

## GENESIS 3:15 – Part 1

6/5/24

- Today – Opportunity to give a Bible study
  - Comment – This two-part series will precede the Day of Pentecost
  - Title – “Genesis 3:15 – Part 1”
  - Specifically – The Serpent Shall Bruise Christ’s Heel
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- Cunning serpent

Gen. 3:1            the serpent was more cunning than any beast of the field – asked: “has  
                          God indeed said that you shall not eat of every tree in the garden?”  
2-3                women – “we may eat of all the trees, except the one in the middle”  
4-5                serpent replied – “you will not die; for God knows that if you eat of it,  
                          your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God – knowing  
                          good and evil”  
11                 Lord God – “have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not  
                          to eat?”  
12                 the man blamed the woman  
13                 the woman blamed the serpent  
14-15             the Lord God – announced a penalty for the serpent  
16                 the Lord God – announced a penalty for the woman  
17-19             the Lord God – announced a penalty for the man

- Reminder of the penalty for the serpent

Gen. 3:14-15       notice the curses  
                          cursed more than all cattle & more than every beast of the field –  
                          on your belly, you shall go  
                          you shall eat dust all the days of your life  
                          I will put enmity between you and the woman  
                          I will put enmity between your seed and her Seed  
                          He shall bruise your head  
                          And you shall bruise His heel

- The Serpent Shall Bruise Christ’s Heel

Rev. 12:1-2        a woman delivered a Son  
                          3-5                a dragon stood before the woman who was ready to give birth – to devour  
   her Child as soon as it was born – she bore a male Child (who was  
   to rule all nations with a rod of iron) – her Child was caught up to  
   God and His throne  
Matt. 2:1-2        traveling leaders asked citizens where the King was to be born

3-4	Herod asked chief priests and scribes where the Christ was to be born
5-6	they said in Bethlehem – (quoting Micah 5:2)
7	Herod asked the religious leaders when they first saw the star
8	Herod sent the religious leaders to Bethlehem – to find the Child – and to contact him, “that I may come and worship Him also”
9-11	the leaders followed the star – worshipped the young Child
12	a dream – warned leaders not to return to Herod
13-15	angel – told Joseph to take the Child to Egypt – (Hosea 11:1)
16-18	Herod ordered the slaughter of young male children – (Jeremiah 31:15)
19-21	angel – told Joseph to return to Israel
22-23	they went to Nazareth
Matt. 4:3-4	the devil tempted the Son of God
5-7	the devil tempted the Son of God
8-10	the devil tempted the Son of God
Matt. 16:21	the Son of God told His disciples – go to Jerusalem – suffer many things from the elders, chief priests & scribes – be killed – raised 3 <sup>rd</sup> day
Matt. 26:3-5	chief priests, scribes and elders assembled – plotted to kill Him
14-16	Judas – betray Him for 30 pieces of silver
21-25	they asked which one of the 12 would betray Him
33-35	Peter (and all of them) said they would not betray Him
37-46	Son of God’s heartfelt prayer
47-50	betrayal’s kiss
56	all the disciples forsook Him
59	the chief priests, elders and council sought false testimony
67-68	they spit on Him – they hit Him
69-75	Peter denied Him 3 times
Matt. 27:20	the chief priests and elders persuaded the multitudes to ask for Barabbas
39-40	the citizens blasphemed Him
41-43	the chief priests mocked Him
44	the robbers (on the cross) reviled Him
46	the Son of God faced the trial
50	the Son of God yielded up His spirit
Acts 2:23	by lawless hands – have crucified and put to death
Acts 3:14-15	you denied the Holy One and the Just – and asked for a murderer to be granted to you – and you killed the Prince of life
Heb. 2:9	we see the Son of God (who was made a little lower than the angels for the suffering of death) – crowned with glory and honor – that He (by the grace of God) might taste death for everyone
14	the Son of God was a partaker of flesh and blood – that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death (that is, the devil)