

The Book of Genesis
Week Ten – The Meaning of the Book of Genesis

LOOKING AT THE BIG PICTURE

	KEY EVENT(S)	KEY THEMES
Gen 1-11		
Gen 12-36		
Gen 37-50		

KEY FEATURES OF READING THE BOOK OF GENESIS

A Beginning Implies an End

Narrative-Poetry-Epilogue

Sojourning and the Future

GETTING FROM THE “SEED” TO JESUS?

Genesis 3.15

Key Genealogies (Gen 5; Gen 10-11; Ruth 4; Matt 1)

Key Poetry (Gen 9; Gen 49; Nu 24; 1 Sam 2; Ps 1, 72, 110, Isa 53)

KEY POINTS OF APPLICATION FROM GENESIS AS A WHOLE

Think Within the God-Authored Patterns of Creation (Allow the Past to Give Meaning to the Future)

Sing with the Prophets (Celebrate the Events of the Last Days)

Long For the Fulfillment of the Promises (Those Things Still to Come)

BEYOND THE BOOK OF GENESIS

Exodus 1-12

Exodus 13-18

The Sinai Narrative