

The First Story in Genesis

(Genesis 1:1-2:4a)

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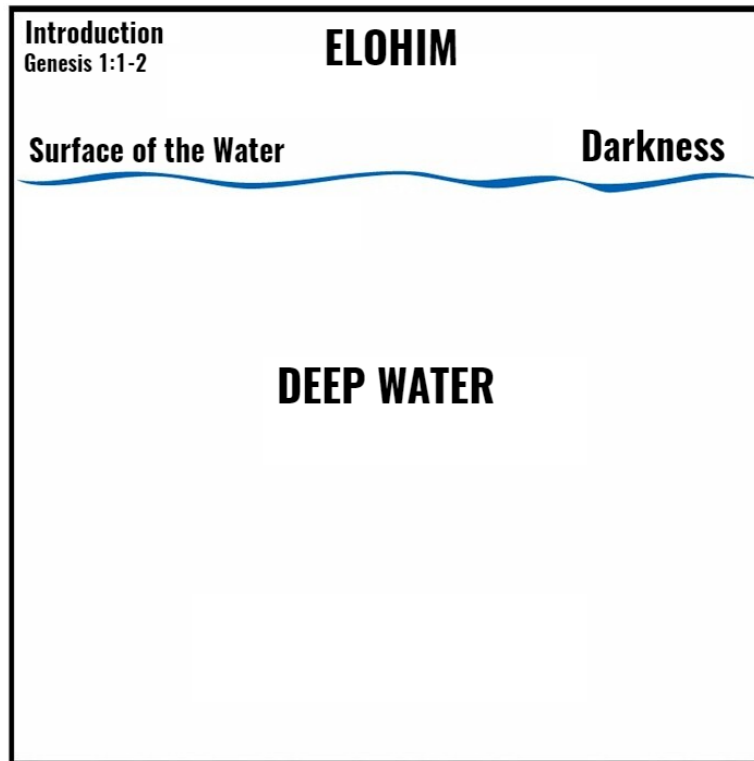
Introduction

1:1-2 When ELOHIM began creating the sky and the earth.

The earth was shapeless and without substance.

There was darkness and deep water;

and the breath of ELOHIM hovering above the surface of the water.



Day One

^{3-4a} And ELOHIM said:

"Let the Light of Life exists!"

The Light of Life existed.

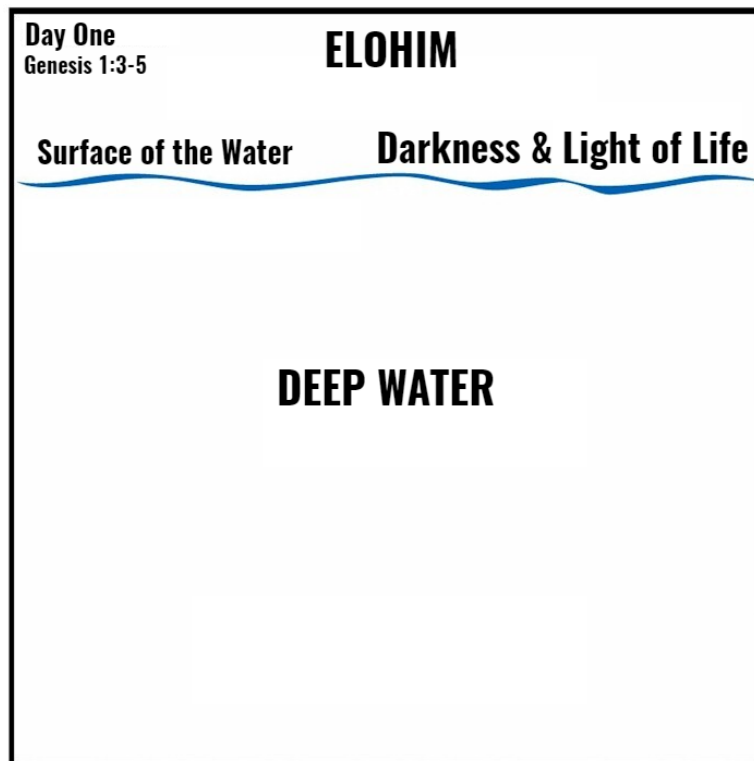
And ELOHIM saw the "Light of Life," that it was TOV.

