The Days of Creation, Lesson 4

The First Day

- I. The First Day and Genesis 1:3-5
  - A. Sequence:
  - **B. Separation:**
  - C. Sovereignty:
- II. The First Day and the Gospel of John
  - A. Signs & the Creator of the World
  - B. Sins & the Author of the Law

- III. The First Day and the Passion Week (Warren Austin Gage, The Gospel of Genesis, p. 22)
  - A. Light of the World approaches temple from direction of the eastern sunrise.

- B. During the week, He speaks the Word of God daily.
- C. His speaking addresses the religious and political leaders who represent the darkness of the original creation. (John 1:5, 13:30)
- D. On the 6<sup>th</sup> day, the Word surveyed His redemptive work and pronounced it "finished", (John 19:31).

"Thus is the old creation redemptively reenacted in the new creation."

- IV. The First Day and Applications for Today
  - A. Believing the Light
  - **B.** Walking in the Light
  - C. Living as Lights

#### Welcome to The Days of Creation

Today: September 22, 2019

Day 1: The Creation of Light

# The 1st Day & Gen 1:3-5

- Sequence: Light precedes instruments/channels of light.
- Separation: God "divides". Foretaste of law.
- Sovereignty: God names.

### The 1st Day & John's Gospel

- Signs & the Creator of the World
- Sins & the Author of the Law

# Writing of the Law

Exodus 31 & 34: Tablets

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 Tablet #1: Ex 31:18 "with His finger"

 Tablet #2: Ex 34:38 "He wrote" John 8:1-12

 1<sup>st</sup> writing: Jn 8:6 "with His finger"

 2<sup>nd</sup> writing: Jn 8:8, "He wrote"

#### The 1<sup>st</sup> Day & the Passion Week Warren Austin Gage

- Light approaches temple from the east
- Light speaks the Word of God daily
- Light speaks against spiritual darkness
- Light "finishes" work

### The 1st Day & Applications for Today

- Believing the Light for eternal life
- Walking in the Light for present experience of eternal life
- Living as instruments/channels of Light