

**Year 1**

**Week 2**

## **God Makes Man and the Garden of Eden**

**Scriptures: Genesis 2:3-25**

**Key Verse:**

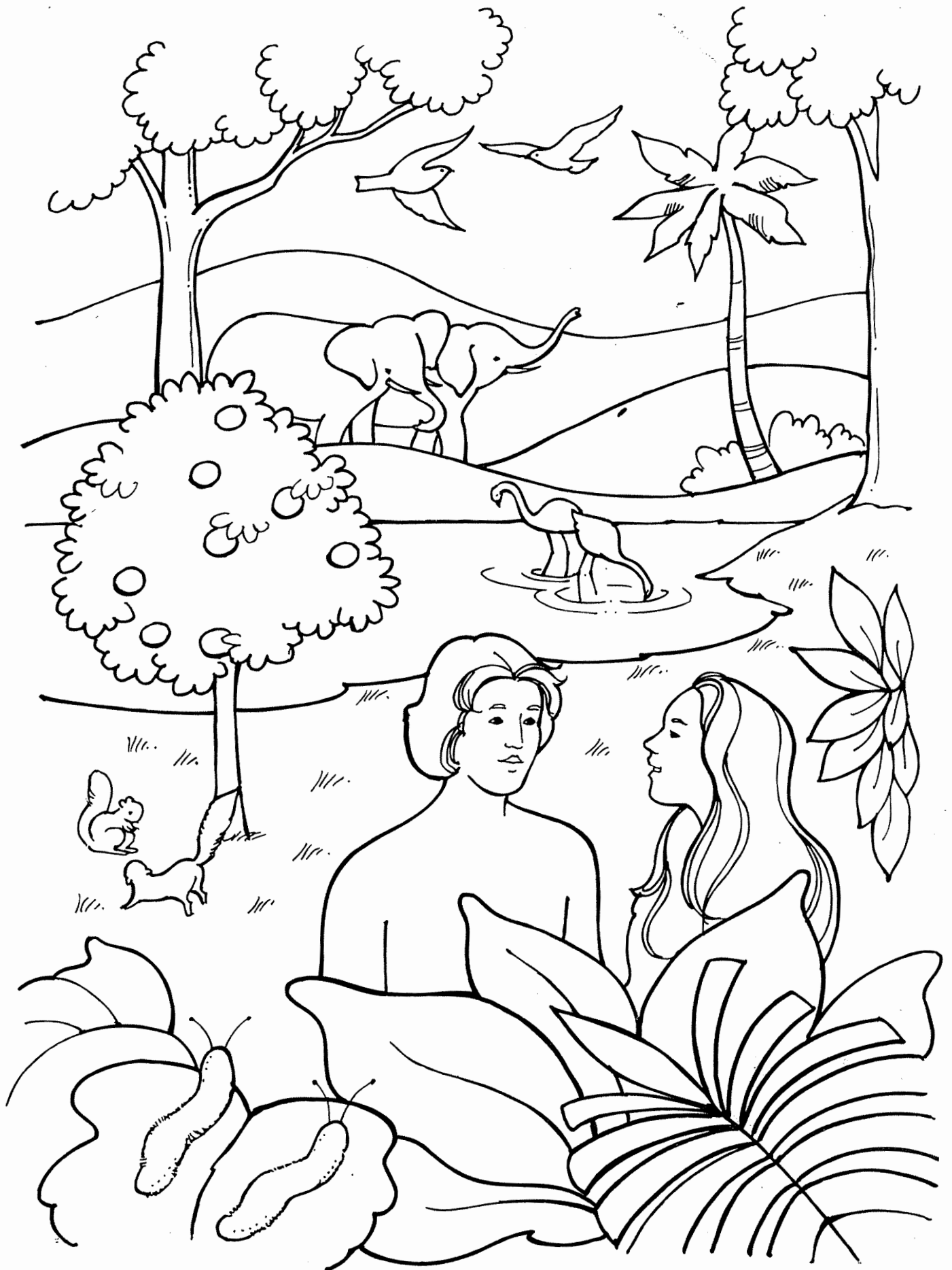
**Genesis 2:7 And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being.**

