

# Basics of Christianity

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## WHERE DOES THE BIBLE COME FROM?

### Bible Translations

#### Memorize

\_\_\_\_\_ Scripture \_\_\_\_\_ God-breathed \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_, rebuking,  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, so \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ may \_\_\_\_\_ thoroughly \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ good  
\_\_\_\_\_. (2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3: \_\_\_\_\_-17, NIV)



#### Study

Watch the video about Bible translations and answer the following questions or fill in the blanks.

(You may have to watch the video a couple of times to get the answers.)

- ❖ Is there a perfect Bible translation? \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ What three languages was the original Bible written in? (Circle three)  
Latin    Greek    Spanish    Arabic    Hebrew    English    Italian    Aramaic
- ❖ Three types of translations:
  - Word for \_\_\_\_\_
    - Attempts to preserve \_\_\_\_\_
    - Pro - Close to the \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Con - Uses words that we don't \_\_\_\_\_.
    - An example of a word-for-word translation - King \_\_\_\_\_ Bible
  - \_\_\_\_\_ for Thought
    - Attempts to capture the general idea by translating an entire \_\_\_\_\_ while \_\_\_\_\_ word order.
    - Pro - Easy to \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Con - \_\_\_\_\_ meaning can be \_\_\_\_\_ down.
    - An example of a thought-for-thought translation - \_\_\_\_\_, NLT
  - \_\_\_\_\_
    - Attempts to communicate the \_\_\_\_\_ idea by translating whole \_\_\_\_\_ of the Bible into very \_\_\_\_\_ language.
    - An example of a paraphrase - The \_\_\_\_\_
    - Pro - Very \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to read.
    - Con - \_\_\_\_\_ the meanings of individual \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ words to try to make it more \_\_\_\_\_.