Orientation to God's Word Lesson 7

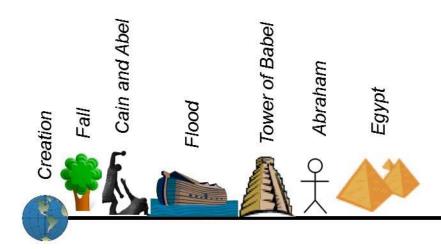
God's grace, strength, power and provision will accomplish His plans with Israel, not Israel's strength, power, or righteousness.

Jehovah:

I Am That I Am = Timelessness
and Faithfulness

I Am _____ = Unlimited

Capacity



DEFINITION OF THE SITUATION

Exodus 4: 19-23 Relationship: Son and Father

Israel is my Son.

Exodus 6: 1-3 Jehovah made known (not just say it,

show it)

Exodus 7:1-7 Israel will see and so will the

Egyptians, and so will the rest of the

nations round about.

Pharaoh's Hard Heart



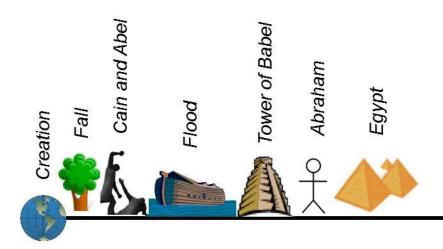
Pharaoh is a willing follower of God's adversary, opposing God and His people Israel.

Given the right circumstance, this man's heart becomes hard.

Pharaoh feels he is in the position of

Power... Pride...

Defiance... Battle of wills

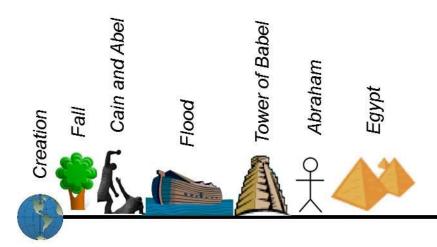


First three Signs Pharaoh's magicians imitate.

Lice is the next and not mimicked.

Flies is the first time God makes a distinction between Israel's land of Goshen and rest of Egypt, this continues to the darkness for 3 days.

Last plague: The killing of the first born.



- Q. What does Egypt learn?
- A. Israel is special to God.
- Q. What does Israel learn with the last plague?
- A. They are special, but not so different that they aren't guilty of sin and in need of an innocent, substitute redeemer.