

“It Is Written”

The New Testament Canon of Scripture stands on the established truth of the Old Testament Canon of Scripture. Not a new truth, but the same truth more completely revealed by the progressive revelation of God’s Word. The Torah is the foundation upon which the rest of the Bible stands firm.

All Scriptures are quoted in the **NKJV**:

◆ **Matthew 2:5 cf Micah 5:2**

So they said to him, “In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus *it is written* by the prophet:

◆ **Matthew 4:4 cf Deut. 8:3**

But He answered and said, “*It is written*, ‘Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.’”

◆ **Matthew 4:6 cf Psa. 91:11-12**

and said to Him, “If You are the Son of God, throw Yourself down. For *it is written*: ‘He shall give His angels charge over you,’ and, In their hands they shall bear you up, Lest you dash your foot against a stone.’ ”

◆ **Matthew 4:7 cf Deut. 6:16**

Jesus said to him, “*It is written* again, ‘You shall not tempt the Lord your God.’ ”

◆ **Matthew 4:10 cf Deut. 6:13**

Then Jesus said to him, “Away with you, Satan! For *it is written*, ‘You shall worship the Lord your God, and Him only you shall serve.’ ”

◆ **Matthew 11:10 cf Mal. 3:1**

For this is he of whom *it is written*: ‘Behold, I send My messenger before Your face, Who will prepare Your way before You.’

◆ **Matthew 21:13 cf Isa. 56:7 and Jer. 7:11**

And He said to them, “*It is written*, ‘My house shall be called a house of prayer,’ but you have made it a ‘den of thieves.’”

◆ **Matthew 26:24 cf Isa. Chapter 53 as an example of many passages.**

The Son of Man indeed goes just as *it is written* of Him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been good for that man if he had not been born.”

◆ **Matthew 26:31 cf Zech. 13:7**

Then Jesus said to them, “All of you will be made to stumble because of Me this night, for *it is written*: ‘I will strike the Shepherd, And the sheep of the flock will be scattered.’

◆ **Mark 1:2-3 cf Mal. 3:1 and Isa. 40:3**

As *it is written* in the Prophets: “Behold, I send My messenger before Your face, Who will prepare Your way before You.” “The voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord; make His paths straight.”

✦ **Mark 7:6 cf Isa. 29:13**

He answered and said to them, “Well did Isaiah prophesy of you hypocrites, as *it is written*: ‘This people honors Me with their lips, But their heart is far from Me.

✦ **Mark 9:13 cf Mal. 4:4-6**

But I say to you that Elijah has also come, and they did to him whatever they wished, as *it is written* of him.”

✦ **Mark 14:21 cf Isa. Chapter 53 as one example.**

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✦ **Luke 2:23 cf Exod. 13:2,12**

(as *it is written* in the law of the Lord, “Every male who opens the womb shall be called holy to the Lord”),

✦ **Luke 3:4-6 cf Isa. 40:3-5**

as *it is written* in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet, saying: “The voice of one crying in the wilderness: ‘Prepare the way of the Lord; Make His paths straight. Every valley shall be filled and every mountain and hill brought low; the crooked places shall be made straight and the rough ways smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.’”

✦ **Luke 4:4 cf Deut. 8:3**

But Jesus answered him, saying, “*It is written*, ‘Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God.’ ”

✦ **Luke 4:8 cf Deut. 6:13**

And Jesus answered and said to him, “Get behind Me, Satan! For *it is written*, ‘You shall worship the Lord your God, and Him only you shall serve.’ ”

✦ **Luke 4:10-11 cf Psa. 91:11-12**

For *it is written*: ‘He shall give His angels charge over You, To keep You,’ and ‘In their hands they shall bear You up, lest You dash Your foot against a stone.’

✦ **Luke 7:27 cf Mal. 3:1**

This is he of whom *it is written*: ‘Behold, I send My messenger before Your face, Who will prepare Your way before You.’

✦ **Luke 19:46 cf Isa. 56:7 and Jer. 7:11**

saying to them, “*It is written*, ‘My house is a house of prayer,’ but you have made it a ‘den of thieves.’”