^{4b-5} And ELOHIM distinguished between the Light of Life and the Darkness.

And ELOHIM named the Light of Light, "Day,"

and the Darkness He named, "Night."

And it was evening and it was morning, Day One.



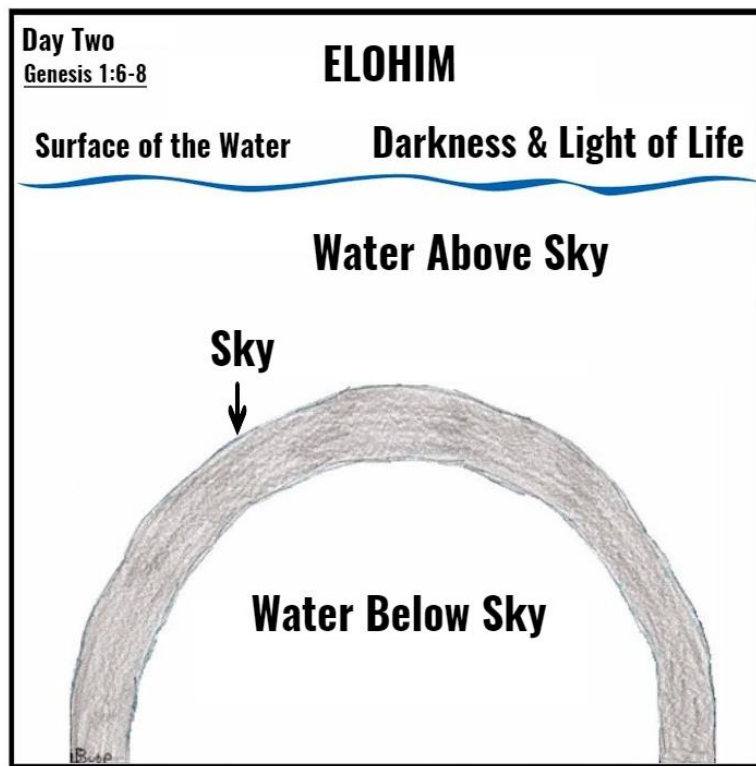
Day Two

⁶⁻⁸ And ELOHIM said:

“Let there be a solid dome-like structure in the middle of the deep water that separates the waters beneath it from the waters above it.”

*And ELOHIM made the solid dome-like structure.
And ELOHIM named the solid dome-like structure, “Sky.”*

And it was evening and it was morning, Day Two.

