

BLESSING IN CHAOS

Genesis 9:1-29



What does it mean to be blessed?

1. The _____ (1-7)

"and God blessed Noah"

- multiplication (1) –
- _____ (2) –
- _____ (3) –
- _____ (4-6) –

2. The _____ (8-17)

- the oath (8-11)

covenant =

Re-Creation

Earth is made inhabitable (1:9-10; 8:1-3)
Living creatures brought out (1:20-25; 8:17-19)
Days and seasons re-established (1:14-18; 8:22)
Humans blessed by God (1:28; 9:1)
Commanded to be fruitful (1:28; 9:1, 7)
Given dominion (1:28; 9:2)
Man made in God's image (1:26-27; 9:6)
Man given food (1:29-30; 9:3)

- the _____ (12-17)

3. The curse/blessing (18-29)

- Lots of questions
- According to the story...

Why was Canaan cursed?

What does all this mean?