Genesis Series
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GENESIS

Book of Beginnings

- 1. El, Elohim אֱלֹהִים
- יהוָה, 2. YHWH, יהוָה
- יהוה אֱלֹהִים, 27 YHWH Elohim, יְהוָה אֱלֹהִים! Lord God.
- 4. Lord God Most High, *El Elyon* וֹאָל עָלְיוֹן,
- 5. "Possessor of Heaven and earth," קֹנֵה שָׁמִיִם וָאָרֶץ

Psa. 47:2 For the LORD Most High is to be feared, A great King over all the earth.

Psa. 97:9 For Thou art the LORD Most High over all the earth; Thou art exalted far above all gods.

Psa. 91:1 He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High Will abide in the shadow of the Almighty [Shaddai].

Psa. 91:9 For you have made the LORD, my refuge, Even the Most High, your dwelling place.

Psa. 78:35 And they remembered that God was their rock, And the Most High God their Redeemer.

- 5. El Rai, Gen. 16:13, God Who Sees, אָל רַאִי,
- 6. El Shaddai, אל שַׁדִּי Gen. 17:1; 35:11; God the Almighty.
- 7. El 'Olam, אל עוֹלם
- 8. YHWH Yereh, or Jehovah Jireh, וְהוָה.
- 9. YHWH the God of the heavens, אָליהי השָׁמִים אַליהי השָׁמִים Yhwh Elohim Hashamayim, Gen 24:7;

10. El Elohe Israel, אֵל אֱלוֹהֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל God, the God of Israel.

11. Ro'h, 'eben Israel, רֹעָה אֶבֶן יִשְׂרָאֵל

a. He is eternally existing, distinct from the creation (1:1)

b. He interacts with man, He speaks, sees, hears, rests, etc. Gen. 1, 2, 3, 17, 18

c. He creates mankind as a reflector of Himself, Gen. 1

d. He enters into the human arena with a human form and human acts, 12, 18, 32

e. He reveals Himself.

1. He is called the "Most High" God

2. He is the Creator of everything

3. He names some things and individuals and determines the limits, boundaries, nature.

4. God sets forth mandates and prohibitions for all things.

5. God brings about judgment in the curse of sin, the flood, and at Babel (3, 6-8, 11); Sodom (18-20).

 God prophesies the future, indicating His control of human history, 15, 46

7. He dispossesses people of property, He gives Canaan to His people, 12, 17

8. He promises Kings to Sarah, 17

9. He controls peoples dreams, Abraham's, Gen. 15; Jacob's, 28, 31, Joseph's, 37, 40-41

10. He establishes and removes people in political power; 41

11.He tests people, 22

12. He rules over nations, economics, and life, 40-41

13.He chooses whom He will bless.

1. He creates the heavens and the earth

2. He creates mankind

3. He prevents Enoch from dying

4. He controls the time, duration, and extent of the Flood

5. He protects Abraham, 15

6. He controls the womb, opening and closing the womb. 20, 21, 25, 30

7. He controls fertility of the flocks, 30

8. He cripples Jacob with a touch, 32

1. He punishes disobedience with death

2. He announces the judgment or curse for sin

3. He punishes Cain for murder

4. He destroys the earth because man is evil

5. He scatters the nations because of their rebellion

6. He curses and blesses people due to how they treat Abraham's seed.

7. He refuses to judge the innocent along with the guilty.

8. He treats the Kings of the earth justly, Abimelech when Abraham tells him Sarah is his sister.

9. He protects and vindicates His people, Rachel, Leah, Jacob in his work for Laban.

10.He made things right for Joseph.

1. He provides everything for mankind in the perfect environment of the Garden.

2. He provides covering for sinners despite their disobedience and salvation and life for mankind.

3. He protected Cain from avengers.

4. He gave grace to Noah and the earth.

5. He remembered Noah, 8, and Abraham, 19

6. He provided water and protection in the wilderness for Hagar, 16, 21

7. He preserved the righteous in the covenant, 19

8. He intervened when humans failed, 12, 20, 26

9. He freely established His covenant and blessed deceptive Jacob, 28

10.He sent angels to watch over and protect Jacob, 28, 32

11. He gave prosperity to Jacob, 33

12. He blessed Egypt with the future knowledge of the famine and provided Joseph to lead them through the crisis, 39ff.

1. Man is created with a mortal body formed from the dust of the earth.

2. Man's immaterial nature comes directly from the breath of God.

3. Human Life = Biological Life + Soul Life

4. Man is in the image of God, which refers to function, fellowship, service, obedience and administration.

5. The man and the woman are to complement each other.

6. Man is created perfect but his disobedience destroys that perfection and brings horrendous consequences upon himself and the universe

7. Man how has a disposition toward evil, rebellion, self sufficiency and autonomy.

8. Mankind is in desperate need of a savior.