

Murders in the Bible

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Where in the Bible	What happened	What happened to the biblical characters who were responsible for the murders?
Genesis 4:1-16	Cain killed Abel	God gave Cain a mark to protect him from being killed.
Genesis 21:8-21	Sarah and Abraham sent Hagar off into the desert to die	God keeps the covenant made with Abraham and Sarah through Isaac's son, Jacob.
Exodus 2:11-15	Moses killed the Egyptian taskmaster	God called Moses to face Pharaoh and lead the Hebrews out of slavery to the "promised land."
2 Samuel 11:14-25	David ordered the death of Uriah	David's first son with Bathsheba died, and David became and continued to be the greatest king of Israel.
Judges 19:22-30	A Levite allowed his concubine to be raped to death and then cut her body into 12 pieces	Nothing happened to the Levite.
1 Kings 18:40	Elijah killed 10,000 of Jezebel's priests	Elijah continued to be a favored prophet of God.
Acts 7:54-81a	Paul consented to the stoning of Stephen	Paul was converted on the road to Damascus and became the church's first great evangelist.
All four Gospels	The Romans crucified Jesus	Jesus forgave them.