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Shabbat Message

## **B'reisheet / *In the Beginning* / בְּרֵאשִׁית**

**Genesis 1:1-6:8**

## **Seeds of Life Series: Torah the Seeds for Life**

### **Life or Knowledge**

#### **Introduction**

Everything has a point of origin if you go back far enough such as man if you go back far enough you will find that we go back to a garden with common ancestors with the names Adam and Eve or in (Hb Chava). These are our starting point. However the world tells us that we started by evolution or from the Big Bang in the universe. These things are just not so. This

chapter will have two trees introduced to us which are the Tree of Life and the Tree of the Knowledge of good and evil. Were these real trees or were they an ancient metaphor regarding how original sin and the lack of wisdom and the loss of life came into or exited our world. How did our ancestors stray so far? Let's take a look shall we.

## **The Beginning of All Wisdom**

### **Genesis 2:1-2**

1. Yehovah created the heaven and the earth in their entirety. There was not a progressive creation where Yehovah took thousands and millions of years to create the heavens and earth.
2. Yehovah in His infinite wisdom gave us a day to worship called Shabbat. It was on the seventh day that Yehovah instituted a very special day for us. It is also the fourth commandment in the Ten Commandments in Exodus 20.
3. The beginning of all wisdom is to follow the sacred commandments that Yehovah had set in motion for us to do! (Psalm 19:8; Daniel 12:8-10).

## **All of His Creation Shows Wisdom**

### **Genesis 2:4-6**

1. verses 4-6 speaks about the actual account of creation under a microscope.

2. The fact is the garden was created before man was created and Yehovah Himself tended the garden.
3. Yehovah had his own irrigation system figured out as well with a mist that came out of the ground to water the earth...now that's wisdom. It was a natural greenhouse.

## **The Love in Yehovah's Wisdom**

### **Genesis 2:7-8**

1. We see here in these verses that Yehovah created man out of the of the earth. Modern science verifies that the human body comprises elements such as carbon, hydrogen, oxygen, nitrogen, calcium, phosphorus, and numerous trace elements. Remarkably, these same fundamental elements are also abundant in the ground ("dust"). Laboratory analyses of soil samples across the globe, for instance in geological research performed at major universities, demonstrate that these elements are common in both organisms and Earth's crust.
2. In vs 8 It says Yehovah planted a garden then placed the man inside of it.
3. Yehovah commissioned our ancestor Adam to be a gardener and a caretaker of Yehovah's original creation.

## **Yehovah's Wisdom and Our Senses**

## **Genesis 2:9**

1. Yehovah sprouted from the ground every tree that was desirable for food that is good.
2. He then created 2 other trees one is called the Tree of Life and the Other He called the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil.
3. The Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil is a parallel to what we are to do which is to have discernment of to know what good and evil are!

## **Yehovah's Wisdom in Obeying Yehovah's Commands**

### **Genesis 2:15-17**

1. Yehovah created the Garden of Eden for rest in order to cultivate and watch over it.
2. Yehovah then commanded us to eat from any of the trees in the garden!
3. Of the Tree of the Knowledge of the Tree of Good and Evil. Hebrews 5:14! This is our verse for the year.

## **Take Away**

1. Yehovah created a Garden and called everything in the garden good including the Tree of the Knowledge of good and evil.
2. Yehovah created man to work the garden and to rest same as today.
3. Yeshua redeemed us from the curse of what took place in Chapter 3 of Genesis.

# Application

1. I will praise Yehovah for His Shabbat that also points to our Eternal Shabbat Rest with Yeshua!
2. I will get off of the milk and onto the solid food so that I can discern good and evil.
3. I will continue to do what Yehovah has called us to do and cultivate the land and rest!

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