

Genesis Lesson 10

5:9 Then the Lord said to Cain, "Where is your brother Abel?"

"I don't know," he replied. "Am I my brother's guardian?"

10 Then He said, "What have you done? Your brother's blood cries out to Me from the ground!

11 So now you are cursed, alienated, from the ground that opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood you have shed.

12 If you work the ground, it will never again give you its yield. You will be a restless wanderer on the earth."

13 But Cain answered the Lord, "My punishment is too great to bear!

hatreds, strife, jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambitions, dissensions, factions,

**If he wasn't
going to be his
brothers
keeper
then nobody
would be his
keeper.**

14 Since You are banishing me today from the soil, and I must hide myself from Your presence and become a restless wanderer on the earth, whoever finds me will kill me."

15 Then the Lord replied to him, “In that case, whoever kills Cain will suffer vengeance seven times over.” And He placed a mark on Cain so that whoever found him would not kill him.

16 Then Cain went out from the Lord’s presence and lived in the land of Nod, east of Eden.

I DON'T NEED GOD.
I CAN LIVE MY LIFE FINE
WITHOUT HIM.
I DON'T WANT ANYONE TO
TELL ME WHAT TO DO.
I'M GOING TO SHOW GOD
THAT I CAN DO LIFE ON MY
OWN.

17 Cain was intimate with his wife, and she conceived and gave birth to Enoch. Then Cain became the builder of a city, and he named the city Enoch after his son.

Genesis 5:4

4 Adam lived 800 years after the birth of Seth, and he fathered other sons and daughters.



18 Irad was born to Enoch

Irada fathered Mehujael, Mehujael fathered Methushael, and Methushael fathered Lamech.

Mehujael

Methushael

Lamech

19 Lamech took two wives for himself, one named Adah and the other named Zillah.

1 Corinthians 7:2 (NIV84)

2 But since there is so much immorality, each man should have his own wife, and each woman her own husband.

Exodus 20

"You shall not commit adultery.

Genesis 16:3 (NIV84)

3 So after Abram had been living in Canaan ten years, Sarai his wife took her Egyptian maidservant Hagar and gave her to her husband to be his wife.

1 Samuel 1:1–6

1 There was a certain man...whose name was Elkanah...

2 He had two wives; one was called Hannah and the other Peninnah. Peninnah had children, but Hannah had none.

6 And because the Lord had closed her womb, her rival kept provoking her in order to irritate her.

Deuteronomy 17:16 (NIV84)

16 The king...

17 "He shall not multiply wives for himself, or else his heart will turn away; nor shall he greatly increase silver and gold for himself.

*THERE WILL
ALWAYS BE
TURMOIL WHEN
WE DON'T DO
WHAT GOD
TELLS US TO
DO!*

20 Adah bore Jabal; he was the father of the nomadic herdsman.

Jabal

21 His brother was named Jubal; he was the father of all who play the lyre and the flute.

Jubal

22 Zillah bore Tubal-cain, who made all kinds of bronze and iron tools.

**Tubal-
cain**

23 Lamech said to his wives: Adah and Zillah, hear my voice; wives of Lamech, pay attention to my words. For I killed a man for wounding me, a young man for striking me.

24 If Cain is to be avenged seven times over, then for Lamech it will be seventy-seven times!

- 1. Defiant, (ungodly)**
- 2. polygamy, (4:19)**
- 3. Murderers (4:23)**
- 4. Proudful, (4:24)**

25 Adam was intimate with his wife again, and she gave birth to a son and named him Seth, for she said, "God has given me another child in place of Abel, since Cain killed him."

Seth

26 A son was born to Seth also, and he named him Enosh.

Enosh

At that time people began to call on the name of Yahweh.

Genesis 5 (HCSB)

- 1 These are the family records of the descendants of Adam. On the day that God created man, He made him in the likeness of God;**
- 2 He created them male and female. When they were created, He blessed them and called them man.**

3 Adam was 130 years old when he fathered a son in his likeness, according to his image, and named him Seth.

4 Adam lived 800 years after the birth of Seth, and he fathered other sons and daughters.

5 So Adam's life lasted 930 years; then he died.

6 Seth was 105 years old when he fathered Enosh.

Enosh

7 Seth lived 807 years after the birth of Enosh, and he fathered other sons and daughters.

8 So Seth's life lasted 912 years; then he died.

9 Enosh was 90 years old when he fathered Kenan.

Kenan

10 Enosh lived 815 years after the birth of Kenan, and he fathered other sons and daughters.

13 Kenan lived 840 years after the birth of Mahalalel, and he fathered other sons and daughters.

Mahalalel

15 Mahalalel was 65 years old when he fathered

Jared

Jared.

16 Mahalalel lived 830 years after the birth of Jared,

**and he fathered other sons and daughters.
18 Jared was 162 years old when he fathered Enoch.**

Enoch

21 Enoch was 65 years old when he fathered Methuselah.

Methuselah

22 And after the birth of Methuselah, Enoch walked with God 300 years and fathered other sons and daughters.

23 So Enoch's life lasted 365 years.

24 Enoch walked with God; then he was not there because God took him.

Enoch and Elijah are seen as possibilities for the two witnesses because of the unique circumstances surrounding their exit from the world.

Enoch and Elijah, as far as we know, are the only two individuals whom God has taken directly to heaven without experiencing death ([Genesis 5:23](#); [2 Kings 2:11](#)).

Proponents of this view point to [Hebrews 9:27](#), which says that all men are appointed to die once.

The fact that neither Enoch nor Elijah has yet experienced death seems to qualify them for the job of the two witnesses, who will be killed when their job is done.

In addition, both Enoch and Elijah were prophets who pronounced God's judgment ([1 Kings 17:1](#); [Jude 1:14-15](#)).

25 Methuselah was 187 years old when he fathered Lamech.

Lamech

**28 Lamech was 182 years old when he fathered a son.
29 And he named him Noah,**

Noah

saying, "This one will bring us relief from the agonizing labor of our hands, caused by the ground the Lord has cursed."

32 Noah was 500 years old, and he fathered Shem, Ham, and Japheth.

**Shem,
Ham,
Japheth**

Luke 3:23-38 (HCSB)

23 As He began His ministry, Jesus was about 30 years old and was thought to be the son of Joseph, son of Heli,

36 ...son of Shem, son of Noah, son of Lamech,

37 son of Methuselah, son of Enoch, son of Jared...

38 son of Enos, son of Seth, son of Adam, son of God.

Genesis 3:15 (NIV84)

15 And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.”

Max Jukes, was an atheist who lived a ungodly life and married an ungodly women.

They had 540 descendants, 310 died paupers, 150 were criminals, 7 murders, 100 Drunkards, more than half of the women were prostitutes.

Johnathan Edwards, lived a godly life, and married a godly women. They had 1,394 descendants, 13 were college presidents, 65 were college professors, 3 U.S. Senators, 30 were judges, 100 lawyers, 60 doctors, 75 army and navy officers, 100 preachers and missionaries, 60 authors of prominence, 1 vice-president of the United States, 8 were public officials, 295 college graduates of whom some became state governors and U.S. ambassadors.

One lived an ungodly life and had a detrimental effect on his descendants.

The other lived a godly life and had a tremendous positive influence on his descendants.