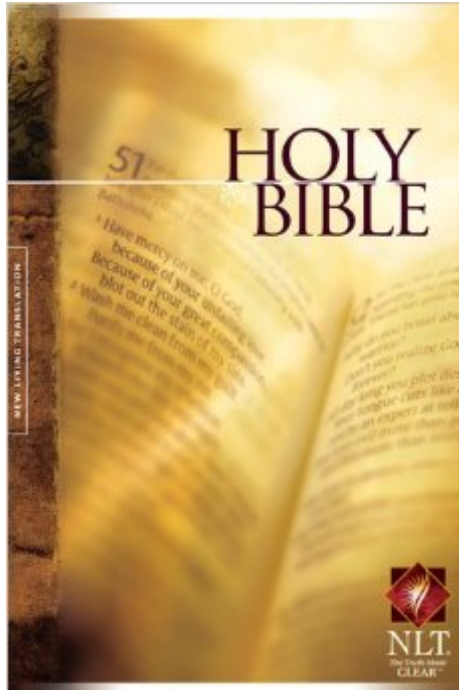


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are looking for a translation that focuses more on the overall meaning of each sentence, and not just the meaning of each word, I heartily recommend this one.

The NLT is my favorite translation of the Bible. I have paper copies, but, I wanted a version for my Kindle. Unfortunately, there are two problems with it. The red letter sayings of Jesus are rendered a light gray, almost unreadable. In addition, the Chapter links are not arranged wisely. Making it difficult to navigate to certain sections. Very disappointed with the rendering. With some minor adjustments by the publisher, this would be an excellent addition to a Kindle library.

I find that reading different translations of the Bible helps to keep it "fresh" for me and give me new insights. This NLT is one of my favorite translations for regular reading because it flows so smoothly and I discover new meanings and nuances that I did not realize in reading other versions. The "contemporary" language (things like weights, measures, time, etc.) gives it a modern immediacy that helps me to integrate it into my everyday experience in the secular world. Several of us at my church use the NLT - and I've noticed that whenever someone reads an NLT aloud in adult Bible class, it seems like at least one other person in the room comments on what a good rendering that was, and asks "what translation is that?"

I have several bibles, study editions and otherwise, and this bible exceeded my expectations, both in form and feature! The pink and brown embossed cover (front AND back!) is just lovely! I am so glad that some of the publishers of new bibles FINALLY are producing lines that are appealing to women! No more black, brown, gray or burgundy for me! I love the NLT, both for the joy of reading the Word and for study. The print is more than large; if my glasses fog up, I could STILL read this one! I like the thumb-indexing as well as the intros to each book; they not only provide some background such as date, theme, etc, but as in the style of the Life Application Bible, they apply the principals to today's living. The maps are excellent, and the dictionary/concordance is pretty concise....the dictionary is an added bonus, with the meaning of the featured words just before the listing of the location in the text, which can be helpful to new believers or to those who need them. Overall, I give this one a 5-star rating. It is now my 'carry it to church' bible; I have had so many compliments on it and I know that many of my friends will buy this one!

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