



tools to help Bible
you dive Study
deeper into Tools
the Word

Scuba divers must have the proper gear to dive into the deepest depths of the ocean. The same is true for students of the Word; they must have the right gear and tools to dive deeper into God's Word.

Here are a handful of tools available to help you dive deeper into God's Word.

Commentaries (1 Volume)

~A Survey of the New Testament- Robert H. Gundry

~Matthew Henry's Concise Commentary on the Whole Bible- Matthew Henry

~Old Testament Teaching- J. Wash Watts

~Talk thru the Bible- Bruce Wilkinson & Kenneth Boa

~The Bible Knowledge Commentary NT- edited by John F. Walvoord & Roy B. Zuck

~The Bible Knowledge Commentary OT- edited by John F. Walvoord & Roy B. Zuck

**~The Wiersbe Bible Commentary NT- Warren W. Wiersbe

**~The Wiersbe Bible Commentary OT- Warren W. Wiersbe

~Women's Evangelical Commentary- NT- Dorothy Kelley Patterson & Rhonda Harrington Kelley

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Commentaries (Multi Volume)

**~MacArthur NT Commentary Set (NT only)
John MacArthur (purchase separately as you study different books of the Bible)

~The Biblical Illustrator (23 volumes) - Baker Book House Publishing

**~The Expositor's Bible Commentary (12 volumes) - edited by Frank E. Gaebelin- Zondervan

~The New American Commentary (multiple volumes- OT & NT) - Broadman and Holman Publishing Group

~The NIV Application Commentary (20 volumes) Zondervan

~The Treasury of David- Charles H. Spurgeon

~Thru the Bible- J. Vernon McGee

~Zondervan NIV Bible Commentary OT & NT- Baker & Kohlenberger

Dictionaries & Concordances

~Dictionary of Jesus and the Gospels- edited by I. Howard Marshall, Joel B. Green, Scot McKnight

~Dictionary of New Testament Background- Craig A. Evans & Stanley E. Porter

~Dictionary of the Later New Testaments & Its Developments- edited by Ralph P. Martin and Peter H. Davids

~Dictionary of the Old Testament: Historical Books- Bill T. Arnold and H.G.M. Williamson

~Dictionary of the Old Testament Pentateuch: A Compendium of Biblical Scholarship- T. Desmond Alexander and David W. Baker

~Dictionary of the Old Testament: Wisdom, Poetry, & Writings- Tremper Longman III and Peter Enns

~Dictionary of Paul and his Letters- edited by Ralph P. Martin, Gerald F. Hawthorne, Daniel G. Reid- by G.F. Hawthorne, R.P. Martin and D.G. Reid, eds.

~Evangelical Dictionary of Theology- Walter A. Elwell

**~Holman Illustrated Bible Dictionary- Broadman and Holman Publishing Group

**~Strong's Exhaustive Concordance (KJV) - Hendrickson Publishers

~Thayer's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament- Joseph Thayer

~The Complete Word Study New Testament- Spiros Zodhiates

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~The Englishman's Greek Concordance of the New Testament- George V. Wigram

~The Englishman's Hebrew Concordance of the Old Testament- George V. Wigram

~The Holman Bible Handbook- David S. Dockery

~Vine's Complete Expository Dictionary of OT & NT Words- W. E. Vine

~Zondervan's Pictorial Bible Dictionary- Merrill C. Tenney

Study Bibles

~ESV Study Bible

~Hebrew-Greek Key Word Study Bible

**~John MacArthur Study Bible

~Life Application Study Bible

~NIV Study Bible

~Thompson Chain Reference Bible

Books about the Bible

~Explore the Book: A Survey & Study of Each Book from Genesis through Revelation- J. Sidlow Baxter

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

~How to Read the Bible Book by Book: A Guided Tour- Gordon D. Fee and Douglas Stuart

~The Eerdmans' Companion to the Bible- Gordon D. Fee and Robert L. Hubbard, Jr. (releases 10/29/11)

Theology Books

~Christian Theology- Millard J. Erickson

**~Systematic Theology- Wayne Grudem

Online Tools (free)

**Bible Gateway- <http://biblegateway.com> (I especially enjoy this for the various translations.)

Bible History Online- <http://www.bible-history.com/>

Bible Map- <http://www.biblemap.org>

Blue Letter Bible- <http://blueletterbible.org>

Bible Study Tools- <http://www.biblestudytools.com>

Heartlight's Search Gods Word- <http://www.searchgodsword.org>

**e-Sword- <http://www.e-sword.net> (Several of the tools listed are available on this site free or for a minimal charge.)

Study Light- <http://www.studylight.org>

Timeline of the Bible- <http://www.sundayschoolresources.com/timeline.htm>

Software

Logos Bible Software- <http://www.logos.com>

WORDsearch- <http://www.wordsearchbible.com>

BibleWorks- <http://www.bibleworks.com>

**Must haves if you're just starting your study library.