

# The Book of GENESIS

- Ch 1-2 Creation
- Three Themes of Creation:
1. Only God Creates
  2. Creation is Orderly
  3. Mankind is the crowning glory of Creation
- Ch 3-4 From total innocence to sin and separation. SIN SEPARATES!
- Ch 5 The Genealogy of Adam
- Ch 6-10 Noah and the Flood
- Ch 11 The Tower of Babel
- Ch 12 God's Covenant with Abraham  
To make Abraham a channel of blessing to all the people of the Earth.
- Ch 13-16 Travels of Abraham
- Ch 17 The Sign of the Covenant
- 17:19 The everlasting covenant is for Isaac.  
17:20 Abraham gives a blessing to Ishmael.
- Ch 18-19 Sodom & Gomorrah destroyed
- Ch 20 Abraham and Abimelech
- Ch 21 Isaac is born
- Ch 22 Abraham is willing to offer Isaac as a sacrifice on Mt Moriah  
Isaac is willing to be offered as a sacrifice
- Ch 23 Sarah's death
- Ch 24 A bride for Isaac
- Ch 25 Abraham dies at 175 years old
- Ch 26-33 Jacob and Esau
- Ch 34 The Dinah Incident
- Ch 35 The death of Rachel. The tomb of Rachel is still in Bethlehem today.
- Ch 36 The family of Esau
- Ch 37 Joseph sold into slavery
- Ch 38 The Tamar Incident. Tamar is in the genealogy of Jesus. Matt 1:3  
Levirate Marriage responsibilities. See the Book of RUTH
- Ch 39-50 Joseph in Egypt First as a slave, but becomes 2<sup>nd</sup> to Pharaoh.  
God uses Joseph to deliver his family from Famine.  
50:20 Joseph told his brothers "you meant evil against me;  
but God meant it for good."

## Parallels between Joseph and Jesus

1. Both were the beloved son of their fathers. Genesis 37:3
2. Both possessed a special garment Genesis 37:3
3. Both were betrayed by their "inner circle" Genesis 37:28
4. Both were sold for silver Genesis 37:28 The price of a slave
5. Both were taken down and brought out of Egypt. Genesis 39:1
6. Both were good servants. Genesis 39:1-6
7. Both faced temptation which they overcame. Genesis 39:7-18
8. Both were falsely accused. Genesis 39:17 and 18
9. Both were incarcerated between two prisoners, one which lived and one which died. Genesis 40
10. Both gave God the glory for their ability. Genesis 41:16
11. Both were exalted to great status. Genesis 41:39 and 40
12. Both began to serve at age 30 Genesis 41:46
13. Both became the source of bread for a hungry world. Genesis 41:53-57
14. Both became preservers of life. Genesis 45:5
15. Both freely and fully forgave those who had betrayed them. Genesis 50:20