

The Book of Genesis – Book of Beginnings – Man’s Dominion, Fall, and Future Seed

Creation – multiply and fill the earth (1:28)		New Creation – multiply and fill the earth (9:1, 7)							
Generations	In the Beginning	Generations of heaven & earth	Generations of Adam	Generations of Noah	Generations – Sons of Noah	Generations of Shem	Generations of Terah (also Abram)	Generations of Ishmael and Isaac	Generations of Esau and Jacob
	1:1-2:3	2:4-4:26	5:1-6:8	6:9-9:29	10:1-11:9	11:10-26	11:27-25:11	25:12-35:29	36:1-50:26
Land/Ground/Earth	1:9-10	2:7; 3:17-23, 4:2, 10, 12	5:29	7:22-23; 8:8, 13, 21	10:10; 11:2, 4, 8		11:28, 31; 12:7, 10; 13:10, 15, 17; 15:18; 17:8; 22:2; 24:7	26:2-3; 28:4, 13, 15; 31:3, 13; 33:18; 35:12	37:1; 41:29-30, 41; 42:5; 45:10; 48:3, 21; 50:24-26
Curses		3:14-20; 4:11-12	5:29	8:21, 9:25			12:3	27:12-13, 29	49:7
Coverings, Deception, Evidence		3:1, 7-8, 21, 4:9-10		7:1, 19-20; 8:13; 9:23			12:11-13; 18:15; 20:2, 16; 24:65	26:7; 27:15-16, 19, 24, 35; 29:25; 31:7, 34-35; 34:14-15	37:31-33; 38:14-15, 19; 39:15-18; 41:14, 42; 45:22
Promises		3:15		6:18; 8:21; 9:11-17			12:2-3, 7; 13:16-17; 15:18; 16:10; 17:2-8, 16-20; 18:32; 21:18; 22:17; 24:3, 7	26:3-4; 28:4, 13-15; 31:3; 35:12	46:3-4; 48:3-4; 50:24
Seed (3:15)	Adam	Seth	Noah	Shem	Terah	Abram	Isaac	Jacob	Judah
2 nd Born		Abel		Shem		Abram ¹	Isaac	Jacob	
Dealing With	Individual men						A family – to become a nation		
Direction	Eastward journey – departure from God						Westward journey – approach to God		
God Speaks	The race of the first man (Adam)			The race of the first man judged – starting over			Covenant (Promise; 12:2-3)		
	Creation Command	Conscience	Control (Government)			Beersheba (21:33; 26:23-24; 28:10-15; 46:1-5)			
Creation	1st Creation Review	2nd Creation Review	3rd Creation Review		Family Chosen for Seed – Justification by Faith – Family from the Gentiles		Blessed – Birth, Growth – 12 Sons	Blessing – Make a Nation – Israelites	
Day 1 – light – day and night (Jn. 11:7-10; 8:12; 12:36) Day 2 – atmosphere – heaven Day 3 – dry land and vegetation Day 4 – sun, moon, stars Day 5 – fish, birds Day 6 – animals and man	Creation – heavens and earth in six days. Created and maintained by God’s word – God said (1:3, 6, 9, 11, 14, 20, 24, 26. Seventh day God rested – creating is done – 7th day no end – development. Pinnacle of God’s creation – dependent man – In God’s image & likeness. Ref: Jn. 1:1-3; Ac. 17:24-26; Co. 1:16; He. 11:3.	Adam from dust of ground. Adam and his bride (Eve). Dominion in productive land. Order – God, man, beast. Man’s Sin – independent of God. Satan enters; death enters; loses dominion, tree of life; gains conscience. Order – beast, man, God. Curse and coverings. Adam has 2 sons, Cain – wrong sacrifice and slays Abel and goes east. What about seed? Seth replaces Abel. Is. 55:6-9; Ro. 8:7-8, 19-23; 1 Co.15:45-49; He. 2:8-9; 11:4.	Man – 10 generations – All died – Enoch translated. Saving of Body (flesh) and spirit. Man’s sin – unholy relationships. What about the seed? Man’s sin – evil continually. God to eliminate man from the earth. What about the seed? Man limited to 120 years. 1 Co. 15:51-57; 1 Th. 4:13-17; He. 11:5	Noah has 3 sons. Noah builds ark. Preserved through judgment. Flood removes flesh from earth. Noah exits onto new earth – by a dove. Be fruitful and multiply. God provides a new way of living (government). Noah builds altar. God makes covenant with Noah – rainbow – no flood (fire in future). Noah sins – a covering. Mt. 24:36-39; Ro. 6:3-4; Ga. 6:7-9; He. 11:7; 1 Pe. 3:18-22; 2 Pe. 2:5, 3:3-10.	