

THE BOOKS OF MOSES: THE PENTATEUCH

13 October 2021 | The Old Testament | Week 2: Genesis 12-50

GENESIS 1-11 RECAP

GENESIS 12-50 SUMMARY

The Lord is making a gracious covenant with one man and his descendants (=“seed”) which will bless all nations. In this covenant God has promised to be their God and that they will be His special people, that they will live in the place of His choosing, and that they will enjoy a unique relationship with Him, under His rule.

“Kingdom”: God’s people in God’s place under God’s rule & blessing

GOD’S PLACE

Genesis 12:1, 6-7

Genesis 22

- Verse 17: "the gates of his enemies"

GOD'S PEOPLE

Genesis 12:2-3; 15:1-6

- Faith → Righteousness

- Galatians 3:6-9, 15-18, 29

GOD'S RULE & BLESSING

Genesis 15:7-21

- *A gracious covenant*
 - Suzerain
 - Vassal

WHO IS "THE SEED OF THE WOMAN?"

Is Isaac the Seed?

Is Esau the Seed?...Or is Jacob?

Genesis 25:19-34

- "In order that God's purpose in election will stand..." (Rom 9:6-13)
- What is "grace"? (Rom 11:1-6)

Is Esau the Seed?...Or is Jacob?

Is Joseph the Seed?

It's Judah!

- Genesis 49:8-12

THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD

Genesis 45:4-7; 50:18-21

HOMEWORK:

Read Genesis 12-50

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["Overview: Genesis 1-11"](#)

["Overview: Leviticus"](#)

["Overview: Genesis 12-50"](#)

["Overview: Numbers"](#)

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