

THE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM

WEEK 1 – Genesis 1-6 & Matthew 1-2

WEEK 1 – ANSWERS

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others

2. **Monday** –

1) Genesis 1 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Who moved upon the face of the waters? (the Spirit of God, vs. 2)
- b) What divided the waters from the waters? (the firmament, vs. 6)
- c) What was the firmament? (Heaven, vs. 8)
- d) The text refers to the “seed in itself” and to things producing after their (kind)?
- e) God created the Sun before or after the vegetation? (after, vs. 16)
- f) What does this show about the “theory” of evolution? (it is false as plants could not live “millions of years” before sun created as taught in false theories like gap theory, etc.)
- g) Regarding the creation, the text repeats several times that God saw it as (good, vs. 12)?

2) Matthew 1 – Read Only

3. **Tuesday** –

1) Genesis 2 – Read & Answer Below

- a) After the creation week, the text says that the heavens and earth were (finished, vs. 1)?
- b) In reference to God “resting,” doesn’t the text say God (ended, vs. 2) His work?
- c) Genesis 2:4 says clearly that (the Lord God) made the earth and the heavens.
- d) Did God make man from apes or from the dust of the ground? (dust of the ground, vs. 7)
- e) What was the land/garden referred to as? (Eden, vs. 8, 10)
- f) What was man commissioned to do in the garden? (to dress it and keep it, vs. 15)
- g) What was the first man’s name? (Adam, vs. 19)
- h) Who named the animals? (Adam, vs. 19)
- i) What was woman made from? (rib of Adam, vs. 22)
- j) What section of this chapter addresses the sacred union of marriage? (vs. 21-25)

2) Matthew 1 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What three individuals are mentioned in Matthew 1:1? (Jesus, David, Abraham, vs. 1)
- b) What number is mentioned several times in Matthew 1:17? (fourteen, vs. 17)
- c) Mary was with child (before, vs. 18) they (Mary/Joseph) came together.
- d) The text says the child was (of) the (Holy Ghost, vs. 18).
- e) The angel of the Lord said what in Matthew 1:20-21? (The child is of the Holy Spirit, He shall be called Jesus, He shall save people from sin).
- f) What is the name given to Mary’s child? (Jesus, vs. 21)

- g) What was the purpose of Jesus coming? (To save us from sin, vs. 21)
- h) Was Mary a virgin when she birthed Jesus? (yes, vs. 23)
- i) What does Emmanuel mean? (God with us, vs. 23)
- j) When did Joseph “know” his wife? (After Jesus was born, vs. 25)

4. Wednesday –

1) Genesis 3 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Did the woman understand what God had commanded? (Yes, vs. 2-3)
- b) What are the three forms of temptation mentioned in Genesis 3:6? (Lust of flesh [good for food], lust of eyes [pleasant to the eyes], pride of life [a tree to be desired to make one wise]; cf. 1 John 2:15-17)
- c) Were the clothes they devised for themselves suitable to God? Why not? (No, Because they had to change into clothes that God viewed as appropriate, vs. 7, 21)
- d) What were the excuses made when confronted with sin? (Blamed others, vs. 12f)
- e) What were the punishments given by God to each party? (Woman – increased pain/sorrow in childbirth and under husband’s rule; Man – Breadwinner/To work and provide even though ground was cursed; Both – Cast out of the garden; Satan – Would be crushed by one who would come through woman’s seed (Christ))
- f) What is the significance of Genesis 3:15? (Obviously veiled prophecy of Christ; Cf., Genesis 12:1ff, 49:10)
- g) What does Genesis 3:20 do to the “theory” of evolution? (Shows it is false as Eve was the “mother of all living.” Mankind came through Adam/Eve, not apes)
- h) What does Genesis 3:20 do to the false concept of racism? (If Eve was the mother of “all” living, then we are all relatives in a distant way and thus all equal)
- i) What can we know about Genesis 3:7, in light of Genesis 3:21? (Some clothing is still considered nakedness by God. God has an acceptable and an unacceptable standard of clothing and He expects men and women to “change their clothes” to the modest/acceptable type. Of interest – Study the Hebrew terms and background of Genesis 3:21 and you will find a garment from the shoulders to the knees).
- j) What does Genesis 3:24 describe? (Them being cast out of the garden due to their sin)

