Word Logic: Reflections of God's Word

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Introduction

"God Logic: Reflections of the Universe" clearly and logically demonstrates that the universe reflects that a personal God exists. That reflection is God intentionally communicating through His general revelation, His creation. God is personal, noted by the logical argument of personhood, most readily observed through persons (people). Personality consists of intellect, emotions, and will. Since God is personal, it's reasonable to believe and to ponder how God might further announce His presence and reveal Himself. Written revelation is the clearest and most enduring way to communicate complex truths from God to man.

It is an essential exercise to determine which man-designated "sacred" writings when researched, convinces, and provides the greatest evidence that, in fact, only Divine-designation is uniquely God-authored. Another benefit is to learn the true distinctiveness of Scripture above all other writings, throughout human history.

Below is a summary of *unmistakable fingerprints of God*, or *undeniable distinct Divine digital DNA*, distinguishing the Holy Bible from and above all other communications. These *significant signposts reasonably point anyone looking—to notice God's special touch and His specific marks left on this special revelation. These could have only come from God*. The Bible is the only book with the fingerprints of God. Many have said that general revelation makes them know there is a God; but many assert they just need God to speak to them directly to let them know Who He is, that He is real, that He confirm His existence, and reveal His expectations. In fact, God has. Explore the findings of God's direct revelation and communication of all that man needs to know. Is there any other book, ever, that is even close to the credentials, the witnesses, the resume of the Holy Bible?

#	Unmistakable Fingerprints of God Undeniable Divine Digital DNA Evidenced Only by the Holy Bible
1	The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) accurate ancient literature in the world. It is many times more accurate than the next most accurate book, and significantly more accurate than any "sacred" book. This is measured by secular standards by greater manuscript numbers, the earlier the dating of the manuscripts, vetted reliability of copies, etc. The Old and New Testaments that comprise the Bible are considered historically reliable and accurately transmitted. If a person rejects the reliability of the Bible, they must reject all other ancient literature, because the Bible is far more reliable. Over 66,000 manuscripts and scrolls exist today. In comparison, Homer's The Iliad , has the next most classic manuscripts discovered (with fewer than

- 2,000 manuscripts). Refer to Josh and Sean McDowell's *Evidence That Demands a Verdict* for numerous additional statistics.
- The Bible is the only book that is the 1st book ever printed/published on the 1st printing press with moveable type in the West (Gutenberg Press, 1452). It printed 180 copies of the Bible in Latin. This printing press printed about 250 pages an hour, that dramatically increased learning, availability, and affordability of books. The Bible has been used for centuries to teach reading and writing world-wide, as it is a great book, and one of only a few books published.
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) popular/published book, and the most published book every year since publishing statistics have been recorded. For decades the Bible was published more than all other books printed and published combined. The *Guinness World Records* showed the Bible had sold more than 5 billion copies as of 1995, and millions since. In addition to sales, *The Gideons International* alone provided and distributed more than 1 billion free Bibles (1908-2001). Then, in only 13 years (2002-2015) they freely distributed a 2nd billion, and many millions since. In comparison to just these 2 sources distributing close to 8 billion Bibles, the next closest book is *Don Quixote* with 500 million total. No other "sacred" book is even close to Don Quixote. The average American home has multiple (4.3) Bibles and rarely more than a single copy of any other book (as indicated in a 2012 study).
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) online read book today and ever in the world. *YouVersion* alone has more than .5 billion unique online devices. The Bible is also the most listened to book ever. The *YouVersion* Bible app alone provides numerous online or smartphone audio versions. Based on the numbers, after social media apps, the YouVersion Bible app is the most downloaded app of all time. There are numerous other online Bibles, Bible apps, Bible reading and study plans, etc., and most are free. Many people read completely through the Bible multiple times every year. There are dozens of online free published reading plans for 30, 60, 90, 120, 180, 365-day, etc. Bible reading plans.
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) translated book and in the most languages in the world. In fact, as of 2022, the Bible has been translated into 3,324 languages and translation projects have started for most of the remaining languages. The *YouVersion* Bible app alone has translations in 1,901 different languages. Many languages only have the Bible as the only book translated in their language. There are significantly more English translations than any other book. Refer to the *United Bible Societies* and *Wycliffe Bible Translators* for additional detail.
- The Bible is the only book that has the #1 (most) versions of any book in the world. The YouVersion Bible app alone has 2,846 Bible versions. Many versions of the Bible exist, due to many reasons. First, is the Bible's popularity and long-lasting appeal. Next, is to account for many different languages as seen in translations to every person's native language above. Sadly, some versions exist to increase publishers' profit (to sell more Bibles to the same customers or market Bibles differently for greater return). The

