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7. How many Old Testament events and quotations are found in the New Testament?

The New Testament writers refer to at least 161 Old Testament events and quote from over 246 Old Testament passages. Some of the more important are as follows:

A. Old Testament events:

1.	Creation of the universe (Gen. 1)	Jn. 1:3; Col. 1:16
2.	Creation of Adam and Eve (Gen. 1-2)	1 Tim. 2:13-14
3.	Marriage of Adam and Eve (Gen. 1-2)	1 Tim. 2:13
4.	Temptation of the woman (Gen. 3)	1 Tim. 2:14
5.	Disobedience and sin of Adam (Gen. 3)	Rom. 5:12; 1 Cor. 15:22
6.	Sacrifices of Abel and Cain (Gen. 4)	Heb. 11:4
7.	Murder of Abel by Cain (Gen. 4)	1 John 3:12
8.	Birth of Seth (Gen. 4)	Luke 3:38
9.	Translation of Enoch (Gen. 5)	Heb. 11:5
10.	Marriage before the flood (Gen. 6)	Luke 17:27
11.	The Flood and destruction of man (Gen. 7)	Matt. 24:39
12.	Preservation of Noah and his family (Gen. 8-9)	2 Peter 2:5
13.	Genealogy of Shem (Gen. 10)	Luke 3:35-36
14.	Birth of Abraham (Gen. 11)	Luke 3:34
15.	Call of Abraham (Gen. 12-13)	Heb. 11:8
16.	Tithes to Melchizedek (Gen. 14)	Heb. 7:1-3
17.	Justification of Abraham (Gen. 15)	Rom. 4:3
18.	Ishmael (Gen. 16)	Gal. 4:21-24
19.	Promise of Isaac (Gen. 17)	Heb. 11:18
20.	Lot and Sodom (Gen. 18-19)	Luke 17:29
21.	Birth of Isaac (Gen. 21)	Acts 7:9-10
22.	Offering of Isaac (Gen. 22)	Heb. 11:17
23.	The burning bush (Ex. 3:6)	Luke 20:32
24.	Exodus through the Red Sea (Ex. 14:22)	1 Cor. 10:1-2
25.	Provision of water and manna (Ex. 16:4; 17:6)	1 Cor. 10:3-5
26.	Lifting up serpent in wilderness (Num. 21:9)	John 3:14
27.	Fall of Jericho (Joshua 6:22-25)	Heb. 11:30
28.	Miracles of Elijah (1 Kings 17:1; 18:1)	James 5:17
29.	Jonah in the great fish (Jonah 2)	Matt. 12:40
30.	Three Hebrew youths in furnace (Dan. 3)	Heb. 11:34

31.	Daniel in lion's den (Dan. 6)	Heb. 11:33
32.	Slaying of Zechariah (1 Chron. 24:20-22)	Matt. 23:35

(A General Introduction to the Bible, Geisler & Nix, Moody Press, p. 87, 1991)

- B. Old Testament quotations:
 - 1. *"Be ye holy, for I am holy"* (Lev. 11:44; 1 Pet. 1:16).
 - 2. *"I will never leave thee nor forsake thee"* (Josh. 1:5; Heb. 13:5).
 - 3. *"Be ye angry and sin not"* (Psa. 4:4; Eph. 4:26).
 - 4. *"There is none righteous, no not one"* (Psa. 14:1; Rom. 3:10).
 - 5. "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth" (Prov. 3:12; Heb. 12:6).
 - 6. "God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes" (Isa. 25:8; Rev. 21:4).
 - 7. *"Death is swallowed up in victory"* (Hos. 13:14; 1 Cor. 15:54).
 - 8. *"I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh"* (Joel 2:28; Acts 2:17)

- 9. "Whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Joel 2:32; Rom. 10:13).
- 10. *"The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof"* (Psa. 24:1; 1 Cor.10:26).
- 11. "*My son, despise not the chastening of the Lord*" (Prov. 3:11; Heb. 12:5).
- 12. "Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord" (Psa. 118:26; Matt. 21:9).
- 13. *"Charity covereth a multitude of sins"* (Prov. 10:12; 1 Pet. 4:8).
- 14. *"How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel"* (Isa. 52:7; Rom. 10:15).