Man’s Sin – idolatry – independent of God. Babel (Shinar) – confusion – many languages. Peoples scattered. Shem’s lineage leads to the 3 sons of Terah – Haran, Abram, and Nahor. Abram and his bride (Sarai). Called to leave all (by faith) Ur to Canaan. Promise by God of seed, blessed, and a blessing. Goes part way to Haran. Terah dies then journeys to Shechem (altar); Bethel (altar). Famine – goes to Egypt – denies wife – no altar. Return to Bethel. Egypt effects – substance, eyes, Hagar. Lot goes east to Sodom. Abram goes to Hebron (altar). Lot rescued and Abram (gives of spoils) meets Melchizedek (blesses). God possessor of heaven and earth. Abram takes nothing – lives matter. Name changes. Abraham has 2 sons. Sarah gives Hagar to Abraham. Birth of Ishmael. What about seed? Ishmael gets a wife from Egypt. Circumcision as a sign of connection to Abraham. Abraham was visited by the Lord. Sodom and Gomorrah destroyed – Lot rescued but desires to stay nearby. Abraham at Gerar gives wife to the Philistines. What about the seed? Isaac is born and Ishmael mocks him and is put out. Sacrifice of Isaac and substitute. Abraham at Beersheba. Sarah dies and is buried in purchased field. Servant finds a bride for Isaac. Isaac and his bride (Rebekah). Abraham marries Keturah and has children. Abraham dies and is buried with Sarah. Mt. 8:19-20; Mk. 12:26; Jn. 16:14-15; Ro. 3:1-12; 4:1-6, 9-13; 5:1; 8:1, 10-16; 11:8-11; 1 Co. 3:11-15; Ga. 3:10, 15-19, 26-29, 4:21-31, 5:1-6, 16-17; Ep. 1:14; 4:17-24; 5:26-27; Co. 2:11-12; He. 6:13-20, 7:1-10, 11:8-11, 17-19; Ja. 2:21-24; 2 Pe. 2:7-8.	Isaac has 2 sons – Esau and Jacob. Isaac told not to go to Egypt. Esau sells birthright. Promise given. Famine – no Egypt. Isaac denies wife. Jacob receives blessing by deception. Sent away east to Ur. Serves Laban 20 years and receives 2 wives (1 by deception). Jacob and his bride (Rachel). Jacob journeys back to Shechem (meets Esau on way). Dinah sees land and is subdued. Jacob’s sons use religion to deceive Shechem. Returns to Bethel (idols removed), then Eder, then Hebron. Jacob has 12 sons. Dt. 31:6; Js. 1:5; Ps. 27:9; 37:28; Jn. 1:47-51; He. 13:5-6.	Joseph sold by his brothers to Gentiles in Egypt. Judah in the world has 2 sons by Tamar. Joseph in prison via Potiphar. Joseph is exalted in Egypt after interpreting dream. Joseph and his wife (Asenath). Joseph has 2 sons. Famine in the land. Jacob sends sons to Egypt and after testing reconciled to Joseph. Jacob and his sons move to Egypt. Jacob blesses Joseph’s sons and become his. Jacob buried in Canaan. Joseph dies and is placed in coffin. Ru. 4:11-12; 18-22; 1 Ch. 5:1; Is. 49:17-23; Ze. 12:10; Mt. 1:1-3; 2:18; Ac. 2:23-24; 1 Co. 4:2; Ph. 2:6-7; He. 11:13; Ja. 1:17; 1 Pe. 2:21-24		
Part of Pentateuch (Five Volumes – The Law – One Book) Author: Moses (Ex. 24:4; 34:27; Dt. 31:24-26; Js. 1:7-8; 8:30-31; Lk. 24:44; Jn. 1:17; 5:46-47; 2 Co. 3:14-15) Date: 1445 BC – (1 Ki. 6:1; Jg. 11:26) Audience: Hebrews Genre: Historical Purpose: Create a free race of man, having earthly dominion, to stand before him in love (Ep. 1:4).									

¹Terah had first child at 70 (11:26) and had Abram at 130 (11:32;12:4) and Haran is already dead (11:28) making it possible that the order is Haran, Abram, and Nahor.