

Bible in a Year #46- The Gospel of Luke
 Wednesday, June 13, 2018
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The Four Gospels

1. Matthew, Jesus as Messiah-King, to the logical, “**Prove It**”
2. Mark reveals Jesus as the Suffering Servant, to experiential, “**Do It**”
3. Luke reveals Jesus as the Son of Man, to knowledgeable, “**Show It**”
4. John reveals Jesus as the Son of God, to faith beings, “**Believe It**”

The Author and Purpose

1. Luke was a **historian** and **physician**, who had travelled with Paul.
2. Commissioned by Theophilus, a Gentile; **historical** account of Jesus.
3. Believed relation to Paul’s upcoming court date in Rome, **apologetic**.
4. Expected his work to be **published** and read by Gentile audience.
5. In each case, the emphasis is on having a **knowledge of Him**.

Theme Revealed

1. Used doublets: between **John** and **Jesus** to highlight how Jesus is greater.
2. Emphasized Jesus’ **knowledge** and **wisdom**.
3. He knows those **Seeking**: Mary and Martha (10:38-42); Zacchaeus (19:1-10)
4. He is able to **Save Them**: Samaritan (10:29-37); Prodigal (15:11-32); Stranger (9:49-50); Good and Bad Thieves (23:39-43).

LUKE

The Son of Man					
	Preface	Announced and Appearing	Ministering and Serving	Instructing and Submitting	Resurrected and Commissioning
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	CHAPTER 1:1-4	CHAPTERS 1:5-4:13	CHAPTERS 4:14-9:50	CHAPTERS 9:51-23:56	CHAPTER 24
Activity	Coming		Seeking		Saving
Location	Bethlehem, Nazareth, and Judea		Galilee	Judea and Perea	Jerusalem
Time	About 30 years		1½ years	6 months	8 days 40 days
Theme	Jesus is the ideal Man, who comes to save all humankind — Jew and Gentile alike.				
Key Verse	19:10				
Christ in Luke	Jesus is the perfect God-Man, who comes to offer salvation to all people (19:10).				

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