



Genesis 11:7 Come, let us go down and confuse their language so they will not understand each other." ⁸ So the LORD scattered them from there over all the earth, and they stopped building the city. ⁹ That is why it was called Babel--because there the LORD confused the language of the whole world. From there the LORD scattered them over the face of the whole earth.

God's Remedy for Sin:

Genesis 3:15 And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel."

Revelation 13:8 all whose names have ... been written in the book of life belonging to the Lamb that was slain from the creation of the world.

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THE STORY

FINDING YOUR STORY IN GOD'S STORY

The Story Starts with a Bang

The Story—part 1

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Creation: God _____ to be with us (Genesis 1-2)

Genesis 1:1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

Genesis 1:26 Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

²⁷ So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

²⁸ And God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth."

Genesis 2:7 ... then the LORD God formed man of dust from the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being.

The point of the Story is this:
God WANTS TO BE WITH US.

The Fall: Buying the _____ Story (Gen. 3)



Genesis 3:1 Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God really say, 'You must not eat from any tree in the garden'?"

⁴ "You will not surely die," the serpent said to the woman. ⁵ "For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes

Genesis 3:12 The man said, "The woman you put here with me-- she gave me some fruit from the tree, and I ate it." ¹³ Then the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."

Human nature: _____(Genesis 4)

Genesis 4:6 Then the LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast?

⁷ If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must master it."

Genesis 4:8 Now Cain said to his brother Abel, "Let's go out to the field." And while they were in the field, Cain attacked his brother Abel and killed him.



⁷ Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is your brother Abel?" "I don't know," he replied. "Am I my brother's keeper?"

**Noah: Would a new _____with humans work?
(Genesis 6-8)**

Genesis 6:5 But the Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great on the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.

Tower of Babel: the _____of sin (Genesis 11)

Genesis 11:3 They said to each other, "Come, let's make bricks and bake them thoroughly." They used brick instead of stone, and tar for mortar.

⁴ Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, with a tower that reaches to the heavens, so that we may make a name for ourselves and not be scattered over the face of the whole earth."

Genesis 11:5 But the LORD came down to see the city and the tower that the men were building.

⁶ The LORD said, "If as one people speaking the same language they have begun to do this, then nothing they plan to do will be impossible for them.