

## **Bible Citations**

Through your journey of 40 days, with GodCalls Adventure, you will be accessing a number of scripture passages in the Bible. This will assist you grow your reading of scripture and encourage you to go deeper into the books the Bible contains. You might be someone who has read the Bible cover to cover or someone accessing the Bible for the first time, so here is just a short explanation on finding passages through citations.

The format of citations that you would commonly see and that will be used in GodCalls Adventure, is in the below example:

'In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth' (Genesis, chapter 1 verse 1).

The citation helps you find the right passage to read, consisting on the book it comes from, the chapter and the verse to read.



Another example is where you might be asked to read a number of verses for example:

'In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, <sup>2</sup> the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters'.

## (Genesis, chapter 1 verses 1-2)

This tells you that you need to read the Chapter 1 of Genesis and the first and second verses, you can follow the numbers through as shown in the example above.



This will become more familiar as you go through GodCalls Adventure. There are also many different translations of the Bible (NIV, New Jerusalem, King James Version), GodCalls Adventure will use New Revised Standard Version Anglised (NRSV) and you can find a free version on BibleGateway; https://www.biblegateway.com/you can select the right translation next to the search box.