

ADAM: MOLDED BY GOD



Bible Portions

- ▣ Genesis 1:26-5:5
- ▣ 1 Chronicles 1:1
- ▣ Luke 3:38
- ▣ Romans 5:14
- ▣ 1 Corinthians 15:22, 45
- ▣ 1 Timothy 2:13, 14

Adam: The First

- ▣ Heavens and the earth
- ▣ Formless and empty, darkness all over
- ▣ Spirit of God working
- ▣ Light (Day 1)
- ▣ Sky and water (Day 2)
- ▣ Land , seas, seed bearing plants, fruit bearing trees (Day 3)
- ▣ Sun, stars & moon (Day 4)
- ▣ Water beings, birds (Day 5)
- ▣ Living creatures (Day 6)

Adam: The Uniquely Privileged

- ▣ No parents
- ▣ Not a baby or a child (missed a lot!)
- ▣ No family or friends (still missed a lot!)
- ▣ No need to work, no health issues, no earnings
- ▣ Everything was given, no procurement
- ▣ Blameless and pure (no sense of fear, loss, sin, no complexes)
- ▣ Receiver of *Imago Dei* (Image of God)
- ▣ INTIMATE Relationship with God

Adam: The Assigned

- ▣ To rule over (*stewardship*) the fish of the sea, the birds of the air, over the livestock, over all the earth, over all the creatures that move along the ground.
- ▣ Be fruitful and increase in number, fill the earth and subdue it.
- ▣ To name the animals
- ▣ Not to eat from the tree of knowledge of good and evil.

Adam: The Irresponsible

- ▣ Avoided responsibility
- ▣ Blamed others
- ▣ Chose to hide
- ▣ Avoided confrontation
- ▣ Made excuses
- ▣ Not admitting the truth
- ▣ Teamed up (with Eve) to bring sin into the world

Adam: The Cursed & The Cared

- ▣ Threefold Curse (Serpent, Woman & Man)
- ▣ Curse is for the ground
- ▣ Painful toil
- ▣ Earth starting to produce thorns and thistles
- ▣ Dust-to-dust return
- ▣ Banishment from the garden (drove out)
- ▣ Almighty remembered to clothe His creation
- ▣ Was not destroyed forever, but given a chance

**REMEMBER THE CONSEQUENCES BEFORE
CHOOSING THE PATH OF DISOBEDIENCE**

Adam & Us

- ▣ How was I when I was born?
- ▣ How am I privileged in my life?
- ▣ How am I assigned in God's plan?
- ▣ Am I responsible in God's sight?

ARE WE UPTO THE MARK?

“The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time you fall.” – Nelson Mandela

▣ Thanks