

# **New translation of the Old Testament completed**

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During NPR's *Morning Edition* on Jan. 14, host Rachel Martin interviewed Robert Alter about his newly released translation of the Hebrew Bible, a 24-year labor of love. Alter approaches the Hebrew Bible as a literary work of art and sought to translate it in a way to restore its artistry. [Click here](#) **to listen to the interview or to read a transcript on NPR.org.**