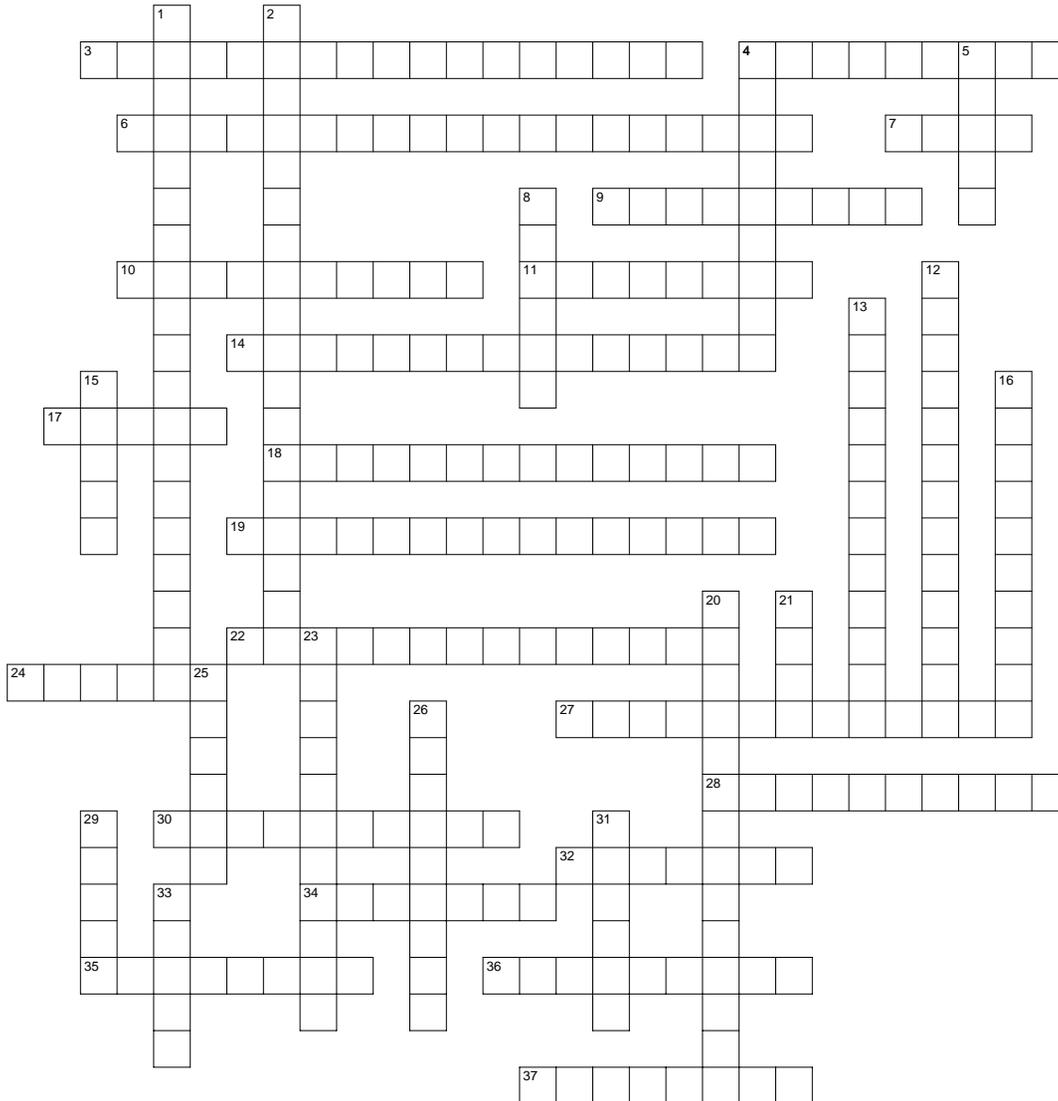


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# The Writings



## Across

3. He conquered the Persian Empire in 516BC.
4. Scholars suspect that the gospels may be apocalyptic literature because this type had been discredited when they were written.
6. Name used in 1 Maccabees for a statue of Zeus placed on the altar of the Jerusalem temple.
7. Part of the history of the Chronicler, this book describes the resettlement of Israel after the exiles.
9. The practice of "mingling" cultures and religions used by the Greeks to make their subjects loyal to the empire.
10. This was probably produced during the Ptolemaic era of Jewish history.
11. Apocalyptic title for Jesus in the gospels; in Daniel he receives dominion over the kingdom of God.
14. Many of the books in the writings question or reject this view of history.
17. They were an elite class of wisdom teachers in Israel after the exile.
18. In Mark and Matthew, Jesus quotes this when he dies on the cross.
19. The book of Daniel is set during this time in Jewish history, although it was probably written much later.
22. In Luke, Jesus quotes this when he dies on the cross.
24. A book of songs sung as part of the temple liturgy.
27. Daniel's name for the infamous statue of Zeus placed in the temple by Antiochus IV.
28. In Daniel's vision of the four beasts, he passes judgment over the "little horn."
30. In Daniel's vision of the four beasts, this symbolizes Antiochus IV.
32. Means "faithful"; refers to Jews who resisted Antiochus IV.
34. The Ptolemies took this title for themselves, and were viewed as the incarnation of the god Amon.
35. The Asian region of Alexander's divided empire.
36. The illegitimate high priest Jason sought to build one of these in Jerusalem.
37. Antiochus III lost a crucial battle to the Romans here, and was forced to pay a heavy tribute as a result.

## Down

1. Name given to the Jewish religion from 516BC-70AD.
2. He attempted to impose Hellenism on Jews in Palestine by force.
4. The Egyptian region of Alexander's divided empire.
5. Antiochus IV had copies of this confiscated and burned.
8. In Proverbs 8, this is portrayed as an attractive and desirable woman.
12. In Daniel's vision of the four beasts, this symbolizes the Median Empire.
13. According to 1 and 2 Maccabees, women who allowed this rite to be performed on their sons were killed, with the children hanging from their necks.
15. Traditionally, the author of much of the book of Psalms.
16. An example of Apocalyptic literature in the New Testament.
20. In Daniel's interpretation of the dream of the statue, this symbolizes the Persian Empire.
21. In Daniel's interpretation of the dream of the statue, this symbolizes the divided empire of Alexander.
23. Daniel is this type of literature, common in Judaism from 200BC-200AD.
25. The Greek word for Wisdom.
26. Israel became this after the exiles because the Persians would not allow the monarchy to be restored.
29. John uses this word to describe Jesus and likens him to incarnate wisdom.
31. This type of Psalm is quite common in the OT, which is surprising considering its attitude towards God.
33. In Proverbs 9, this is portrayed as a deceitful woman.