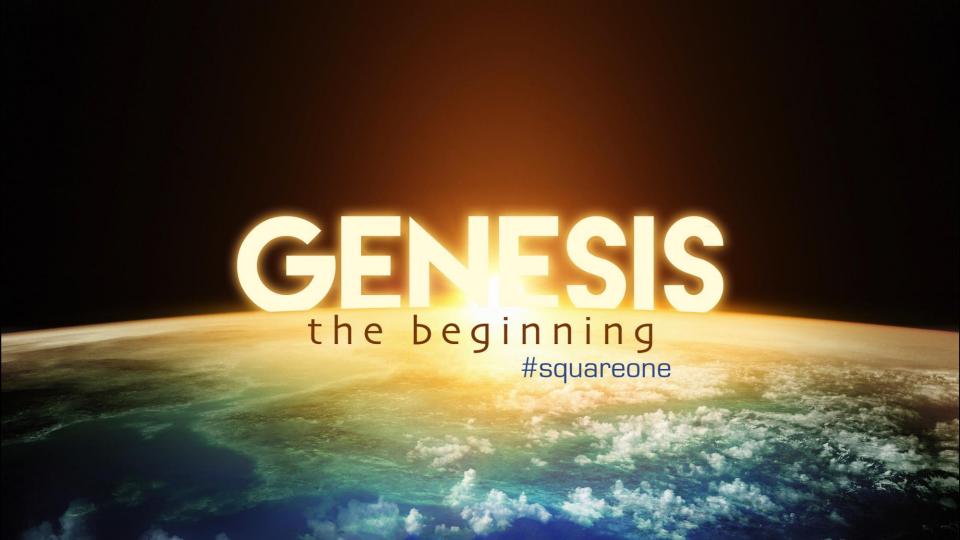
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TODAY'S SCRIPTURES

Genesis 9:1-17

1st Timothy 4 (pg.652) Romans 13 (pg.626) Jeremiah 31 (pg.435)

"The Covenant" GENESIS 9:1-17

COVENANT

- A coming together,
- A lifelong friendship,
- A treaty,
- A cutting in half



COVENANT

- God & Abraham (Gen 15)
- Abraham & Abimelech (Gen 21)
- Isaac & Abimelech (Gen 26)
- Jacob & Laban (Gen 31)
- God & Moses (Ex 19)

- God & Aaron (Ex 28)
- Jonathan & David (1Sam 18)
- God & David (2Sam 7)
- Solomon & King Tyre (1King 15)
- Husband & Wife (Prov 2)

COVENANT

LATIN = "con venire"

"TO COME TOGETHER"

"Understand that I am confirming My covenant with you..."

GENESIS 9:9

GENESIS 9:1a (pg. 4)

Covenants Are Based On Blessings From Both Parties.

NOAHIC COVENANT



GENESIS 9:1b (pg. 4)

"God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful, multiply, fill the earth, and subdue it. Rule the fish of the sea, the birds of the sky, and every creature that crawls on the earth."

GENESIS 1:28-29

NOAHIC COVENANT

- 1. Different Diet
- 2. New Discipline
- 3. Direction for Gov't



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GENESIS 9:2-3 (pg. 4)

"...every living creature to be food for you..."

GENESIS 9:3



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1ST TIMOTHY 4:1-5 (pg. 652)

GENESIS 9:4 (pg. 4)

"And the LORD God commanded the man, "You are free to eat from any tree of the garden, but you must not eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil..."

GENESIS 2:16-17



BLOOD?

1. Blood is very quick to spoil



BLOOD?

- 1. Blood is very quick to spoil
- 2. Ferocious and Cannibalistic Customs

"A righteous man has regard for the life of his animal, But even the compassion of the wicked is cruel."

PROVERBS 12:14

GENESIS 9:5-7 (pg. 4)



KILLING VS. MURDER

Murder – Death 15 yrs Rape – 15 yrs 5 yrs Shoplifting – 10 yrs 6 mos

DOES CRIME PAY?

ROMANS 13:3-4 (pg. 626)

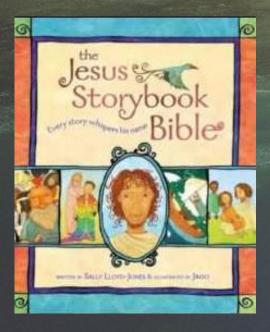
"Humanity is required to deal with murder with great severity because, man being made in God's image; the murder of a man is ultimately a strike at God Himself."

ANONYMOUS

GENESIS 9:8-17 (pg. 4)









And there, in the clouds — just where the storm meets the sun — was a beautiful bow made of light.

It was a new beginning in God's world.

It wasn't long before everything went wrong again but God wasn't surprised, he knew this would happen. That's why, before the beginning of time, he had another plan — a better plan. A plan not to destroy the world, but to rescue it — a plan to one day send his own Son, the Rescuer.

God's strong anger against hate and sadness and death would come down once more — but not on his people, or his world. No, God's war bow was not pointing down at his people.

It was pointing up, into the heart of Heaven.

JEREMIAH 31:31-34 (pg. 435)

"NEW?"

"to what was there before but appears in another form"



"NEW?"







