

CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF THE BOOKS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

These dates are all estimations based on internal and external evidence.

James - 46-48 A.D.

Galatians - 48 (Just prior to Jerusalem Council in Acts 15).

First Thessalonians - 50

Second Thessalonians - Early 50s

First Corinthians - Mid 50s

Second Corinthians - Mid 50s

Romans - Mid to Late 50s

Philippians - Late 50s - Early 60s

Mark - Late 50s - Early 60s

Colossians - Early 60s

Philemon - Early 60s

Ephesians - Early 60s

First Peter - 62-63.

Matthew - Mid 60s (Temple was still standing)

Luke - Mid 60s

Acts - Mid 60s

First Timothy - Mid 60s

Titus - Mid 60s

Second Timothy - Mid 60s

Second Peter - Mid 60s

Hebrews - Late 60s

Jude - Late 60s

Revelation - Late 60s

John - c. 85. (See note below)

Epistles of John - 90-95. (See note below)

Note: Some argue all of the NT was written prior to AD70, which would put the dating of John's Gospel and Epistles earlier (late 60s). One evidence for earlier dating is that none mention the cataclysmic events surrounding the fall of Jerusalem.