

## HOW SURE THE SCRIPTURES ARE!

God's vital, urgent word,  
as true as steel, and far  
more sharp than any sword:  
so deep and fine,  
at his control  
they pierce where soul  
and spirit join.

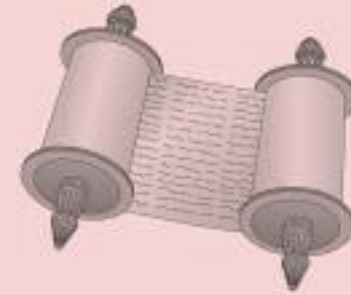
They test each human thought,  
refining like a fire;  
they measure what we ought  
to do and to desire:  
for God knows all –  
exposed it lies  
before his eyes  
to whom we call.

Let those who hear his voice  
confronting them today,  
reject the tempting choice  
of doubting or delay:  
for God speaks still –  
his word is clear,  
so let us hear  
and do his will!

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ALL SCRIPTURE IS GOD-BREATHED

# AN OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW



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## EXODUS, NUMBERS & JOSHUA

**From Egypt's bondage to  
the promised inheritance**

*"These things happened to them as examples and  
were written down as warnings for us, on whom the  
fulfilment of the ages has come. So, if you think you  
are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall."*

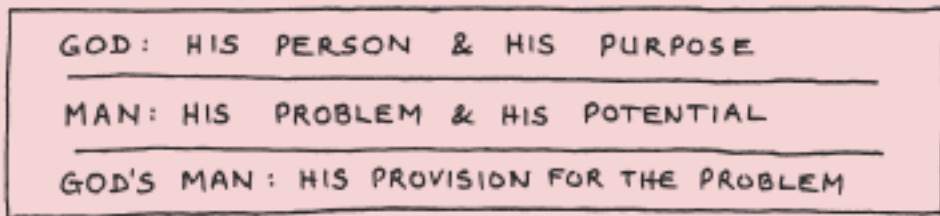
1 CORINTHIANS 10 : 11 & 12

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# EXODUS, NUMBERS, JOSHUA

A helpful question to ask when reading a passage of Old Testament scripture is,

**“What can I learn from this section about God, about man and about God’s man for this time?”**



## EXODUS

- A. Chapters 1-19 **Deliverance by God’s intervention**  
(The ‘exodus’ escape)
- B. Chapters 20-24 **Direction through God’s instruction**  
(The Sinai legislation)
- C. Chapters 25-34 **Devotion to God’s person**  
(The tabernacle worship)

## NUMBERS

- A. Chapters 1-10:10 **The arrangements for desert dwelling and the census**
- B. Chapters 10:11-12 **The journey from Sinai to Kadesh**
- C. Chapters 13-20:21 **The wandering in the Kadesh area for 38 years**
- D. Chapters 20:22-34 **The experiences in the plains of Moab**

## JOSHUA

- A. Chapters 1-8 **Entering the land: Gilgal, Jericho and Ai**
- B. Chapters 9-12 **Subduing the land: Southern and northern campaigns**
- C. Chapters 13-22 **Allocating the land: Tribal allotments specified**
- D. Chapters 23 & 24 **Joshua’s last days**