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**User's Guide**

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Welcome to the world of BOOKMAN! Use *Bible Questions and Answers* to test your knowledge of more than 2500 Bible questions. You can choose the section of the Bible you wish to study, or you can try randomly selected questions. You can also place notes throughout this book to use as book-

marks for a quick return to a favorite section. If you have a Franklin BOOKMAN Bible, you can highlight a verse from this cartridge and send it to the Bible to be looked up.

Use your BOOKMAN to read this cartridge. See "Installing Cartridges" to learn how.

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# Key Guide

## Function Keys

- CLEAR** Clears to the main menus.
- MENU** Shows the main menus.
- QUES** **(red)** At text, shows the next question; at the main menus, selects a random question.
- ANSW** **(green)** Shows the answer to the selected question.
- VERSE** **(yellow)** Highlights a verse.
- LIST** **(blue)** Shows the Notes menu.
- CARD** Exits the selected book.
- ON/OFF** Turns BOOKMAN on or off.

## ► Understanding the Color Keys

The color keys (red, green, yellow, and blue) perform the functions listed above only for the book described in this User's Guide.



Other BOOKMAN books have their own color key functions, which are labelled on their cartridges or on the keyboard. For more information, read "Using the Color Keys."

## Other Keys








- BACK** Backs up or turns off a highlight.
- ENTER** Selects a menu item or starts a highlight in text.
- HELP** Shows help messages.
- ? \*** At questions, shows your Outline location; at menus, shows the full menu item.

## Direction Keys



- Move in the indicated direction.
- SPACE** Types a space or pages down.
- CAP** With  and , zooms to the top or bottom of a menu or text.

## Star Key Combinations\*

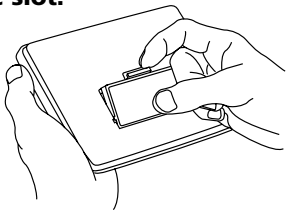
-  + **BACK** Goes to the main menus from lower menu levels.
-  + **ENTER** Goes to the top level of text.
-  + **CARD** Sends a word between books.
-  +  Shows the next question.
-  +  Shows the previous question.

\*Hold  while pressing the other key.

## Installing Cartridges

**Warning:** Never install or remove a cartridge when BOOKMAN is on. If you do, information that you entered in its built-in book and in an installed cartridge will be erased.

1. Turn **BOOKMAN** off.
2. Turn **BOOKMAN** over.
3. Align the tabs on the book cartridge with the notches in the slot.



4. Press the cartridge until it snaps into place.

### ► Removing Cartridges

**Warning:** When you remove a book cartridge to install another, information that you entered in the removed cartridge will be erased.

## Selecting Books

Once you have installed a book cartridge in your BOOKMAN, you must select which book you want to use.

1. Turn **BOOKMAN** on.
2. Press **CARD**.



These are sample books.

3. Press **→** or **←** to highlight the book you want to use.



4. Press **ENTER** to select it.

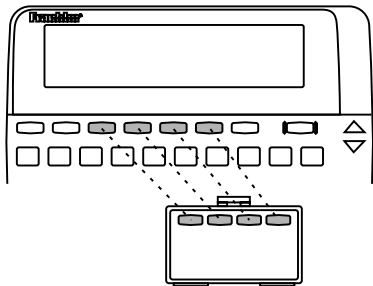
### ► Resuming Where You Left Off

You can turn off BOOKMAN at any screen. When you turn BOOKMAN on again, the screen that you last viewed appears.

## Using the Color Keys

The red, green, yellow, and blue keys on your BOOKMAN change functions according to which book is selected.

When the built-in book is selected, the color keys function as labelled on the BOOKMAN keyboard. When a book cartridge is selected, the color keys function as labelled on that cartridge.



Remember, the color keys for BOOKMAN books in cartridges function as labelled on their cartridges, not as on the keyboard.

## Changing Settings

You can adjust the type size, shutoff time, and screen contrast. The type size changes the number of lines of text that appear on screen. The shutoff time is how long BOOKMAN stays on if you forget to turn it off.

1. Press **CLEAR**.
2. Press **→** or **←** to highlight the **Other** menu.
3. Highlight **Set Type Size**, **Set Shutoff** or **Set Contrast**.



