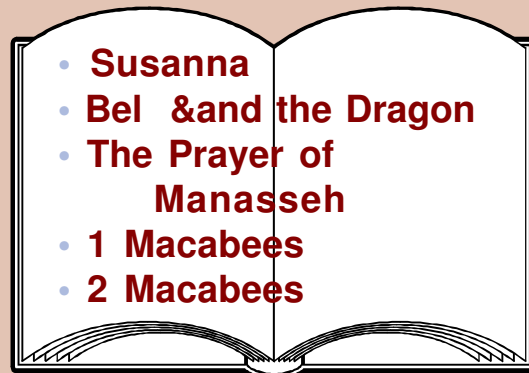
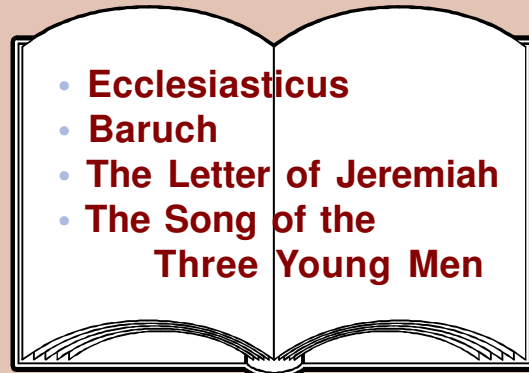
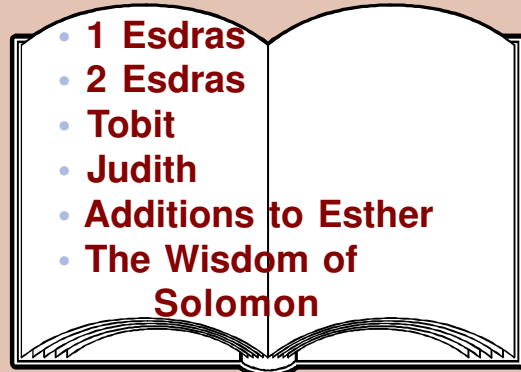


# The Apocrypha

## BOOKS OF THE APOCRYPHA



## APOCRYPHA-FACTS

- “Apocrypha” means “hidden,” or “secret.”
- The Apocrypha is a group of books which appeared during the 400 year interim period between the Old and New Testaments.
- Jews of the Dispersion in Egypt included the books in the Greek translation of the Old Testament, called the Septuagint.
- Jews of Palestine rejected them from the Hebrew canon.
- At the Council of Trent in 1546 A.D., the Roman Catholic Church declared 11 of the 15 books to be included in the Catholic Bible.
- Jesus never quoted from these books. ←
- Most of the early “church fathers” regarded them as uninspired. ←

