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# Scripture

## Translations

- English: *New King James* (Thomas Nelson Pathfinder Edition recommended)
- Spanish: *Nueva Reina Valera 2000*
- French: *Version Louis Segond en Français*

## Scripture Coverage

The NAD *Pathfinder Bible Experience* (PBE) team will assign a book, books or sections of books of the Bible, totaling between 40 and 50 chapters per year. *The Pathfinder Bible Experience* also includes the relevant introductory text in the *SDA Bible Commentary* for the scriptures covered.

The 2012 *The Pathfinder Bible Experience* will cover Mark (16 ch.), I Samuel (31 ch.) & *SDA Bible Commentary* book introductions. The Division level will be held at the General Conference Auditorium in Silver Spring, MD on April 21, 2012.

## Questions

The questions for each level of *The Pathfinder Bible Experience* will be distributed by the NAD *Pathfinder Bible Experience* Coordinator to the appropriate individuals at each participating conference and union.

All questions are prepared by persons appointed by the NAD Pathfinder Director. Questions are developed from the Pathfinder Edition of the *New King James Version of the Bible* and the latest edition of the *SDA Bible Commentary* book introductions for the affiliated scriptural passages. Less than 10% of the questions will come from the commentary.

Questions are written to stand alone and be able to be answered individually. Most require single word or short phrase answers. *The Pathfinder Bible Experience* does not use multiple choice questions. There should be limited use of true and false questions. Questions should always include the scriptural reference.

The NAD *Pathfinder Bible Experience* Coordinator will coordinate the translation of all the questions into Spanish and French.

All questions will be in harmony with the beliefs of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

*Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth.*

— JOHN 17:17 (NKJV)

*Above all, you must understand that no prophecy of Scripture came about by the prophets' own interpretation. For prophecy never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.*

— 2 PETER 1:20-21 (NIV)

*It is not safe for us to turn from the Holy Scriptures with only a casual reading of their sacred pages... Rein the mind up to the high task that has been set before it, and study with determined interest, that you may understand divine truth. Those who do this will be surprised to find what the mind can attain. The mind must be restrained and not allowed to wander. It should be trained to dwell upon the Scriptures and upon noble, elevating themes. Portions of Scripture, even whole chapters, may be committed to memory to be repeated when Satan comes in with his temptations.*

— ELLEN G. WHITE  
IN *MIND, CHARACTER, AND PERSONALITY*,  
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*Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.*

— PSALMS 119:105 (NKJV)