Bible has always been their best-seller; so, this is a monetary methodology to exploit various groups seeking new Bibles. Regrettably, many groups request changes and try to inject cultural biases by changing the original words, pronouns, genders, verb-tenses, etc. to fit faulty belief system, as opposed to conforming their beliefs to what the Bible states. Some versions exist to update minor word or phrase changes from some additional Biblical manuscripts discovered. Some exist due to differing translation philosophies. Some translators adhere to a strict word-for-word literal translation (from the original Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek Bible languages). Others believe it is more readable to make it more thought-for-thought, and still others try to explain it in a looser translation by paraphrase. A key factor revolves around the longevity of the Bible. Since the Old Testament was completed in 400 BC and the New Testament completed the entire 66 books of the Bible in the 1st century AD, many word changes have occurred. However, this longevity created the need for numerous revisions to update words that have changed meanings in order to maintain accuracy.

- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) progressively revealed and comprehensively written of any book. Written over 1500 years (1425 BC 95 AD), by many God-inspired authors (e.g., Moses, Joshua, Samuel, Ezra, Nehemiah, David, Asaph, Heman, Ethan, Solomon, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi, Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Paul, James, Peter, Jude), from many professions (e.g., physicians, politicians, prisoners, farmers, fishermen, tax-collectors, goatherders, shepherds, professionals, prophets, priests, peasants, kings), from many countries (e.g., Egypt, Israel, Babylon, Italy, Turkey), written in many languages (Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek), and from numerous different cultures to have the widest appeal and connection with the greatest number and diversity of people of all times (for every tongue, tribe, and nation).
- The Bible is the only book that has the #1 (most) fulfilled prophecies and promises of all books. Thousands of predications, promises, or prophecies that have all come true, or will come true. No other book has 100% fulfilled prophecies. The book of Nostradamus is sometimes ranked second with an estimated 15% fulfilled, and 85% untrue. The Bible does not put forth general prognostication and estimation that any wise person might state. In contast, the Bible predicts detailed specific future events that all came true in minutes, days, months, years, decades, centuries, or millenniums. 20% of the entire Bible is prophecy. "Fortune tellers" today speak in vague generalities that attentive people gain from research, psychology, or people skills, and where only a small percentage are true, and most are false (no one never sees a headline stating a fortune teller wins the lottery, horse races, etc.).
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) memorized, quoted, cited, and referenced of all books of all time. In fact, the Bible can be completely reconstructed just by the quotes found in other books alone, commentaries alone, videos alone, audios alone, and numerous other media. It so clearly out cites all other books, that most do not even list the Bible when listing the top cited books, as that is a given. It is

the only book in the world where many people know numerous names, chapters, verses, and the exact quotes by memory and heart, and regularly recite many of them only from the specific Bible reference.

- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) claimed to be written by God, internally and externally. The Bible internally claims to be and has the most external claims to be written by God. Internally, it says thousands of times direct quotes like: "thus saith the Lord," "He said," "the Lord said," "the Lord spake," "the Lord commanded," "the Word of the Lord came," "God said," "the Lord hath spoken," "the Law of the Lord," "God commanded," "God spake," "the Lord saith," "God hath spoken," "God saith," etc. The Bible clearly says of Itself: "All Scripture is given by inspiration of God" (2Ti. 3:16). The Bible says It is: "a more sure Word of prophecy...For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost" (2Pe. 2:16-21). Externally, the Bible is claimed to be God's Word more than any other book, "sacred" or secular. It is one of the only books that claims to be written by God. In fact, most "sacred" books do not even claim internally that they are written by God. Christians (Baptists, Presbyterians, Methodists, Lutherans, Charismatics, Pentecostals, Church of Christ, Church of God, Episcopalians, etc.), Catholicism, Judaism (the Old Testament), Mormons, Jehovah's Witnesses, etc. all claim that God wrote the Bible. The next most popular "sacred" books do not claim to be written by God, but by men, e.g., "Koran/Quran" (Islamism, stories by Mohammed compiled later by Abu Bakr that does not claim to be dictated from God), "Veda" (Hinduism, mantras compiled by Vyasa not claiming to be dictated from God), "Tripitaka" (Buddhism, monk rules, teachings, and commentaries from Buddha arranged by Mahakashypa that do not claim to from God), "Confucian canon, consisting of Five Classics and Four Books" (Confucianism, philosophies by Confucius' followers, never claiming to be from God), etc.
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) studied of all books of all time. The most Bible paraphrases, dictionaries, maps, articles, books, concordances, commentaries, calendars, clubs, centers, seminars, churches, para-church organizations, radio, TV programs, Bible broadcasting, elementary schools, middle schools, high schools, colleges, universities, seminaries, graduate schools, degrees, certifications, etc. are devoted to Biblical education than any other book. There are millions of verse-of-the-days, memory cards, meditation studies, syllabi, and practical Bible guides.
- The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) influential of all books of all time.

 Many governments, world-empires, philosophies, worldviews, religions, institutions, moral codes, legislation, legal systems, legislative bodies, etc., credit the Bible and belief in God as their authority and basis. Western civilization, Christianity, America's Founding Fathers, many Nobel Prize winners who benefited all mankind, and top leaders in every field credit the Bible as their most influential book. It clearly is the most influential book, over all others combined.
- 13 The Bible is the only book that is the #1 (most) banned and beloved, indestructible book of all time. Many people and governments have tried to burn, ban, or do away

with the Bible. They have never and will never succeed, as the Bible says that "heaven and earth shall pass away" before God's Word, and not "one jot or one tittle" will pass away before it is fulfilled (Mat. 5:18; 24:35; Mark 13:31; Luke 21:33). Anecdotally, Voltaire (Francois Arouet) said of the Holy Bible: "In 100 years this book will be forgotten, eliminated." 50 years later (Voltaire was dead), the Geneva Bible Society was printing and distributing Bibles with his home as their headquarters.

There is no other book with even one of these many mysterious, miraculous, multifaceted, and magnificent proofs. If God were to communicate in written form, this would have to be His Book. The Holy Bible truly was, is, and will continue to be set apart from all other books, as it is from God. It imparts heavenly and eternal thoughts and wisdom that can only come from God above. What keeps you from benefiting from the blessings of hearing God's eternal glorious Word? I hope you will begin to read, and see for yourself, that the Holy Bible is God's love letter to you. This is a letter than will benefit you today and for all eternity.

Summary

In summary, if any book was #1 in any one area it would be worth considering whether it could be from God. However, when you find a book #1 in over a dozen of the most distinguishing characteristics, it must be from God. And the burden of proof is on anyone else to propose or put forth any other book (throughout all human written history), worthy of being called God's Word. I invite the reader to read the Holy Bible and see for yourself the Divine qualities of Scripture. Here is a quick summary of over a dozen preeminence's of the Holy Bible.

- 1. The #1 (most) accurate ancient literature in the world.
- 2. The 1st book ever printed/published on the 1st printing press.
- 3. The #1 (most) popular/published book, and the (most) published book every year since.
- 4. The #1 (most) online read book today and ever in the world.
- 5. The #1 (most) translated book and in the (most) languages in the world.
- 6. The #1 (most) versions of any book in the world.
- 7. The #1 (most) progressively revealed and comprehensively written of any book.
- 8. The #1 (most) fulfilled prophecies and promises of all books.
- 9. The #1 (most) memorized, quoted, cited, and referenced of all books of all time.
- 10. The #1 (most) claimed to be written by God, internally and externally.
- 11. The #1 (most) studied of all books of all time.
- 12. The #1 (most) influential of all books of all time.
- 13. The #1 (most) banned and beloved, indestructible book of all time.

There are many other logical signposts that could have been provided, but this is a suitable start. Please feel free to contact the author at https://ronnyberg.org/ for questions, additions, edits, or comments. He would love to hear your sincere thoughts and decisions and pray with you if desired.