

THE GREAT EXCHANGE

Good Friday

April 3rd 7-8pm

Easter Services

April 4th 6:30pm April 5th 9am

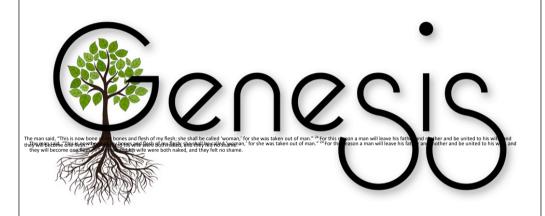
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What Genesis tells us about God and life.

The Lord observed the extent of human wickedness on the earth, and he saw that everything they thought or imagined was consistently and totally evil. ...11 Now God saw that the earth had become corrupt and was filled with violence. 12 God observed all this corruption in the world, for everyone on earth was corrupt. Genesis 6:5,11

"Then God blessed Noah and his sons, saying to them, 'Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the earth.' "Genesis 9:1

2 The fear and dread of you will fall on all the beasts of the earth, and on all the birds in the sky, on every creature that moves along the ground, and on all the fish in the sea; they are given into your hands. 3 Everything that lives and moves about will be food for you. Just as I gave you the green plants, I now give you everything. Genesis 9:2,3

¹² And God said, "This is the sign of the covenant I am making between me and you and every living creature with you, a covenant for all generations to come: "16 Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth." 17 So God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant I have established between me and all life on the earth."

Genesis 9:12,16,17

"I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant between me and the earth." Genesis 9:13



For all creation is waiting eagerly for that future day when God will reveal who his children really are. 20 Against its will, all creation was subjected to God's curse. But with eager hope, 21 the creation looks forward to the day when it will join God's children in glorious freedom from death and decay. Romans 8:19-21

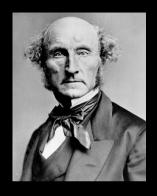
"And for your lifeblood I will surely demand an accounting. I will demand an accounting from every animal. And from each man, too, I will demand an accounting for the life of his fellow man. Whoever sheds the blood of man, by man shall his blood be shed; for in the image of God has God made man." Genesis 9:5,6





Declaration of Independence-2nd Paragraph

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.--That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.



John Stuart Mill 18th Century Positive law theorist

"The greatest good for the greatest number."



"The Lord commands all men without exception 'to do good.' Yet the great part of them are most unworthy if they be judged by their own merit. But here Scripture helps in the best way ... whatever man you meet who needs your aid. you have no reason to refuse to help him. ... Say. 'He is contemptible and worthless'; but the Lord shows him to be one to whom he has agreed to give the beauty of his image. You will say, 'He has deserved something far different of me.' ... It is that we remember not to consider men's evil John Calvin intention but to look upon the image of God in them, which cancels and effaces their transgressions, and with its beauty and dignity allures us to love and embrace them."





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vs 15 Never again will the waters become a flood to destroy all life.



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