# GENESIS

Origins

# Genesis Chapter 5:1-32

# The Gospel Presented

Chapter 1: The creation itself (Rom. 1)

Chapter 2: Coats of skins

Chapter 3: Sin Curse on Satan

Chapter 4: Fat of the Lamb

Chapter 5: A Genealogy

2 Seeds2 Bloodlines



Cain/Abel: the two "seeds"

Cain: seed of man-made religion

Abel: approach God via His standard

God becomes more & more distant

Chapters 4-5: Two bloodlines

# Why Study Genealogies

- > 2 Timothy 3:16 − all scripture God-breathed
- > Genealogies validate historical accuracy of Bible
- Confirm prophecy (Christ thru David's line)
- > Prayer of Jabez within a genealogy
- > Character Studies: Tamar (incest), Rahab (prostitute), Ruth (Gentile) in Messianic line

#### Genesis lists nine specific toledot:

- 1 Creation Genesis 2:4
- 2 Adam Genesis 5:1 (all humans)
- 3 Noah/his sons Gen. 6:9;10:1,32 (all nations)
- 4 Shem Genesis 11:10
- 5 Terah 11:27 (Abrahamic Line)
- 6 Ishmael Gen. 25:12-13; 1 Chron. 1:29 (split)
- 7 Isaac Genesis 25:19
- 8 Esau Genesis 36:1, 9 (Split)
- 9 Jacob Genesis 37:2 (Israel)

#### Genesis 5:1 – The "Book"

Now a "written history" – not just oral

God's record orally transmitted to Adam: Ch. 1

Adam wrote: Chapters 2, 3, 4

Noah wrote: Chapters 5:1(b) – 6:9

#### The "Book" of the Generations of Adam

Genesis 5: Adam to Noah

Genesis 11: Shem to Abraham

- ♦ Adam
- ♦ Seth
- ♦ Enos
- ♦ Cainan
- ♦ Mahalaleel
- ♦ Jared
- ♦ Enoch
- Methusaleh
- ♦ Lamech
- ♦ Noah

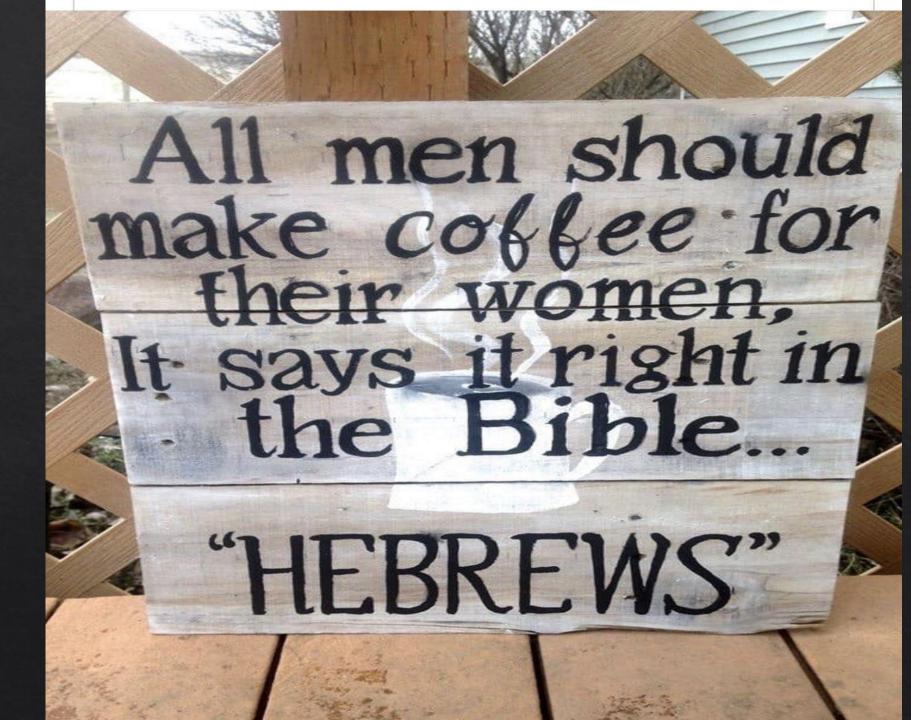
10 Generations Each

- ♦ Shem
- Arphaxad
- ♦ Shelah
- ♦ Eber
- Peleg
- ♦ Reu
- ♦ Serug
- ♦ Nahor
- ♦ Terah
- ♦ Abraham

## Human History

- ♦First 2000 years of human history (Adam-Abraham)
  God dealt with mankind (no "Jews" yet).
- Second 2000 years (Abraham to Christ) God primarily dealing with the "chosen" people of Israel.
- ♦ Third 2000 years: "Church age" God dealing with mankind once again through Word and His Spirit.

