

# LESSON NOTES & ANSWER SHEET

# BIBLE STUDY GUIDE

## LESSON TITLE

"HOW THE STORY BEGAN | THE FIRST HUMANS & THEIR HOME"  
[GENESIS 2:7~9, 15~25]

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## LESSON NOTES

- **Genesis 2:7**
  - "And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being."
    - **What are human beings according to the Word of God?**
      - **Genesis 3:19** // We are simply dust and we will return back to dust when we die
      - **Psalms 103:14** // God remembers that we are simply dust
      - **Job 33:4** // God's breath is what gives us life
      - **Acts 17:28** // It is in God that we move and have life
- **Genesis 2:8**
  - "The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden, and there He put the man whom He had formed."
- **Genesis 2:9-10**
  - "And out of the ground the Lord God made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. The tree of life was also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. 10 Now a river went out of Eden to water the garden, and from there it parted and became four riverheads."
- **Genesis 2:15-17**
  - "Then the Lord God took [c]the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it. 16 And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, 'Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; 17 but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die.'"
    - **Why is sin so deadly? What is it exactly?**
      - **1 John 3:4** // Sin is the transgression of God's law
      - **Romans 6:23** // The wages of sin is death
      - **James 1:15** // Sin always ends in death
      - **Isaiah 59:2** // Sin separates us from God
    - **Where is life found?**
      - **Acts 17:28** // We live and move and have our being in God
      - **John 14:6** // Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life
      - **John 6:63** // God's words are life

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- **Genesis 2:18-22**
  - "And the Lord God said, "It is not good that man should be alone; I will make him a helper comparable to him." 19 Out of the ground the Lord God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to Adam to see what he would call them. And whatever Adam called each living creature, that was its name. 20 So Adam gave names to all cattle, to the birds of the air, and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper comparable to him. 21 And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall on Adam, and he slept; and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh in its place. 22 Then the rib which the Lord God had taken from man He made into a woman, and He brought her to the man."
- **Genesis 2:23**
  - "And Adam said: "This is now bone of my bones And flesh of my flesh; She shall be called Woman, Because she was taken out of Man."
- **Genesis 2:24-25**
  - "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. 25 And they were both naked, the man and his wife, and were not ashamed."

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## STUDY GUIDE ANSWERS

### COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What did God use to form human beings?**
  - a. Answer: The dust of the ground [Genesis 2:7]
- 2. After God breathed the breath of life into man's nostrils, what did man become?**
  - a. Answer: A living being [Genesis 2:7]
- 3. Where did God plant the garden for man?**
  - a. Answer: In Eden [Genesis 2:8]
- 4. What two specific trees did God make?**
  - a. Answer: The tree of life and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil [Genesis 2:9]
- 5. What are the names of the four riverheads that came out of the river in Eden?**
  - a. Answer: Pishon, Gihon, Hiddekel, and Euphrates [Genesis 2:10-14]
- 6. What two things did God tell man to do to the Garden of Eden?**
  - a. Answer: To tend and keep it [Genesis 2:15]
- 7. What was the one rule that God gave to man?**
  - a. Answer: Not to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil [Genesis 2:17]
- 8. What would happen if they ate from the forbidden tree?**
  - a. Answer: They would surely die [Genesis 2:17]
- 9. Why did God decide to make a helper/companion for man?**
  - a. Answer: Because he said that it is not good for man to be alone [Genesis 2:18]

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## PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS

1. We must remember the importance of being connected to God throughout the day because it is His breath that gives us life. In other words, without Him, it is impossible to experience real life. (or to “live life to the fullest”)
2. Whenever we recognize sin, we must remember the fact that it separates us from God. In other words, sin literally pushes us further away from the One Who created us and sustains us.
3. We must remember that God is also interested in our relationships and wants to see us happy. In other words, God works hard to help us create strong and healthy relationships.