

9 — THREE-LETTER CODES FOR BOOK NAMES

These are the internationally agreed three-letter codes for each book of the Bible and the Apocrypha. They are the codes we use in many of the file names to show which Bible book we are typing.

Always type them in upper-case characters.

Please be careful to distinguish between 1SA (1 Samuel) and ISA (Isaiah).

OLD TESTAMENT

Genesis	GEN	Ecclesiastes	ECC
Exodus	EXO	Song of Songs.....	SNG
Leviticus.....	LEV	Isaiah.....	ISA
Numbers.....	NUM	Jeremiah	JER
Deuteronomy	DEU	Lamentations.....	LAM
Joshua.....	JOS	Ezekiel.....	EZK
Judges.....	JDG	Daniel.....	DAN
Ruth	RUT	Hosea	HOS
1 Samuel.....	1SA	Joel.....	JOL
2 Samuel.....	2SA	Amos.....	AMO
1 Kings	1KI	Obadiah	OBA
2 Kings	2KI	Jonah.....	JON
1 Chronicles	1CH	Micah	MIC
2 Chronicles	2CH	Nahum	NAM
Ezra.....	EZR	Habakkuk	HAB
Nehemiah	NEH	Zephaniah	ZEP
Esther.....	EST	Haggai.....	HAG
Job	JOB	Zechariah	ZEC
Psalms.....	PSA	Malachi	MAL
Proverbs	PRO		

NEW TESTAMENT

Matthew.....	MAT	1 Timothy.....	1TI
Mark	MRK	2 Timothy.....	2TI
Luke	LUK	Titus	TIT
John	JHN	Philemon.....	PHM
Acts.....	ACT	Hebrews.....	HEB
Romans.....	ROM	James	JAS
1 Corinthians	1CO	1 Peter	1PE
2 Corinthians	2CO	2 Peter	2PE
Galatians.....	GAL	1 John.....	1JN
Ephesians.....	EPH	2 John.....	2JN
Philippians	PHP	3 John.....	3JN
Colossians	COL	Jude.....	JUD
1 Thessalonians	1TH	Revelation.....	REV
2 Thessalonians	2TH		

APOCRYPHA

Tobit	TOB	Susanna.....	SUS
Judith	JDT	Bel & the Dragon	BEL
Esther.....	ESG	1 Maccabees	1MA
Wisdom	WIS	2 Maccabees	2MA
Sirach/Ecclesiasticus.....	SIR	1 Esdras.....	1ES
Baruch.....	BAR	2 Esdras.....	2ES
Letter of Jeremiah	LJE	Manasseh.....	MAN
Song of the 3 Young Men	S3Y		