

Genesis

At-A-Glance

An Overview of the Books of the Bible

~ The Book of Genesis ~

PENMAN: MOSES (Ex 17:14) POSITION: OT - Pentateuch

PERIOD: 1400 BC +/- PLACE: Mesopotamia, Canaan, Egypt

PHASE: Patriarchal Age; 4 periods PUBLIC: Hebrews / Mankind

KEY POINT:

Beginnings (Origins / Origination): the universe; humankind; home and family; sin; Hebrew nation; scheme of redemption.

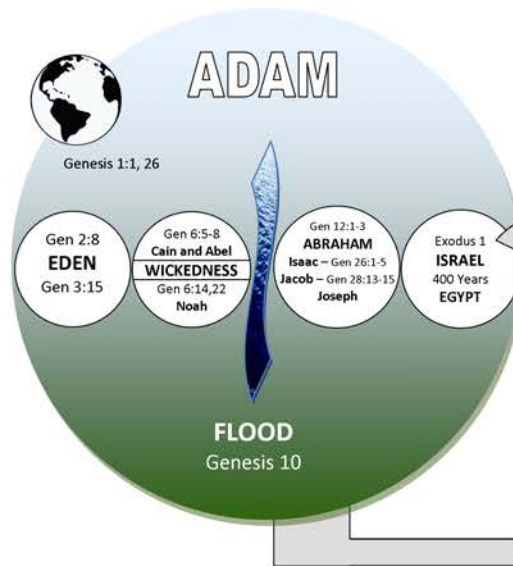
Foundation of man's relationship with God.

First revelation of the nature, work, and eternal plan of God.

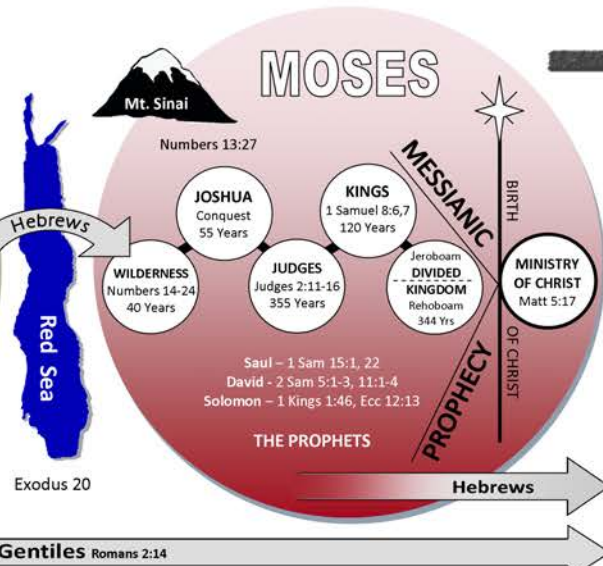
Genesis is more than history! Primary purpose: spiritual matters

1	ANTE-DILUVIAN PHASE	Creation – 2349 B.C.	Gen. 1:1 - 8:12
2	POST-DILUVIAN PHASE	- 1921 B.C.	Gen. 8:13 - 11:26
3	PATRIARCH PHASE	- 1706 B.C.	Gen. 11:26 - 46:7
4	EGYPTIAN BONDAGE	- 1491 B.C.	Gen. 46:8 - Ex. 14:31
5	WILDERNESS WANDERING	- 1450 B.C.	Ex. 15:1 - Josh. 3:17
6	CONQUEST OF CANAAN	- 1430 B.C.	Joshua 4:1 - Judges 3:9
7	THE JUDGES	- 1095 B.C.	Judges 3:10 - 1 Sam 10:17
8	UNITED KINGDOM	- 975 B.C.	1 Sam 11:1 - 1 Kings 11:43
9	DIVIDED KINGDOM	- 721 B.C.	1 Kings 12:1 - 2 Kings 17:41
10	JUDAH ALONE	- 586 B.C.	2 Kings 18:1 - 25:30
11	BABYLONIAN CAPTIVITY	- 536 B.C.	2 Chr. 36:22 - Ezra 1:4
12	THE RESTORATION	- 432 B.C.	Ezra 1:1 - Nehemiah 13:31
13	BETWEEN THE TESTAMENTS	- 5 B.C.	
14	COMING OF IMMANUEL	- 29/30 A.D.	Matthew; Mark; Luke; John
15	THE CHURCH	- Current	Acts 2:1 – Revelation 22:21

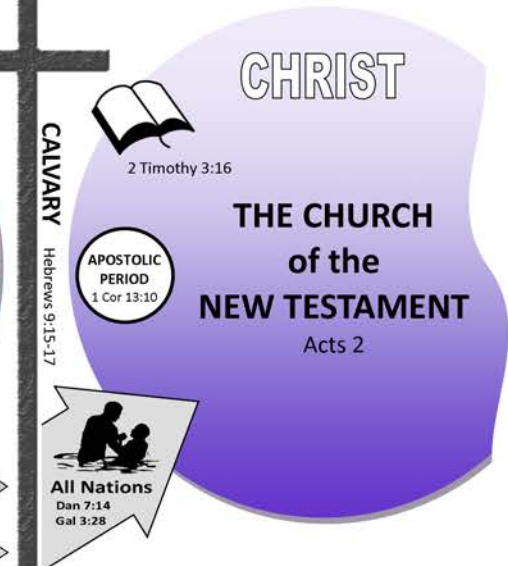
Patriarcal Age



Mosaical Age



Christian Age



God Spoke to Patriarchs
Hebrews 1:1

Animal Sacrifice

Family Religion

God Spoke Through Moses

Law Came By Moses
John 1:17

Animal Sacrifice

Passover / Sabbath
High Priest

God Speaks Through Bible

Law Was Abolished
Colossians 2:14

Law Was Schoolmaster
Galatians 3:24,25

Jesus' Sacrifice

Worship in Spirit and Truth
Grace and Truth By Christ

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- Creator (Gen 1 - Jn 1)
- Seed of Woman (3:15)
- Shiloh (49:10)

KEY PASSAGES:

1:1,26-27; 2:7,24; 3:15
12:1-3; 22:18; 49:10
Genealogies, generations

KEY PHRASES:

"In the beginning, God ...";
"God" - 200x Generations - 10x
"Covenant" - 26x

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GREAT LESSONS:

God has always had a plan for man (Seed, Abraham, Shiloh).

God does not view things the same way that we do.

He punishes evil doers.

Our emotions / feelings can be deceptive.

When sin entered the world, so did promise of a savior.

Tree of Life (2:9 + Revelation 22:14)

Adam, Cain, Noah, Abraham, Lot, Jacob, Joseph

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PRACTICAL APPLICATION (HOW DOES THIS BOOK APPLY TO ME?)

MY FAITH: Fundamental answers about ourselves

Who? Where? How? We are created spiritual beings; made in the image of God; through His sovereign, almighty power.

Why? To love and serve God; be face-to-face with Him in heaven.

These are all important foundational points for our faith.

MY ACTIONS: Fundamental parameters for behavior

Have faith in God; trust in His provision; do things as He has commanded; expect consequences for actions; learn from examples