**Key Points:**

- 1.** God made man of the dust of the ground. He made him in His image.
- 2.** God made a beautiful garden for man to live in and planted it with everything he needed.
- 3.** Adam was to keep and tend the garden.
- 4.** God told Adam not to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. This was the first commandment of God to man. If Adam disobeyed he could die.
- 5.** God brought the animals to Adam for Adam to name.
- 6.** God made a helper for Adam, and gave him Eve as his wife.



God Makes People  
Genesis 1, 2

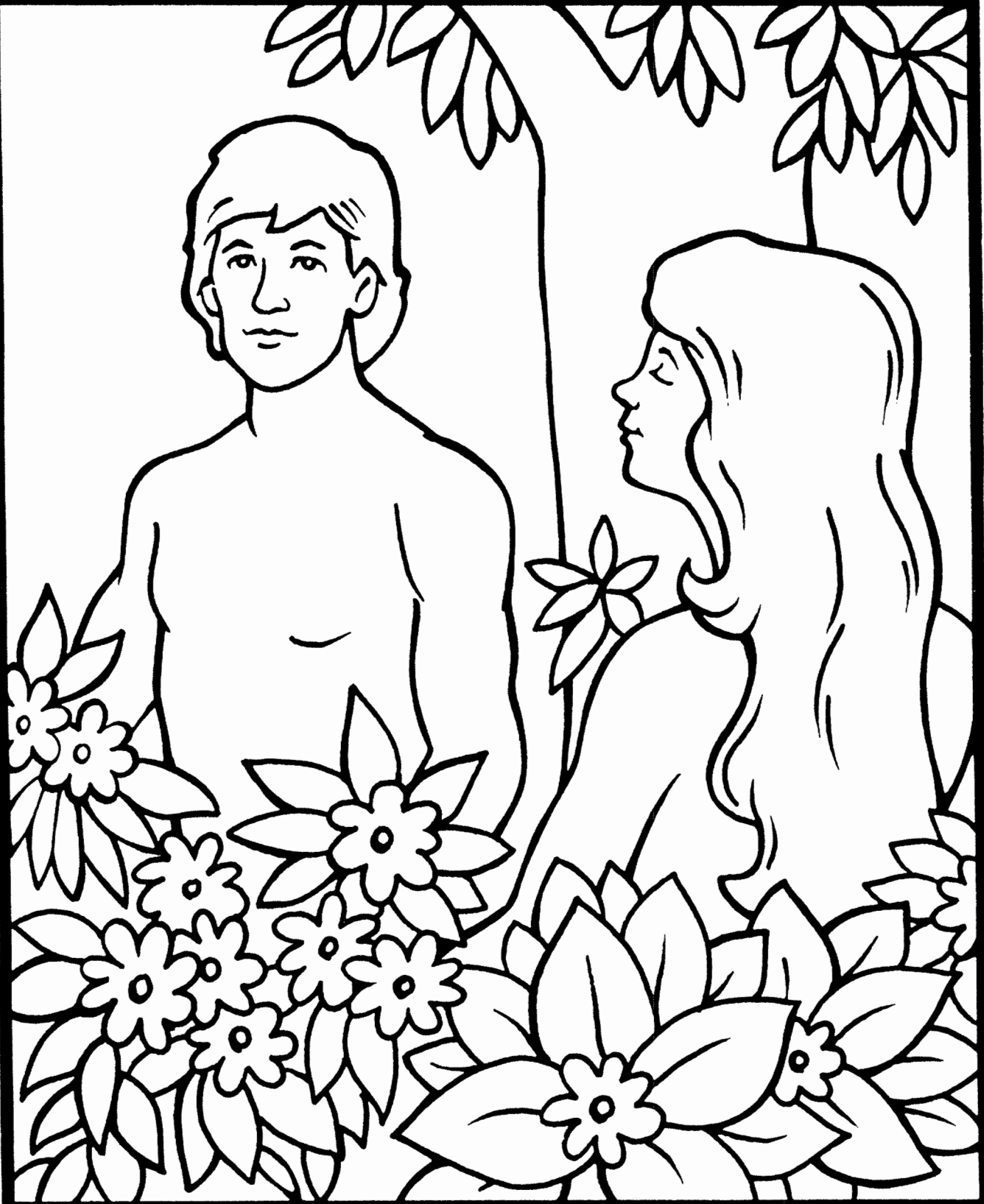




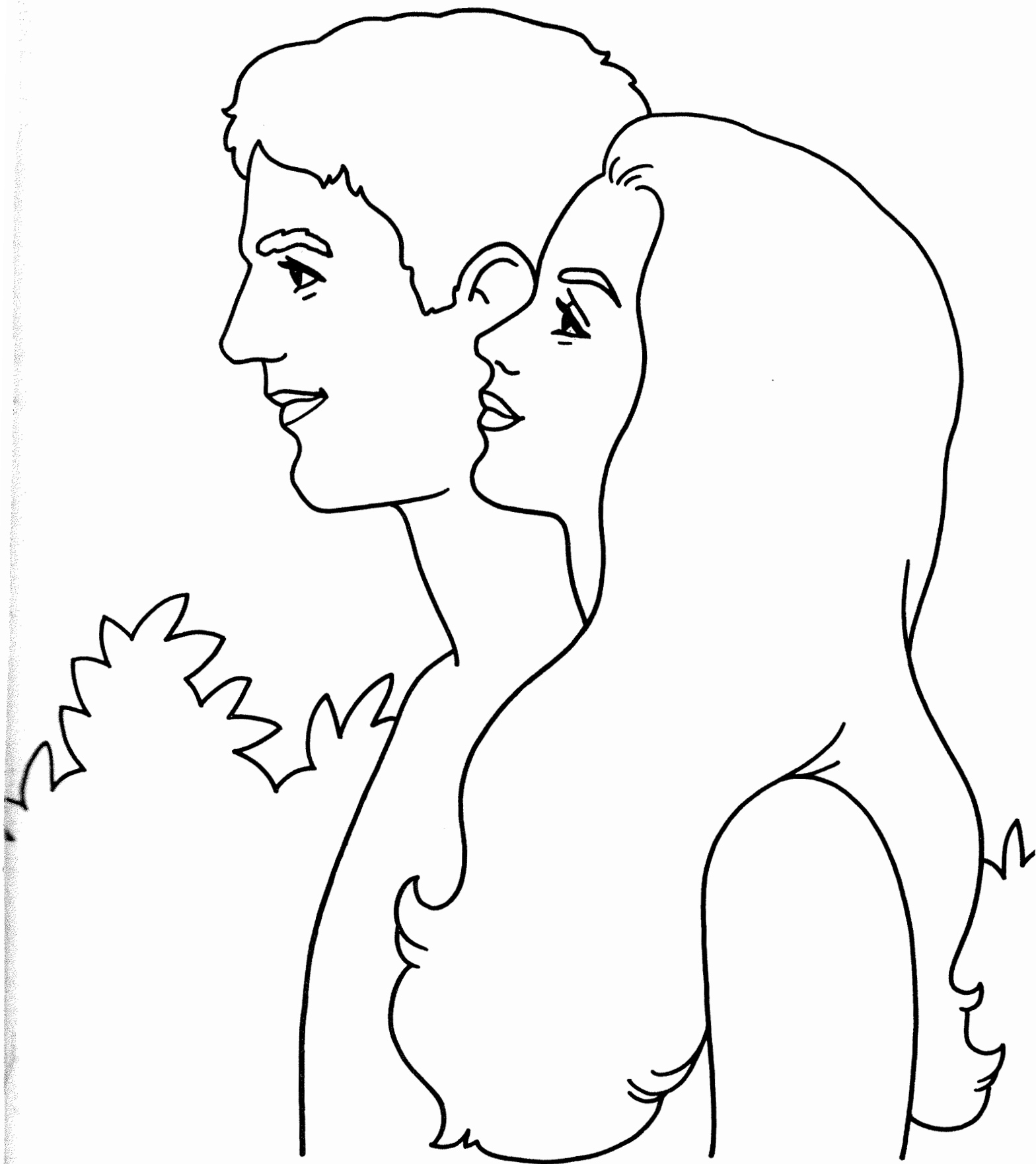
Adam and Eve lived in a beautiful garden that God had made for them. There were animals, fruits, flowers -- all sorts of wonderful things for Adam and Eve to enjoy.

