

# God's Story: The Story Of The Old Testament

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### God's Story, Pt. 2

**2 Timothy 3:16**, *All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, 17 so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.*

#### Major Divisions In The Old Testament Books:

**-The PENTATEUCH:** Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy

**-HISTORICAL Books:** Joshua, Judges, Ruth, 1 & 2 Samuel, 1 & 2 Kings, 1 & 2 Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther

**-WISDOM or Poetical Books:** Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, And The Song Of Solomon

**-PROPHETIC Books:** *Major Prophets:* Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel; *Minor Prophets:* Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi

#### Piecing Together The Puzzle Of The Old Testament:

##### C - CREATION

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

**Genesis 1:26**, *Then God said, "Let Us make mankind in Our image, in Our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all*

*the creatures that move along the ground.” 27 So God created mankind in His own image, in the image of God He created them; male and female He created them. 28 God blessed them and said to them, “Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground.”*

**Genesis 1:31**, *God saw all that He had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.*

**Genesis 2:18**, *The Lord God said, “It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him.”*

## **A - ADAM**

**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’?” 2 The woman said to the serpent, “We may eat fruit from the trees in the garden, 3 but God did say, ‘You must not eat fruit from the tree that is in the middle of the garden, and you must not touch it, or you will die.’” 4 “You will not certainly die,” the serpent said to the woman. 5 “For God knows that when you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.” 6 When the woman saw that the fruit of the tree was good for food and pleasing to the eye, and also desirable for gaining wisdom, she took some and ate it. She also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it. 7 Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for themselves.*

**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.”*

**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 rule over it.”*

**Genesis 6:5**, *The Lord saw how great the wickedness of the human*

*race had become on the earth, and that every inclination of the thoughts of the human heart was only evil all the time.*

**Genesis 6:21**, *You are to take every kind of food that is to be eaten and store it away as food for you and for them.”*

**Genesis 11:6**, *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.*

## **A - ABRAHAM**

*Genesis 12:1-3; Genesis 22:15-18; Genesis 50:20*

## **M - MOSES**

*Exodus 3:15-17; Exodus 19:5-6; Exodus 20:1-11; Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Joshua 1:8-9; Joshua 24:14-15; Judges 21:25*

## **D - DAVID**

*1 Samuel 8:6-8; 2 Samuel 7:15-16; 1 Kings 8:10; 1 Kings 11:9-13*

## **P - PROPHETS**

*2 Kings 17:21-23; 2 Chronicles 36:15-19; Ezekiel 10:18; Jeremiah 31:31-34; Ezra 1:1-4; Zechariah 9:8-9*

## **Concluding Thoughts:**

**Isaiah 53:4**, *Surely He took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered Him punished by God, stricken by Him, and afflicted. 5 But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on Him, and by His wounds we are healed. 6 We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.*

**Malachi 3:1**, *“I will send My messenger, who will prepare the way before Me...*