

INTRODUCTION

- * Genesis, the book of beginnings, is the foundation for much of what we believe ... truly it is the beginning of the whole counsel of God
- * We have seen the creation of the universe, the creation of man, man's choice to sin, the result of Cain's selfishness, & the recording of the global flood
- * Through each of those accounts, we see God's interaction with man
- * Today, we will consider His interaction with man in the days after the flood

INSTRUCTION

I. PRACTICALLY

A. Di _____ to God's Command (cf. Gen 9:1; 11:4)

B. Di _____ of the Earth

1. L _____ ICALLY (cf. Gen 10:5,20,31; 11:1,6,7,9; Isaiah 28:11)
2. G _____ ICALLY (Genesis 10)

II. PROPHETICALLY

A. Genesis 10: 8-12; 11:1-9

1. NIMROD'S EXPANSIONS (Gen 10: 8-12)
2. THE TOWER OF BABEL (Gen 11: 1-9)

B. Isaiah 14:3-23

C. Daniel 2: 31-45

D. Zechariah 5: 5-11

E. Revelation 13:11-18, 14:8-11; 17:1-19:4

1. POLITICAL BABYLON (Revelation 13 & 14; 17:8-14)
2. RELIGIOUS BABYLON (Revelation 17)
 - * The Roman Catholic church syncretized the gods & goddesses into the church
 - * The Protestant ecumenical movement of the U.S. has been doing so as well ... Gaia
 - * What the eighth kingdom's religion will look like is still being formulated
 - * Man has always used religion as tool of manipulation ... and yet when used that way, man has always despised it
3. COMMERCIAL BABYLON (Revelation 18)
 - * The falling of the twin towers is a great fore-shadow of this collapse
 - * There will be the necessity of bowing to the antichrist to buy/sell

DATE INDIVIDUAL/EVENT

1056	Noah born
1140	<i>Enosh dies @ 905</i>
1235	<i>Cainan dies @ 910</i>
1290	<i>Mahalalee dies @ 895</i>
1422	<i>Jared dies @ 962</i>
1558	Shem born
1651	<i>Lamech dies @ 777</i>
1656	<i>Methusaleh dies @ 969</i>
1656	FLOOD Noah is 600
1657	After Flood (Noah 601)
1658	Arphaxad born (Shem 100)
1693	Salah born (Arphaxad 35)
1723	Eber born (Salah 30)
1757	Peleg born (Eber 34)
1787	Reu born (Peleg 30)
1819	Serug born (Reu 32)
1849	Nahor born (Serug 30)
1878	Terah born (Nahor 29)
1948	Abram born (Terah 70)
1996	<i>Peleg dies @ 239</i> (Abram 48)
**	Arphaxad (2096) 8yr after Isaac/Rebekah
**	Salah (2126) 18 yr after Jacob/Esau born
**	Shem (2158) Jacob & Esau 50 yrs old!
**	Eber (2187) 2 yrs after Jacob to Laban!

INTROSPECTION

- * HOW FAITHFUL ARE WE TO OBEY GOD'S WILL?
- * ARE WE SEEKING TO BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM - OR OUR OWN?
- * WHOSE SYSTEM ARE YOU INVESTING IN - GOD'S OR THE WORLD'S?