

Welcome to Rehoboth New Life Center Tuesday study September 13th 2016

The Gardener



Psalms 1:3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

The process

Isaiah 43:7 Even every one that is called by my name: for I have **created** him for my glory, I have **formed** him; yea, I have **made** him.



- Created: Hebrew, ☐☐ "Bara"
- Formed: Hebrew, אין, "Yatsar"
- Made: Hebrew, ¬X[, "Asah"

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Created: "The Spirit/soul"

• Formed: "The Body"

Made: "The Spirit Covering"

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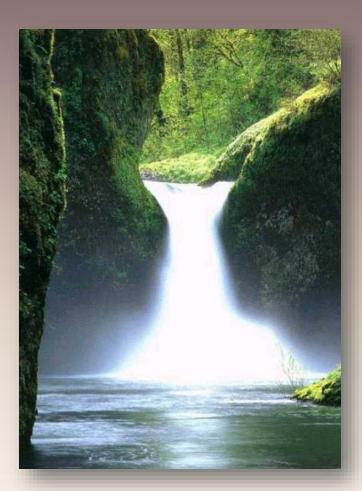
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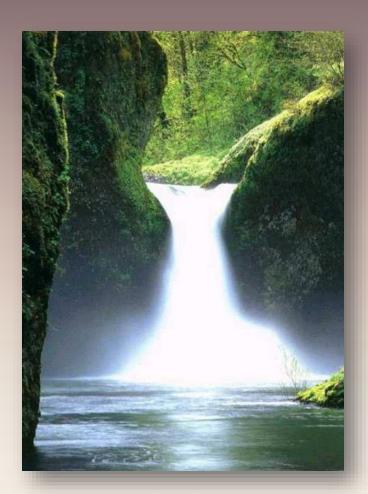
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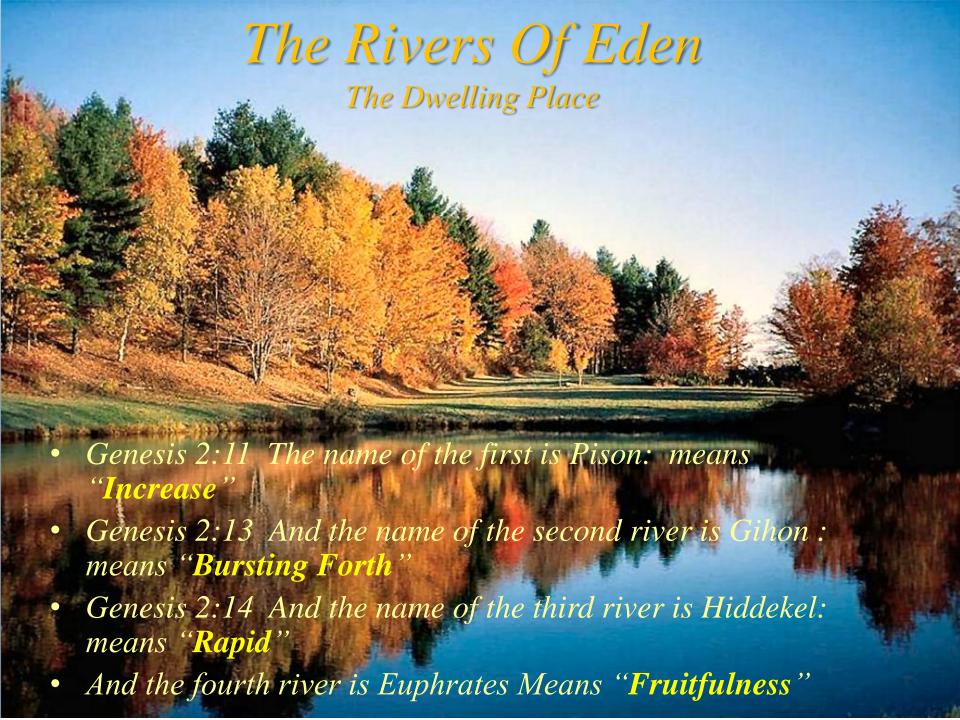
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• Water: Hebrew, אקה, "Shaqah"

The Gardener's plan



- Create
- Form
- Make
- Plant
- Grow
- Water



The Gardener In the Garden



Genesis 3:8 And they heard the voice of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God amongst the trees of the garden.

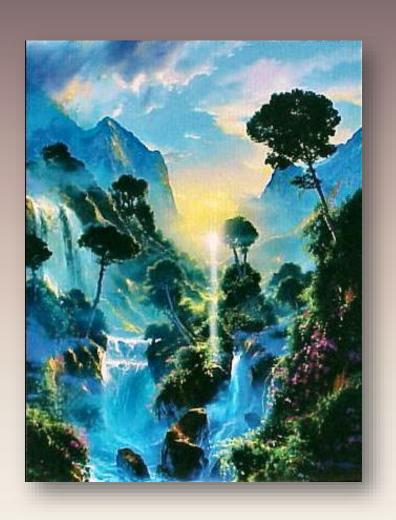
John 20:15 Jesus saith unto her, Woman, why weepest thou? whom seekest thou? She, supposing him to be the gardener, saith unto him, Sir, if thou have borne him hence, tell me where thou hast laid him, and I will take him away.

