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# ESV Comprehensive Concordance Of The Bible (A Comprehensive Concordance Of Biblical Words Providing Easy Access To Every Verse In The Bible)



## Synopsis

A Companion to the ESV An essentially literal translation, the ESV Bible combines word-for-word accuracy with readability, literary excellence, and depth of meaning. First published in 2001, it is widely acclaimed for maintaining the elegance of Bible translations in the King James tradition. The ESV Comprehensive Concordance of the Bible provides an excellent study companion for the ESV Bible. Features of the ESV Comprehensive Concordance of the Bible Half the size of an exhaustive concordance, the ESV Comprehensive Concordance of the Bible still provides an extensive listing of Bible words. Features include: Every biblical occurrence of nearly 14,000 wordsâ" a total of more than 300,000 concordance entries Carefully selected verse segments for each entry that help quickly identify Bible passages Complete entries for numerals found in the Bible 115 frequently used but less essential words ("a," "and," "the," etc.) are excluded

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In this volume, Mounce offers a standard concordance of the English Standard Version of the Holy Bible. This includes a straight index of all words except the c. 100 most common ("a", "about", "after", "against", "all", "also", "am", "among", "an", "and", "are", etc.) For every word occurrence it includes the reference and immediate context. For example, the entries for 'Beholds' are: riddles, and he B the form of the Lord. Nm 12:8 has looked on it; man B it from afar. Jb 36:25 This does not include source language references. On the one hand, as a concordance of an excellent translation -- hopefully soon the de facto English language standard as the KJV once was -- it is a useful reference book. On the other hand, I am not sure of the place a paper concordance has in an

electronic world, especially since it does not add any new content such as source language: I find myself rather using the CD included with the version of the ESV Bible I bought.

The English-Greek Reverse Interlinear New Testament: English Standard Version  
The concordance is nice and compact and very easy to use, but for me it has 2 main flaws. The first is that the text is incredibly small and anyone that has a vision problem like I do will have difficulty. The second is there is no Greek correspondence included. I purchased this with the ESV Interlinear hoping to have a complete study set with only 3 books. Now I am still using the huge concordance as well so I can study the Greek to it. Does anyone know if they have just a Greek correspondence to go with it?

This is just what it says it is, a comprehensive concordance. At the time of purchase I didn't know the difference between "comprehensive" and "exhaustive." With that being said, if you're a bible student this (probably) won't be very beneficial to you. It only shows you the occurrences of the english translated word and does not have Strong's numbers or Hebrew/Greek definitions.

Very helpful reference book when writing papers on Biblical matters. Also useful for finding just the right verse to use in different situations or in writing encouraging notes to others.

The Young Standard Concordance was published in 1879 and one can wonder why in 2014 with a sense of "improvement" in technology all around us why the ESV Comprehensive [sic!] concordance lacks the Hebrew and Greek aids that were present in Young what?--135 years ago!!? I can remember decades ago before I had learned Hebrew and Greek in graduate school appreciating the ability to compare and contrast the KJV translations of Hebrew and Greek words. This kind of word study is crucial to any kind of informed exegesis or hermeneutics. One would hope that the publishers would acknowledge this significant deficiency in the ESV concordance and complete a version that will finally supplant the need for Young. While I, of course, highly appreciate its value as a tool for the study of my ESV it is perturbing to have to pull out an "ancient" concordance that is in the matter of biblical languages superior.

As I'm now starting to use ESV translation more and more, needed a comprehensive concordance and this does the job nicely. Not too oversized a format and print yet one can read. Don't understand the criticisms given it not being an exhaustive, as usually as in my case, those of us who work in the original languages have concordances in Hebrew and Greek. Nice price and Biblical tool.

I'm sure this is a fine tool if you're just wanting a concordance and don't need the Greek or Hebrew dictionaries. I, however, was expecting it to include these items. I hope crossway eventually publishes an ESV concordance that includes them.

...needed to have a concordance for the 2012 ESV revision, since I'm partial to this translation - the ESV having room for several improvements yet but much more accurate than the NIV and much less wooden than the NASV (in fact, in numerous instances, more literal/accurate than the NASV). It is a bare bones concordance, which was obvious when ordering it. Nevertheless, one will need other tools such as a lexicon, etc. The quality of the book itself seems very good. The type is very small and compact and you'll have to sort of pry it out of the gutter for the inside columns; Crossway could've published it in a larger size. However, it's a necessary accoutrement for study. So, there you are, it is what it is.

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