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The Old Testament books in one sentence.

## **The Pentateuch** 摩西五經

### 1. Genesis 創世紀

Genesis answers two big questions: “How did God’s relationship with the world begin?” and “Where did the nation of Israel come from?” 創世紀回答了兩個大問題：“神與世界的關係是如何開始的？”和“以色列民族從哪裡來？”

### 2. Exodus 出埃及記

God saves Israel from slavery in Egypt, and then enters into a special relationship with them. 神將以色列人從埃及的奴役中拯救出來，然後與他們建立了約的關係。

### 3. Leviticus 利未記

God gives Israel instructions for how to worship Him. 神指示以色列人如何敬拜祂。

### 4. Numbers 民數記

Israel fails to trust and obey God, and wanders in the wilderness for 40 years. 以色列不信靠順服神，以致要在曠野漂流40年。

### 5. Deuteronomy 申命記

Moses gives Israel instructions (in some ways, a recap of the laws in Exodus–Numbers) for how to love and obey God in the Promised Land. 摩西就如何在應許之地愛神和服從神，向以色列人發出教導（是對出埃及記，民數記中律法的回顧）。

## **Historic Writing** 歷史書

### 6. Joshua 約書亞記

Joshua (Israel’s new leader) leads Israel to conquer the Promised land, then parcels out territories to the twelve tribes of Israel. 約書亞（以色列的新領袖）帶領以色列進入應許之地，然後將地土分給以色列的十二個支派。

## 7. Judges 士師記

Israel enters a cycle of turning from God, falling captive to oppressive nations, calling out to God, and being rescued by leaders God sends their way (called “judges”).

以色列進入一個惡性循環：背離上帝、淪為壓迫民族的俘虜、呼求神、被神派來的領袖（士師）拯救。

## 8. Ruth 路得記

Two widows lose everything, and find hope in Israel—which leads to the birth of the future King David. 兩個寡婦失去了一切，在以色列中找到了希望：亦帶出未來大衛王的誕生。

## 9. I Samuel 撒母耳記上

Israel demands a king, who turns out to be quite a disappointment.

以色列需要一個王（掃羅），結果非常失望。

## 10. II Samuel 撒母耳記下

David, a man after God’s own heart, becomes king of Israel.

一個合神心意的人（大衛），成為以色列的王。

## 11. 1 Kings 列王紀上 (先知的角度)

The kingdom of Israel has a time of peace and prosperity under King Solomon, but afterward splits, and the two lines of kings turn away from God. 以色列國在所羅門王的統治下有一段和平繁榮的時期，但後來分裂了，兩系君王都離棄了神。

## 12. 2 Kings 列王紀下

Both kingdoms ignore God and his prophets, until they both fall captive to other world empires. 兩個王國都無視神和他的先知，直到他們都成為他國俘虜。

## 13. I Chronicles 歷代志上 (祭司的角度)

This is a brief history of Israel from Adam to David, culminating with David commissioning the temple of God in Jerusalem. 這是從亞當到大衛的以色列簡史，以大衛在耶路撒冷預備神的聖殿告終。

## 14. II Chronicles 歷代志下

David’s son Solomon builds the temple, but after centuries of rejecting God, the Babylonians take the southern Israelites captive and destroy the temple.

大衛的兒子所羅門建造了聖殿，但在幾百年之後因以色列人的悖逆，巴比倫人俘虜了南部的以色列人並摧毀了聖殿。

#### 15. Ezra 以斯拉記

The Israelites rebuild the temple in Jerusalem, and a scribe named Ezra teaches the people to once again obey God's laws. 以色列人在耶路撒冷重建聖殿，文士以斯拉教導人民再次遵守神的律法。

#### 16. Nehemiah 尼希米記

The city of Jerusalem is in bad shape, so Nehemiah rebuilds the wall around the city.

耶路撒冷城池頹敗，尼希米重建了城牆。

#### 17. Esther 以斯帖記

Someone hatches a genocidal plot to bring about Israel's extinction, and Esther must face the emperor to ask for help. 有人計劃滅絕以色列種族的陰謀，王后以斯帖必面對皇帝尋求幫助。

### Poetry/Wisdom 詩歌/智慧書

#### 18. Job 約伯記

Satan attacks a righteous man named Job, and Job and his friends argue about why terrible things are happening to him. 撒旦攻擊了義人約伯，約伯和他的朋友們爭論為什麼可怕的事情會發生在他身上。

#### 19. Psalms 詩篇

A collection of 150 songs that Israel sang to God (and to each other)—kind of like a hymnal for the ancient Israelites. 以色列向神(和彼此)唱的 150 首詩歌合集：是古代以色列人的讚美詩。

#### 20. Proverbs 箴言

A collection of sayings written to help people make wise decisions that bring about justice. 生活中的諺語，旨在幫助人做出明智的決定，帶來公義。