The slanted arrow shows there are sub-menu items.

4. Press **ENTER**.
5. Highlight a setting.  
Or press **↑** and **↓** if you selected **Set Contrast**.
6. Press **ENTER** to select it.  
Or press **BACK** to exit without changing the setting.

## Viewing a Demonstration

Before you begin playing the games, you may want to view a brief demonstration describing how to use this book. Simply install the book card and then follow these steps.

1. Press **(MENU)**, if necessary.
2. Use **←** or **→** to highlight the **Setup** menu.
3. Press **↓** to highlight **View Demo**.
4. Press **(ENTER)** to start the demonstration.
5. To stop the demonstration at any time, press **(CLEAR)**.

### ► Follow the Arrows

The flashing arrows on the right of the screen show which arrow keys you can press to move around menus or to view more text.

### ► Help is Always at Hand

You can view a help message at virtually any screen by pressing **(HELP)**. Press **↓** or **(SPACE)** to read it. To exit help, press **(BACK)**.

If you want to read a tutorial about what the keys and menus do, select *Tutorial* from the Other menu.

## Answering Questions

There are two ways to find questions and answers. You can choose the section of the Bible you want to study or you can view randomly picked questions.

### ► Choosing Question Sections

NOTE: For this example we will choose questions from the New Testament. You would do the same to find questions in the Old Testament.

1. Press **(CLEAR)**.



QUESTIONS	OTHER								
OLD TESTAMENT									
NEW TESTAMENT									

2. Press **↓** to highlight **New Testament**.

The slanted arrow (↘) at the right of the line shows there are more levels below *New Testament*.

3. Press **(ENTER)** to select it.



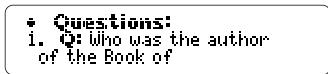
NEW TESTAMENT									
THE FOUR GOSPELS									
THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES									

## Answering Questions

4. Press **↓** to highlight a section of the New Testament (e.g., *The Revelation*).
5. Press **(ENTER)** to select it.



6. Highlight and select **Questions**.



7. Press **↓** and **↑** to move through the question.
8. To view the answer, press **(ANSW)** (green).
9. Press **(QUES)** (red) or hold **(☆)** and press **▽** to go to the next question.  
Or hold **(☆)** and press **△** to go to a previous question.
10. Press **(CLEAR)** when done.

### ► Zooming Through Menus

To zoom to the top or bottom of a menu, hold **(CAP)** and press **↑** or **↓**.

## Answering Questions

### ► Viewing a Random Question Section

The book randomly picks a section and always shows you the first question for that section.

1. Press **(CLEAR)**.
2. Press **(QUES)** (red).

To see where you are, press **(?\*)** and then press **↑**. Press **(BACK)** to return to the question. To learn more, see “Where Am I?”.

3. To view the answer, press **(ANSW)** (green).
4. Press **(QUES)** (red) again to view the next question in that section.

### ► Typing Numbers

Instead of scrolling through numbered sections and subsections, you can go directly to one by typing the number that comes in front of it.

To type a number, hold **(☆)** and press the top row of letter keys (Q-P).



## Viewing Cross-References

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Some questions have a related cross-referenced question. You will see an XREF symbol in the answer screen if a question has a cross-reference.

- 1. When you come to an answer with an XREF, press ENTER to start the highlight.**
  - 2. Press the arrow keys to highlight the XREF.**
- #1 A "publican" who became one of the twelve apostles. See XREF and Matt 9:9-11.
- 3. Press ENTER to go to its cross-referenced question.**
  - 4. Press ANSW (green).**
  - 5. Press BACK repeatedly until you return to the original question.**

## Finding Study Passages

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The study passages from which the questions come are shown before the questions. You might want to read the passages in your Bible before trying to answer the questions. Or you can just see how well you do on your own.

- 1. Press CLEAR.**
- 2. Select a Testament (e.g., Old).**
- 3. Select a section (e.g., The Poetical Books).**
- 4. Select a book (e.g., 3. Proverbs).**
- 5. Select Study Passages.**

- Study Passages: Prov 1-Prov 31.
  - Questions:

This is the passage for the following questions.

