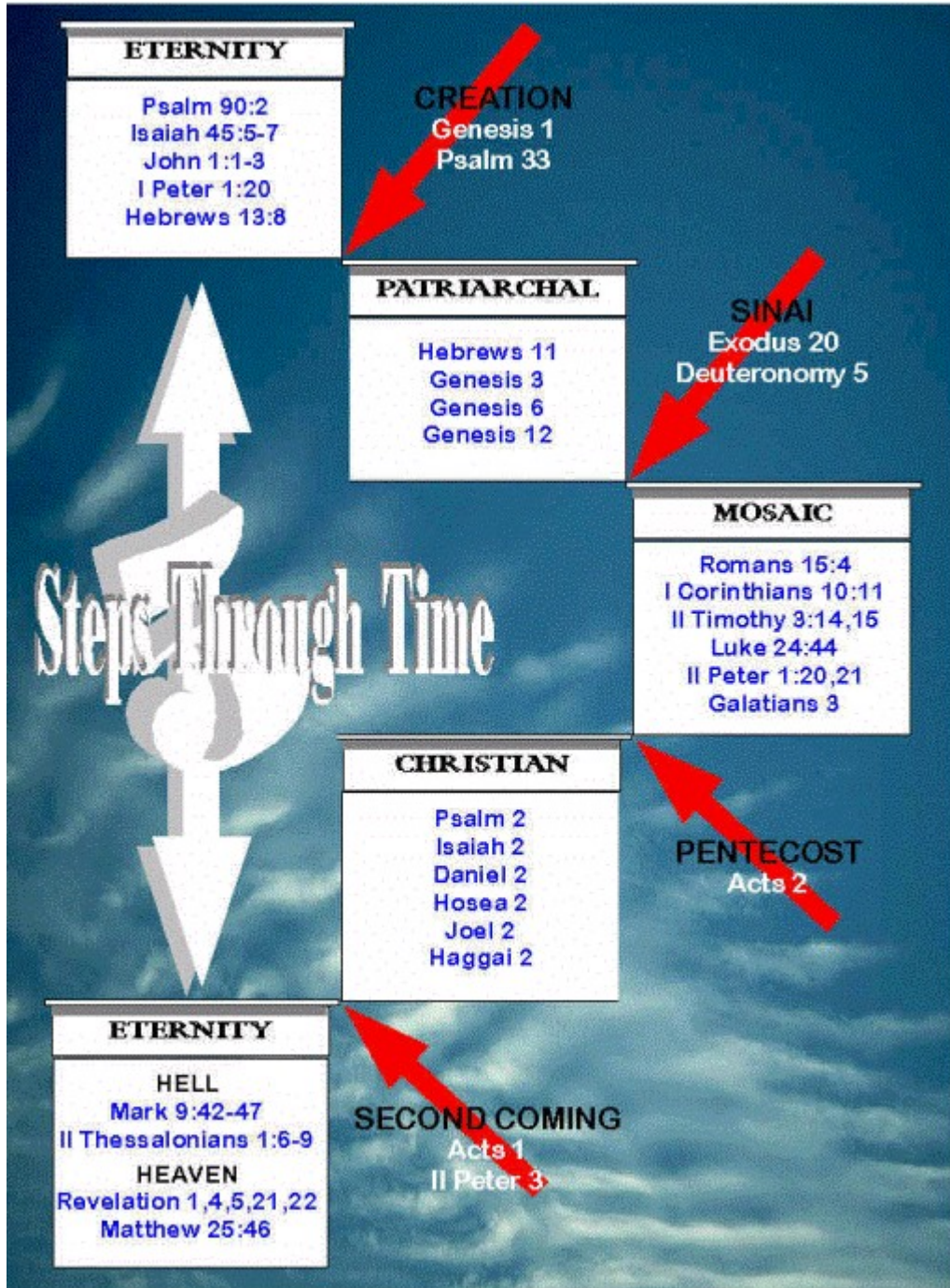


Lesson One:

FIVE STEPS THROUGH TIME



Questions from the Chart: 5 Steps Through Time

1. What are the five steps in this lesson?

a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

d. _____ e. _____

2. What are the four transition points (represented by the four arrows)?

a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

d. _____

3. What are the scriptures under each of the transition points?

a. Creation: _____ and _____

b. Sinai: _____ and _____

c. Pentecost: _____

d. Second Coming: _____ and _____

Questions from the Video

4. *Multiple Choice*: According to 2 Timothy 2:15, the plan of these lessons is to (a) rightly divide the word of truth; (b) invent our own plan of salvation; (c) earn eternal life.

5. 1 Peter 3:15 teaches us to (a) worship in spirit and in truth; (b) be ready to answer; (c) remember the sabbath.

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6. *Fill in the Blanks*: Psalm 90:2: "Before the _____ were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the _____ and the _____, even from _____ to _____, thou art God."

7. *True or False*: The Bible gives us great information about the fact that one God exists.

True _____ False _____

8. Isaiah 45:5-7 is a prophecy that was fulfilled in the life of Cyrus, King of Persia. This prophecy teaches us that (a) Cyrus was a god; (b) there is one true God; (c) God did not want Cyrus to know about Him (See also Isaiah 44:28-45:4).

