



NOTES

- He is an UNCHANGING FAITHFUL LOVING GOD THAT PURSUES RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS PEOPLE
- The Bible isn't a random collection of stories. It is ONE story that leads to JESUS and the story unfolds and advances through the COVENANTS that God makes with His people.
- "Biblical Covenant is an unchangeable divinely imposed legal agreement between God and man that stipulates the conditions of their relationship." - Wayne Grudem
- Jeremiah 31:3 -"I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you."

COVENANTS

Taken from The Bible Project - Covenants

ADAMIC - GENESIS 1-2:15

After the fall in Genesis 3, God sets out to repair this broken partnership with humanity. We'd be stuck in the wreckage of Genesis 3 were it not for divine intervention through the covenants. Thankfully, the rest of the Bible describes how God sets out to pursue His people through Covenant LOVE!



NOAHIC - GENESIS 6-9:17

God enters a formal relationship with Noah and all living creatures promising that despite humanity's evil he will never again destroy them. Rather, he will preserve the world as he works towards fulfilling the promise of rescuing humanity and creation. He reiterates the cultural mandate, inviting humans to partner with him in filling and leading his world.



ABRAHAMIC - GENESIS 12,15,17

God enters a redemptive partnership with Abraham. He promises a huge family that will inherit a promised piece of land in Canaan & bring universal blessing to all humanity through his family. You can remember these promises like this: 1) offspring, 2) land, & 3) universal blessing.



MOSAIC (ISRAEL) - EXODUS 19-24

God rescues Israel from slavery in Egypt and promises to make them his own treasured possession, a holy, set apart nation. He will personally dwell in their midst and bring them into the promise land. He will be their God and they will be his people. Moreover, they will be a kingdom of priests that mediate his goodness and glory to all the nations. An epic role in redemptive history.



DAVIDIC - 2 SAMUEL 7

God establishes David as king over Israel and promises to make his name great. He'll give David a royal kingdom in which the promises made to Abraham and Israel will be fulfilled through his lineage. God will raise up a Davidic descendant who will build a house for the Lord and his throne and kingdom will last forever. God's steadfast love will never depart from him.



NEW/JESUS - JEREMIAH 31:31-34

The new covenant is the culmination of God's saving work in his people. He promises to make an everlasting covenant with his people in which he will write his law on their hearts, bring complete forgiveness of sin, put his Spirit in them to empower them to love and obey his commands, raise up a faithful Davidic king to rule over them, bring them back into the land to reunify them into one people of God, and cause them to be a light to the nations.

GOD'S COVENANT LOVE (HESED)

- Genesis 24:49
- Exodus 34:6-7
- Psalm 136
- Hosea 2:19-20
- Jeremiah 31:1-3, 31-34

JESUS AS FULFILLMENT OF COVENANT:

- **ADAMIC - ROMANS 5:8**

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

- **NOAHIC - 1 PETER 3:18-22**

Jesus conquered evil through His death & resurrection.

- **ABRAHAMIC - ROM 4, GALATIANS 3:7-14**

Jesus becomes a source of blessing for all nations.

- **MOSAIC - MATT 5:17-20, ROM 8:1-11, LK 24:36-48**

Jesus is the truly obedient to the law & empowers his followers to become truly obedient by following the lead of his Spirit.

- **DAVIDIC - MATT 1, ISAIAH 9:6-7 HEBREWS 9-10**

Jesus is the king from the line of David ...who inaugurates God's kingdom in his life, death, and resurrection, & promises that his Spirit will be present with his new covenant people to lead them into obedience.