

Genesis 2

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Study Notes

Read through Genesis 1:27-31; Genesis 2:1-25.

What did God call "very good" on the sixth day of creation?

Why do you think God said this? To whom did he say this to?

What authority did God give mankind?

What verse(s) explain why God created mankind?

What commands did God give to the man prior to creating the woman?

How does the authority of the man compare to that of the woman? What specific verse(s) highlight the purpose of the creation of the woman versus the creation of the man?

How does the man recognize the woman? What does he say?

Why did God feel the need to create someone for the man? How does this connect to God's word in Ecclesiastes 4:4-9? Can you think of scripture that support Genesis 2:18?

In the New Testament, who is considered our spiritual helper in John 14? How does the role of 'The Helper' in John 14 differ from that of Eve with Adam in this study?



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What gift does God give to the man and woman?

How are the man and woman supposed to honor this gift? What do you think it means to be 'one flesh'?

According to Genesis 2:25, how were the man and woman in God's presence? What kind of relationship did God intend to have with mankind?

"It is not good for man to be alone. I will make him a helper fit for him." Genesis 2:18

Based on your study, why is it not good for man to be alone?

How does this connect to mankind being created in God's image?

Action Item

Apply the SOAP study method on this verse.

- 1. Scripture: select verse
- 2. **Observation:** what do you notice?
- 3. Application: what are ways you can allow this verse to strengthen your faith, grow your awareness of God, or comfort you? How can you apply this verse this week?



