Genesis Study Questions Per\_\_\_Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Instructions: This is not homework. However, it is recommended you search for answers as you read. We will review answers during class.*

Ch.1 Explain how God is able to create, what does he *do*?

What is God’s reaction to all that he creates?

Ch.2 How is God’s creation of man different from the way he creates other things?

How is God’s creation of Eve different from Adam’s creation?

Ch.3 How does Adam & Eve’s relationship with God change?

Name all the consequences of eating the forbidden fruit: (include the snake)

Ch.4 What is Cain afraid will happen while he wanders the earth? How does God respond to his fear?

After Adam has a son named Seth, what do men begin to do?

Ch.5 What is chapter 5 “a book of?” What does that mean?

What happens to Enoch in verse 24?

Ch.6 What happens to the length of man’s lives?

What was different about Noah compared to other men?

Ch.7 What is going to happen for 40 days and 40 nights?

By the end of the chapter, who is alive?

Ch.8 How does Noah check to see if the water has dried up?

What is the “sweet savour” that God smells?

Ch.9 What do God’s instructions to Noah have in common with his instructions to Adam?

How does Noah punish Ham for disrespecting his father?

Ch.10 Who was the father of Caanan? (double check ch.10)

Ch.11 How many languages were there on earth at this time?

*Why* do they want to make a tower to the heavens? (sky)

Which of Noah’s sons is Abram descended from?

Ch.12 There is a focus change in chapter 12, from focusing on the history of all humanity to –what?

What blessing does God give Abram? How old is he at this time?

Ch.13 Who promises Abram he will have so many offspring you won’t be able to count them?

Ch.14 Why won’t Abram accept anything the king of Sodom wants to give him?

Ch.15 How many kids does the Lord say Abram will have?

What will afflict Abram’s children for 400 years?

Ch.16 Why does Sarai despise Hagar?

How old is Abram when Ishmael is born?

Ch.17 What is the reason God changes Abram’s name to Abraham?

Why does God change Sarai’s name to Sarah?

Ch.18 What is Sarah’s reaction to the visitors’ telling her she will have a child?

What argument does Abraham have against destroying the wicked cities?

Ch.19 Who goes with Lot out of the city, following the angels’ orders?

What happened when Lot’s wife looked back at the cities as they were leaving?

Ch.20 What happens between Abraham, Sarah, and the king of Gerar (Ablimech) that happened once earlier?

Ch.21 How old is Abraham when Isaac is born?

How does Abraham react when Sarah says to send Hagar and Ishmael away?

Ch.22 What does God tell Abraham to burn on a mountain as a sacrifice?

What is repeated about Abraham (his blessing)?

Ch.23 When Abraham is ready to bury Sarah (127 years), what do the children of Heth say about who he is?

Ch.24 How does the servant know that Rebekah is the right girl for Isaac to marry?

What is the name of Rebekah’s brother?

Ch.25 How old is Abraham when he “gives up the ghost?”

When she Rebekah prays about her pregnancy, what does the Lord say is in her womb?

Why does Esau despise his birthright?

Ch.26 What happens for the first time in the land during the days of Abraham?

What blessing is repeated?

Ch.27 How does Jacob (and Rebekah) trick Isaac into thinking he is Esau?

What does Jacob take from Esau?

Ch.28 Instead of a Canaanite woman, who does Isaac tell Jacob to marry?

Ch. 29 What does Jacob have to do before he marries Rachel?

Why does the Lord give Leah many sons and Rachel has no children?

Ch.30 How do Rachel and Leah choose names for their children?

What does Jacob ask Laban for?

Ch.31 What does God have to do about Laban cheating Jacob out of wages?

What does Rachel take from her father’s house?

Ch.32 When the servant returns, why does Jacob become distressed (afraid)?

What does Jacob do to try to win his brother’s favor?

Why does Jacob get a new name?

Ch.33 Describe Esau’s reunion with Jacob.

Ch. 34 Who kills all the men in Shechem’s city in defense of their sister Dinah?

Ch.35 Who has a son named Benjamin in a place called Bethel?

Ch.36 Who *is* Edom?

Ch.37 Which of his children does Israel love the most?

How do his brothers convince their father he has been killed?

Ch.38 Judah marries a woman from which place?

Ch.39 What is the job (rank) of the Egyptian who buys Joseph?

What does he put Joseph in charge of?

What does the keeper of the prison put Joseph in charge of?

Ch.40 What represents three days in the chief baker and chief butler’s dream?

Ch.41 What does the number 7 mean will happen in Egypt according to Joseph?

What does Pharaoh put Joseph in charge of?

How far does the famine spread?

Ch.42 What does Jacob (Israel) send his sons to buy in Egypt?

What does the governor of Egypt think of these men when they arrive?

Ch.43 Why does Jacob tell his sons to take special nuts and spices back with them to Egypt?

What is special about Benjamin’s dinner at Joseph’s house?

Ch.44 What does Joseph have his steward put into Benjamin’s corn sack?

Ch.45 Why does Joseph cry?

Describe Joseph’s father’s reaction when his brothers tell him Joseph is alive.

Ch.46 What does the God of Isaac promise to Israel?

How many people does Israel bring with him to Egypt?

Ch.47 How does Pharoah treat Israel? (hint: v. 6)

What happens in verse 20?

How long does Jacob live in Egypt?

Ch.48 Where does Israel bury Rachel?

Ch.49 Why does Jacob gather his sons? (hint: What does he want to tell him?)

What does Jacob do when he gathers up his feet in his bed?

Ch.50 How long does Egypt mourn for Israel?

What does Joseph say to his brethren as he dies at 110?