

Christ in Genesis (Who is Jesus?) Study 2022

Week One: Genesis 1 and 2 – Jesus as *Creator*

1. Compare Genesis 1:1 and John 1:1-5
2. What is the difference when thinking of God creating the heavens and the earth compared to Jesus creating them?
3. What does Word mean in the Greek?
4. How is Jesus as creator expressed in this Greek meaning?

Week Two: Genesis 3 – Jesus as the *Vision of Prophecy*

1. Read Revelation 19:10, 13:8, Genesis 3:14-15 and Hebrews 2:14
2. Satan has brought about the death, and therefore destruction, of humanity. How does this reinforce the importance of Christ being the *only* focus of prophecy?

Week Three: Genesis 5:28 to Genesis 9 – Jesus as *Noah* OR Noah as *Jesus*?

1. Read Genesis 5:28-29, 6:7-8, 18, 7:5, 8:1
2. How is Christ expressed in these verses about Noah?
3. In Genesis 9:1, Noah is blessed, multiplied and the source of replenishment of a previously wicked earth. How is this like the Christian life?

Week Four: Genesis 12:1 to Genesis 25:18 – Jesus the *Journeyman*

1. In Genesis 12:1 Abraham begins a life-long journey. Read John 1:10-13. How is this like Abraham?
2. Read Genesis 12:9, 13:3, 20:1 and Hebrews 11:9-10
3. Can you find the word journey in John 4? Where did the inspiration for this journey come from? (See John 4:4 and 4:32). Link this to verses above.

Week Five: Genesis 25:19 to Genesis 28:9 – Jesus the *Wealthy*

1. Read Genesis 25:5, 26:12-16
2. How much wealth did Isaac receive from Abraham?
3. Read Matthew 4:8-10. Jesus is offered the “glory of this world.” Then read John 13:3. How is the devil’s offer lacking?

Week Six: Genesis 28:10 to 36:43 – Jesus the *Strongman*

1. Read Genesis 28:10-17 and John 1:51
2. How is Jacob’s dream a source of strength?
3. Read Genesis 32:28. Jacob wrestles for blessing, how did Jesus wrestle for our blessing (see Hebrews 12:4)?

Weeks Seven through Nine: Genesis 37:1 to Genesis 50:26 – Jesus the *Lifeline*

1. Read 2 Kings 6:6
2. Taking the above verse to mean the pulling to surface something that was sunk, investigate the verses from Genesis 37:1 to the end of the book and find things about Joseph that remind us of how the Lord has rescued us when we were all but gone, just as Joseph’s family was destined for starvation without him.