

Genesis 3

The Rejection of the Creator's Authority and Right to Rule over His Creation

Please use these notes/outline to launch your own study of Genesis 3
Always go to the Spirit and ask Him for clear understanding of His Word

- ❖ Elul – 40 days of T'shuvah - blowing the shofar – prepare for His return!
- ❖ From the beginning, He desires a family!
- ❖ One day I asked, what really happened in the Garden – downloaded!
- ❖ Yod Hey Vav Hey – the ever existing one who breathes
- ❖ We were born to house the life of the Creator within us. The possessor of life gave us His life. We were created as sons, clothed in glory, beauty and perfection. We looked like our Creator, we possessed His character and nature. We were well equipped to function as priests over all creation to rule over it and subdue it. We were in covenant relationship with Him. We walked humbly with Him and enjoyed loving-kindness. (covenant terminology)
- ❖ All was well until the day the serpent convinced us that the Creator was holding out on us and through disobedience to His commandment, we forfeited that eternal, life giving connection with our Father and became self-aware of our individuality – apart from Him.
- ❖ **We were never suppose to take on the responsibility of a Father to know what is good for us! We let go of our Father's hand and lost our childlike innocence, determining now what is good and right for ourselves.**
- ❖ We are not nor ever will be life as unto ourselves like Elohim is, but we are called to forever be possessors of this life and participants of the beauty and purposes that exist only in the mind of the Creator Himself.
- ❖ To lose what we already possessed - this is the shame we felt – the shame of exchanging our dignity and value as a son of light for a slave of darkness. How absurd the idea that we, the creation, could become like our Creator outside the boundary and limits of the purposes in which we were created to dwell within. Yet today, the Transhumanism's agenda is to live forever, uploading our conscience to the cloud – self existence – ultimately replace an outdated Creator – if He even exists at all).
- ❖ It was Messiah, the very worth and dignity of Elohim Himself, the exact representation of His substance (Hebrews 1) – chosen by His Father to come and rescue us, clean us up, and make us worthy of adoption into His family.
 1. And the serpent (nachash) was more crafty than any beast of the field which יהוה Elohim had made, and he said to the woman, “**Is it true** that Elohim has said, ‘Do not eat of every tree of the garden?’”
 2. And the woman said to the serpent, “We are to eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden,
 3. but of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, Elohim has said, ‘Do not eat of it, nor touch it, lest you die.’”
- ❖ Nachash: to practice divination, observe signs. Root means to hiss, i.e. Whisper a (magic) spell; Interpret omens
- ❖ Deuteronomy 18:10-14

- ❖ Yahuweh's goodness came under trial – challenged – He was assigned an evil heart motive
- ❖ “Is it true?” – seed of insecurity sown – Trust in His very nature to tell the truth was attacked.
- ❖ Making decisions based upon insecurity. The enemy distracts us by confusing us with who is telling the truth.

4. And the serpent said to the woman, “You shall certainly not die.

5. For Elohim knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes shall be opened, and you shall be **like** Elohim, knowing good and evil.”

- ❖ Deflecting the deception onto Yahuweh – keeping her from knowing something valuable.
- ❖ Gnosticism/Illuminati/Mason god of light – reversal – good is evil – evil is good
- ❖ “Like Elohim” – seed of inferiority sown. As though our position under Him as sons was subpar and that we needed to be His equal. Even Messiah kept the proper order of the family.
- ❖ Lucifer launched a lethal attack on our identity in Elohim and our positioning as sons.

6. And the woman saw that the tree was good for food (**lust of flesh**), that it was pleasant to the eyes (**lust of eyes**), and a tree desirable to make one wise (**pride of life**), and she took of its fruit and ate. And she also gave to her husband with her, and he ate.

- ❖ All three temptations of Messiah in the wilderness were of these same three
- ❖ 1 John 2:15-16 – love is rejected because we are deceived that He is not good
- ❖ Proverbs 9:10 - Beginning of wisdom is the **fear** of Yahuweh – that umbilical cord attachment – without it, you have the ‘I am god’, ‘I am above all else’ attitude – I don’t need anything but knowledge – knowledge is power! The anti-messiah spirit! This is pride at its very foundation. The letter killeth, Spirit gives life.
- ❖ Anti-messiah’s job is to separate the Father from the Son
- ❖ Man was already connected to wisdom.

