



INSTRUCTIONS FOR WRITING BOOK REVIEWS AND BOOK REPORTS

NOTE: This is a difference between a book review and a book report. A book review is a short synopsis of the book. A book report is a more extensive overview of the book. Make sure which one your particular assignment calls for.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR WRITING A BOOK REVIEW

Your book review should be no more than a couple pages and contain the following information in the following format. The final paragraph should sum up the material in the entire book. **DO NOT REWRITE THE BOOK.**

Book Review

Course Name - Course Instructor

Student Name

Acts Ministry University - Month, Year

Title: Title of Book

Author: Name of Author

Publisher: Name of Publisher, City of Publisher

ISBN #: 1234567

Subject:

A brief description: one or two paragraphs summarizing the subject matter

Summary:

A brief summary about the book, what it covers in subject, does it convey an accurate message about the subject matter, what are the limitations of the work overall, how could the information be applied to daily life. You are writing an objective commercial based on your perception and opinion of the writing. If you appreciate the work, why should someone else read it? Be specific, but brief. Do not rewrite the book!

Application:

Relate in the first person how this book impacted you personally. What did you learn from it? Did it change your thinking or beliefs in any way? What are your plans for using this information in your future life?