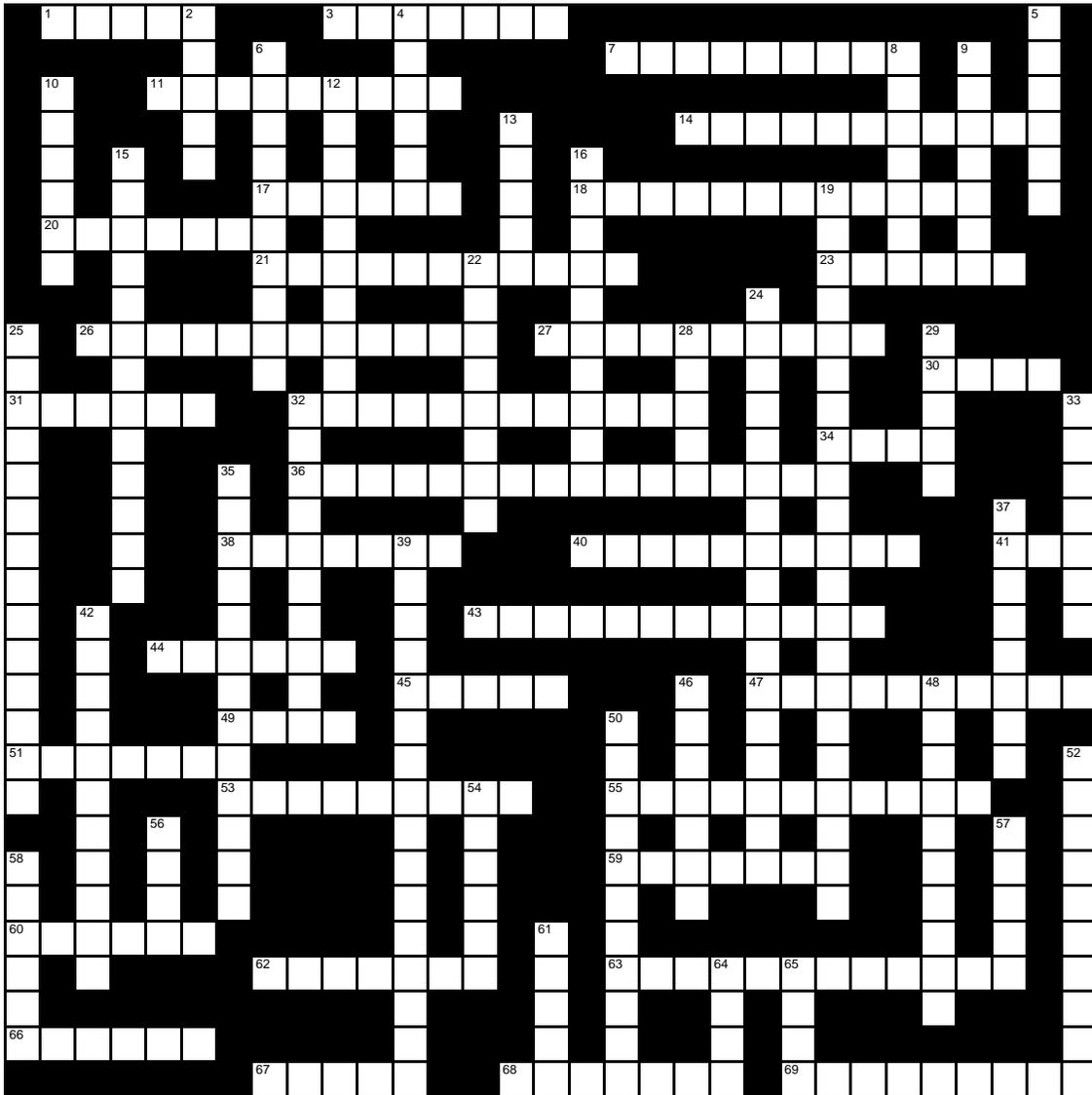


## A Spiritual Journey



**Across**

**1.** The book of Wisdom was written in \_\_\_\_.(209)

**3.** Sages were generally not well thought of by the Old Testament \_\_\_\_.(205)

**7.** The Catholic canon includes Daniel with the \_\_\_\_ books.

**11.** Song of Songs is a collection of \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_.(2 words)(209)

**14.** The wisdom movement originated \_\_\_\_ Israel in neighboring nations, where it typically revolved around a \_\_\_\_ who operated within the organized government and was

supported by its leaders.(2 words)(204)

