three different consonants are used (e.g. PHM Philemon, and PHP Philippians). JDE Jude, JDG Judges, and SOS Song of Solomon are special cases.

GEN	Genesis	1CO	1 Corinthians
EXO	Exodus	2CO	2 Corinthians
LEV	Leviticus	GAL	Galatians
NUM	Numbers	EPH	Ephesians
DEU	Deuteronomy	PHP	Philippians
JOS	Joshua	COL	Colossians
JDG	Judges	1TH	1 Thessalonians
RUT	Ruth	2TH	2 Thessalonians
1SA	1 Samuel	1TI	1 Timothy
2SA	2 Samuel	2TI	2 Timothy
1KI	1 Kings	TIT	Titus
2KI	2 Kings	PHM	Philemon
1CH	1 Chronicles	HEB	Hebrews
2CH	2 Chronicles	JAM	James
EZR	Ezra	1PE	1 Peter
NEH	Nehemiah	2PE	2 Peter
EST	Esther	1JO	1 John
JOB	Job	2JO	2 John
PSA	Psalms	3JO	3 John
PRO	Proverbs	JDE	Jude
ECC	Ecclesiastes	REV	Revelation
SOS	Song of Solomon		
ISA	Isaiah		
JER	Jeremiah		
LAM	Lamentations		
EZE	Ezekiel		
DAN	Daniel		
HOS	Hosea		
JOE	Joel		
AMO	Amos		
OBA	Obadiah		
JON	Jonah		
MIC	Micah		
NAH	Nahum		
HAB	Habakkuk		
ZEP	Zephaniah		
HAG	Haggai		
ZEC	Zechariah		
MAL	Malachi		
MAT	Matthew		
MAR	Mark		
LUK	Luke		
JOH	John		
ACT	Acts		
ROM	Romans		