

The Gospel of John – two books in one: the ‘Book of The Seven Signs’ (left circle) and the ‘Book of The Passion’ (right circle):

By his Ministry, Death & Resurrection, Jesus completes Judaism, but the Jews were unable, from the beginning, to recognise him as the Messiah, Son of God, Spirit-baptiser and Saviour of the world, whereas the Greeks (Gentiles) were believing in his signs and ready to receive eternal life, at the last - in great number!

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		1 The Lamb of God	2 The Bread of Life	3 The Light of the World	C Gate/Good Shepherd; Resurrection & the Life	3' The Way, the Truth & the Life	2' The True Vine NB the 7 th 'longer I am saying'	1' The Lamb of God		
		1.1-18/19-28/29-34: The Testimony of John	5.1-9b/9c-13/14-18: The Healing of an Invalid	7.2-13/14-36/37-52: Jesus teaches: the Christ?	10.1-5/6-18/19-21: Jesus lays down his life	11.55-57/12.1-11/12-19: Passover Preparations/Entry	15.1-8/9-17/18-27: 'True Vine': Love & Hate	18.28-38a/38b-19.5/6-13: Jesus is taken to Pilate	A	
part 1	1	The 'Word': the Light and Life John: sent from God to testify The 'Word' is Jesus Christ	37 Feast of the Jews Jerusalem 38 A pool, 5 porticoes: man '38' 39 'Rise, take and walk' 3 rd Sign	To go to Feast of Tabernacles? He remains in Galilee Goes secretly, Jews seek him	Sheepfold: entering through gate Gatekeeper opens for shepherd The sheep follow the shepherd	Passover near: purification 'Will he come?' NB the 7th Feast If he comes, he is to be arrested	'I am the true vine' NB 7th 'I am..' You are clean because of.. word 'I am the vine, you are branches'	Jesus to Pilate; Jews undefiled Outside: Jews want Jesus killed Inside: Pilate & Jesus: Kingdom	A B B'	A
2	4	John is not the 'Christ, Elijah, ..' He baptizes in water Baptizing beyond the Jordan	40 It was a Sabbath that day 41 Jews ask man, 'Who healed..?' 42 The man did not know	Middle of Feast: Jesus teaches Sabbath issue; 'the Christ' Where I go, 'Christ'? To Greeks?	'I am the Gate for the sheep' 'I am the Good Shepherd' 'I am the Good Shepherd'	6 days before Passover, a meal Judas critical of anointing Jews - to kill Lazarus as well	'Keep my commandments' For their joy..; 'friends' Command: love one another	Outside: no crime; release King? Jesus is flogged and mocked Jesus, in purple, is presented	A B B'	B
3	7	The next day, he sees Jesus 'Behold, the Lamb of God...' He will baptize in Holy Spirit	43 The man meets Jesus 44 He tells the Jews it was Jesus 45 Blasphemy: sought to kill him	Last Day of Feast: water/ Spirit Prophet?/Christ? From Galilee? Jesus not arrested; Nicodemus	A division among the Jews Many say he has a demon Others say, no, he opens eyes	Next day, crowd greets Jesus He rides in on a donkey The witnesses to Lazarus spoke	The world's hate for them As Jesus, so they will suffer The Spirit and they will testify	'Crucify him! Crucify him!' Inside: Pilate & Jesus: authority To release?/No friend of Caesar!	A B B'	B'
		1.35-42/43-51/2.1-11: The First Disciples	5.19-30/31-40/41-47: Healing prompts Teaching	7.53-8.11/12-20/21-30: The Law/Jesus' Light	10.22-30/31-33/34-42: Jesus is threatened	12.20-36/37-41/42-50: Greeks' Interest; 'the Hour'	16.1-15/16-24/25-33: More Comfort: Spirit's Work	19.14-27/28-37/38-42: Jesus is Crucified & Buried	A'	
4	1	Next day: 'the Lamb of God..' Two follow and stay with Jesus Andrew/Simon: Messiah/Christ	He does what the Father does Father/Son: the dead will live Father/Son: life/judgement	From Mt of Olives to temple A woman caught in adultery: She is not stoned/condemned	Feast of Dedication , Jerusalem Are you the Christ? His 'sheep' - do not believe	Greeks to see Jesus: hour come Voice from heaven for their sake Going away, Jesus hides	They will face troubles His going, the Spirit will come The Spirit will guide them	'Prep. Day', at 6: 'Away with him' Crucified as 'King of the Jews' Mother and beloved disciple	A B B'	A
5	1	Next day: Philip & Nathanael Jesus knows Nathanael: 'Son of God, King of Israel'	The issue is 'testimony' Greater than John's The Scriptures testify	'I am the Light of the World'/sin Testimony and judgement No arrest, his hour - not yet	Jews want to stone him Jesus wants to know why? For his blasphemy	They did not believe Isaiah 'They could not believe,' Isaiah Isaiah had seen Jesus' glory	A little while, not see/will see They will weep/the world rejoice They will grieve, but rejoice	'I thirst!'/It is finished! They break legs/Jesus speared Testimony to blood and water	A B B'	B
6	1	Third day: Wedding at Cana Mother there; '6' jars water/wine 1 st Sign: disciples believe	I do not accept glory from men They: glory from each other Their accuser is Moses	'I am'/in sin you die/Where I go... Much to judge/as Father Many believed in him	Jesus speaks from their law They sought to arrest him He crosses Jordan/John bapt. ...	Many believed, feared put out... Believers: light, judge/save Rejecters: judged on last day	He will speak plainly of Father Son from the Father/they believe Peace for them/ he conquers	Joseph asks Pilate for the body Nicodemus assists with burial Jesus: laid in garden, new tomb	A B B'	B'
