

GENESIS OUTLINE

How the Creator Relates to Man

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I. The First Judgement Cycle - The Fall of Man and its Consequences

A. Global Focus: The Origin of Man and his fall from perfection

[Gen. 1:1 - 3:24]

1. The Creation Week
 - a) Days 1-3, Gen. 1:1 - 1:13 preparation
 - b) Days 4-7, Gen. 1:14 - 2:4a filling
(*Toledot of the universe in 2:4a*)
2. God's Provisions and Directions for Adam
[Gen. 2:4b - 2:25]
3. The Fall and its Consequences. God's first cursing of Man-on Adam and Eve and their descendents
[Gen. 3:1 - 3:24]

B. Family Focus: God deals with Adam's Descendents [Gen. 4:1 - 6:8]

1. The consequences of sin: Cain [Gen. 4:1 - 4:26]
2. Family Chronology, from Adam to the Sons of Noah
(*Adam's Toledot in 5:1a*) [Gen. 5:1 - 6:8]

II. The Second Judgement Cycle - The Flood and its Consequences

A. Global Judgement of the Ungodly [Gen. 6:9 - 8:19]

The Flood Account; God's Second Cursing of Man-on all the unrighteous
(*Noah's Toledot in 6:9*)

B. Family Focus: God deals with Noah and his sons [Gen. 8:20 - 9:29]

1. Post-Flood Commissioning and Covenant [Gen. 8:20 - 9:17]
2. Sin and the Reactions to Sin in the Sons of Noah [Gen. 9:18 - 9:29]

III. The Third Judgement Cycle - Mankind's Dispersal and God's Redemptive Plan

A. Global Focus: God scatters peoples across the world [Gen. 10:1 - 11:9]

1. Families and the Origin of Nations
(*Toledot of the sons of Noah in 10:1*) [Gen. 10:1 - 10:32]
2. Origin of the World's Languages; God's Third Curse - on organized sin
[Gen. 11:1 - 9]

B. Family Focus: God deals with Abraham and his descendants

[Gen. 11:10 - 50:26]

1. Semite Chronology, from Noah's Sons to Abram (*Shem's Toledot in 11:10, Terah's Toledot in 11:27*) [Gen. 11:10 - 11:32]
2. Abraham's call and God's covenant with him. The beginnings of God's plan of redemption. [Gen. 12:1 - 25:11]
3. Abraham's descendents; Isaac, Jacob, and Esau (*Ishmael's Toledot in 25:12, Isaac's Toledot in 25:19*) [Gen. 25:12 - 35:29]
4. Genealogical origins of unbelieving Kings from the descendants of Esau (*Esau's Toledot in 36:1*) [Gen. 36:1 - 55]
5. The descendants of Jacob and the Life of Joseph
(*Jacob's Toledot in 37:2*) [Gen. 37:1 - 50:26]