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# ARTICLE ONE PARAGRAPHS OF THE BIBLE—GENESIS 1-11

#### ONE

- A. The when, who, and what of all things! (1:1)
- B. It was shapeless, empty, and dark when He began (1:2)
- C. First day: Glorious light and the beginning of time! (1:3-5)
- D. Second day: Separating the vapor above from the water below. The sky is seen! (1:6-8)
- E. Third day: Dividing the seas from the soil! Grass and trees begin to grow! (1:9-13)
- F. Fourth day: Sun, moon, and stars to serve as signs! (1:14-19)
- G. Fifth day: From sparrows to sea monsters! (1:20-23)
- H. Sixth day (morning?): Designated for domestic and wildlife (1:24-25)
- I. Sixth day (afternoon?): Miracle of miracles! A creature made in the image of its Creator! (1:26-31)

#### TWO

- A. Seventh day: Rest time! The work of creation completed! (2:1-3)
- B. Preparing a perfect place for the perfect couple (2:4-14)
- C. Yours for the taking, except one! (2:15-17)
- D. A spouse from his side as he slept! (2:18-22)
- E. First heard in Eden: Here comes the bride! (2:23-25)

#### THREE

- A. The craftiest of the creatures! (3:1-5)
- B. That first and fatal sin! (3:6)
- C. The bitter fruits were shame and fear (3:7-10)
- D. Excuses, excuses! (3:11-13)
- E. The sentence upon the crafty serpent (3:14)
- F. The sentence upon the old serpent (3:15)
- G. Sorrow for both: One in childbearing, the other in crop raising! (3:16-19)
- H. He named his own wife! (3:20-21)
- I. A fiery sword would guard the tree now off limits! (3:22-24)

## FOUR

- A. The world's first and most famous family (4:1-2)
- B. The land offering rejected, the lamb offering received (4:3-5)

- C. A second chance for Cain! (4:6-7)
- D. The original homicide—brother kills brother! (4:8-15)
- E. The Cainite Civilization: Gifted but godless! (4:16-24)
- F. Seth, the third son (4:25-26)

## **FIVE**

- A. The age of Adam (5:1-5)
- B. From Seth, the second generation to Jared, the sixth generation (5:6-20)
- C. The first person to leave this life *alive*! (5:21-28)
- D. History's first and most famous sailor! (5:29-32)

#### SIX

- A. The sons of God and their seed (6:1-4)
- B. Only evil everywhere! The pain He felt, and the punishment He planned (6:5-7)
- C. The family that found the grace of God! (6:8-13)
- D. He was to build a floating zoo! (6:14-22)

#### **SEVEN**

- A. They went in and waited a week! (7:1-10)
- B. It covered all hills, it killed all flesh! (7:11-24)

#### **EIGHT**

- A. It settled on Ararat in the seventh month (8:1-5)
- B. Two birds, three flights, and an olive leaf (8:6-14)
- C. He walked *out* into the new world and worshipped (8:15-22)

#### **NINE**

- A. Commands concerning blood: Don't eat it, don't shed it! (9:1-7)
- B. A sign in the sky! No future flood! (9:8-17)
- C. He got drunk and disgraced himself! (9:18-23)
- D. One was cursed, the remaining two blessed! (9:24-29)

### TEN

- A. Descendants of Japheth: His seed would sail the seas! (10:1-5)
- B. Descendants of Ham: They later built Babylon and Nineveh! (10:6-20)
- C. Descendants of Shem: Peleg, a great, great grandson had to learn a new language (10:21-32)

# ELEVEN

- A. A city and tower in the land of Shinar (11:1-4)
- B. When sinners were separated through speech (11:5-9)
- C. Shem revisited: The pride of his line, *Abraham*! (11:10-26)
- D. Terah took them to Haran and then he died (11:27-32)