The pattern of wisdom – Example: Solomon

- ❖ The ability to know good and evil (knowledge)
- ❖ Discerning the difference (by the Spirit) between the two (understanding)
- ❖ Using it to rightly to interpret the truth in order to bring forth life (wisdom)
- ❖ Proverbs 16:18 - Pride goes before destruction. No thank you – I’ve got this God!
- ❖ See Andre’s article on wisdom - <http://www.hallelu-yah.nl/Wisdom.pdf>
- ❖ 2 Thessalonians 2:9-12
- ❖ Tree of knowledge of Good and Evil is His tree. We were not to take from what did not belong to us. That’s the 200 fallen ones who took His secrets, perverting them and teaching man war for example.
- ❖ To eat the fruit from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil is to receive the responsibility of knowledge without the understanding to use it (without a love for it). The Fallen Ones took some of the knowledge of Elohim, and without a love for that knowledge, they used it to destroy rather than create. People who have waxed cold are not prepared to handle the truth rightly (righteously), lest they believe they can be saved without obedience and responsibility for that truth. Whatever they have will be taken away because they failed to receive a love (the

understanding) to righteously use the truth (knowledge). Those who have waxed cold have the responsibility of knowing good and evil but are without the understanding of how to use it, thus will destroy themselves.

7. Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked. And they sewed fig leaves together and made loin **coverings** for themselves.

8. And they heard the sound of יהוה Elohim walking about in the garden in the cool of the day, and Adam and his wife **hid themselves** from the presence of יהוה Elohim among the trees of the garden.

❖ When a child messes up. It gets quiet in the house. Child breaks something of his fathers. The child cannot face his father's authority or even stand in his presence.

❖ Psalm 109:29 – “Let my accusers put on shame, And be wrapped in their own confusion as in a cloak.”

❖ **Define shame** – loss of innocence by disobedience – confounded – a debilitating disease rendering us worthless and unable to fulfill our calling as sons! Shame causes us to give up our inheritance as co-heirs with Messiah, the 1st born.

9. And יהוה Elohim called unto Adam and said to him, “Where are you?”

❖ This was a deep cry from the depths of the Creator Himself because He lost fellowship with His own creation. Without Him, all we have is ourselves!

10. And he said, “I heard Your voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid myself.”

11. And He said, “Who made you know that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?”

❖ Yes, the serpent was correct their eyes were opened but instead of being just like Elohim in knowing good and evil, they saw for the first time with eyes of their own understanding.

❖ Hebrews 12:1 “We too, then, having so great a cloud of witnesses all around us, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which so easily entangles us, and let us run with endurance the race set before us, looking to the Princely Leader and Perfecter of our belief, Yahushua, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the stake, having despised the shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of Elohim.”

❖ He became obedient unto death. He endured the stake of the fiery darts of the enemy to get us to despise our sonship. He despised the shame of disobedience to His Father by looking unto the joy set before Him - the reward of sitting forever at the right hand of His Father, mission complete, and with His family by His side. He knew His Father could be trusted to do all He promised!

❖ Whereas man failed to endure the stake, failing to look unto the joy set before him in remaining in fellowship with his Creator. Man despised his sonship. Man failed in his mission by his disobedience unto death. Shame was birthed because he lost the mantel worthy of a son to wear. His reward was losing his seat with Messiah in the heavenly places, being driven out from the presence of his Creator.

- ❖ The prodigal son receives the mantle as a son and the shame is loosed – HalleluYah!
- ❖ The purity of standing before Him because of the blood of Yahushua causes our focus to remain on that attachment to our Creator – that belonging to a unified family. Without that purity, we stand alone in our separation which only amplifies our insecurity, and drives us in raging insanity to try and find some sense of worth and belonging, and a hiding place to cover our shame of emptiness and nakedness. This describes our modern day “politically correct” Humanist agenda – a resurrection of ancient Greek Gnosticism!
- ❖ That shame of nakedness is nothing more than repeated attempts to self-atone for something we have not the power within us to achieve. It is the need to feel loved and accepted but never able to find it. It is unrest. As sons, we need the Father’s covering – His authority backing and without it, nothing satisfies and we endlessly strive to belong to something. The American Humanist Association is advocating a bastardized society in rejecting sonship with God, professing freedom from His right to rule because He stands in the way of human progress. According to them, humanity needs no father! Their logo says it all...



- ❖ Messiah said He longed to gather us and cover us over as a mother hen does her little chicks.
- ❖ Psalm 91 speaks of the secret place of hiding – under his wings we find refuge. He is a shelter, a fortress.
- ❖ Revelation 6:16 - Men hide in rocks from the face of Him who sits on the throne. They are ashamed because they did not grasp the reality that He is Elohim and they are not. Job found this reality out himself. When we recognize He is Elohim, the proper creation order is reestablished, we are put into our rightful position as sons and the shame of believing we are God and He is not is forever banished!
- ❖ No wonder we have so much identity confusion with gender today. Its bad enough we lost the covering of a father, now the world is advocating we never had one to begin with.
- ❖ “Deception lies in the belief that the good that Elohim commanded is really the evil to be overcome.”

