

Welcome to the Old Testament



I have recently had more time on my hands and am going to get into



theology more seriously. I have just received my new module: Introduction to The Old Testament from London School of Theology.

So here we go...

First thing to think about – Jesus read and used the OT.

1] The OT had power in it to help Jesus overcome the evil one (Matthew 4). So it's not something old and lifeless.

2] The important events in Jesus' life – his birth, ministry, life, death and resurrection are all foretold in the OT. This is something that all Christians would agree to but it is a profound truth worth contemplating. This implies quite simply that God is speaking through the Old Testament, how else could it predict the future so accurately?__

So from these two simple points we know that the OT is

Living

Powerful

God breathed