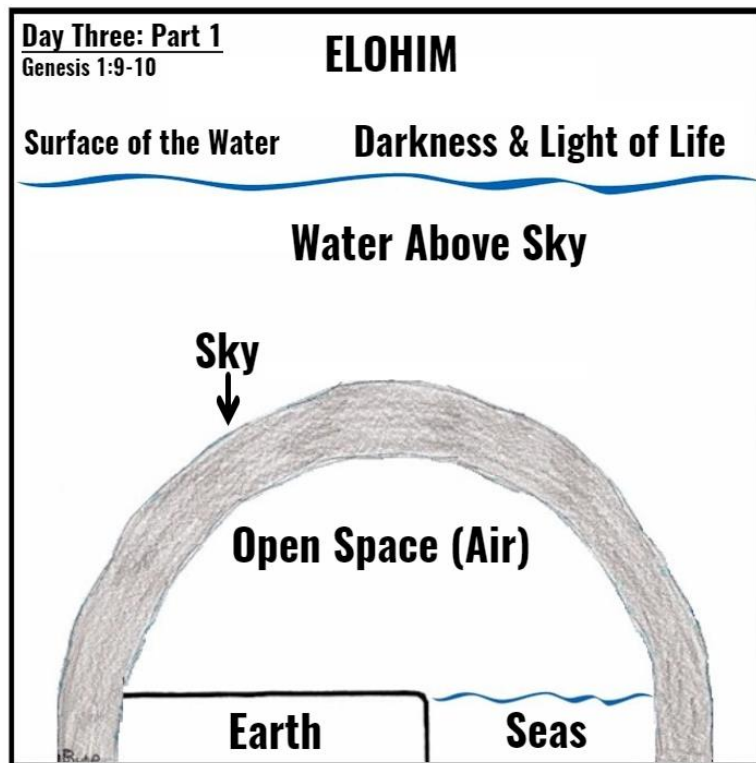


Day Three: Part 1

⁹⁻¹⁰ *And ELOHIM said,
"Let the waters beneath the sky be gathered together into one place,
and let the dry thing appear."
And it was so.*

*And ELOHIM named "the dry thing," "Earth,"
and the "gathering of the waters" ELOHIM named, "Seas."*

And ELOHIM saw that it was TOV.



Day Three: Part 2

¹¹⁻¹³ And ELOHIM said,

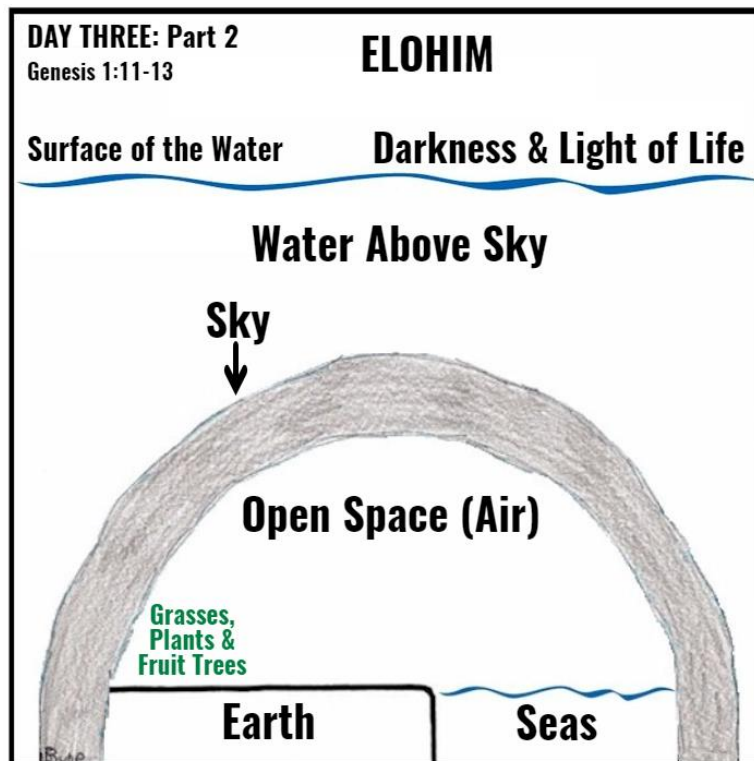
*"Let the Earth cause to sprout green grass, plants that yield seeds,
and fruit trees that yield fruit according to their kind, whose seed is in itself."*

And it was so.

*And the Earth caused to sprout green grass, plants that yield seeds after its kind,
and fruit trees that yield fruit which is after its kind.*

And ELOHIM saw that it was TOV.

And it was evening and it was morning, Day Three.