12. And the man said, “The woman whom You gave to be with me, she gave me of the tree and I ate.”

Here begins the downward spiral to destruction

- ❖ Shame is the loss of covering that leads to a loss of identity. The parental order is designed to model to the children the covering of One who loves them and accepts whereby their identity is established. As these children mature, they will gravitate to their heavenly Father to find that covering through the Savior and their identity as sons of Elohim will be established. We are living in a world full of shamed people without a covering with no sense of who they are!
- ❖ Disobedience to the commandments of Elohim births sin - destroying fellowship – invoking shame – illuminates the deception that we can cover our own nakedness – refusing then to acknowledge that we are wrong because we are under a false covering of our own making – so who needs to repent or be sorrowful when we are able to be just like God and cover over mistakes and decide on our own whether our behavior is good or evil?
- ❖ The pride builds, deceiving further, and we begin to accept that the natural order of things is somehow corrupted, and as self-serving gods, according to our own interpretation of what is natural and unnatural, we declare that homosexuality and planned parenthood is good, and if anyone speaks out against it, they are acting in an unlawful manner according to what they have deemed “natural”!
- ❖ Those “resistors” will be hauled away and their lives destroyed because it’s not the abortion clinics fault, it’s not the LGBT movement’s fault, NO! Its everyone else’s fault. “WE” are the victims - **the fruit was handed to us, and we partook of it.**
- ❖ Humanity must individually face their own sin! Churches must stop the acceptance without change movement! That’s nothing more than tolerance! We must stand firm in warfare against this destroyer of families!
- ❖ We do not have a “rights” problem, we have an obedience problem! You cannot separate church and state. It is His laws that teach us how to live in this world. It is the rights as citizens of the Kingdom that we must concern ourselves with for they are the empowerment to live peacefully with one another. Without His rule, humans are doomed to an eternity of conflict with ‘what do I do with my sin?’ There are plenty of moral, “golden rule” followers in hell. Morality is useless without the Authoritarian ensuring it is being followed. We cannot be good alone. We need a Father – and in the case of the Israelites, they needed a Moses – resulting in the Golden Calf.
- ❖ In the view of Greg M. Epstein, a Humanist chaplain at Harvard University, " 'do unto others' ... is a concept that essentially no religion misses entirely. But not a single one of these versions of the golden rule requires a God". – Goodness does not achieve perfection!
- ❖ Throwing out the rights of the Creator to have dominion over His own creation and substituting it for our own right to rule over our own dominion is nothing less than forcing upon society peace and acceptance without righteousness. Peace and sin do not mix and will not stand. That is of the anti-messiah spirit. The Kingdom is righteous, peace and joy in the Spirit!
- ❖ The human rights campaign is driving for the world to accept their sin as the norm and punish those who say otherwise, all because they desire to stand apart under their own rulership while refusing to live under His!
- ❖ If it feels good do it has become the law of the land. People refuse to take ownership of their actions because if they did, it would not feel good to just ‘do it’. When I excuse any fault of my own for “I am a product of such and such” or “I was just born this way”, it removes the responsibility for my actions and the blame is laid on those who stand by their God because they are the ones that pose the greatest threat to my lifestyle.

- ❖ We as sons of Elohim have a given charge to govern His creation by His standards and not by human moral code alone which is not sustainable without the power of the Spirit. Only the blood of Yahushua can save us!
- ❖ Morality and goodness by default is at the core of every human heart because we have been created by the source of all goodness and morality. But that alone will not save us from our fallen state of disobedience to His commandments! We are not a law unto ourselves. Many will say in that day... Depart from Me you who are without the Torah (law).
- ❖ The elite of this world has conditioned society that they do not need a savior. And now the church itself puppets the same blasphemy that grace is a license to continue living as heathens.
- ❖ We have a right to be free from discrimination as long as we do not discriminate against the stranger who travels the same road with us. They are to be treated with the same love as we love even our own selves because we too were once slaves. Leviticus 19:33-34
- ❖ Rights are gifts to do good to another human being – gifts to be shared where no one is greater than another.
- ❖ The prosperity message is at best, a humanistic message of self-existence as God’s chosen, yet without any regard for the rest of the body. I’m a ‘kings kid’!
- ❖ It was Lucifer Himself that said I have a right to be worshipped. I will be worshipped as Elohim and exalt myself above others. Pushing my own agenda on others and punishing those who refuse to accept it or speak out against it is not a human right, it is establishing my own godhead.
- ❖ We must begin to understand that God given human rights is not a justification to hold onto sin but the power to acknowledge our limitations of atoning for that sin by acts of kindness and goodness shown to our fellow man. He gave us the powerful gift of our will in order to use it to choose Him and not ourselves as God. Satan offers us no choice! We are not granted rights to sit back and have others serve the kingdoms we build for ourselves, even in the name of charity! We are not our own, we have been bought with a price (1 Corinthians 6:20).
- ❖ When we learn to exchange self for the stake of Messiah, we forfeit the fight to uphold our rights to our lives. Thank Yahushua He did not fight for His right to be treated fair and without discrimination!

