

## Lesson 9: GOD’S BOOK TELLS OF HIS CREATION WORK

- **GOD’S BOOK – THE BIBLE**

“<sup>1</sup>In the beginning **God** created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup>The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the **Spirit of God** was moving over the surface of the waters.”

(Genesis 1:1,2)

- **WHO** created the heavens and the earth?

Read the verses below to learn who created all things:

Genesis 1:1 \_\_\_\_\_

Genesis 1:2 \_\_\_\_\_

Genesis 1:26 \_\_\_\_\_

Hebrews 1:2 \_\_\_\_\_

~**UNDERSTANDING BIBLE WORDS**~

ELOHIM is a Hebrew name for God. It is a word that is singular. But it also has a plural sense to it. ELOHIM is a word like team, family, troop.

**ONE GOD ... 3 PERSONS**

An apple has 3 parts:

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But it is *one apple*.



GOD is made of 3 persons:

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HE is *ONE GOD*.

*Note: This is not a perfect analogy!*

- **Who wrote about Creation in Genesis 1 & 2?**

\_\_\_\_\_ How do we know who wrote it? See Exodus 17:14.

- Who was Moses writing **TO**?

The Israelites had just left Egypt, where they had been slaves. For 400 years they had lived among people that worshiped many gods. The Egyptians worshiped the god of the Sun, Sky, Water, etc. Moses is telling the Israelites about the TRUE God who created them.

Watch this video about “The Egyptian Creation Myth” (3:17)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uTy49JlgJZE> Made by bigmyth.com

It also contains links to videos on other Creation myths (e.g. Hindu, etc.)