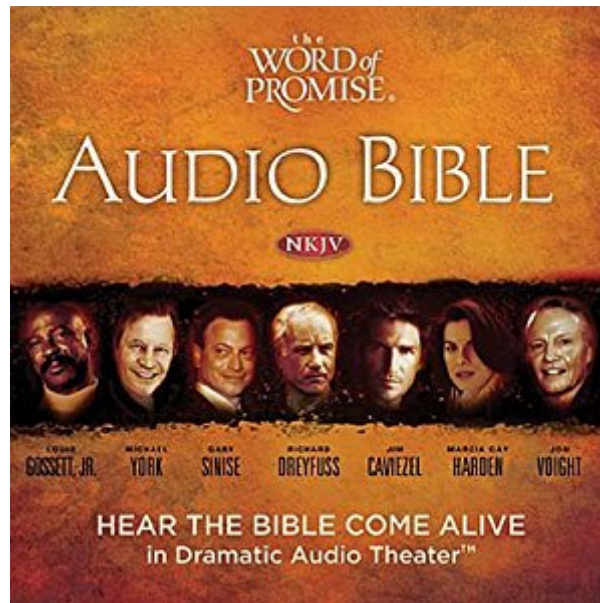




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The Word Of Promise Audio Bible New Testament NKJV



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This faithful rendering of the New King James Version® presents the New Testament in a 21-hour-long, compelling, and dramatic audio theater format on 20 CDs. This world-class audio production immerses listeners in the dramatic reality of the Scriptures as never before with an original music score by composer Stefano Mainetti (Abba Pater), feature film quality sound effects and compelling narration by Michael York and the work of over 600 actors. Cast includes: Jim Caviezel (The Passion of the Christ, Deja vu) - Jesus Academy Award winner Richard Dreyfuss (Mr. Holland's Opus, The Goodbye Girl) - Quotes from Moses Academy Award winner Marisa Tomei (My Cousin Vinny, What Women Want) - Mary Magdalene Golden Globe winner Stacy Keach (Prison Break, Hemingway) - Paul Academy Award and Golden Globe winner Louis Gossett, Jr. (An Officer and a Gentleman, Roots) - John Kimberly Williams-Paisley (According to Jim, Father of the Bride) - Mary, Mother of Jesus --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

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Customer Reviews

I love my copy of the Word of Promise. I had given my first set away years ago and lately I have felt the need more and more to hear the word of God. Faith comes by hearing, so I bought another set and I'm very pleased with it. You must keep in mind that this is a dramatization, not a word for word recital of the Bible, so the personality that comes through the voice for the characters might not match what's in your head. But if you can get beyond that, I think it's a worthwhile investment. I love Jim Caviezel in The Passion of the Christ. I don't necessarily love his inflections on this project, but that's not the point, hearing the Word is. I'm a satisfied customer ... once again.

I Strongly Encourage You to Listen to an Audio Bible While Reading Your Bible Do you have trouble reading your Bible on a consistent basis? Do you find your mind wandering or yourself spending more time seeing how far you have read (or how far you have to go) instead of focusing on what you are reading? Do you end up justifying reading a short portion simply because it feels like a lot of work just to read a chapter or more? Maybe this will help you. There are many audio Bibles out there- in which someone is reading the passage of the Bible for you to read along with. They started out with Alexander Scourby reading the King James Version. Then many others. This leads up to my personal favorite- The Word of Promise Audio Bible. It features over 200 professional actors and actresses, including Jim Caviezel as Jesus (you may remember him portraying Jesus in The Passion of the Christ). This performance uses the NKJV (New King James Version) word for word and is well done. I have listened to the book of Matthew so far. There were some features I noticed that I really enjoy, and that sets this apart from other audio Bibles I have heard before. First, the narrator does not say, "chapter 1, chapter 2, etc." before each chapter. While this may be slightly confusing (especially if your CD player or iPod accidentally gets set to "shuffle," which happened to me), it allows the reading to flow better. Also, some slight wording is removed for the sake of flowing more like a conversation. I do not mean in ANY way that verses or important passages are removed. I mean when it is written that someone says something, or someone replied, it is removed, because it is implied in the audio. Looking at the website created for the Word of Promise Audio Bible, they also encourage a small group 40 day study. With their reading schedule, small group participants read along as they listen to the audio Bible. Over about 30-40 minutes a day, readers can get through the New Testament in 40 days. I think this will greatly strengthen your Bible reading. Because of being bombarded by entertainment on a daily basis, it is easy for our minds to be distracted. A radio-like performance of reading the Bible, along with occasional music and even sound effects, may help you keep attention and even bring what you are reading even more alive and real to you. I encourage you to try this out. You can even start with free samples. You can find several different chapters on The Word of Promise's iTunes podcast page. So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.-Romans 10: 17

This is the second set of these NT recordings that I have purchased. The first, for myself, is a wonderful way to learn the Scriptures. I listen to the CD's while I'm traveling in my car. I use them to help with classes. I took a class on the Book of Acts. The recording for this book made it come alive. The voices are professional, with appropriate sound effects and dramatization. The Book of Acts

came alive! I am starting a class on Revelation, and have already listened to the recording for that book. It is very well done! I highly recommend these recordings for anyone who wants to learn more of Scripture.

The name of the MP3 files when I ripped them to my phone did not come out correctly, do know why, and the file properties are wrong that make it difficult to figure which book and chapter a particular file is... despite that, I am so pleased with the audio, I just praise God. Love the background music and audio of the NKJV. I am blessed despite the difficulties.

I really enjoy listening to the Bible and have really learned a lot by doing that. I use this audio Bible all of the time.

The word of promise new testament audio bible is the best audio bible on the market. I also own the bible alive, which came out in 2003, and there is no comparison that the word of promise holds your attention span better, because there are no monotone voices, more characters reading the bible, more dramatized scenes, additional music to add interest, and believe it or not the new king james version in this series is easy to understand because of the very talented voice characters. You dont have to sit and concentrate hard to understand what is going on, I listen to it while exercising or playing video games. There are certain chapters where you have to listen to it and concentrate fully, or replay the chapter but its easy to just replay the chapter if you dont understand fully. But in all reality, all bible series are like that, if you dont understand it, listen to it again or read it again. I've also heard many negative comments about the character of Jesus in this series.. the fact is, Jesus is not suppose to be a tough guy. Jesus represents the meek of the world. But compared to the other characters in this series, the character who plays as Jesus isn't as up to par as the other characters. But this is not a reason not to order this audio bible, in my opinion it is still the best one on the market today because all of the positives which I previously mentioned outweigh the negatives of the voice of Jesus. In fact, most of the new testament Jesus' voice isn't present. I pre ordered the old testament series, it is coming out soon and it will be a great blessing to hear it! In fact the character who plays Jesus will not be on the Old Testament, which should make it even more worth the buy, there should be no negatives about that series. If you want to buy a cheaper version of an audio bible or if you are still hesitant, try to find an audio sample from this series and compare it to other audio bibles, this one wins hands down. It's the best audio bible to come out in a very long time, and in my opinion far better then reading the bible yourself. So there should really be

no decision on weather to buy it or not, and to experience the full bible, pre order the old testament as well!

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