



WEEK 1 — GOD IS CREATOR

DAY 1 — In the Beginning

GENESIS 1:1–5

DEVOTIONAL

THE BIBLE BEGINS WITH FOUR POWERFUL WORDS:

“IN THE BEGINNING, GOD.”

BEFORE CREATION EXISTED, GOD ALREADY WAS.

GENESIS STARTS BY REMINDING US THAT GOD IS ETERNAL, SOVEREIGN, AND ABOVE EVERYTHING. HE SPEAKS LIGHT INTO DARKNESS AND BRINGS ORDER OUT OF CHAOS.

THAT SAME GOD STILL WORKS IN CHAOS TODAY.

SOMETIMES LIFE FEELS MESSY, UNCERTAIN, OR CONFUSING. BUT GENESIS REMINDS US THAT GOD IS NOT INTIMIDATED BY DARKNESS. HE STILL BRINGS PEACE, DIRECTION, AND PURPOSE. GOD DOES NOT PANIC OVER BROKENNESS.

HE RULES OVER IT.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- WHAT STANDS OUT TO YOU ABOUT GOD IN THESE VERSES?
- WHERE DO YOU CURRENTLY NEED GOD TO BRING ORDER INTO YOUR LIFE?
- WHY IS IT IMPORTANT THAT THE BIBLE STARTS WITH GOD AND NOT HUMANITY?

PRAYER

DEAR LORD, HELP ME TRUST YOU EVEN WHEN LIFE FEELS UNCERTAIN. BRING YOUR LIGHT INTO THE AREAS OF MY LIFE THAT FEEL CHAOTIC. IN JESUS NAME, AMEN.