

American Bible Society

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Part 1

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1. Who suggested the formation of an American Bible Society? Samuel J. Mills.
Many of our founding fathers predating Mills, laid the ground work for the founding of the American Bible Society.
2. Congress printed a small Bible in 1782 with a Congressional endorsement. Which founding father suggested a large Bible be printed as a family Bible? John Witherspoon.
What was one of his greatest accomplishments? Signed the Declaration of Independence
3. His work of getting these Bibles printed and encouraging families to study it, sets the ground work for the official founding of the American Bible Society.
4. What part did Isaac Collins play in getting these Bibles in the hands of families?
his New Jersey company printed them
5. In 1798 there was a Bible printed that was the Largest Bible printed in America to that date. This Bible is called a Hot Pressed Bible. The ink was heated because the printers felt it would make the text do what? Make it last longer
6. Who helped fund this giant Bible? Thomas Jefferson, John Hancock,
Samuel Chase, George Reed, James Wilson,
John Dickinson, Alexander Hamilton, Gunning Bedford,
Jarod Ingersol, Thomas Mifflin, John Lansing.
7. What was the first official American Bible Society? Philadelphia Bible Society 1809.
Who was the creator of this Society? Dr. Benjamin Rush.
8. Dr Benjamin Rush was one of the top 3 founding fathers according to John Adams.
He started the first Denomination for Blacks, he was an abolitionist, was the Father of American medicine, started colleges for women and blacks and he was a signer of what?
Declaration of Independence.

9. Dr Rush thought if everyone had a Bible they could come to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. He felt that if everyone had a Bible, reads it and lives by it we would do what? _____
We could solve all our social issues or change the culture.

10. The 1812 Philadelphia Bible Society print was significant. Why?
1st mass produced Bible done by an American Bible Society.

11. After Philadelphia produced the first Bible by their society, the news spread. How many Bible societies are mentioned in their 8th Bible Society report? _____ 121 in 1812 _____. The American Bible society started in the same year.

12. What significant Founding Father was a life time member of a Bible Society. Name him and name the society. _____ Thomas Jefferson, The Virginia Bible Society _____.

13. Modern day belief is that Jefferson hated the Bible. True or (False).
List some of the things that Jefferson did that prove your answer.

1. _____ He paid to help print Bibles for the people _____
2. _____ He gave Bibles to all his Children _____
3. _____ He put Bibles in Schools in Washington DC _____

14 Jefferson started what university that had it's own Bible Society? _____ U of Virginia _____.

15. The Maryland Bible society was started by what signer of the Constitution?
_____ James McHenry _____. He was Secretary of _____ war _____ for what two Presi-
dents? _____ George Washington _____ John Adams _____

16. Name President of the American Bible Society. 1. _____ Elias Boudinot _____ He was the
President of Congress during what war? _____ Revolutionary War _____ He signed the peace treaty
to end the Revolution. He was also a framer of what? _____ Bill Of Rights _____

17. Boudinot wrote a rebuttal to Thomas Paine's book 'The Age Of Reason.' Name the book.
_____ The Age of Revelation _____ .

STOP at 17:21 That's the President of the Bible Society.