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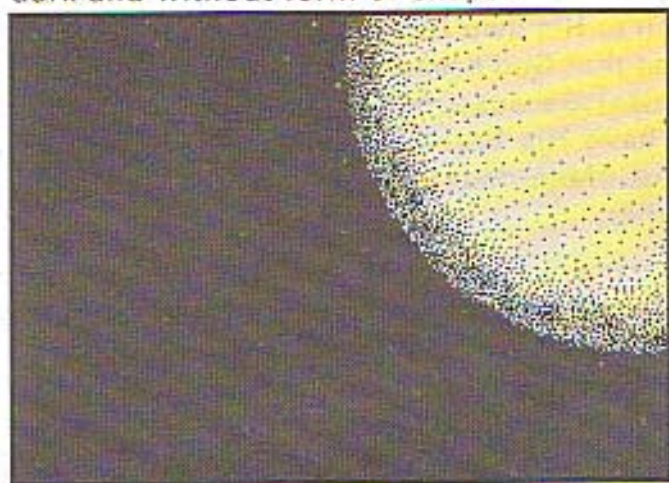


Read Genesis 1:2-31 and 2:1-3.

CREATION

The Bible explains what happened on each of the seven days of Creation. When God **created** the world, He brought it into existence—He made something entirely new that did not exist before. We shall study the first four days of Creation and then the last three days of God's creative work.

The first four days of Creation. "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth" (Genesis 1:1), and the earth was dark and without form or shape.



God called the light "Day" and the darkness "Night."

On the first day, God made light. He saw that the light was good. God called the light "Day" and the darkness "Night."

God made the **firmament** on the second day. The firmament is the earth's atmosphere or layer of air around the earth. God called the firmament "Heaven."

On the third day, God separated the dry land from the water. He called the dry land "Earth" and the waters "Seas." God spoke, saying (Genesis 1:11), "...Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit...."

God created the sun, moon, and the stars on the fourth day. God set these lights in the firmament to give light upon the earth. These great lights were created to divide day from night. The sun shines for day and the moon and stars shine for night.

The Bible also says (Genesis 1:14) that the sun, moon, and stars were created "...for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years." These great lights control our time: seasons, (spring, summer, fall, and winter), months, days, and hours.



Put these events of Creation in proper order.

dry land water light sun grass
stars firmament moon trees herbs

- 1.1 First day _____
- 1.2 Second day _____
- 1.3 Third day _____
- 1.4 Fourth day _____

The consecration of the Temple.

When the Temple was **consecrated**, the building became the dwelling place of God. The Ark was brought by the priest to the Temple and placed in the Holy of Holies. Then the glory of God filled the Temple. The Lord God of Israel manifested His presence in the Temple as He had in the Tabernacle. He would dwell in the house that had been prepared for Him and was being consecrated to Him. The Temple of Solomon became the Temple of God on Mount Zion. The city of David became the city of God.

Facing the Temple, Solomon spoke to God. Turning to the crowd, he blessed the people of Israel. Solomon reminded the people of God's promises to David and of His faithfulness to fulfill them. Then Solomon prayed the longest prayer recorded in God's Word, a prayer of dedication. The general content of Solomon's prayer was that the Lord might hear all those who call upon Him while praying toward His Temple and that He might forgive them.

After Solomon concluded his prayer, he turned to the people with words of blessing. He expressed to them God's purpose for Israel (First Kings 8:60): "That all the people of the earth may know that the Lord is God, and that there is none else."



Solomon dedicated the Temple in prayer.



Write the correct letters and answers on the blanks.

2.31 The vessels prepared for the Temple were similar to those of the Tabernacle, but they were different in _____ .
a. size b. number c. both a and b

2.32 The Temple contained a new altar of incense, but the old _____ .
a. altar of burnt offering c. Ark of the Covenant
b. candlestick d. table of shewbread

2.33 At the consecration of the Temple, the building became the _____ .
a. meeting place of Israel c. meeting place of the priests
b. dwelling place of God d. dwelling place of the angels

SELF TEST 1

Choose the correct name and write it on the line (each answer, 2 points).

Peter	Andrew	Matthias	Philip	Thomas	Simon
James	Alphaeus	Judas	Bartholomew	Jude	Matthew
John					

- 1.01 _____ Went to tell his brother about Jesus.
1.02 _____ His name was changed, and it means "rock."
1.03 _____ Son of Zebedee and the "beloved disciple."
1.04 _____ From Bethsaida; went to tell his friend about Jesus.
1.05 _____ Also called Nathanael, a friend of Philip.
1.06 _____ John's brother who left his fishing to become a fisher of men.
1.07 _____ A tax collector, a publican.
1.08 _____ The father of a second disciple named James.
1.09 _____ Expected the worst to happen.
1.010 _____ Was referred to twice by Luke as the brother of James.
1.011 _____ A traitor.
1.012 _____ A Zealot.

Match these items (each answer, 2 points).

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| 1.013 _____ | He became a martyr in Jerusalem. | a. Peter |
| 1.014 _____ | He told Nathanael that Jesus was the One about whom Moses and the prophets wrote. | b. James |
| 1.015 _____ | He tended to be a pessimist. | c. John |
| 1.016 _____ | He prepared a feast, and Jesus was his special guest. | d. Andrew |
| 1.017 _____ | He had been a follower of John the Baptist. | e. Jude |
| 1.018 _____ | He was skeptical asking if any good thing could come out of Nazareth. | f. Philip |
| 1.019 _____ | His name appears first in all the Bible lists of the disciples. | g. Nathanael |
| 1.020 _____ | A theme often found in his writing was love. | h. Thomas |
| | | i. Matthew |

BIBLE 610: LIFEPAK TEST

Answer true or false (each answer, 2 points).

1. _____ The golden girdle Jesus wore represented His kingship.
2. _____ The title of the last book in the Bible is "The Revelation of Saint John the Divine."
3. _____ The church at Laodicea was neither cold nor hot.
4. _____ The subject of Revelation 6–18 is "tribulation."
5. _____ The theme of Revelation is the coming of the Antichrist.
6. _____ The walls of New Jerusalem were made of pure gold.
7. _____ God created land animals and man on the sixth day.
8. _____ God's final preparation of His people to enter the Promised Land is recorded in Deuteronomy.
9. _____ The northern kingdom ended with the Assyrian Captivity.
10. _____ Samson was a judge who delivered Israel from the Philistines.

Write the letter for the correct choice (each answer, 2 points).

11. As prophesied in the Old Testament, Jesus was born in _____.
a. Jerusalem b. Nazareth c. Bethlehem
12. Jesus began His public ministry with His _____.
a. miracles b. baptism c. transfiguration
13. The meaning of Jesus' message to Nicodemus is that we are born again by _____.
a. working for Him b. trusting in Him c. obeying Him
14. Peter, James and John were among the _____ disciples Jesus called to follow Him.
a. twelve b. seven c. eleven
15. Ephesians and Colossians were two of Paul's _____ Epistles.
a. Pastoral b. Prison c. General
16. Like Paul in his Epistles, James emphasized _____.
a. works b. faith c. obedience
17. The theme of both Second and Third John was _____.
a. hope b. knowledge c. truth
18. Paul was arrested in Jerusalem, tried in Caesarea, and sent to _____.
a. Ephesus b. Rome c. Antioch
19. Jesus was anointed with costly ointment by _____.
a. Judas b. Martha c. Mary
20. A lesson we should learn from Mary is the importance of _____ needs.
a. spiritual b. physical c. material