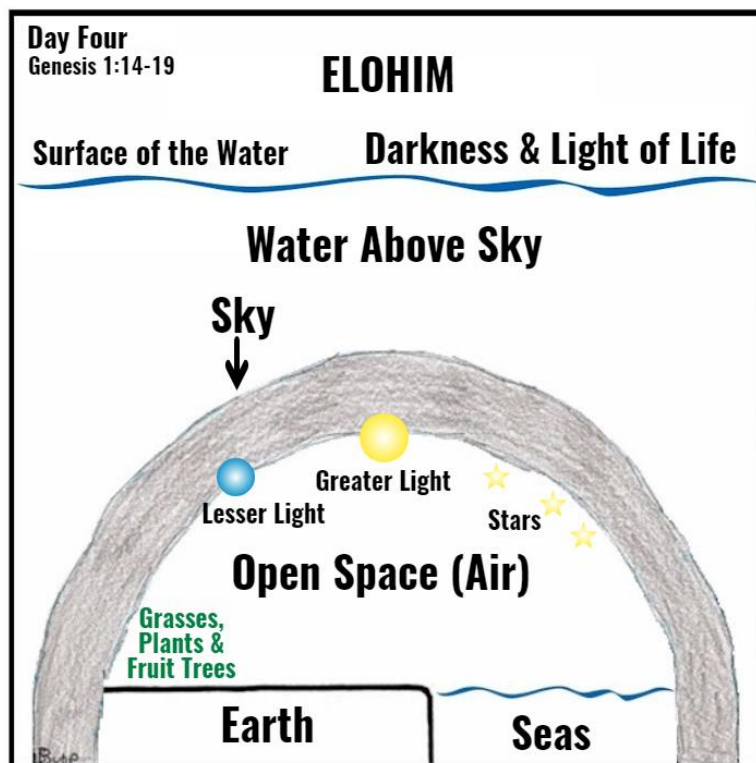


Day Four

¹⁴⁻¹⁹ And ELOHIM said,
“Let there be lights in the sky to separate the DAY from the Night,
to be signs for seasons, DAYS and years, and to cause light on the earth.”
And it was so.

And ELOHIM made two great lights;
the greatest to rule the DAY and the small to rule the Night; and the stars.
And ELOHIM set them in the solid dome of the Sky,
To cause light on the earth.
And to rule over the DAY and the Night;
And to separate between the Light of Life and the Darkness.
And ELOHIM saw that it was TOV.

And it was evening and it was morning, Day Four.



Day Five

²⁰⁻²¹ And ELOHIM said,

*“Let the waters swarm with a swarm of creatures with a living soul
and let a winged creature fly above the earth and below the sky.”*

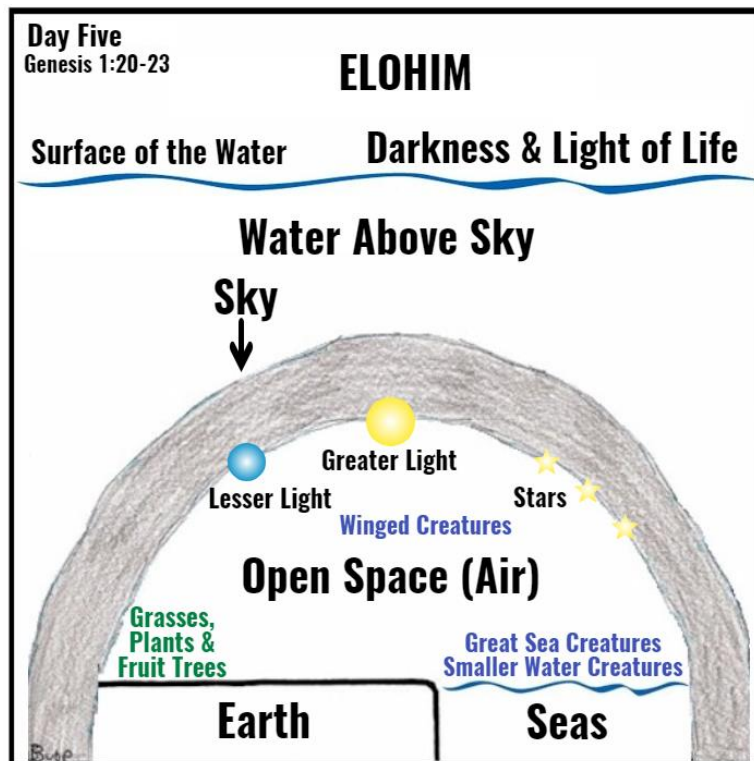
*And ELOHIM created large sea creatures,
every living soul that moves which swarm the waters
and every winged creature that flies.*

And ELOHIM saw that it was TOV.

