Bible Content Overview Study Guide

Notes for Study

The course and its exams assume a complete reading of the Bible. Scripture is the primary textbook. Dr. Greg Perry's *Bible Content Overview Notes* are available in the Covenant Seminary bookstore for purchase. They have been designed to assist those preparing for the English Bible portion of presbytery exams and the Bible Content exam to recognize the unique place that each book of the Bible has within the canon of Scripture.

Book outlines have been written for easy memorization. Memory verses have been selected either because they encapsulate the book's purpose or they are especially important for liturgical or catechetical functions.

Multiple-choice questions on the exam often concern historical, geographical or other contextual issues (usually concentrated in the first 2 or 3 slides of each lecture). You will also want to note the book and chapter in which key events happen in Scripture (i. e. Passover [Exodus 12]; the Day of Pentecost [Acts 2]). Listing questions will not only cover memory verses and book outlines, but may address other listed material (i. e. the 12 tribes, types of psalms, types of prophetic speech, fruit of the Spirit, etc...).

Bible Memory List		
Genesis 12:1-3	Proverbs 1:7	John 20:30-31
Exodus 19:4-6	Isaiah 53:4-5	Acts 1:8
Leviticus 11:45	Jeremiah 31:31-32	Romans 1:16
Deuteronomy 6:4-5	Ezekiel 36:25-27	Galatians 5:6
Twelve Tribes	Daniel 7:13-14	2 Cor 5:17-19
Ten Commandments	Literary Cycle of the Judges	
Joshua 1:8	Amos 5:23-24	Colossians 1:28-29
Judges 21:25	Zephaniah 2:1-2	Philippians 3:7-8
2 Samuel 7:16	Haggai 2:6-7	Titus 2:11-12
Ezra 7:10	Matthew 28:18-20	Hebrews 5:8-9
Esther 4:14	Mark 10:45	James 1:22-23
Psalm 95:1-3	Luke 19:10	Jude 24-25

Book Outline List

Genesis Matthew
Exodus Mark
Leviticus John
Numbers Acts
Deuteronomy Romans

Books of Samuel 1 Corinthians
Books of Kings Galatians
Ezra-Nehemiah Ephesians
Esther Philippians

Job 1 Thessalonians

Proverbs 2 Timothy
Ecclesiastes Hebrews
Isaiah James
Jeremiah 1 Peter
Ezekiel 1 John
Daniel Revelation

Micah Habakkuk Zechariah

May the Lord bless your preparations!