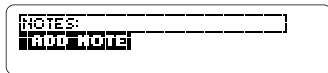
- 6. Press ↓ to go to the first question.**

## Adding Notes

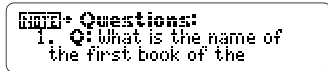
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Use the List key to place notes as bookmarks at questions you want to mark. The section heading is the note name.

1. Go to a Bible question.
2. Press **LIST** (blue).



3. Press **ENTER** to select *Add note*.



The **NOTE** marks your note.

4. Press **CLEAR**.
5. Press **LIST** (blue) to see your notes list.



6. Press **CLEAR** when done.

## Removing Notes

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Removing a note is as easy as adding one. Here's how.

1. Press **LIST** (blue).
2. Highlight the note you wish to remove.
3. Press **ENTER** to go to the note.
4. Press **LIST** (blue).
5. Press **ENTER** to remove the note.
6. Press **CLEAR** when done.



## Where Am I?

If you want to know which testament, section, and subsection you are answering questions from, use the **(?)** key. Here's an example.

1. Press **(CLEAR)**.
2. Press **(QUES)** (red) to go to a question.

NOTE: You can not find your Outline location from an answer screen.

**\* Questions:**

1. Q: What is the name of the first book of the

3. Press **(?\*)**.



OUTLINE LOCATION:  
1. THE BEGINNING  
QUESTIONS

4. Press **↑** and **↓** to move up and down the Outline location screen.
5. Highlight a menu item and then press **(ENTER)** to go there.

Or press **(BACK)** to go back to your previous location.

## Looking Up a Verse

NOTE: This can only be done if you have a BOOKMAN Bible unit.

If you have a BOOKMAN electronic Bible, you can highlight a verse from this cartridge and send it to the Bible for quick study.

1. Install this cartridge into your **BOOKMAN Bible**.  
See "Installing Cartridges," if needed.
2. Select the **Bible Q&A icon**.
3. Go to a **Study passage or an answer screen with a verse**.
4. Press **(VERSE)** (yellow) to highlight the first verse showing.

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- \* Study Passages:**  
Matt 28  
Mark 1-Mark 16

To highlight the next verse showing, press **(VERSE)** again.

5. Hold **(☆)** and press **(CARD)**.
6. Select the **Bible icon**.  
The verse appears at the Bible's entry screen.
7. Press **(ENTER)** to search for the verse.

## Looking Up a Word

This BOOKMAN cartridge can also end words to certain other BOOKMAN books.

To send a word, you must first install this cartridge into a BOOKMAN unit that can receive words. To learn if a BOOKMAN can send or receive words, read its User's Guide.

1. Press **ENTER** and then the arrow keys at text to highlight a word in this book.



8. Q: Who was the first  
WATERGATE?

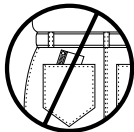
2. Hold **☆** and press **CARD**.
3. Highlight the other book.
4. Press **ENTER**.  
The word that you highlighted appears in the other book.
5. Press **ENTER** to look up the word.

## Cartridge Care

- **Do not touch the metal contacts on the cartridges.**  
**Caution:** Touching these electrical contacts with statically charged objects, including your fingers, could erase information entered in a cartridge or built-in book.



- **Do not put excessive pressure on the cartridges.**



- **Do not expose the cartridges to heat, cold, or liquids.**



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## Resetting BOOKMAN

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If the BOOKMAN keyboard fails to respond, or if its screen performs erratically, first press **CLEAR** and then press **ON/OFF** twice. If nothing happens, follow the steps below to reset it.

**Warning:** Pressing the reset button with more than very light pressure may permanently disable your BOOKMAN. In addition, resetting BOOKMAN erases settings and information entered into its built-in book, and in an installed cartridge.

**1. Hold **CLEAR** and press **ON/OFF**.**

If nothing happens, try Step 2.

**2. Use a paperclip to gently press BOOKMAN's reset button.**

This unit may change operating modes due to Electro-static Discharge. Normal operation of this unit can be re-established by pressing the reset key, **ON/OFF**, or by removing/replacing batteries.

### ► Troubleshooting

Check that your book cards are installed correctly. Also check that the metal contacts on the book cards are dirt and dust free.

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### Model BQC-2021

- size: 5.9 x 4.2 x 0.6 cm
- weight: 0.4 oz.

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