²²⁻²³ And ELOHIM blessed them:

*“Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters of the seas.
And let the winged creatures multiply on the earth.*

And it was evening and it was morning, Day Five.

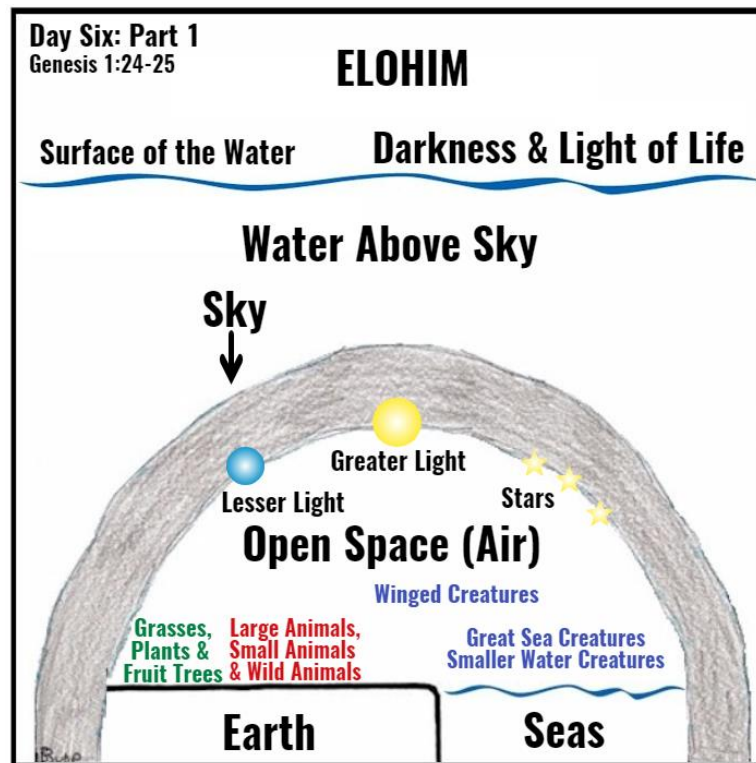


Day Six: Part 1

*1:24 And ELOHIM said to the Earth,
“Bring forth a living soul for your kind –
large animals, smaller animals, and wild animals.
And it was so.*

*1:25 And ELOHIM made the wild animals,
the large animals, and the small animals.*

And ELOHIM saw that it was TOV.



Day Six: Part 2

^{1:26} And ELOHIM said,
"Let us make ADAM in our image after our likeness and
let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air,
and over the large animals, and over all the earth
and over every small animal that moves upon the earth."

And ELOHIM created ADAM in His image;
in the image of ELOHIM He created him;
male and female He created them.

ADAM

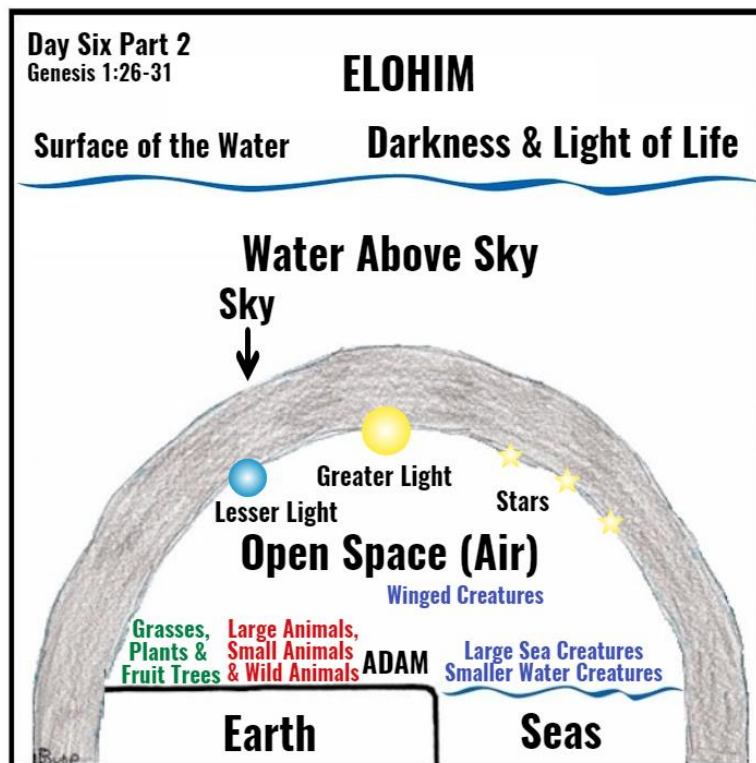
Hebrew Transliteration
Letters of Hebrew Word Converted into English Letters
Follow the numbers from 1 to 5.
← Hebrew is read from right to left. →