#### 21. Ecclesiastes 傳道書

A philosophical exploration of the meaning of life—with a surprisingly nihilistic tone for the Bible. 對生命意義的哲學探索：但用一種不認識耶和華的虛無主義語調來達。

## 22. Song of Solomon 雅歌

A love song (or collection of love songs) celebrating love, desire, and marriage.  
一首情歌(或情歌集)慶祝愛情、愛望和婚姻。

## Major prophets 大先知書

### 23. Isaiah (Redemption) 以賽亞書 (救贖)

God sends the prophet Isaiah to warn Israel of future judgment—but also to tell them about a coming king and servant who will “bear the sins of many.” 神派先知以賽亞警告以色列人未來的審判：也告訴他們即將來臨的君王僕人將“承擔多人的罪孽”。

### 24. Jeremiah (Repentance) 耶利米書 (悔改)

God sends a prophet to warn Israel about the coming Babylonian captivity, but the people don't take the news very well. 神派先知耶利米警告以色列即將被擄到巴比倫，但人對這警告卻不接受。

### 25. Lamentations 耶利米哀歌

A collection of dirges lamenting the fall of Jerusalem after the Babylonian attacks.  
一系列的哀歌，哀嘆巴比倫襲擊後耶路撒冷的淪陷。

### 26. Ezekiel (Returning) 以西結書 (回歸)

God chooses a man to speak for Him to Israel, to tell them the error of their ways and teach them justice: Ezekiel. 神揀選了以西結向以色列說話，告訴他們的錯誤並教導他們公義。

### 27. Daniel (Revelation) 但以理書 (啟示)

Daniel becomes a high-ranking wise man in the Babylonian and Persian empires, and has prophetic visions concerning Israel's future. 但以理成為巴比倫和波斯帝國的智者，他得了對以色列將來的異像。

## Minor prophets 12 小先知書

### 28. Hosea 何西阿書

Hosea is told to marry a prostitute who leaves him, and he must bring her back: a picture of God's relationship with Israel. 何西阿被指示去娶一個離開他的淫婦，他必須把她帶回來：這是神與以色列關係的圖畫。

### 29. Joel約珥書

God sends a plague of locusts to Judge Israel, but his judgment on the surrounding nations is coming, too. 神派蝗災來審判以色列，而周圍列國的審判也即將來臨。

### 30. Amos阿摩司書

A shepherd named Amos preaches against the injustice of the Northern Kingdom of Israel. 一位名叫阿摩司的牧羊人宣揚反對北國以色列國的不公義。

### 31. Obadiah俄巴底亞書

Obadiah warns the neighboring nation of Edom that they will be judged for plundering Jerusalem. 俄巴底亞警告鄰國以東，他們將因掠奪耶路撒冷而受到審判。

### 32. Jonah約拿書

A disobedient prophet runs from God, is swallowed by a great fish, and then preaches God's message to the city of Nineveh. 悖逆的先知約拿逃離神，被一條大魚吞下，然後向尼尼微城宣講神的信息。

### 33. Micah彌迦書

Micah confronts the leaders of Israel and Judah regarding their injustice, and prophecies that one day the Lord himself will rule in perfect justice. 彌迦就以色列和猶大的不公與他們對質，並預言有一天耶和華會以完美的公義統治。

### 34. Nahum那鴻書

Nahum foretells of God's judgment on Nineveh, the capital of Assyria. 那鴻預言神對亞述首都尼尼微的審判。

### 35. Habakkuk哈巴谷書

Habakkuk pleads with God to stop the injustice and violence in Judah, but is surprised to find that God will use the even more violent Babylonians to do so. 哈巴谷懇求上帝停止猶大的不公和暴力，卻發現神使用更殘酷的巴比倫人來這樣做。  
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### 36. Zephaniah 西番雅書

God warns that he will judge Israel and the surrounding nations, but also that he will restore them in peace and justice. 神警告說，他將審判以色列和周圍的國家，而且他將在和平與公義中復興他們。

### 37. Haggai 哈該書

The people have abandoned the work of restoring God's temple in Jerusalem, and so Haggai takes them to task. 人放棄了在耶路撒冷重建聖殿的工作，所以哈該負起了這個使命。

### 38. Zechariah 撒迦利亞書

The prophet Zechariah calls Israel to return to God, and records prophetic visions that show what's happening behind the scenes. 先知撒迦利亞呼召以色列人歸向神，並記錄了幕後發生的事情的預言異象。

### 39. Malachi 瑪拉基書

God has been faithful to Israel, but they continue to live disconnected from him—so God sends Malachi to call them out. 神以信實待以色列，但他們繼續拒絕祂，所以上帝派瑪拉基去呼喚他們。