**A**

is for Adam,  
The very first man.  
God made him and Eve  
As a part of His plan.



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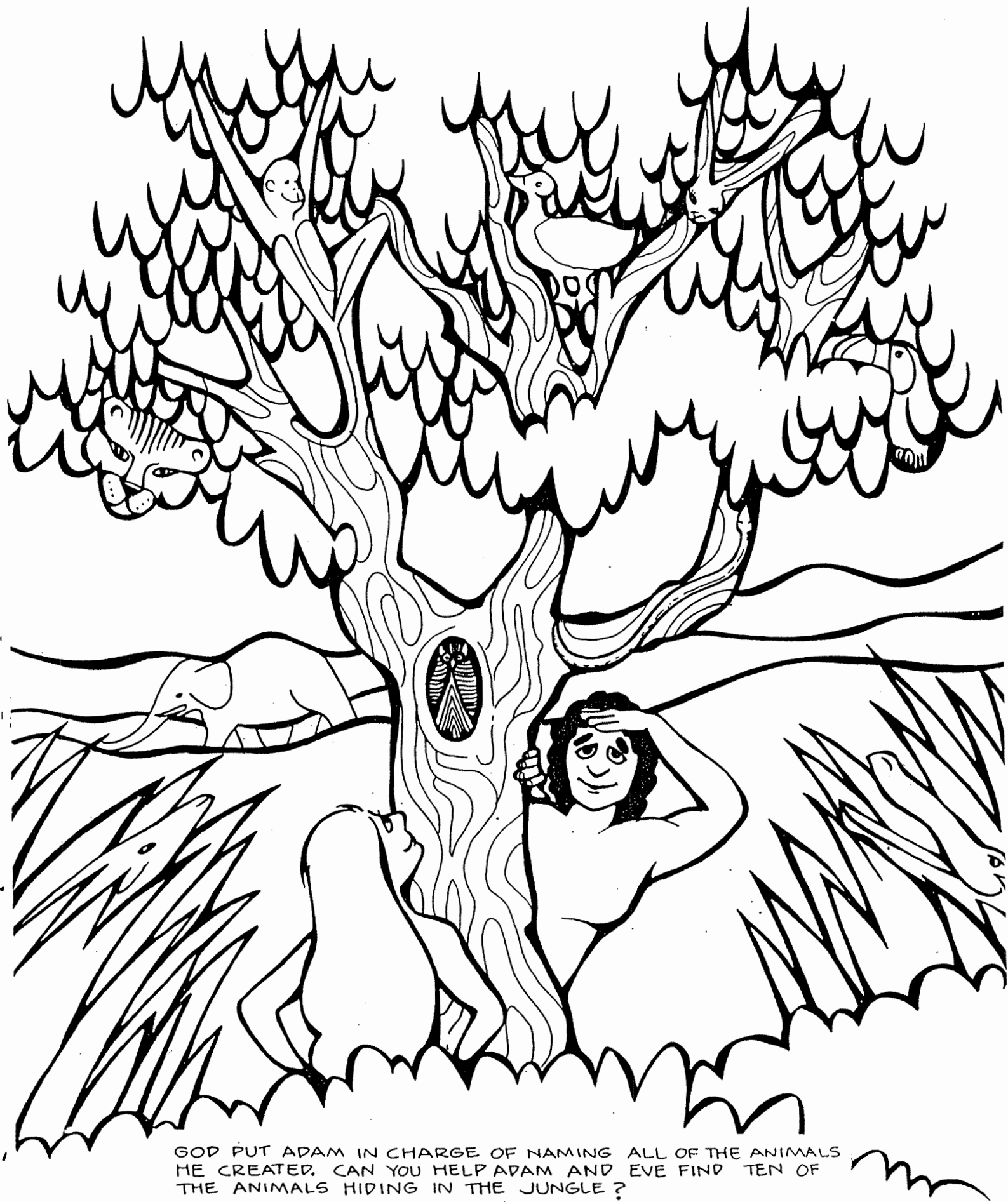
Last of all, God made a man, Adam, and a woman, Eve. God looked at all He had made and saw that it was very good.

