

A background image featuring a sailboat on a green sea under a yellow sky. The text is overlaid on this scene.

WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD

YOU'RE HERE

GENESIS

the beginning

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TODAY'S SCRIPTURES

GENESIS 1:24-31

Galatians 5 (pg642)

“IMAGO DEI”

GENESIS 1:24-31

An aerial photograph of a forest with a path leading to a clearing. The path is a light-colored, sandy or dirt trail that curves through the dense green trees. The clearing at the end of the path is a bright, open area. The overall scene is captured from a high angle, looking down on the forest.

PLAY EYE OF TIGER
1:26-1:45

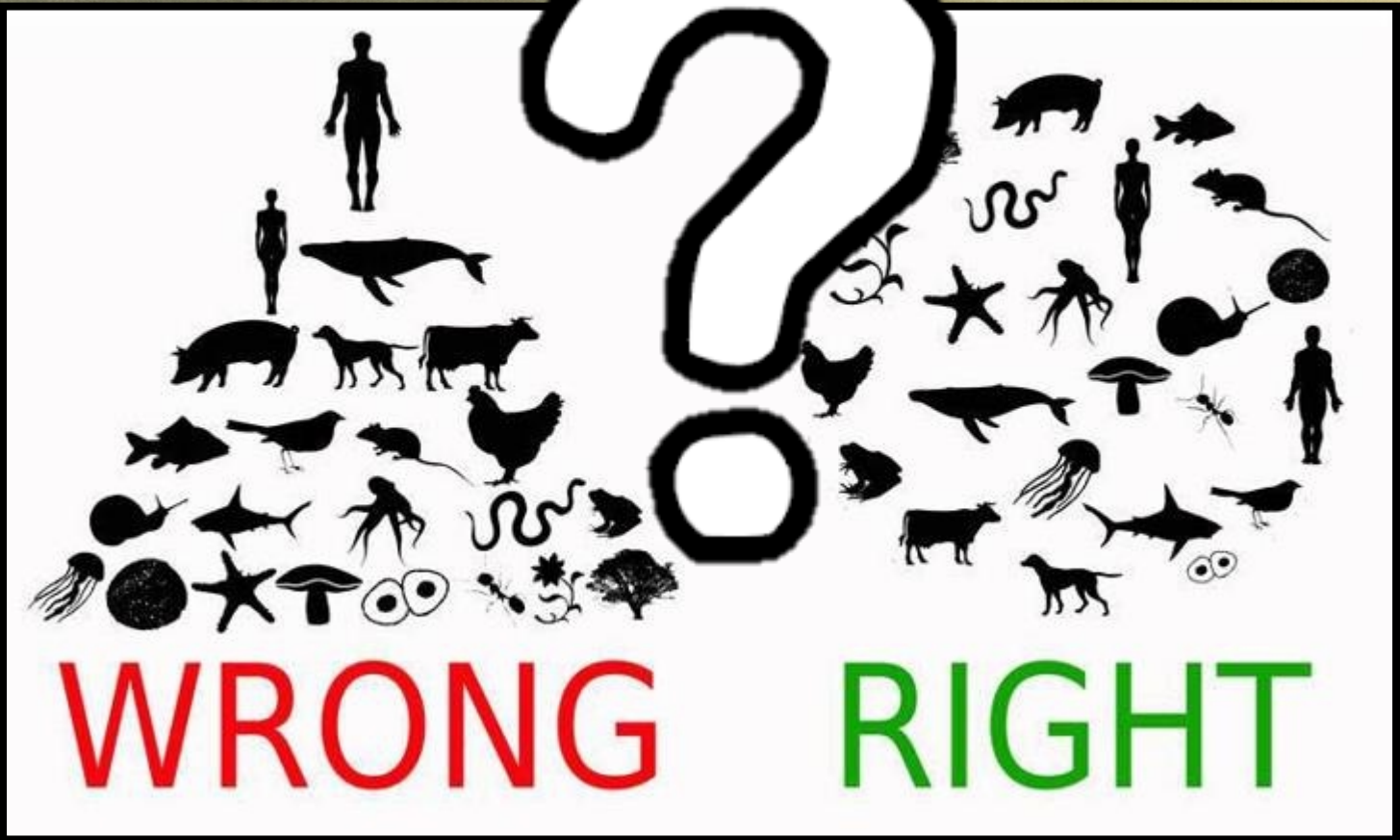




GENESIS 1:24-25

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WRONG

RIGHT

God said let it be
Then there was
It was good
Day...

