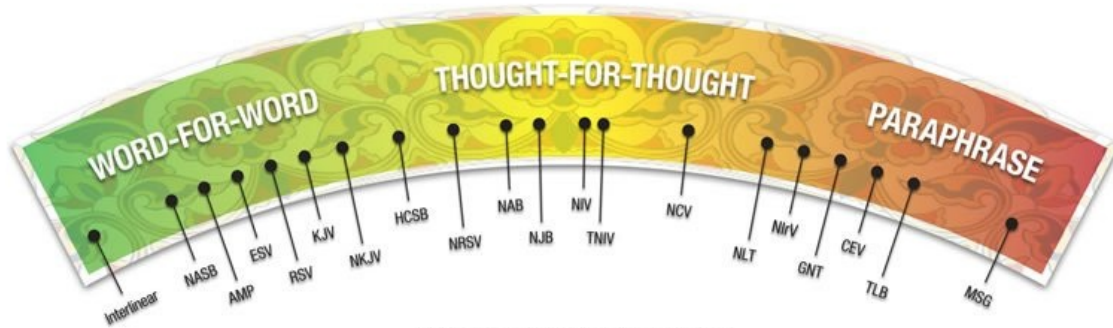


Which Bible is Right for Me?

Types of Bible Translations



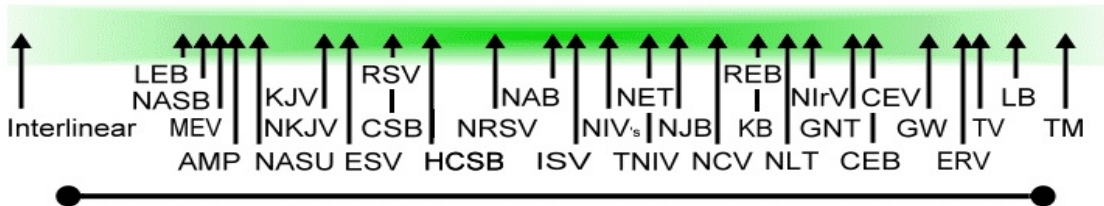
NASB - New American Standard Bible
AMP - Amplified Bible
ESV - English Standard Version
RSV - Revised Standard Version
KJV - King James Version
NKJV - New King James Version

HCSB - Holman Christian Standard Bible
NRSV - New Revised Standard Version
NAB - New American Bible
NJB - New Jerusalem Bible
NIV - New International Version
TNIV - Today's New International Version
NCV - New Century Version
NLT - New Living Translation

NIRV - New International Reader's Version
GNT - Good News Translation (also Good News Bible)
CEV - Contemporary English Version
TLB - The Living Bible
MSG - The Message

English Bible Translation Comparison

Word for Word ← Thought for Thought → Paraphrase



NASB / NASU - New American Standard (11)
AMP - Amplified Bible (12)
ESV* - English Standard Version (9.5)
ERV^ - Easy to Read Version (3.5)
KJV* - King James Version (13)
NKJV* - New King James Version (9)
RSV* - Revised Standard Version (11)
HCSB - Holman Christian Standard (8)
NRSV* - New Revised Standard (10.5)
NAB* - New American Bible (7)
NIV - New International Version (8)
NIVI^ - NIV [UK only, 1996 edition] (8)
NIV2011^^ - NIV Revision (8)
CEB* - Common English Bible (7)
MEV - Modern English Version (13)
CSB^^ - Christian Standard Bible (7)

TNIV^ - Today's NIV (7.5)
NJB* - New Jerusalem Bible (7.5)
NCV^ - New Century Version (5)
REB (NEB)* - Revised English Bible (7)
NLT^ - New Living Translation (6.5)
NIRV - New International Reader's (3.5)
GNT (GNB/TEV)* - Good News Translation (6)
CEV* - Contemporary English (5)
ISV^^ - International Standard Version (8.5)
LEB - Lexham English Bible (11)
GW* - God's Word (4.5)
LB - Living Bible (8.5)
TM - The Message (4.5)
NET* - NET Bible (7)
TV - The Voice (7)
KB* - Knox Bible (12.5)

^^ No gender neutral language for God, careful/moderate inclusive language regarding mankind.
^ Gender neutral language * Apocrypha available or included (#) Approximate overall reading grade level
^ Text based entirely or primarily on the Textus Receptus and the Jacob ben Hayyim edition of the Masoretic Text.
~ Text based entirely or primarily on the 1592 Sixto-Clementina Latin Vulgate prepared by Pope Clement VIII.



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