*Genesis 1:26-31*



Adam and Eve lived in the garden. Adam gave names to all the animals.

*Genesis 2:19*



GOD PUT ADAM IN CHARGE OF NAMING ALL OF THE ANIMALS HE CREATED. CAN YOU HELP ADAM AND EVE FIND TEN OF THE ANIMALS HIDING IN THE JUNGLE?



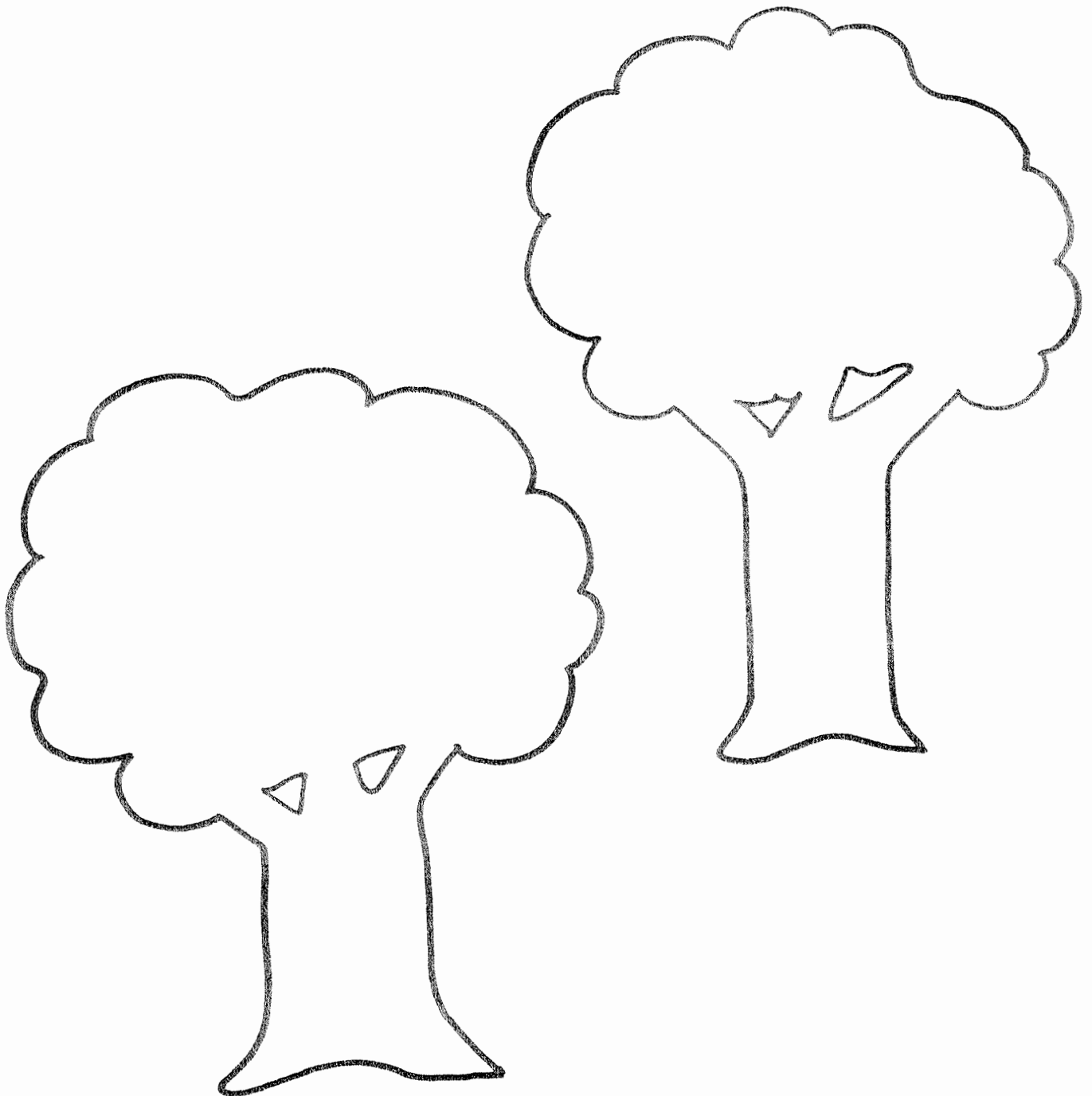
# Trees God Made

## Adam and Eve

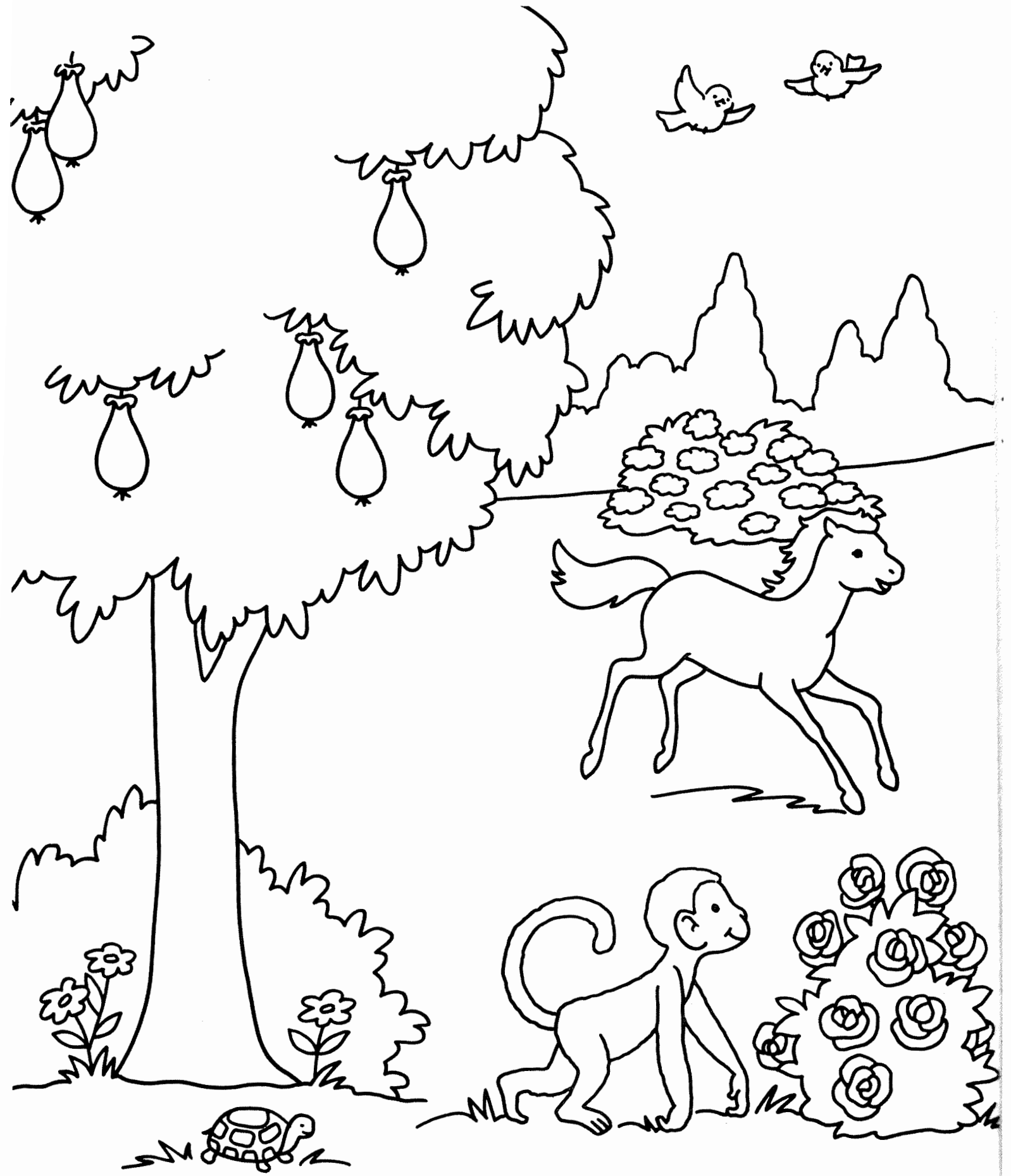