13. And יהוה Elohim said to the woman, “What is this you have done?” And the woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

14. And יהוה Elohim said to the serpent, “Because you have done this, you are cursed more than all livestock and more than every beast of the field. On your belly you are to go, and eat dust all the days of your life.

15. “And I put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed. He shall crush your head, and you shall crush His heel.” – **promise of Messiah!**

16. To the woman He said, “I greatly increase your sorrow and your conception – bring forth children in pain. And your desire is for your husband, and he does rule over you.”

17. And to the man He said, “Because you have listened to the voice of your wife, and have eaten of the tree of which I commanded you, saying, ‘Do not eat of it’: “Cursed is the ground because of you, in toil you are to eat of it all the days of your life,

18. and *the ground* shall bring forth thorns and thistles for you, and you shall eat the plants of the field.

19. “By the sweat of your face you are to eat bread until you return to the ground, for out of it

you were taken. For dust you are, and to dust you return.”

20. And the man called his wife's name Ḥawwah, because she became the mother of all living.

21. And יהוה Elohim made coats of skin for the man and his wife and dressed them (**the first atonement – only He knows how to cover over sin. It was His love to not destroy them – love covers over a multitude of sins**)

22. And יהוה Elohim said, “See, the man has become like one of Us, to know good and evil. And now, lest he put out his hand and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live forever...”

23. so יהוה Elohim sent him out of the garden of Ĕden to till the ground from which he was taken,

24. and He drove the man out. And He placed kerubim at the east of the garden of Ĕden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way to the tree of life.

- ❖ Man became like Elohim (God), but apart FROM them! I will have no other gods in my face.
- ❖ Revelation 22:14-15 - “Blessed are those doing His commands, so that the authority shall be theirs unto the tree of life, and to enter through the gates into the city. But outside are the dogs and those who enchant with drugs (serpent), and those who whore, and the murderers, and the idolaters, and all who love and do falsehood.”
- ❖ By His love, kindness and goodness, man was ejected from the Garden lest he take of the Tree of Life in the state of disobedience and live forever exiled from the presence of the Creator, knowing good and evil without the discernment of the Spirit to use that knowledge to create life and not destroy it. Had he taken of that fruit, no opportunity for parole would exist.
- ❖ **A recipe for self destruction.** This is the state of the fallen angels – Enoch brought them a message from Yahuweh – ‘you will have no peace’
- ❖ Unrepentant man, the elites, the powerful, the scientists, are still seeking entrance back into the garden to seek the Tree of Life. But that garden is a garden of deception. His lust for the power to control all living things has circumvented the Spirit of Elohim by going to the underworld to seek spiritual insight of how to use the knowledge of good and evil to create life (hybrids) and destroy life – the earth (by technology). They want the earth to rule as gods. In Revelation 11:18, Yahuweh said He would destroy those who destroy the earth. They want to subdue the earth but without anyone ruling over them. They refuse to step back into the proper order of creation!
- ❖ There is no entrance back beyond the true Garden gate without repentance and obedience to His commandments. Only He knows how to rightly divide the truth and use it to bring about the good in all things.
- ❖ Isaiah 45:5-7 - ‘I am יהוה, and there is none else – there is no Elohim besides Me. I gird you, though you have not known Me, so that they know from the rising of the sun to its setting that there is none but Me. I am יהוה, and there is none else, forming light and creating darkness, making peace and **creating evil**. I, יהוה, do all these.’
- ❖ It was His incredible love to oust us from the Garden because He already had the plan of redemption in place! HalleluYah!
- ❖ Genesis 3 is about all guilty parties taking responsibility for their actions. All have sinned and come short of the esteem of Elohim. Those with humility in their hearts because they have chosen to bow the knee to the Savior and receive His atonement, will gladly obey His commandments and take once again from the Tree of Life – living forever in eternity with their Beloved!

❖ Psalm 51 (Hyssop, Joy, Purification)

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