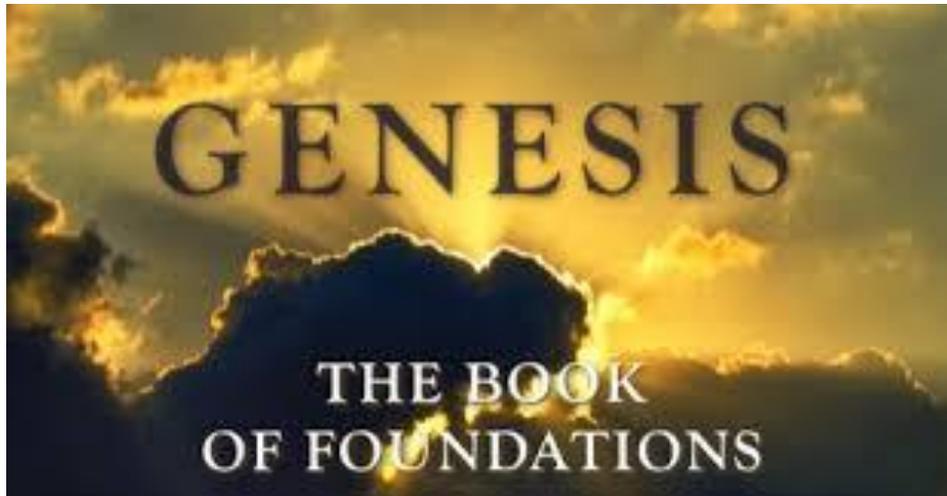


*New Era Congress of Christian Education
2019 Bible Bowl Competition
Tuesday, July 23, 2019 ~ 7:00 pm*

A STUDY COVERING



USING THE
NEW KING JAMES VERSION
OF THE HOLY BIBLE

*I will bless those who bless you, and I will curse him who curses you;
And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed . . . Genesis 12:3*

Congress Theme: "Re-Casting, Re-Framing, Re-Commitment"

2019 Bible Bowl Guidelines

The Bible Bowl competition will take place on Tuesday night, July 23, 2019 at 7:00 pm at the New Era Convention Chapel in Griffin, Georgia. This year's Bible Bowl study will cover the book of *Genesis*.

The purpose of the Bible Bowl extends past the challenge and competitiveness we experience among the different churches on the night of competition. We encourage our youth to gain an understanding of the Word of God by being diligent in studying to show themselves approved unto God as a worker who is not ashamed and able to rightly divide the word of truth (2 Timothy 2:15).

❑ Preparation: We encourage the delegate to:

- ✓ Read and study the fifty (50) chapters of Genesis and seek to gain an understanding of what is taking place in scripture.
- ✓ Take notes as you read through each chapter and develop your own review/study questions.
- ✓ Answer the bible bowl questions that will be provided based on what you have learned in your time of study (*see schedule on page 3 of this package*).

Summary of Book of Genesis

The book of Genesis as its name takes on meaning is the "book of beginnings". It is the foundational book of the Bible that covers the entire plight of man who was created in the image of God to live forever but because of sin he became destined for the grave. Genesis documents the beginning of time, life, sin, salvation, the human race and the nations.

Genesis begins with primeval history and proceeds to detail four major events: Creation, the fall of man, the flood and the dispersing of the nations, then it presents the history of four great patriarchs: Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Joseph. May you be enlighten and blessed as you study the book of Genesis.

*See Chart Outline of the book of Genesis below for simplified study.
Study Charts on page 6-7*

THE BOOK OF GENESIS

Four Major Events				Four Patriarchs			
Primeval History <i>The Beginning of the Human Race</i>				Patriarchal History <i>The Beginning of the Chosen Race</i>			
The Creation Chapters 1-2	The Fall of Man Chapters 3-5	The Flood Chapters 6-9	Dispersing of the Nations Chapters 10-11	Abraham Chapters 12-25	Isaac Chapters 26-27	Jacob Chapters 28-36	Joseph Chapters 37-50

- ❑ **Official questions** will be available on the Congress website and emailed to the church's email address on file with the Congress on May 5, 2019.
- ❑ **Official questions and answers** will be emailed to the church's email address on file with the Congress on June 5, 2019. *All answers are taken from the New King James version of the Bible (NKJV).*
- ❑ **Official Rules For the Bible Bowl Competition**
 - ✓ All teams must pre-register to participate in the Bible Bowl competition. Churches are asked to pre-register by Monday, **June 24, 2019**. The completed registration form should be emailed to NewEraConvention@bellsouth.net and tstalls@bellsouth.net.
 - ✓ Each team will consist of five (5) members and one (1) alternate.
 - ✓ Team members should be selected from youth messengers from the seventh (7th) to twelfth (12th) grade. *A 2019 high school graduate is eligible.*
 - ✓ A team captain should be named. Advisors and/or coaches are strongly encouraged to formulate team composition and strategies.
 - ✓ Team playing order will be determined by sealed envelope for round one. If the total number of competing teams are five (5) or more, a toss-up question round may be necessary to determine playing order for subsequent round(s). Only team captains are eligible to compete in the toss-up question round.

- ✓ The Bible Bowl competition will consist of three (3) rounds. Questions will become more challenging in each round.
 - In round *one* the 1st team to answer 7 questions correctly will be declared the winner. Winning teams will advance to *Round 2*.
 - In round *two* the 1st team to answer 8 questions correctly will be declared the winner. Winning teams will advance to *Round 3*.
 - In round *three* the 1st team to answer 10 questions correctly will be declared the winner.
- ✓ In each round the buzzer method will be used. The team to buzz in first will be identified by the Buzzer Judge(s). The moderator (*person asking the questions*) will identify the church by name who has buzzed first; the team member can now answer the question. (*No shouting out answers before being called upon*).
- ✓ In each round, the question will be read to the point of interruption. If answered incorrectly, the question will be read in its entirety for the opposing team.
- ✓ Any team member can answer a question in any round. Conference among team members is allowed, however the question must be answered within the allotted time. Time begins after the question is read or at the point of interruption, whichever is applicable.
- ✓ The judges, timekeeper and scorers have the last word on answers, time and scores.
- ✓ Trophies will be awarded to the first, second and third place teams.

If additional information is needed or you have questions concerning the Bible Bowl competition, you may contact Rev. Terri Crump-Stalls by email, tstalls@bellsouth.net or by telephone, (404) 219-3402.

REGISTRATION FORM

Team Name: _____

Team Captain's Name: _____

Team Members:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Youth Advisor's Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Day No. _____ Evening No. _____ Cell: _____

Name of Church: _____

Pastor: _____

Church Address: _____

Church No. _____ Church E-mail: _____

Mail form with registration package and e-mail copy to: neweraconvention@bellsouth.net & tstalls@bellsouth.net (Deadline – Monday, June 24, 2019)

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