

The Promise – Covenant Primer – Lesson 2

1. **Sabbath – Genesis 9:8-17; 12:1-3; Isaiah 54:9; Galatians 3:6-9,29; Exodus 6:1-8; Jeremiah 31:31-34.** – Why did Eve agree to accept the lies Satan offered instead of remaining loyal to God? What was the final outcome?
2. What is a covenant?
3. What was the life-changing commitment from God for us?
4. What was the difference between Noah’s family and everyone else?
5. **Covenant Basics Gen. 17:2 Gal. 3:16; Heb. 6:13, 17 Deut. 4:13 Isa. 42:1, 6** – What were the three main elements in the covenant that God wanted to make with us?
6. Did God have to make these arrangements?
7. Instead as one said, look at **Colossians 1:19-20**. What do we learn from those two verses?
8. Look at **Genesis 11:31**. Abram’s father Teran did what first?
9. **Covenant With Noah Gen. 6:18, 9:15, Isa. 54:9** – How would you reacted to hearing of water falling from the sky?
10. View **Genesis 6:22**. As you consider this verse and the story of Noah, what do you think were the terms of the covenant between Noah and God?
11. What about the Genesis 9:8-17. What confidence do we have regarding world-wide floods?
12. Would you say Noah’s covenant was a rescue mission contract? Think beyond the box here.
13. **The Covenant With Abram Gen 12:1–3 15:4–21, 17:1–14 Gal 3:6–9; 29 Heb. 11:8, 1 John 4:19** – Assume God came to you with this offer like Abram, would you gladly accept?
14. What would be the most difficult part of this offer?
15. Do you think Abram had a relationship with God before God came with the offer in Genesis 12:1-3?
16. **The Covenant With Moses Exodus 6:1–8 Gen. 17:7, 8 Exod. 19:5, 6 Gen. 12:2 with Exod. 19:6 Gen. 17:9–14, 22:16–18 John 1:29; 1 Cor. 15:3; Gal. 1:4, 2:20; Rom. 4:25; 8:1–3; 1 Peter 2:24** – Seems Moses’ covenant went further than Abram’s. What did God say?
17. Who was making the main promise?
18. God made a promise to Abram when he was 99 years old. How did that fit into the **Genesis 12:1-3** covenant?
19. Should God have honored Abraham and Sarah as the parents of the faithful, even after laughing at Him and lying to Him?
20. What did Abraham and Sarah name their son?
21. **The New Covenant Exo 6:7 Jer. 31:31–33** – What is new and what is old about this new covenant?
22. What does it mean to have God’s law written on your heart? See **Deut 6:6**.
23. It is interesting to notice that this is called a new covenant. But God’s promises are the same. How well are we doing on our part?
24. Do you think these verses show that God had exactly the same goal in mind all the time?
25. What is your goal?