

# How We Got the Bible



Isaiah 40:8

## I.) Brief Overview:

- 1.) God used \_\_\_ different men to write the \_\_\_ books of the Bible.
- 2.) The Bible took over \_\_\_\_\_ years to write.
- 3.) The Bible as we know it didn't exist as one volume until the \_\_\_\_ century AD.
- 4.) Chapters were added in the \_\_\_\_\_ century AD and the verse were not added until \_\_\_\_\_ AD.

## II.) Helpful Terms:

- 1.) \_\_\_\_\_, refer to the original text.
- 2.) \_\_\_\_\_, refer to copies of the original text.
- 3.) \_\_\_\_\_, refer to the process of translating the Bible into a different language.
- 4.) \_\_\_\_\_, a group of learned men whose only job was to copy scripture.

## III.) Scribes:

- 1.) They were highly \_\_\_\_\_ in Jewish society.
- 2.) They were \_\_\_\_\_ until they were \_\_\_\_\_ years old before they could copy text.
- 3.) They had a very rigorous set of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ that they had to follow.
- 4.) They used several \_\_\_\_\_ to protect the text.
  - a.) Each letter was \_\_\_\_\_ confirmed.
  - b.) Each word was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to master scroll.
  - c.) The \_\_\_\_\_ was located and compared to master scroll.
  - d.) If a single error was made the \_\_\_\_\_ scroll was \_\_\_\_\_.