



←---Pharisees a minor group outside the Temple---→ ←-----Pharisees develop rabbinic Judaism-----→
 ←---Many Jewish groups coexisting-----→ ←-----Rabbinic Judaism and Christianity compete for the future of Judaism-----→
 ←-Christianity begins spread, still strong in Judea--→ ←-----Increasingly Christianity is concentrated outside Judea-----→
 ←-----Intermittent wars and revolts between Rome and the Jews-----→

Times mentioned in the Gospels

Who Killed Jesus?

Date	Book(s)	Pharisees	Jews*	Who Killed Jesus?
50-60	Paul's Letters	(N/A)**	(N/A)**	Paul never blames Jews; assumes Romans
69	Mark	(12)	(6)	Chief priests, crowd
85-90	Matthew	(29)	(5)	Chief priests, elders, crowd
85-90	Luke	(27)	(3)	Chief priests, leaders, crowd
90-95	John	(20)	(66)	Chief priests, Jews
85-90	Acts	(9)	(68)	Jews***

* 'Jews' appears in Matthew, Mark and Luke primarily when Jesus is referred to as "King of the Jews".
 ** Paul's letters do not narrate Jesus' life, so his mentions of 'Pharisees' and 'Jews' aren't comparable.
 *** In Acts Paul often addresses Jews outside of Judea saying of Jesus, "...whom you crucified (or killed)".