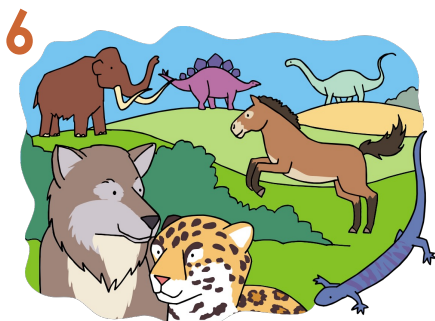


Video:
https://youtu.be/lh-sBWjldHE?si=8zT5VMI_I3iqshRI
 (4:05) In the Image of God by
 Gracelink



**Lesson #2: GOD CREATED ANIMALS & PEOPLE, DAYS 6 & 7
 (GENESIS 1:24 - 2)**



The Bible says, “On the sixth day of creation God made animals. Then God said, “Let the earth be filled with animals. And let each produce more of its own kind. Let there be tame animals and small crawling animals and wild animals. And let each produce more of its kind. So God made the... animals. God saw that this was good.” (Genesis 1:24-25) ICB

Now it was time for a special creation. God said, “Let’s make man in Our image.” Something was going to be different about the man. With everything else God made, He said, “Let there be _____” and it happened. But God wanted to make man in a special way.

“Then the Lord God took dust from the ground and formed man from it. The Lord breathed the breath of life into the man’s nose. And the man became a living person.” (Genesis 2:7)

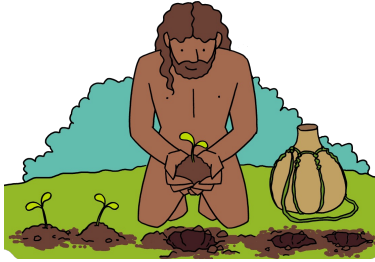


God named the man Adam. Adam was different from the animals. In fact, man was to rule over all the animals. When God breathed life into Adam, He was making man in His image. Adam could think, love and worship. Adam could make choices. Adam could talk to God. Adam a special creation.

“The Lord God put the man in the garden of Eden to care for it and work it.” (Genesis 2:15)

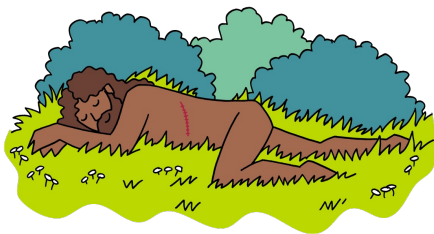
The Garden of Eden was beautiful with a river that split into 4 rivers.





¹⁸ The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him."

¹⁹He brought [all] the animals to Adam to see what he would name them; and whatever the man called each living creature, that was its name. ²⁰ So [Adam] gave names to all the... animals. But for Adam no suitable helper was found."



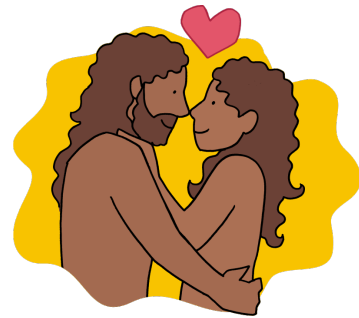
"So, the Lord God caused [Adam] to sleep very deeply. While he was asleep, God took one of the ribs from [his] body. Then God closed [Adam's] skin at the place where he took the rib. The Lord God used the rib from the man to make a woman. Then the Lord brought the woman to the man." (Genesis 2:21-22)

When Adam saw the woman, he was happy! He said,

²³ 'This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called 'woman,' for she was taken out of man.'



The Bible says, ²⁴ "That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh." (Genesis 2:23,24)



"God looked at everything he had made, and **it was very good**. Evening passed, and morning came. This was the sixth day." (Genesis 1:31) ICB

"...On the seventh day he rested from all his work. ³ Then God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done." (Genesis 2:2)



Our powerful God created the world and everything in it. **The whole creation shows the glory of God the Father, the Holy Spirit and Jesus!** We are the most special of all of God's creations. Just like Adam and Eve, **we are made in the image of God!**

PRIMARY GRADES COLORING PAGE



God made the world.
Genesis 1:1—2

© 2007 Gospel Light. Permission to photocopy granted. Bible Story Coloring Pages #2 • 9

<https://youtu.be/mWNJo6SG8HQ?si=NzJA4htqRmFsMb0w> Days of Creation Song by
A Cappella Kids Bible Songs

UPPER GRADES ACTIVITY

WRITE OR DRAW WHAT GOD CREATED ON EACH CREATION DAY.

Day 1	
Day 2	
Day 3	
Day 4	
Day 5	
Day 6	
Day 7	

BibleWise.com Activity



THINK & TALK WITH YOUR PARENTS:
How are YOU different from the animals?
How do YOU reflect the image of God?

Video:
<https://youtu.be/DYcgllc-F1E?si=6fb5630tZOQY4vni>
(3:42) "In the Image of God" by Parent Cue posted by Boulevard Kids