

College Church  
Men's Gathering  
Bible Reference Resource List

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At the September 10<sup>th</sup> Men's Gathering event, our panel discussion focused on God's Word. We discussed issues of personal study and devotional time, small groups, teaching, reading, memorizing, parenting and living daily life, and how God's word is handled amidst these issues.

Throughout the testimony and panel times, there were many comments made about possible reference tools that might be helpful as we strive to better interact with and understand God's word.

Here is a list of some of those resources, as mentioned by Randy Seager, Chris Spano and Jeff Brewer. You will notice that some of the items even include web links for your ease of review. Special thanks to these men for letting us look into their home library.

Randy Seager

NIV Exhaustive Concordance - Goodrick & Kohlenberger - Zondervan  
The Englishman's Greek Concordance of the New Testament - George V. Wigram - Hendrickson  
The Interlinear NASB-NIV Parallel New Testament In Greek and English – A. Marshall - Zondervan  
The New International Dictionary of the Christian Church - J.D. Douglas - Regency /Zondervan  
New Bible Dictionary - I. H. Marshall, A.R. Millard, J.I Packer, D.J. Wiseman - Inter-Varsity Press  
The Nave's Topical Bible - Zondervan  
Vine's Expository Dictionary of Old and New Testament Words - W.E. Vine and F.F. Bruce - Revell  
The Treasury of Scripture Knowledge - Hendrickson (publisher)

Jeff Brewer

**Online:**

A good software that has some base packages that are reasonable in price and are very powerful. Biblia.com links with a logos.com account and allows you to have books available online from any computer.

<http://www.logos.com>

Downloadable FREE bible program for PC's.

<http://www.e-sword.net>

**Mobile:**

ESV + App for iPhone mobile device. \$14.99 Its user interface is elegant and it has the ESV Study Bible included along with audio from the whole Bible (internet connectivity required for audio, but not for Study Bible or Bible)

<http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/esv-bible/id383313652?mt=8>

ESV App for iPhone: Free Same App and interface but doesn't include ESV Study Bible or Audio.

<http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/esv-bible/id361797273?mt=8>

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### **Print:**

*Basic Bible Study books that are very helpful no matter if you have been a Christian for a long time or are just starting out.*

How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth by Gordon D. Fee and Douglas Stuart

[http://www.amazon.com/How-Read-Bible-All-Worth/dp/0310246040/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142483&sr=1-1](http://www.amazon.com/How-Read-Bible-All-Worth/dp/0310246040/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142483&sr=1-1)

Living By the Book by Howard G. Hendricks and William D. Hendricks

[http://www.amazon.com/Living-Book-Science-Reading-Bible/dp/0802408230/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142440&sr=1-1](http://www.amazon.com/Living-Book-Science-Reading-Bible/dp/0802408230/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142440&sr=1-1)

*These books by Mark Dever are very helpful if you want an overview of any book of the Bible. He does a good job of pointing to Christ. A good resource to have on your shelf.*

The Message of the New Testament by Mark Dever

[http://www.amazon.com/Message-New-Testament-Promises-Kept/dp/1581347162/ref=pd\\_bxgy\\_b\\_img\\_b](http://www.amazon.com/Message-New-Testament-Promises-Kept/dp/1581347162/ref=pd_bxgy_b_img_b)

The Message of the Old Testament by Mark Dever

[http://www.amazon.com/Message-Old-Testament-Promises-Made/dp/1581347170/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142381&sr=1-1](http://www.amazon.com/Message-Old-Testament-Promises-Made/dp/1581347170/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142381&sr=1-1)

*These next two books are Bible Atlases and are very helpful when studying about a time and place that we are unfamiliar with. We didn't talk about them this morning, but I think it is good to have one on your shelf as a reference. The Moody Bible Atlas by Barry Beitzel has won numerous awards and is on permanent display in the Library of Congress. The ESV Atlas is new and I have heard many good things about it and have quickly looked through it. It utilizes some of the diagrams from the Study Bible.*

The New Moody Atlas of the Bible by Barry J. Beitzel

<http://www.amazon.com/New-Moody-Atlas-Bible/dp/0802404413>

Crossway ESV Bible Atlas by John Currid and David P. Burrett

[http://www.amazon.com/Crossway-Bible-Atlas-John-Currid/dp/1433501929/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142297&sr=1-1](http://www.amazon.com/Crossway-Bible-Atlas-John-Currid/dp/1433501929/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1284142297&sr=1-1)

### Chris Spano

An Approach to Extended Memorization of Scripture, Dr. Andrew Davis

<http://www.fbcdurham.org>

For additional resources, check out the College Church library.