16 Jesus saith unto her, Mary. She turned herself, and saith unto him, Rabboni; which is to say, Master.

The Gardener's plan for us

- Create: Psalms 51:10 Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.
- Formed: Galatians 4:19 ¶My little children, of whom I travail in birth again until Christ be formed in you,
- Made: Titus 3:7 That being justified by his grace, we should be made heirs according to the hope of eternal life.
- Plant: Romans 6:5 For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection:
- Grow: Ephesians 4:15 But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ:
- Water: John 4:14 But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life.

Planted?



• Genesis 2:8 ¶And the LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed.

WHY planted, why not created, or formed? Or made?

The Four Major Groups of Plants

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Mosses and now half of plants reproduce without seeds!

"Yielding seed after his kind"



• Genesis 1:12 And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, after his kind: and God saw that it was good.

Reproduction without Seed!

Vegetative reproduction

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Vegetative reproduction (vegetative propagation, vegetative multiplication, vegetative cloning) is a form of asexual reproduction in plants. It is a process by which new individuals arise without production of seeds or spores. It can occur naturally or be induced by horticulturists.

- Canada thistle:
- Canada thistle (Cirsium arvense)
 is an aggressive, creeping
 perennial weed that infests crops,
 pastures, rangeland, roadsides and
 noncrop areas

Genesis 3:18 Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field;



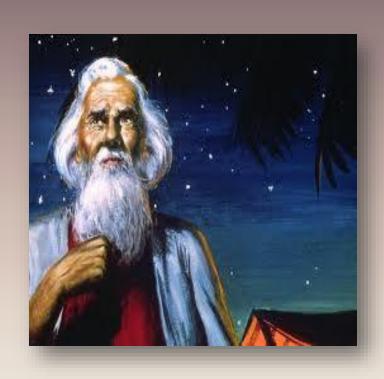


God planted the first seeds!



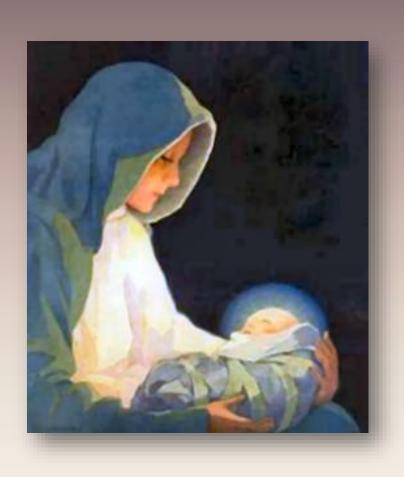
- Before the fall, Man was only given to eat of plants, that had seed that God had originally planted!
- This was a model for the plan of redemption
 - Genesis 3:15 And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

The Gardener works with seeds!



 Genesis 17:19 And God said, Sarah thy wife shall bear thee a son indeed; and thou shalt call his name Isaac: and I will establish my covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with his seed after him.

The fulfillment



Hebrews 2:16 For verily he took not on him the nature of angels; but he took on him the seed of Abraham.

• Hebrews 11:11 Through faith also Sara herself received strength to conceive seed, and was delivered of a child when she was past age, because she judged him faithful who had promised.

Have you been Planted by the Gardener?

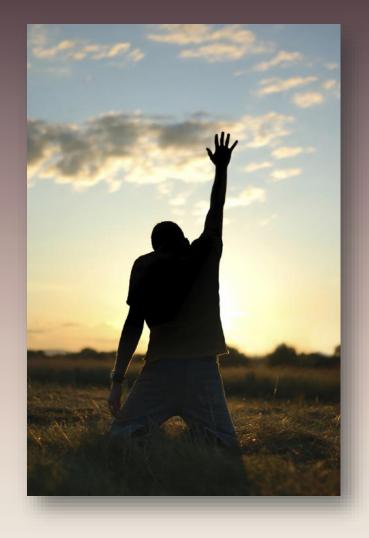


• Romans 6:5 For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection:

Who has planted You?



- Matthew 13:24 ¶Another parable put he forth unto them, saying, The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field:
- 25 But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way.
- 26 But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares also.



• 1 John 3:9 Whosoever is born of God doth not commit sin; for his seed remaineth in him: and he cannot sin, because he is born of God.

1 John 1:8 ¶If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

2 Corinthians 5:19 To wit, that God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them; and hath committed unto us the word of reconciliation.

The time of harvest



- 27 So the servants of the householder came and said unto him, Sir, didst not thou sow good seed in thy field? from whence then hath it tares?
- 28 He said unto them, An enemy hath done this. The servants said unto him, Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up?
- 29 But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them.

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Matthew 15:13 But he answered and said, Every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up.

• 30 Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.

Return to the garden



Revelation 2:7 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.

Revelation 22:2 In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.

Revelation 22:14 Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.