Genesis 1:26 — 2:25

In the beautiful garden God made for Adam and Eve, He put trees with delicious fruit growing on them.

Color the picture. Then paste the fruit-flavored cereal circles your teacher gives you on the trees as fruit.



*For the Teacher:* Provide colorful fruit-flavored cereal circles to paste on the trees. As the children paste and color, talk about other wonderful foods God made. Help the children to thank God for good food.



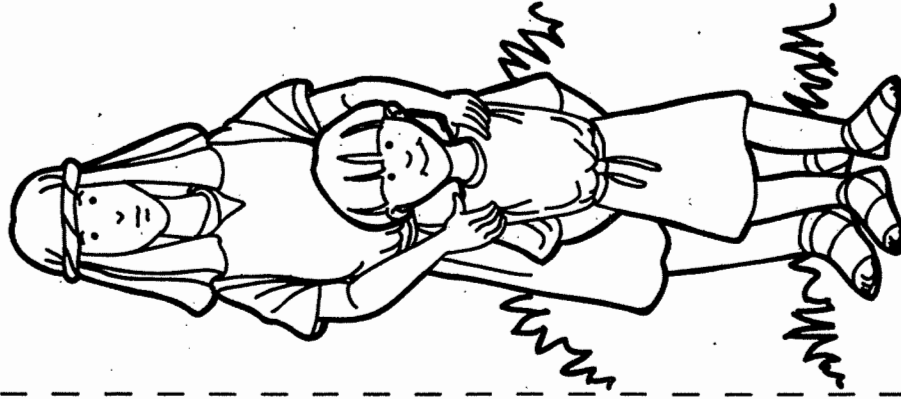
When God was creating He made a special garden which was called the Garden of Eden.

*Genesis 2:8-10*

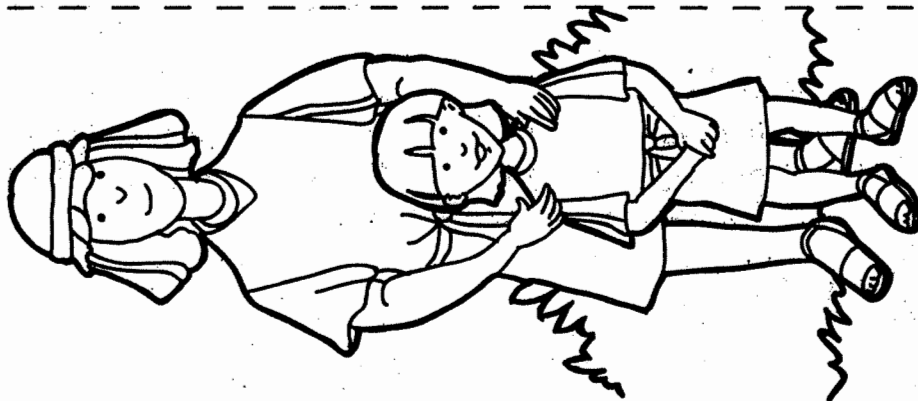


Color a picture of the first family that God made. Then draw a picture of your own family.

