January 13th, 2019 || **Genesis 3-11** || The Fall

Seeing God's Big Story, Fitting Our Story Into His Story

Geographically, the Garden of Eden is in Mesopotamia.

Chronologically, from Adam to Abraham is 2000 years.

ONE BIG STORY Timeline

4000 B.C.		2950 B.C.	2350 B.C.	2250 B.C.	2000 B.C.
Adam and Eve	<---- 8 generations---->	*Noah*	*Flood*	*Babel*	*Abraham*

Biblical Outline

Genesis 3: Paradise Lost

Genesis 4: Murder of Abel

Genesis 5: Nine Generations

Genesis 6-8: The Flood

Genesis 9-10: Covenant with Noah

Genesis 11: Tower of Babel

Theological Takeaways:

Sin is when we make ourselves the center of the story.

Sin affects everything and creates shame, fear, separation and a fallen world.

Everything is broken when our relationship with God is not right. We must look only to Him to redeem the brokenness.

God begins to show glimpses of redemption:

- The Seed of the woman will crush the serpent's head. (Genesis 3:15)
- The blood sacrifice is accepted. (Genesis 3:21)
- The righteous are saved on the ark. (Genesis 6-9)

UP NEXT: January 20, 2019 || Job || Suffering