✦ **Luke 24:46 cf Hosea 6:1-2 as one example.**

Then He said to them, “Thus *it is written*, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day,

✦ **John 6:31 cf Exod. 16:4 and Psa. 78:24-25**

Our fathers ate the manna in the desert; as *it is written*, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’”

✦ **John 6:45 cf Isa. 54:13**

It is written in the prophets, ‘And they shall all be taught by God.’ Therefore everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to Me.

✦ **John 12:13-15 cf Psa. 118:25-26 and Zech. 9:9**

took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: “Hosanna! ‘Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!’ The King of Israel!” Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as *it is written*: “Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey’s colt.”

✦ **Acts 1:20 cf Psa. 109:8**

“For *it is written* in the Book of Psalms: ‘Let his dwelling place be desolate, And let no one live in it’; and, ‘Let another take his office.’

✦ **Acts 7:42 cf Amos 5:25**

Then God turned and gave them up to worship the host of heaven, as *it is written* in the book of the Prophets: ‘Did you offer Me slaughtered animals and sacrifices during forty years in the wilderness, O house of Israel?’

✦ **Acts 13:33 cf Psa. 2:7**

God has fulfilled this for us their children, in that He has raised up Jesus. As *it is also written* in the second Psalm: ‘You are My Son, Today I have begotten You.’

✦ **Acts 15:15 cf Amos 9:11-12**

And with this the words of the prophets agree, just as *it is written*: ‘After this I will return And will rebuild the tabernacle of David, which has fallen down; I will rebuild its ruins, And I will set it up; So that the rest of mankind may seek the Lord, Even all the Gentiles who are called by My name, Says the Lord who does all these things.’

✦ **Acts 23:5 cf Exod. 22:28**

Then Paul said, “I did not know, brethren, that he was the high priest; for *it is written*, ‘You shall not speak evil of a ruler of your people.’”

✦ **Romans 1:17 cf Hab. 2:4**

For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as *it is written*, “The just shall live by faith.”

✦ **Romans 2:24 cf Isa. 52:5 and Ezek. 36:22**

For “the name of God is blasphemed among the Gentiles because of you,” as *it is written*.

✦ **Romans 3:4 cf Psa. 51:4**

Certainly not! Indeed, let God be true but every man a liar. As *it is written*: “That You may be justified in Your words, And may overcome when You are judged.”

✦ **Romans 3:10 cf Isa. 53:6**

As *it is written*: “There is none righteous, no, not one;

◆ **Romans 4:17 cf Gen. 17:5**

(as *it is written*, “I have made you a father of many nations”) in the presence of Him whom he believed—God, who gives life to the dead and calls those things which do not exist as though they did;

◆ **Romans 8:36 cf Psa. 44:22**

As *it is written*: “For Your sake we are killed all day long; We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter.”

◆ **Romans 9:13 cf Mal. 1:2-3**

As *it is written*, “Jacob I have loved, but Esau I have hated.”

◆ **Romans 9:33 cf Isa. 8:14; 28:16**

As *it is written*: “Behold, I lay in Zion a stumbling stone and rock of offense, And whoever believes on Him will not be put to shame.”

◆ **Romans 10:15 cf Isa. 52:7**

And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As *it is written*: “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, Who bring glad tidings of good things!”

◆ **Romans 11:8 cf Deut. 29:4 and Isa. 29:10**

Just as *it is written*: “God has given them a spirit of stupor, Eyes that they should not see And ears that they should not hear, To this very day.”

◆ **Romans 11:26-27 cf Isa. 59:20-21; 27:9; Jer. 31:33-34**

And so all Israel will be saved, as *it is written*: “The Deliverer will come out of Zion, And He will turn away ungodliness from Jacob; For this is My covenant with them, when I take away their sins.”

◆ **Romans 12:19-20 cf Deut. 32:35 and Prov. 25:21-22**

Beloved, do not avenge yourselves, but rather give place to wrath; for *it is written*, “Vengeance is Mine, I will repay,” says the Lord. Therefore: “If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him a drink; for in doing you will heap coals of fire on his head.”