2) Matthew 1 – Read & Word Study/Research

- a) In brief, what is the significance of David and Abraham in Bible History? (Much can be studied in Bible dictionaries, etc., but both were prominent in the lineage of Christ)
- b) What does Jesus mean? (Savior) What does Christ mean? (Anointed; references the Messiah)
- c) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 1:23? (Isaiah 7:14)
- d) What false Catholic doctrine does Matthew 1:25 refute? (The false doctrine of the Perpetual Virginity of Mary; After Jesus was born the Bible says that Joseph then knew his wife and it also says that Jesus had brothers/sisters (actually ½ brothers/sisters) thus showing that Mary was not a perpetual virgin)

5. **Thursday** –

1) Genesis 4 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What 4 people are referenced in the first few verses of [this](#) chapter? (Adam, Eve, Cain, Abel)
- b) Will God accept any type of worship as long as it is sincere? (No, vs. 4)
- c) What did Cain do to Abel? Why? (Murdered him; Jealous of Abel's righteousness and acceptance by God, vs. 5f (Cf., 1 John 3:12))
- d) What happened to Cain after his crime? (Ground cursed; Vagabond, vs. 11f)
- e) Who had two wives? What were their names? (Lamech; Adah and Zilah, vs. 19)
- f) Who is born to Adam and Eve in Genesis 4:25? (Seth)
- g) What is the significance of Genesis 4:26? (Lineage of Christ; Righteousness of Seth's lineage)

2) Matthew 2 – Read Only

6. **Friday** –

1) Genesis 5 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Man was created in the likeness of (God, vs. 1)?
- b) Did God create male and female? What verse tells about this action? (Yes, vs. 2)
- c) After mentioning the lineage of Adam, Seth, etc. the text says, “and he (died, vs. 5f)?”
- d) Who walked with God and did not see physical death? (Enoch, vs. 24)
- e) Who was the oldest man mentioned in the text? How old did he live to be? (Methuselah, 969 years old, vs. 27)
- f) Who was the last person mentioned in the chapter? (Technically, Japheth (but as the next question shows, I was thinking about Noah, vs. 32)
- g) What were the names of his sons? (Shem, Ham, Japheth, vs. 32)

2) Matthew 2 – Read & Answer Below

- a) In what city was Jesus born? (Bethlehem, vs. 1)
- b) Who came from the east to worship Jesus? How many were there? (Wisemen; It doesn't say, vs. 1)
- c) When the wise men reached Jesus was he in a manger? (No, He was in a house, vs. 11)
- d) Joseph warned to flee into (Egypt, vs. 13)?
- e) How is he warned? (In a dream, vs. 13)
- f) What did Herod do when the wise men did not return? (Became exceedingly wroth (angry) and had 2 year olds murdered in/around Bethlehem, vs. 16)
- g) After returning from Egypt, where did the family of Jesus live? (Nazareth, vs. 23)

7. **Saturday** –

1) Genesis 6 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What does Genesis 6:5, 11-13 show about man's moral condition at this time? (Corrupt, filled with violence, evil continually)
- b) What was God going to do about man's sin/wickedness? (destroy them, vs. 7)

- c) Who found grace in God's eyes? Why did this individual find favor? (Noah, [Because he was just/righteous and obeyed God, vs. 8-9](#))
- d) What was Noah to make? Did God give a pattern for the vessel? (Ark; Yes, vs. [14-15](#))
- e) What was God going to establish with Noah? ([His covenant, vs. 18](#))
- f) Where were Noah and his family to go for salvation from the flood? ([Into the Ark, vs. 18](#))
- g) Was food gathered for all the passengers of the Ark? ([Yes, vs. 21](#))
- h) Did Noah obey God? What verse gives the answer to this question? ([Yes, vs. 22](#))

2) Matthew 2 – Read & Word Study/Research

- a) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 2:6? ([Micah 5:2](#))
- b) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 2:15? ([Hosea 11:1](#))
- c) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 2:18? ([Jeremiah 31:15](#))
- d) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 2:23? ([Isaiah 11:1 – Research the meaning of Nazareth and concept of Jesus being “the branch”](#))
- e) Who was the Herod mentioned in Matthew 2:1 as compared with 2:22? (2:1 – [Herod the Great \(dad\) – Ruled a territory under Roman control; Very Cruel; 2:22 – One of Herod's \(see above\) sons. Barnes shows Archelaus as son of the 4th wife \(Malthace\) and says he was banished by Augustus; For information on both \(and all Herods\) see commentaries like Barnes Notes, McGarvey, Zerr, Bible Dictionaries, etc.—or better yet, reference Josephus and his writings](#))