9. John 1:1-3 teaches us that God the Father was the only One involved in creation. True _____

False _____

10. Genesis 1:1-2 teaches us that the Spirit of God was involved in creation. True _____ False _____

11. Hebrews 11:6 teaches that without _____ it is impossible to please God.

12. 1 Peter 1:18-20 teaches that "before the foundation of the world" Jesus was (a) not in existence; (b) foreordained to die for us; (c) not aware of God's plan.

PATRIARCHAL

13. The first period of time on earth was the (a) Patriarchal; (b) Mosaic; (c) Christian Age.

14. The beginning of the Patriarchal Age (patriarch means "father"; see Hebrews 1:1-2) was (a) on Pentecost; (b) on Mount Sinai; (c) at Creation.

15. Hebrews 11:1-3: "Now _____ is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report. Through _____ we understand that the _____ were framed by the _____ of _____, so that things which are seen were not made of things which _____."

16. Sin entered the human race early and often. God then began to reveal what He planned to do about it in Genesis 3:15: "And I will put _____ (hostility) between thee and the _____, and between thy seed and her _____; it shall _____ thy head, and thou shalt bruise his _____." This is the first prophecy in the Bible of the coming of Christ.

17. Sin then engulfed the human race, except for Noah and his family. The Bible says something wonderful about him in Genesis 6:22: "Thus did _____; according to _____ that God _____ him, so did he."

18. The promise of God to Abram in Genesis 12:1-3 includes "all _____ of the _____."

MOSAIC

19. The Mosaic Age began in a very identifiable way at Mount _____ (Exodus 20).

20. Romans 15:4 shows the value of the Old Testament today by saying that those scriptures are "for

our _____, that we through _____ and _____ of the scriptures might have hope."

21. 1 Corinthians 10:11 shows the value of the Old Testament today by saying that those events were "for _____ (examples; types): and they were written for our _____, upon whom the ends of the world are come."

22. 2 Timothy 3:14-15 shows the value of the Old Testament today by saying that those scriptures "are _____ to make thee wise unto _____ through faith which is in Christ Jesus."

23. Luke 24:44 shows the value of the Old Testament today by saying that those scriptures contained all things that "must be _____, which were written in the _____ of Moses, and in the _____, and in the _____, concerning _____."

24. 2 Peter 1:20-21 shows the value of the Old Testament today by saying that those scriptures were inspired of God. "Knowing this first, that no _____ of the scripture is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the _____ of man: but holy men of God _____ as they were _____ by the _____."

CHRISTIAN

25. But the Mosaic Age was not intended to last forever. Colossians 2:14 teaches that it was _____ to the cross (see also Ephesians 2:14-15).

26. The Christian Age, which is the final period of time on earth, also had a very identifiable beginning. It began on the _____ of _____ in Acts 2.

27. *Match the following.*

- _____ Psalm 2:6 a. Those who were not His people would become His people
- _____ Isaiah 2:2-4 b. The Holy Spirit would be poured out in the last days
- _____ Daniel 2:31-45 c. The Lord's house to be established in Jerusalem
- _____ Hosea 2:23 d. God would set His King on His holy hill of Zion
- _____ Joel 2:28-32 e. Quoted in Hebrews 12 to show that we are under the new covenant
- _____ Haggai 2 :6-9 f. An image with four parts, and a kingdom that God would set up

28. Items of identification for the church:

- ____ beginning a. The faith, or New Testament; that which we are to believe
- ____ creed b. John 17:20-21 (to be "one" as God and Jesus are)
- ____ terms of entrance c. Pentecost; a Sunday
- ____ names d. Philippians 1:1; Ephesians 4:11 (elders, deacons, teachers, preachers)
- ____ worship e. The same for every person (Mark 16:16)
- ____ unity f. Romans 16:16; Acts 11:26 (churches of Christ; Christians)
- ____ organization g. John 4:24; Acts 2:42 (in spirit and in truth)
- ____ mission h. Colossians 3:1-17 (things to "mortify," "put off," and "put on")
- ____ morals i. Matthew 28:18-20 (go, teach, baptize)

ETERNITY

29. The Christian Age is the last period of time on earth. The second coming and the resurrection are sure

to occur someday as Jesus taught in John 5:28-29: "The _____ is coming, in the which _____ that are in the _____ shall hear his _____."

30. Eternity for us is coming. All of us will have an eternal habitation. Jesus taught that _____ are on the way that leads to destruction and _____ are on the way that leads to life (Matthew 7:13-14).

31. In John 12:48, Jesus said this about the judgment: "He that _____ me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the _____ that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the _____" (also read verses 49-50).

32. 2 Thessalonians 1:6-9 teaches that it is a _____ thing with God to recompense _____ to the disobedient.

33. On what basis are you getting ready for that day? Are you letting the Bible—which will judge you—be your guide so that the last day will be joyous for you? What will you receive on that day?

Read Matthew 25:46: "And these shall go away into _____"

_____ but the _____ into _____."

*Let us spend our time getting
ready for eternity!*

*Are you willing to step through
time with Him?*

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