

SKIT

THE FIRST FIVE BOOKS

ITEMS NEEDED:

Workout clothes (think headbands, leg warmers, etc)

CHARACTER BREAKDOWN:

1M, 1F

CHARACTERS:

Phil - A door to door salesman

Mary - An unsuspecting customer

Mary enters in workout clothes, ready to exercise. Phil enters, also in workout clothes.

PHIL: Good morning, madam!

MARY: You again!

PHIL: I see you're dressed for your morning workout! A perfect time to start learning the books of the Bible!

MARY: Now see here.

PHIL: You know, exercise is a great way to get the blood flowing, to start the day. And there's no better place to start learning the books of the Bible than at the very beginning.

MARY: But sir—

PHIL: We start with Genesis, which tells us that God made the world. It also tells us that shortly thereafter, we made a mess of the world. Do you know why?

MARY: Sir, I really—

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PHIL: Sin, madam! It's the central problem of human life, sin. And it separated us from God. But fear not. God had a plan even then to save us.

MARY: He did?

PHIL: As a matter of fact, the second book of the Bible foreshadows that plan. Exodus is the story of how God saved His chosen people, the nation of Israel, from slavery, just as He can save us from sin!

MARY: This is really not the—

PHIL: Yes, it is the correct order. Genesis, Exodus, and then Leviticus when God gave the people the law so they would know how to live for Him.

MARY: Can you just let me get in my exercise?

PHIL: Of course. One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight. Those are Numbers. And Numbers, madam, is the fourth book of the Bible!

MARY: Augh!

PHIL: And let's not forget Deuteronomy. That's when Moses taught the people God's laws for a second time so they would not soon forget.

MARY: Sir, do you think we can—

PHIL: Review just those five books? Certainly, madam. Here we go. Genesis! Exodus! Leviticus! Numbers! And Deuteronomy!

MARY: That's not what I—

PHIL: Enjoy your workout, madam. I'll leave you to it. But just like the start of your workout, I'm only getting warmed up!

Phil jogs off while Mary groans.