

Logos Bible Software - Version 3

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User Guide

Logos Bible Software contains many Bible study tools including Bible translations, commentaries, lexicons, dictionaries, and concordances, useful for studying a Bible passage. There are several ways of finding the information you need.

Performing a Bible Study

The "Bible Study Starter" is an easy way to retrieve large amount of information on a passage, word or topic. Links to resources such as the *Enhanced Strong's Lexicon*, *Theological Dictionary of the New Testament*, *Theological Wordbook of the Old Testament*, and *Vines Complete Expository Dictionary* will be provided as a result of your search.

1. Enter Scripture reference in the "Study Passage" box
2. Click "GO!" Two windows will open: the Passage Guide and the Bible passage in your preferred version.

Note: If you want a different version of the Bible click on the upper dark blue frame of the Bible window and use the left/right arrow keys on your keyboard to "scroll" through to another Bible.

3. In the Passage Guide window, click on the links of the resources you desire to use. Another window will open with the chosen resources on the "page" that corresponds to your search.
4. The "Home" button will return you to the "Bible Study Starter."



The "Study Word" option will open a Bible Word Study window with definitions, keylinks to dictionaries and other reference resources, Greek and Hebrew root words, and a concordance.

The "Study Topic" is an index to resources on your chosen topic. After you click "Go!" a list of topics and book titles will appear in the "Study Topic" box. Click on the links to open the books on your topic.

Opening Resources

To open specific resources, including Bible passages, commentaries, concordances, and dictionaries:

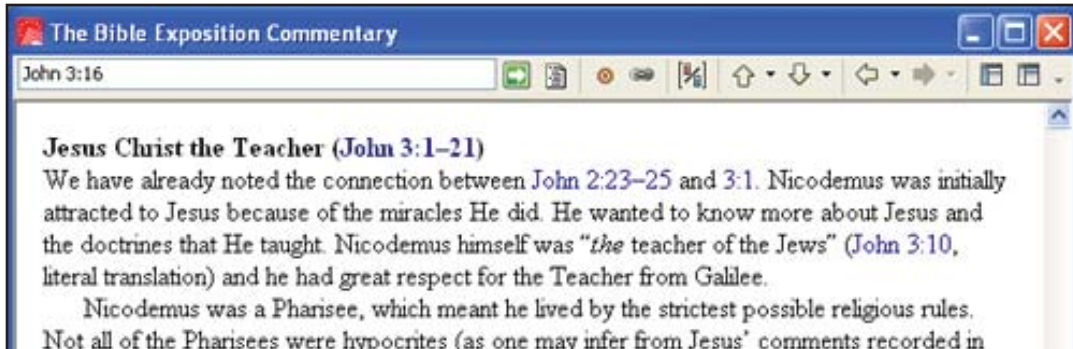
1. Click on "My Library" located on the toolbar.
2. Type the title, author or subject in the "Find" box.
3. Click on the appropriate book in the results list. The resource will open in a separate window.



Searching for a Verse Within a Specific Resource

To search for a verse within a specific resource, such as a commentary:

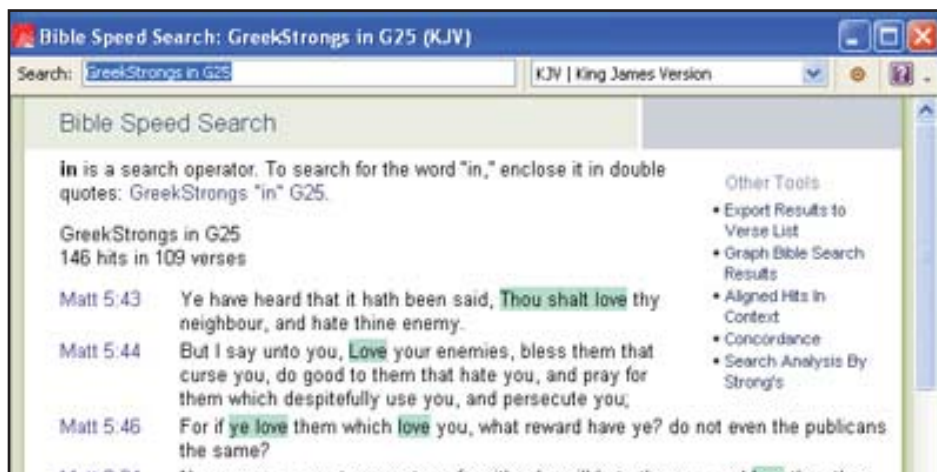
1. Open a resource using the “My Library” icon or the “Bible Study Starter.” The resource will open in a separate window.
2. Type the verse into the text box on the toolbar within the window.
3. Press the “Enter” key. The resource will open to the relevant page.



Finding All Occurrences of a Greek or Hebrew Word in the King James Version

To find all occurrences of a Greek or Hebrew word in the King James Version:

1. Open the King James Version of the passage using the “My Library” icon or the “Bible Study Starter.”
2. Enter your passage/verse in the "Find" box.
3. Click on "View" on the main toolbar and select "Inline Strong's Numbers."
4. Right click on the Strong's number of the word for which you would like to find all occurrences.
5. Move the cursor to “Selected Reference: G...” or “Selected Reference: H....”
6. Left click on “Speed Search this Resource.” The list of passages will open in a separate window.



Finding All Occurrences of an English Word in a Version of the Bible

To find all occurrences of an English word in a version of the Bible:

1. Use “My Library” to open your Bible.
 2. Scroll to or Enter passage in the Bible search box.
 3. Right click on the word for which you would like to find all occurrences.
 4. Move the cursor to “Selected Text....”
 5. Left click on “Speed Search this Resource.” The list of passages in the Bible version currently in use will open in a separate window.
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Printing Selections

To print a selection of a resource:

1. Highlight with the cursor the text to print.
2. Right click on the highlighted text. A menu will appear.
3. Left click on "Print Selection." A separate window will open.
4. Click on "Print."

Note: When you print portions of a resource, the bibliographic information is included at the end of the page.

Citing Logos Resources

The resources within *Logos Bible Software* should be cited individually. To find the bibliographic information to use when citing a particular resource within *Logos*:

1. Click on "My Library" located on the toolbar.
2. Search for the title of the resource you want to cite.
3. Right click on the title in the results list. A menu will appear.
4. Left click on "About This Resource." A separate window will open.
5. Use the bibliographic data to cite the resource, putting it into the format your professor indicates (APA, MLA, etc.).

Notes: Consult the library user guides *APA Guidelines for Citing Print and Electronic Sources* and *MLA Guidelines for Citing Print and Electronic Sources* for more information on citing resources using those formats.

When you print or copy portions of a resource, the bibliographic information is included at the end of the page.