**17.** From a Jewish point of view, the poems refer to the love between Yahweh and \_\_\_\_.(209)

**18.** Wisdom Literature includes the books of Job, Psalms, Proverbs, \_\_\_\_, Sirach, and Song of Songs(202)

**20.** The central message of apocalyptic visions is God is in \_\_\_\_.(220)

**21.** Psalms 105-106 include references to the \_\_\_\_ of Jerusalem and the Babylonian Exile.(213)

**23.** Psalm 29 may be the \_\_\_\_ psalm in the Bible because its poetry is considered

very similar in style in style to Canaanite poetry of an earlier era. (213)

**26.** Job rejects \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom that he must have sinned in some way.(208)

**27.** The four beasts in Daniel signify the \_\_\_\_\_ Empire. (219)

**30.** Many who have studied the Psalms suggest that originally there were \_\_\_\_\_ "books" of the Psalms. (212)

**31.** Other books were read and enjoyed, but not considered central to the purpose of the Old Testament, to \_\_\_\_\_ the coming of the Savior, Jesus Christ.(220)

**32.** Scripture styles are \_\_\_\_\_ for living in God's world -- now and for all time to come.(221)

**34.** The book of Daniel is the only \_\_\_\_\_ source of apocalyptic writing of the Old Testament.(217)

**36.** According to Hebrew Wisdom literature, people are to \_\_\_\_\_ God and \_\_\_\_\_ his power. (2words)(202)

**38.** The section of Daniel 7-12 contains four symbolic visions that center on the

"heavenly battle" with Israel's \_\_\_\_\_.(218)

**40.** These psalms were intended for use during Temple celebrations.(214)

**41.** It is more likely that the wisdom sayings in the Bible were collected from \_\_\_\_\_ levels of society.(205)

**43.** It is important especially in Psalms to pay attention to the \_\_\_\_\_ between the lines in different verses.(211)

**44.** A major theme of Ecclesiastes is the \_\_\_\_\_ of all things.(209)

**45.** The book of Revelation refers to the \_\_\_\_\_ Empire as "the Beast."(217)

**47.** The book of Sirach is unique among wisdom books because the author is \_\_\_\_\_.(210)

**49.** The book of Proverbs was collected as the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Israelite wisdom tradition.(208)

**51.** Job's face-to-face encounter with God is enough to \_\_\_\_\_ Job and restore his trust in God.(208)

**53.** Hard work does not guarantee \_\_\_\_\_, for it is often marred by suffering.(208)

**55.** The Diaspora was seen as a \_\_\_\_\_ to the Jewish community, so Wisdom literature was intended to \_\_\_\_\_ young people.(2 words)(207)

**59.** Hebrew Wisdom literature focuses on God as \_\_\_\_\_ and on creation itself.(206)

**60.** Jesus himself \_\_\_\_\_ against trying to predict future events. (221)

**62.** Apocalyptic literature looked \_\_\_\_\_ to what God was about to do in history.(215)

**63.** The wisdom described is basically \_\_\_\_\_ in character, and involving \_\_\_\_\_ in truth>(2 words)(203)

**66.** The second half of the book of \_\_\_\_\_ is the only example of purely apocalyptic literature in the Old Testament.(202)

**67.** These various cultures all had collections of wise sayings, proverbs, and short stories to help people deepen their \_\_\_\_\_ and understand how to live.(202)

**68.** The stories of Daniel probably originated in the \_\_\_\_\_ era, but were retold during the persecution of the Jews.(218)

**69.** Wisdom writings were based on \_\_\_\_\_(221)

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**2.** Christian faith understands that God seeks to be \_\_\_\_\_, not hiding in codes or secrets.(221)

