

Cross-Cultural Discipleship Resources

Part 1: Bible Translations, Websites, Books, Workbooks, Videos

GETTING A BIBLE

We recommend finding a translation in the language that is similar to the NIV for newer readers. It is easier to understand. For study Bibles, we recommend an ESV or NASB equivalent. Those translations are more accurate, but more study will be needed to understand the meaning.

- [The Bible App](https://www.youversion.com/bible-app) (<https://www.youversion.com/bible-app>)
The Bible App provides digital and audio versions of the Bible. Topical devotionals and reading plans are also available. (Available in many languages)
- [Multi-Language Media](https://multilanguagemedia.org) (<https://multilanguagemedia.org>)
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Multi-Language Media, a ministry of CLC USA, provides Bibles in many languages.
- [CLC International](https://www.clcinternational.org) (<https://www.clcinternational.org>)
CLC International has bookstore locations around the world, with Bibles in many languages.
- [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com/s?k=bibles&crd=2K8BA2Q9337J4&srefix=bibles%2Caps%2C197&ref=nb_sb_noss_1)
https://www.amazon.com/s?k=bibles&crd=2K8BA2Q9337J4&srefix=bibles%2Caps%2C197&ref=nb_sb_noss_1
Search Amazon for language and translation specific Bibles. This is also a good way to find copies of Bibles in large print, small print, or with other specifications.
- [The Gideons International](https://gideons.org/need-bibles) (<https://gideons.org/need-bibles>)
The Gideons help get Bibles to locations beyond the church like hotels, hospitals, and other places where people seek hope.

ESL MINISTRY

These resources are helpful for churches with ESL outreach/ministry groups.

- [Free ESL Lessons, by Deb Brammer](http://debbrammer.com/english-as-a-second-language/)
(<http://debbrammer.com/english-as-a-second-language/>)
These lesson plans and handouts use Bible stories to teach English.

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WEBSITES

These websites are useful for spiritual growth and cross-cultural discipleship.

- [The Bible Project](#)
The Bible Project made short videos to summarize each of the books in the Bible.
 - English: <https://bibleproject.com>
 - Other Languages: <https://bibleproject.com/languages/>
- [The Gospel Coalition \(TGC\)](#)
The Gospel Coalition (TGC) offers teaching about theology and Christian living. These are helpful for small groups discussions. (Available in many languages)
 - English: <https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/courses/>
 - Other Languages: Select drop-down menu on English page for desired language.
- [Got Questions- International](https://www.gotquestions.org/international.html) (<https://www.gotquestions.org/international.html>)
This is a good source for asking spiritual questions. They provide thorough responses and biblical analysis on a variety of topics. (Available in many languages)
- [The Story Film](https://thestoryfilm.com) (<https://thestoryfilm.com>)
This is the gospel message in a short video. (Available in many languages)
 - English: <https://thestoryfilm.com/en>
 - Other Languages: Select drop-down menu on English page for desired language.
- [Two Ways to Live](https://matthiasmedia.info/2wtl/) (<https://matthiasmedia.info/2wtl/>)
This is the simple message of the gospel. (Available in many languages)
 - English: <https://matthiasmedia.info/2wtl/>
 - Other Languages: Select drop-down menu on English page for desired language.
- [Missions Jumpstart](https://www.missionsjumpstart.org) (<https://www.missionsjumpstart.org>)
This site has a compilation of many great websites and resources available for discipleship. You can also search by language. Language-specific discipleship resources appear as “Spanish Christian Resources,” “Chinese Christian Resources,” etc.
- [The Cross-Cultural Discipleship \(CCD\) Website](https://www.crossculturaldiscipleship.com) (<https://www.crossculturaldiscipleship.com>)
The CCD website has links to resources for bilingual teaching and cross-cultural discipleship.

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VIDEOS

These videos are easily accessible and useful for teaching.

- [Genesis: Paradise Lost](https://genesismovie.com/#top) (<https://genesismovie.com/#top>)
This documentary provides scientific evidence to support the 6-day creation story along with vivid imagery. (Available in many languages)

BOOKS

Christian books, workbooks, and other discipleship resources in other languages can be found at Christian bookstores and international Christian bookstores.

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