A Pattern...



GENESIS 1:26

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"Let Us" - Defining Tone

"In Our Image" - Higher Standard

"Will Rule" - Unique Role

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“GOD”

“*EI*” – Singular Form

“*Elah*” – Dual Tense

“*Elohim*” – Three or More

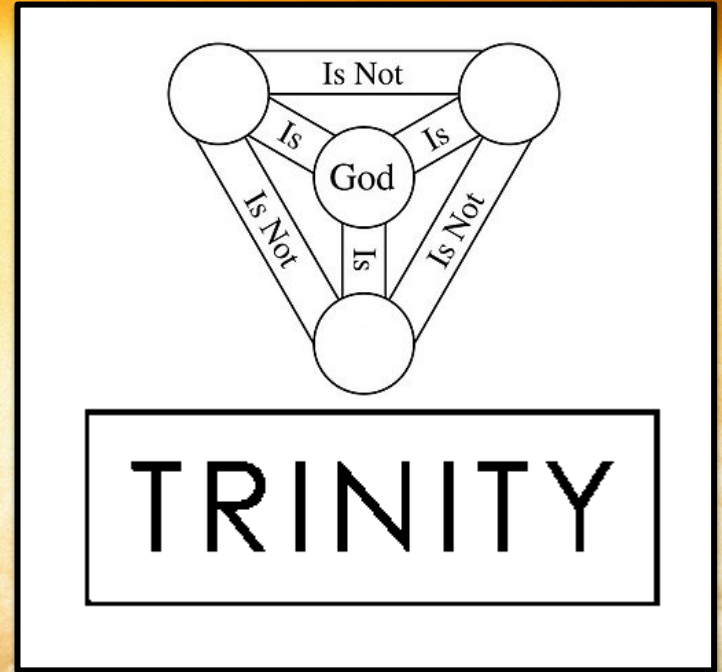


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Image of god?

*Choose
Like God*

*Grow To Fully
Know God*



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"Then the LORD God formed the man out of the dust from the ground and breathed the breath of life into his nostrils, and the man became a living soul. (Genesis 2:7)

That living soul contains a conscience—an innate knowledge of right and wrong—and the ability to make moral choices apart from the survival instinct. We humans have the ability to choose obedience to God's moral law. Animals do not have an immortal soul created in God's image. Although they can choose obedience, it is usually due to external motivators such as treats and training. Animals do not have the law of God imprinted upon their hearts and therefore cannot transgress it.

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*"For those whom he foreknew he also predestined
to be conformed to the image of his Son..."*

(Rom. 8:29)

*"...you put on the new self, the one created according to God's likeness **IN RIGHTEOUSNESS** and purity of the truth."*

(Eph 4:24)

*"...beholding the glory of the Lord, [we] are being changed into His likeness from one degree **OF GLORY** to another..."*

(2 Corinthians 3:18)

*"...and have put on the new nature, which is being renewed **IN KNOWLEDGE** after the image of its creator."*

(Colossians 3:10)

MAN IS
DIFFERENT



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Genesis 1:26

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DIFFERENT



“The Imago Dei in man is that which constitutes him as “he-whom-God-loves.”

JOHN PIPER



GENESIS 1:27-31

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COMMANDS

1. Be Fruitful
2. Multiply
3. Fill The Earth
4. Subdue It

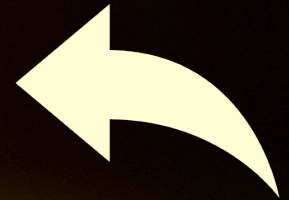
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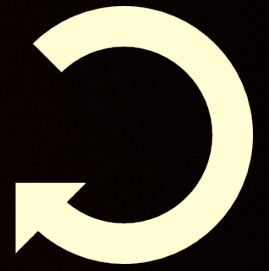
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GALATIANS 5:22-23

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*“God saw all that He had made,
and it was very good.”*

Genesis 1:31

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Beautiful

Genesis 1:31

- restoring people in their relationship with God
- respecting every human life, born and unborn
- recognizing that male and female are different
- reaching out with dignity to the poor and sick
- receiving the Grace of God in that yet as sinners

IMAGE BEARERS OF GOD

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THANK YOU
FOR COMING

A stylized black and white graphic of an eye, looking upwards, with a white triangle pointing down from the pupil. The eye is surrounded by a circular, splattered black border.

CALVARY CHAPEL
lake buena vista