**4.** Psalms about the \_\_\_\_\_ cannot come from David, because the first \_\_\_\_\_ was built by his son, Solomon.(same word)(213)

**5.** Psalms of \_\_\_\_\_ request God's help and protection, and often conclude with a few lines of thanksgiving and praise for God's response. (213)

**6.** The first part of the book of Zechariah contains apocalyptic visions intended to promote the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Temple.(218)

**8.** Humans should know that God is the Creator, and we are only the \_\_\_\_\_.(202)

**9.** The Hebrew word for the book of Psalms is "Tehillim", which means \_\_\_\_\_. (211)

**10.** Catholics have interpreted the Song of Songs as an allegory describing Christ's love for the \_\_\_\_\_.(209)

**12.** Most likely, the apocalyptic books arose in circumstances of \_\_\_\_\_.(219)

- 13.** The author of Wisdom was actually a Jew living in Alexandria in \_\_\_\_\_.(209)
- 15.** The literature is typically written under a pseudonym because it is usually \_\_\_\_\_ political writing that is critical of present regimes and governments.(217)
- 16.** God does not explain himself to Job, but chooses instead to remind Job of his \_\_\_\_\_ as the Creator of all.(208)
- 19.** A highly symbolic style of writing in which hidden truths are revealed within a narrative framework.(202)
- 22.** Wisdom literature was a part of many different \_\_\_\_\_ in the middle East.(202)
- 24.** The proverbs teach three types of wisdom: \_\_\_\_\_ of God's created world, the \_\_\_\_\_ of making right choices, and the \_\_\_\_\_ of living before God.(3 words)(208)
- 25.** The writings of the historic symbolic style of apocalyptic literature are written in a style emphasizing spiritual and social \_\_\_\_\_ with a sense of \_\_\_\_\_.(2 words)(217)
- 28.** The faithful Job, a wealthy man with a large, loving family and many possessions, \_\_\_\_\_ everything.(208)
- 29.** Song of Songs was written \_\_\_\_\_ the Babylonian Exile.(209)
- 32.** It may be that the help requested from God in Psalm 35 is to settle an argument between two groups of \_\_\_\_\_.(214)
- 33.** Apocalyptic literature was clearly a very \_\_\_\_\_ form of literature for many nations and cultures of the day.(216)
- 35.** Both Wisdom literature and apocalyptic literature teach people to live in the \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ as members of God's Chosen People (2 words)(221)
- 37.** Beyond the coming catastrophes is a new \_\_\_\_\_.(217)
- 39.** The authors of Wisdom literature in the Bible may have been men with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in ancient Israel.(2 words)(205)
- 42.** \_\_\_\_\_ does not change much from culture to culture or over the centuries.(2 words)(203)
- 46.** The apocalyptic \_\_\_\_\_ is a style that was also well known by Biblical authors.(216)
- 48.** Psalms of Praise and Thanksgiving often begin with an \_\_\_\_\_ to join in the praise.(213)
- 50.** Sirach was used extensively by the early Church in the formation of \_\_\_\_\_ and in the instruction to the faithful.(210)
- 52.** The Greek word "apokalypsis" means \_\_\_\_\_ or unveiling.(202)
- 54.** Almost two-thirds of the entire book of Psalms are believed to come from the period of the \_\_\_\_\_ Temple. (212)
- 56.** A person venerated for his or her experience, judgment, and wisdom.(204)
- 57.** \_\_\_\_\_ turned to the comfort of one of the lament psalms at the moment of his death.(214)
- 58.** The book of Psalms presents an \_\_\_\_\_ journey of worship and prayer that prepares Christians for the coming of Jesus.(211)
- 61.** Ecclesiastes is concerned with the \_\_\_\_\_ of human life.(208)
- 64.** The final chapters of each book each include a doxology that ends with "\_\_\_\_\_.\_\_\_\_\_."(same word)(212)
- 65.** The book of Wisdom was the \_\_\_\_\_ book of the Old Testament to be written.(209)