

# Faith Missionary Baptist Church

## BIBLE STUDY

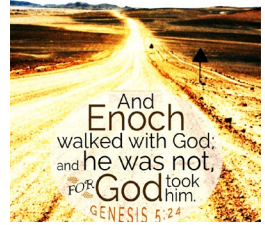
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### LESSON 5

Genesis 5:1-32

## The Growth of The Human Race From Adam To Noah



### Introduction

The human population of the earth is growing rapidly. Men and women are marrying and having children as God had commanded. People living in this introductory period of the creation are living well into the several hundred years. Mankind's longevity of life after the fall speaks of the patience, grace, and mercy of God. It would appear, that mankind's days would have been shortened in those days. The characters we will see in this lesson and the lessons that follow will be instrumental in bringing about God's redemptive plan. No matter what man does or fails to do God's purpose and plan will be carried out. In today's lesson we are going to meet some of the most outstanding characters in God's plan of redemption. Although they were flawed, God still used them to carry out his plan.

1<sup>st</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:1-5.....*The Days and Times of Adam*

- A. The book of the generation of Adam- a record existed.
- B. In the day God created him.
- C. Male and female
- D. God blessed them. Question: What does this mean? \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Adam has a son at 130 years
- F. A son in his own image
- F. The son was Seth
- G. Adam had more children at 800 years.
- H. Adam lived 930 years and died.

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:6-8.....*The Days and Times of Seth*

- A. Seth has Enos at 105 years. (Notice the wives names are not mentioned-Why?)
- B. Seth 807 years after he begat Enos.
- C. Seth had more sons and daughters
- D. Seth lived 912 years and died.

3<sup>rd</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:9-11.....*The Days and Times of Enos*

- A. Begat Cainan at 90 years
- B. Enos lived 815 years after birth of Cainan
- C. Enos begat sons and daughters.
- D. Enos lived 905 years and died

4<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:12-14.....*The Days and Times of Cainan*

- A. Begat Mahalaleel at age 70.
- B. Cainan lived 840 after the birth of Mahalaleel
- C. Cainan lived 910 years and he died.

*5<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:15-18.....The Days and Times of Mahalaleel*

- A. Begat Jared at age 65
- B. Lived 830 years and begat sons and daughters.
- C. Mahalaleel lived 895 years and he died.

*6<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 5:18-20.....The Days and Times of Jared*

- A. Jared lived 162 and begat Enoch.
- B. Jared lived 800 years after birth of Enoch and died

*7<sup>th</sup> Reading -Genesis 5:21-24.....Enoch The Man Who Walked With God*

- A. Enoch begets Methuselah
- B. Enoch walked with God after the birth of Methuselah 300 years
- C. Enoch had more sons and daughters
- D. Enoch lives only 365 years.
- E. Enoch was not, God took him. Question: Did Enoch by-pass death?

*8<sup>th</sup> Reading- Genesis 5:25-27.....The Days and Times of Methuselah*

- A. Methuselah lived 187 years and begat Lamech:
- B. Methuselah lives 782 years and begat sons and daughters
- C. Methuselah lived 969 years and died. (The oldest patriarch)

*9<sup>th</sup> Reading- Genesis 5:28-32.....The Days and Times of Lamech*

- A. Lamech begets a son at 182 years
- B. Lamech's son was Noah.
- C. Meaning of Noah's name-
  - ❖ The same shall comfort us concerning our work,
  - ❖ because of the ground God has cursed
- D. Lamech lived 595 years after the birth of Noah and had sons and daughters.
- E. Lamech lived 777 years and died.
- F. Noah was 500 years old and be gat Shem, Ham, and Japheth.

**Spiritual Applications of The Lesson**

1. The long lives of the patriarchs was not due to righteousness but the grace of God.
2. God's patience, grace and mercy is always shining through every period of bible and world history.
3. Walking with God has wonderful benefits.
4. Enoch's life on earth was shorter but he enjoyed a greater blessing of being with God.
5. I wonder if God had a special assignment for Enoch by shortening his days.
6. No matter what man does or fails to do God's plan and purpose will still be carried out.
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**MEMORY VERSES:** "And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him." -----Genesis 5:24