Names have meaning



# Names Have Meaning

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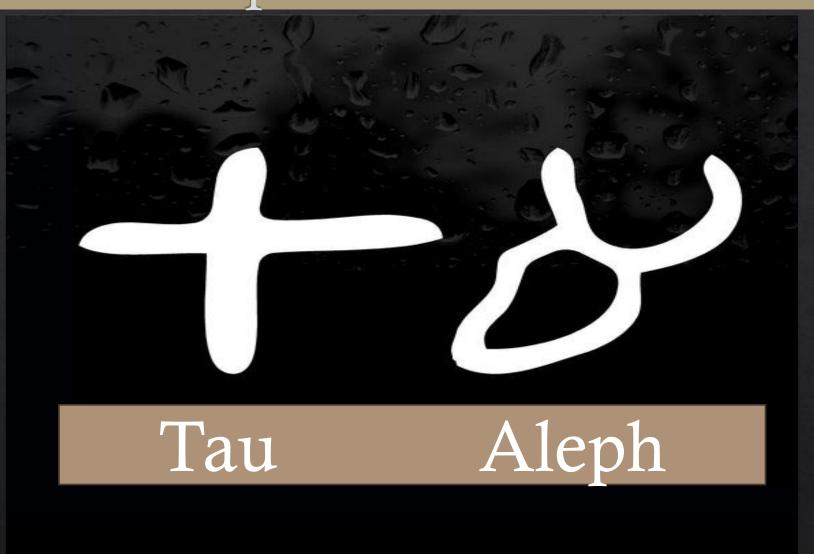
derived from the Irish Caoimhín, from the Gaelic word "caomh" meaning "kind" or "gracious", "born of leadership"

A name given to nobility in Ireland

# Ancient Hebrew - pictographic

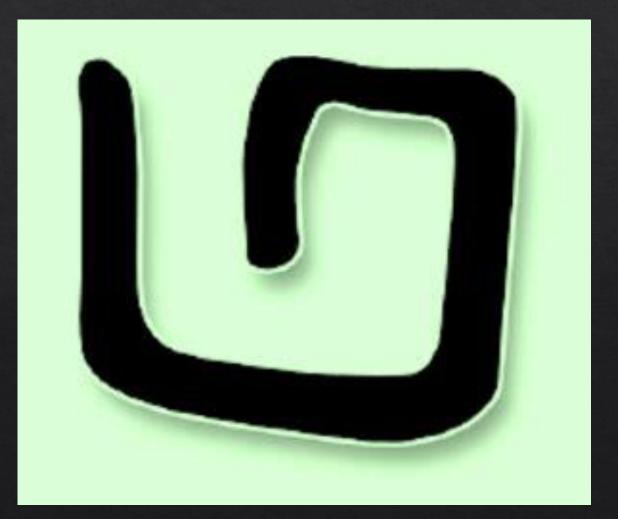
1<sup>st</sup> letter – Aleph (Ab'):
'Ox' (strength, first)

# Aleph and the Tau



# Ancient Hebrew - pictographic

2<sup>nd</sup> letter – *Beth*: 'house'



# Compound Word

Ab = strength, the first Beth (ba') = house

Abba: first (head) of the house

Father (daddy)

### The Genealogy of Genesis 5

Adam man red, earthy

Seth Appointed (wages of sin) appointed

**Enosh** Mortal (is death) humanity

Kenan sorrow, grief possession

Mahalalel The Blessed God el = God, mahal = glory of

Jared Shall come down descent

Enoch Teaching/instructing initiated, dedicated

# The Genealogy of Genesis 5

Methuselah His death shall bring

"man of a dart"

Lamech

The Despairing

"powerful/conqueror"

Noah

Comfort, Rest

"Sabbath", "rest"

(See also 1 Chronicles 1:1-4; Luke 3:36-38)

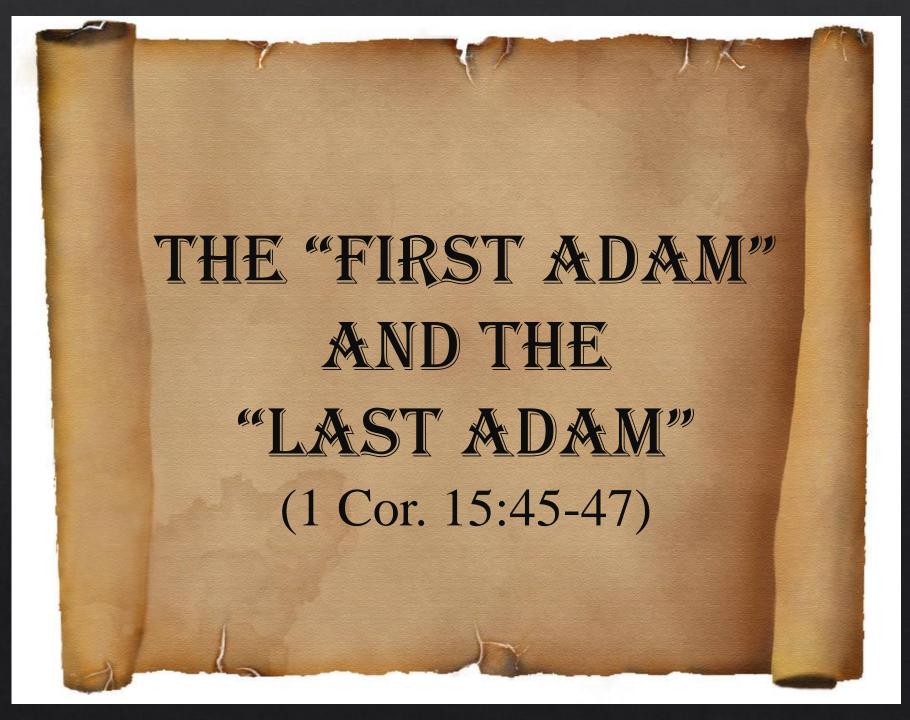
The Earth-born are destined to go the way of all humanity. Death is our inherited possession. But God will descend in the

