3 ❑ Malachi 1-4
4 ❑ Matt 1-2
5 ❑ Matt 3-4
6 ❑ Matt 5-7
7 ❑ Matt 8-10
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9 ❑ Matt 13-15
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12 ❑ Matt 22-23
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16 ❑ Mark 5-8
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23 ❑ Luke 10-12
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20 ❑ 1 Cor 5-8
21 ❑ 1 Cor 9-12
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24 ❑ 2 Cor 1-5
25 ❑ 2 Cor 6-9
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28 ❑ Rom 5-8
29 ❑ Rom 9-11
30 ❑ Rom 12-13

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10 ❑ Heb 1-4
11 ❑ Heb 5-7
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15 ❑ 1 Pet 3-5
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18 ❑ 1 Tim 4-6
19 ❑ Titus 1-3
20 ❑ 2 Tim 1-4
21 ❑ 1 John 1-2
22 ❑ 1 John 3-5
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A Chronological One Year Bible Reading Plan

This Bible reading plan is unique in that the Bible passages are arranged chronologically as they occurred, rather than as they are arranged in the English Bible. This will allow the reader to follow the story line of the Bible without jumping around in historical contexts. The following features have been incorporated into this reading plan...

The length of each day's reading generally ranges from 3-5 chapters.

Preference has been given to keeping literary units intact when possible.

The Historical Books have been listed in chronological order.

The Wisdom Books have been inserted either according to topic, author, or historical setting.

The Prophetic Books have been inserted into their historical context within the Historical Books.

The Book of Isaiah has been divided by the intended audience of pre-exile, exile, and post-exile.

The Epistles, when possible, have been inserted into their historical context within the book of Acts.

Suggestions for reading through the Bible in one year...

Use a modern edition of the Bible that has large, readable print.

Try to read at the same time and in the same place each day. This will aid in creating the habit of reading.

Take notes on insights and questions your raise. Also, use a Bible handbook or study Bible to aid in the chronology.

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5 ❑ Job 1-4
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24 ❑ Gen 37-39; Ps 25
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27 ❑ Gen 48-50
28 ❑ Ex 1-4
29 ❑ Ex 5-6
30 ❑ Ex 7-10
31 ❑ Ex 11-13

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5 ❑ Ex 24-27
6 ❑ Ex 28-30
7 ❑ Ex 31-34; Ps 90
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12 ❑ Lev 8-10
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20 ❑ Josh 22-24
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25 ❑ Jud 16-18
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29 ❑ 2 Sam 16-17
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