

The Covenant at Mt. Sinai

The Story of the World – Part 7

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1. Creation and Fall
2. The Covenant with Abraham
3. The Exodus from Egypt
4. The Covenant at Mt. Sinai

The Bible is '66 books in 1' that tell one story, with a beginning and an end, that exalts Jesus!

The story of the world is the story of God's restoration of Paradise through God's provision of a Dragon-Slayer: the Slayed-Lamb, Jesus!

The Story – Genesis

- Creation (1-2)
- Fall (3-5)
- Flood (6-9)
- Tower of Babel (10-11)
- Abraham (12-20)
- Isaac (21-26)
- Jacob (27-36)
- Joseph (37-50)

The book of Genesis is about God's promise of the Dragon-Slayer which He begins to fulfill through Abraham's family. Genesis provides the foundation for the history of the world and all the doctrines of the Bible.

The Story – Exodus

- Call of Moses (1-4)
- Pharaoh and the Ten Plagues (1-12)
- The Passover and the Exodus (13-18)
- Ten Commandments and the Covenant (19-24)
- Preparation for the Tabernacle (25-31)
- The Golden Calf (32)
- Renewal of the Covenant (33-34)
- Completion of the Tabernacle (35-40)

The book of Exodus is about the fulfillment of God's promise to make Abraham's family into a great nation and God's establishment of the Covenant at Sinai with Israel. Exodus provides the foundation for the history of the nation of Israel and the doctrine of redemption.

Christ in Genesis

1. Second Adam (Romans 5:14)
2. The Seed of the Woman (Genesis 3:15; Galatians 4:4)
3. The Animal Skins Provided (Genesis 3:21; Romans 4:7)
4. Abel's blood sacrifice (Genesis 4:4; Matthew 23:35; Hebrews 12:24)
5. The Seed of Abraham (Acts 3:25; Galatians 3:16)
6. Substitute Ram for Isaac (Genesis 22:13-14)
7. Melchizedek, the righteous king, king of peace and priest of God (Hebrews 7:14-17)
8. Joseph – rejected though innocent and exalted to rule (Acts 7:9-10)

Jesus is the promised dragon-slayer who restores Paradise.

Christ in Exodus

1. Moses (Deuteronomy 18:15)
2. Passover (John 1:29, 36; 1 Corinthians 5:7)
3. Seven Feasts (ministry of Christ)
4. Exodus (Luke 9:31; also baptism – 1 Corinthians 10:1-2)
5. The Manna and the Water (John 6:31-35, 48-63; 1 Corinthians 10:3-4)
6. The Tabernacle (John 1:14)
7. The High Priest (Hebrews 4:14-16; 9:11-12, 24-28)

Jesus is the Slayed-Lamb who frees us from the oppressive Dragon.

Contemporary Issues:

- Abortion (Exodus 21:22-23)
- Images of God (Exodus 20:4; 32:4)
- Observing the Sabbath (Exodus 31:16; Colossians 2:16-19)

Questions:

- What are we to think of this covenant? (Exodus 19:1-6; 34:28; Galatians 3:15-29)
- Did they really see God? (Exodus 24:9-11; 33:11; 1 Timothy 6:16)
- Does God really change His mind? (Exodus 32:14; 1 Samuel 15:11, 29, 35)
- What is significant about God's revelation of Himself to Moses? (Exodus 33:18-34:7)

Good News!

Genesis: We can trust that God is good and is doing good to restore Paradise! (Psalm 119:68)

Exodus: God provides a Substitute to free us from bondage so we can enjoy His all-satisfying presence! (1 Peter 3:18)