glory of Jesus Christ, dedicating Himself to take the (dart), the sting of death and in conquering death – gives us eternal rest.

The "book"

of the

Genealogies



# The "book" of the Genealogies

(only in Gen. 5 and Matthew 1:1)

Matthew 1:1 – Matthew provides evidence of the bloodline for Jesus as the Mashiach Nagid

(Messiah the King).

#### Prove It!

Ezra 2:62 — These people searched for their ancestral registrations, but they couldn't be located (returnees from the Babylonian captivity). Accordingly, they were assigned an "unclean" status and couldn't be priests.

"and he died"



#### Genesis 5 - Themes

- "and he died" 8 times
- "and death reigned from Adam till Moses"

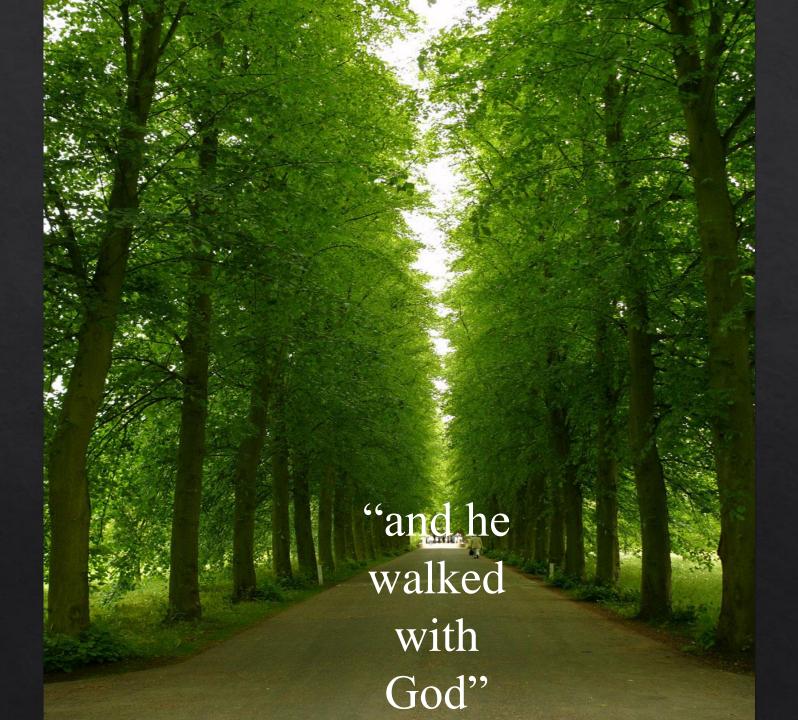
Romans 5:12-17

#### Themes - "and he died"

(the wages of sin)

Romans 6:23 – wages (earned) of sin is death [soul from body, soul from God (2 Thess. 1:9)

Enoch



#### Two Bloodlines Contrasted

Lamech: (detailed in Gen. Ch. 4)

7<sup>th</sup> from Cain (same name: Noah's father)

Enoch: (detailed in Gen. Ch. 5)

7th from Adam. Same name: Cain's son

#### Enoch

- A preacher (like Noah)
  - A prophet (like Abel)
- Enoch never died (like Elijah)
  - Removal before worldwide judgment (like the Church)

#### Enoch

Enoch: prophesied midway between Adam & Abraham

#### Jude 14-15 – first recorded prophecy by a man

It was also about these men that **Enoch**, in the seventh generation from Adam, prophesied, saying, "Behold, the Lord came with many thousands of His holy ones, to execute judgment upon all, and to convict all the ungodly of all their ungodly deeds which they have done in an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things which ungodly sinners have spoken against Him."

#### Hebrews 11:5-6

By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God. But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.

# Themes – "Walking with God"

Adam/Eve "walked" with God

Israel "walked" with God in the wilderness

The 12 disciples "walked" with God

Are we walking with God????

# Themes – "Walking with God"

Daniel: called the 'beloved prophet'

John: called the 'beloved disciple'

John 14:21 – "He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will *manifest myself* to him."

# Themes – "Walking with God"

- James 4:8 "draw near to God and He will draw near to you"
- Amos 3:3 "how can two walk together unless they be agreed?"
- Luke 22:42 "yet not my will, but thine be done"
- Proverbs 3:32 His secret is with the upright