		2.12-25/3.1-21/22-36: In Jerusalem & Judea	6.1-15/16-21/22-34: Food for Eternal Life	8.31-41/42-47/48-59: Jesus with 'believing' Jews	11.1-10/11-17/18-29: Lazarus dies	13.1-20/21-30/31-38: A Servant, Betrayal & Denial	17.1-8/9-19/20-26: Jesus' Prayer for his Own	20.1-13/14-29/30-31: Risen, Jesus' Appearances	A	
7	1	In Capernaum, mother/brothers Passover near: clears temple At Passover: many believed	Jesus on mountain with crowd Passover near: food needed Feeds 5,000, 4 th Sign, mountain	'The truth will set you free.' 'Seed of Abraham' - to kill him 'Our father is Abraham/is God'	Lazarus, Martha and Mary Lazarus ill, they stay 2 days To Judea again/'12' hours in day	Before Passover, he washes feet Peter resists at first Foot washing: example. 'I am'	Asks to be glorified: life eternal To know God and Jesus Christ Jesus has made God known	First Day of Week: no body! Mary M tells Peter and another Seeing they return, Mary M stays	A B B'	7/7
8	1	Nicodemus, by night: Kingdom Being born of water and spirit The Son: to save the world	Disciples: boat to Capernaum Jesus walks on water, 5 th Sign 'I am'; they reach land	God: not their Father The Devil: their Father They are not of God	Lazarus - 'fallen asleep' Lazarus - 'dead'/Thomas - all die Arriving: Lazarus 4 days in tomb	One of them is a betrayer Beloved disciple asks, 'Who?' Judas leaves; it was night	Asks for his disciples For their protection and joy Protected from the evil one	Jesus appears - gardener? No! Evening, to disciples - the Spirit Week later, disciples & Thomas	A B B'	B
9	1	In Judea: Jesus baptizing John content: less/Jesus more The one of earth/of above	Next day, crowd to Capernaum The people are confounded Bread/life for the world	You: a Samaritan/have demon? Abraham glad to see my day Before Abraham: I am	Martha goes to meet Jesus 'I am the Resurrection and Life' She returns to Mary; Mary goes	'The Son of Man is glorified' 'Where I go...' (see 7.2-8.30) Peter is willing: he will deny 3x	Asks for all believers: their unity They may be with him, see glory Love in them, and Jesus too	Many signs Jesus did Not written in this book But these written so you believe	A B B'	B'
		4.1-26/27-42/43-54: Through Samaria to Galilee	6.35-51/52-59/60-7.1: The 'Bread of Life'	9.1-13/14-23/24-41: The Healing of a Blind Man	11.30-38a/38b-44/45-54: He is raised; Sanhedrin meets	14.1-14/15-24/25-31: Comfort: 'Way, Truth & Life'	18.1-11/12-18/19-27: Betrayal, Arrest & Denial	21.1-8/9-14/15-25: Jesus Appears in Galilee	A'	
10	28	Galilee via Samaria: a well at '6' A woman is asked for a drink Messiah/the Christ: 'I am'	'I am the bread of life'; none lost Jews complain Jesus answers complaint: life	A man blind from birth/sinned? Washes in pool, sees, 6 th Sign Neighbours confounded	Jesus not yet there, Mary speaks Weeping: Mary, Jews and Jesus Jesus comes to the tomb	'I am the Way, Truth & Life' Seen the Son, seen the Father Greater works will they do	A garden: Judas comes for him 'I am': they fell back 'I am'; none lost (6.39); sword	Jesus appears - Sea of Tiberias At night, '7' had caught nothing Miracle catch! 'It is the Lord'	A B B'	A
11	31	Disciples arrive; woman goes 'My food'; Harvest Jesus: 'Saviour of the world'	Jews disputed Eating/drinking: life/live forever Said in Capernaum/synagogue	A Sabbath: Jews question him Jews question his parents Parents say, 'Ask him' for fear	'Take away the stone' Jesus prays for people's belief Lazarus, come out!' NB 7th Sign	Commandments, help of Spirit 'You will see me again...' He will show himself to them	Jesus is taken away Peter and another follow Peter denies Jesus, at coal fire	A coal fire with fish and bread Peter hauls in '153' fish Jesus invites them to breakfast	A B B'	83 rd part
12	34	Jesus: in Galilee, in Cana Official's son healed at '7 th ' hour This healing: 2 nd Sign	Teaching 'difficult' Many disciples went away Jesus goes too/Jews to kill him	The man is put out He worships Jesus Blind? The Pharisees?	Many believed: Sanhedrin meets Jesus must die for the nation... They will kill him; Jesus departs	The Holy Spirit will teach/inform 'Peace I leave with you' 'The ruler of this world comes..'	High Priest questions Jesus Jesus: hit, not spoken wrongly Peter denies two more times	After: Peter is 3x commissioned Peter asks re. beloved disciple Disciple testifying , many books	A B B'	B'
		A: Jesus: 'the Life & Light'	B: Jesus: 'the Life'	B': Jesus: 'the Light'	X: Jesus dies for His Own who live through Him	A: Passover near: Greeks 'interested'; Last Supper	B: Final Teachings and Prayer; Betrayal and Arrest	B': Jesus Crucified, Raised and Seen; Commissioning		
Complication: Jesus is the Rejected Life & Light of God in the World...					Turning Point: Jesus is to be Killed	Dénouement: Jesus' Death, yet Resurrection & Appearances! Mission on!				