

BOOKS OF TANAKH

Comparing Different Books with

Tanakh Catholic Bible Protestant Bible

Hebrew Bible (Tanakh)

Torah

Bereshith - Genesis
Shemot - Exodus
Vayikra - Leviticus
Bamidbar - Numbers
Devarim - Deuteronomy

Nevi'im

Y'hoshua - Joshua
Shoph'tim - Judges
Sh'muel - Samuel (I & II)
M'lakhim - Kings (I & II)
Y'shayahu - Isaiah
Yi'r'mi'yahu - Jeremiah
Y'khezqel - Ezekiel

The Twelve Prophets

Hoshea - Hosea
Yo'el - Joel
Amos - Amos
Ovadyah - Obadiah
Yonah - Jonah
Mikhah - Micah
Nakhum - Nahum
Havakuk - Habakkuk
Ts'phanyah - Zephaniah
Khagai - Haggai
Z'kharyah - Zechariah
Mal'akhi - Malachi

Ketuvim

The "Sifrei Emet," "Books of Truth"

Tehillim - Psalms
Mishlei - Proverbs
Iyov - Job

The "Five Megilot" or "Five Scrolls"

Shir Hashirim - Song of Songs
Rut - Ruth
Eikhhah - Lamentations
Kohelet - Ecclesiastes
Esther - Esther

The rest of the "Writings"

Dani'el - Daniel
Ezra v'Nechemia - Ezra-Nehemiah
Divrei Hayamin - Chronicles (I & II)

24 Books

Roman Catholic and Orthodox Canons

Pentateuch

Genesis
Exodus
Leviticus
Numbers
Deuteronomy

History

Joshua
Judges
Ruth
Samuel
Kings
Chronicles
Ezra and Nehemiah
Tobit*
Judith*
Esther + Additions to Esther

Poetry & Wisdom

Job
Psalms
Proverbs
Ecclesiastes
Song of Solomon
Wisdom of Solomon*
Ecclesiasticus (Wisdom of ben Sirach)*

Prophets

Isaiah
Jeremiah
Lamentations
Baruch, + The Letter of Jeremiah
(Roman Catholic Only)
Ezekiel
Daniel, + Additions to Daniel (Prayer
of Azariah; Song of the Three Young
Men; Susanna; Bel and the Dragon)*
Osee (Hosea)
Joel
Amos
Abdias (Obadiah)
Jonas (Jonah)
Micheas (Micah)
Nahum
Habucue (Habakkuk)
Sophonias (Zephaniah)
Aggeus (Haggai)
Zacharias (Zechariah)
Malachias (Malachi)
1 Maccabees*
2 Maccabees* (Roman Catholic Only)

46 Books

*Apocryphal in the Protestant Canon

Protestant Canon

Pentateuch

Genesis
Exodus
Leviticus
Numbers
Deuteronomy

History

Joshua
Judges
Ruth
1-2 Samuel
1-2 Kings
1-2 Chronicles
Ezra and Nehemiah
Esther

Poetry & Wisdom

Job
Psalms
Proverbs
Ecclesiastes
Song of Solomon

Prophets

Isaiah
Jeremiah
Lamentations
Ezekiel
Daniel
Hosea
Joel
Amos
Obadiah
Jonah
Micah
Nahum
Habakkuk
Zephaniah
Haggai
Zechariah
Malachi

39 Books