

## Days 106-112 - Readings: Whole Bible

Day	OT	Wisdom/NT	Family Focus
106	Josh 17-18	Psa 149-Pro 1	Proverbs 1
107	Josh 19-21	Pro 2-3	Proverbs 3
108	Josh 22-23	Pro 4	Joshua 23
109	Josh 24-Jdg 1	Pro 5	Joshua 24
110	Jdg 2-3	Pro 6	Judges 2
111	Jdg 4-5	Pro 7	Judges 4
112	day off		

### Tips:

- The book of Judges tells what happened to Israel after receiving its inheritances in the Promised Land and before being ruled by a king. Judges derives its name from 14 “judges” or “deliverers” God raised up to free a tribe[s] from the oppressive rule of a local dictator.
- Judges 2 is the key chapter. It explains why Israel needed deliverance. Originally, Israel disobeyed by not driving out the inhabitants. Therefore, God left enemies to test Israel. When Israel sinned, their enemies would reign. When Israel turned back, God raised a judge to deliver them (foreshadowing Christ)
- The last verse of Judges is the key verse. It explains why the book is filled with strange stories of colossally bad judgment. *“In those days there was no king in Israel: everyone did what was right in his own eye.” (Judges 21:25)*
- Proverbs was written by King Solomon, whom the Scripture says is the wisest man who ever lived (2Chr 1:11-12). He wrote the book to help his son, King Rehoboam, avoid making some of the huge mistakes he made with his life.
- In Proverbs, King Solomon is training his son about the difference between the wisdom of God and the foolishness of the world. God’s

wisdom brings life. Human foolishness brings death. Notice how he characterizes God's wisdom and sinful temptation as two women competing for his son's attention.

**Look for this:**

- 106. How Joshua answered the tribes who wanted more land (Josh 17); What Proverbs is intended to do for a person (Pro 1)
- 107. How God offered refuge to both Jews and Gentiles (Josh 20); What three steps to take so God directs your path (Pro 3)
- 108. What would happen if Israel turned away from God (Josh 23); Who taught King Solomon the Word of God (Pro 4)
- 109. How Israel never committed to putting away all gods (Josh 24); How temptation is described as sweet but deadly (Pro 5)
- 110. How Israel was faithful to God while the deliverer lived (Jdg 2); What seven things God hates (Pro 6)
- 111. What Barak said he had to have to go to war (Jdg 4); How to avoid the temptations of an immoral person (Pro 7)