#3 D
#5 M א
#1 none נ
#2 A ת
#4 A א

Transliteration = ADAM
Translation = man, human, humans

A creature with an
Earth soul,
the spirit of ELOHIM,
and is created
in the Image of ELOHIM.

A "him"
that became a "them" -
a male and a female.



The Blessing

*And ELOHIM blessed ADAM:
"Be fruitful and multiply,
fill the Earth.*

The Alliance

*Subdue her and
have dominion over
the fish of the sea, the winged creatures of the sky
and over every living thing that moves on the Earth.*

*I have given you every plant yielding seeds
that is on the surface of all the earth,
and every tree which has fruit yielding seeds,
it shall be food for you.*

*To every wild animal of the earth,
every winged creature,
and everything that moves on the earth that has life,
I have given green plants for food.
And it was so."*

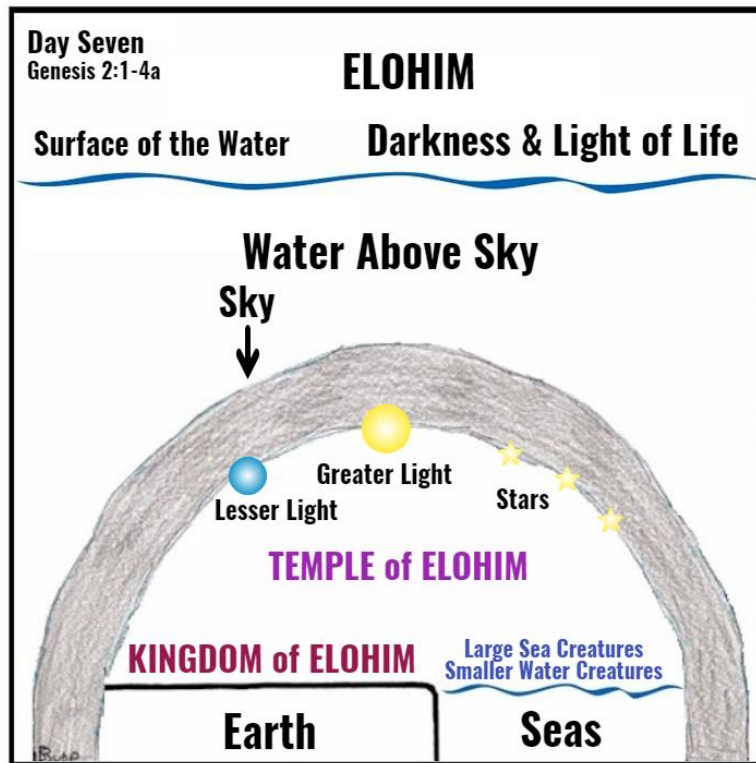
*^{1:31} And ELOHIM saw everything that He had made.
Behold, it was very TOV.*

And it was evening and it was morning, Day Six.

Day Seven

2:1-4a *And the sky, the earth, and all their host were finished.
And ELOHIM finished on the seventh Day all His work which It had done,
and He rested on the seventh Day from all His work which He had done.*

*And ELOHIM blessed the seventh Day and set it apart,
because on the seventh Day He rested from all His work
which ELOHIM had created and made.*



These are the generations of the sky and of the earth when they were created.

The End of First Story in Genesis

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