◆ **Romans 14:11 cf Isa. 45:23**

For *it is written*: “As I live, says the Lord, Every knee shall bow to Me, And every tongue shall confess to God.”

◆ **Romans 15:3 cf Psa. 69:9**

For even Christ did not please Himself; but as *it is written*, “The reproaches of those who reproached You fell on Me.”

◆ **Romans 15:9-12 cf 2 Sam. 22:50; Psa. 18:49; Deut. 32:43; Psa. 117:1; Isa. 11:10**

and that the Gentiles might glorify God for His mercy, *as it is written*: “For this reason I will confess to You among the Gentiles, And sing to Your name.” And again he says: “Rejoice, O Gentiles, with His people!” And again: “Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles! Laud Him, all you peoples!” And again, Isaiah says: “There shall be a root of Jesse; And He who shall rise to reign over the Gentiles, In Him the Gentiles shall hope.”

◆ **Romans 15:21 cf Isa. 52:15**

but as *it is written*: “To whom He was not announced, they shall see; And those who have not heard shall understand.”

◆ **1 Corinthians 1:19 cf Isa. 29:14**

For *it is written*: “I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, And bring to nothing the understanding of the prudent.”

◆ **1 Corinthians 1:31 cf Jer. 9:24**

that, as *it is written*, “He who glories, let him glory in the Lord.”

◆ **1 Corinthians 2:9 cf Isa. 64:4**

But as *it is written*: “Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man The things which God has prepared for those who love Him.”

◆ **1 Corinthians 3:19 cf Job 5:13**

For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God. For *it is written*, “He catches the wise in their own craftiness”;

◆ **1 Corinthians 9:9 cf Deut. 25:4**

For *it is written* in the law of Moses, “You shall not muzzle an ox while it treads out the grain.” Is it oxen God is concerned about?

◆ **1 Corinthians 10:7 cf Exod. 32:6**

And do not become idolaters as were some of them. As *it is written*, “The people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to play.”

◆ **1 Corinthians 14:21 cf Isa. 28:11-12**

In the law *it is written*: “With men of other tongues and other lips I will speak to this people; And yet, for all that, they will not hear Me,” says the Lord.

◆ **1 Corinthians 15:45 cf Gen. 2:7**

And so *it is written*, “The first man Adam became a living being.” The last Adam became a life-giving spirit.

◆ **2 Corinthians 8:15 cf Exod. 16:18**

As *it is written*, “He who gathered much had nothing left over, and he who gathered little had no lack.”

◆ **2 Corinthians 9:9 cf Psa. 112:9**

As *it is written*: “He has dispersed abroad, He has given to the poor; His righteousness endures forever.”

◆ **Galatians 3:10 cf Deut. 27:26**

For as many as are of the works of the law are under the curse; for *it is written*, “Cursed is everyone who does not continue in all things which are written in the book of the law, to do them.”

◆ **Galatians 3:13 cf Deut. 21:23**

Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for *it is written*, “Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree”),

◆ **Galatians 4:22 cf Gen. Chapters 16 & 21**

For *it is written* that Abraham had two sons: the one by a bondwoman, the other by a freewoman.

◆ **Galatians 4:27 cf Isa. 54:1**

For *it is written*: “Rejoice, O barren, You who do not bear! Break forth and shout, You who are not in labor! For the desolate has many more children than she who has a husband.”

◆ **Hebrews 10:7 cf Psa. 40:6-8**

Then I said, ‘Behold, I have come— In the volume of the book *it is written* of Me— To do Your will, O God.’ ”

◆ **1 Peter 1:16 cf Lev. 11:44,45; 19:2; 20:7**

because *it is written*, “Be holy, for I am holy.”

Consider this:

There are **898** references to Torah in the New Testament

- Genesis, **260** times
- Exodus, **250** times
- Leviticus, **107** times
- Numbers, **73** times
- Deuteronomy, **208** times

◆ **Matthew 5:17-18**

“Do not think that I came to destroy the Law [Torah] or the Prophets. I did not come to destroy but to fulfill. For assuredly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, one jot or one tittle will by no means pass from the law [torah] till all is fulfilled.” ~ Jesus/Yeshua