The Lord God  
made a woman...



...and brought  
her to the man.  
Genesis 2:22



To discover the secret message, you must first fill in the blanks in the story below. Then put the circled letters in the appropriate blanks of the puzzle.

SECRET MESSAGE:

1 2 3      4 5 3 6      4 5 7      8      7      9 8 10      8 4 5 1 6

AND ○ SAID, "LET US MAKE A ○ LET US MAKE HIM

1

7

IN OUR ○ IMAGE, AFTER OUR LIKENESS, TO RULE OVER

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THE ○ AND ALL THE LIVING ○

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IN ○." SO GOD TOOK ○ FROM THE ○ AND

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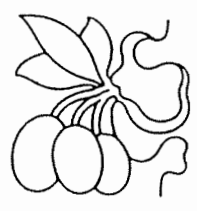
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MADE A ○. HE NAMED THE MAN ○.

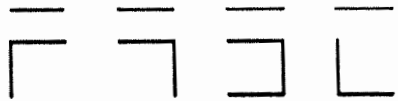
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## 2. The Garden of Eden

Use the code to find the names of two special trees in the Garden of Eden.



A	D	E
F	G	H
I	K	L

N	O
R	T
V	W



Which tree did God tell Adam and Eve not to eat from?

# GARDEN OF EDEN DIRT SOUFFLÉ

*"Then the Lord God planted a garden in the east, in a place called Eden" (Genesis 2:8a).*

More fun than mud pies! Kids will delight in customizing their own mini-gardens.

1. Form groups of four to six. Give each group a quart jar with a lid, pudding mix, two cups of milk, chocolate sandwich cookies in a strong resealable plastic bag, a rolling pin, plastic spoons, and a clay pot. Set the animal crackers, gummy worms, and jelly beans on a table where all the groups will have access to them.
2. Have each group choose people to be Pudding Shakers and Cookie Crushers. Instruct the Pudding Shakers to pour the milk and pudding mix into the quart jar, tightly screw on the lid, and shake the jars for three minutes.
3. Meanwhile, have the Cookie Crushers roll the rolling pins over the sealed bags to make cookie-crumb "dirt."
4. When the pudding is made and the cookies are crushed, gather kids and do the Faith Booster below.
5. Invite each group to create a "Garden of Eden" in their clay pot. Let them layer the pudding and cookie dirt, help themselves to crackers and worms, and use the jelly beans as flowers.
6. When the gardens are complete, let kids admire each other's work. Then let each child "dig in" to the gardens, scoop a generous helping into a paper cup, and gobble!

## FAITH BOOSTER

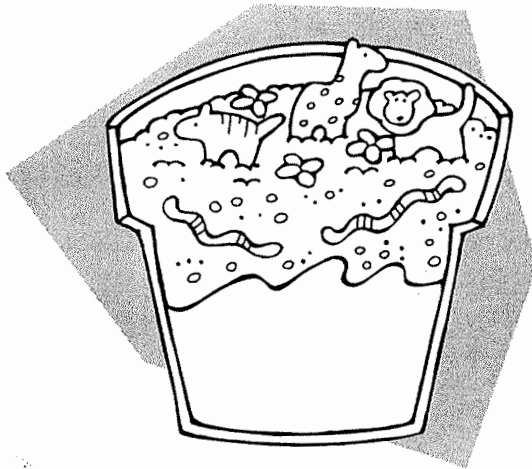
Ask:

- What do you know about the Garden of Eden?

Read aloud Genesis 2:4-9. Ask:

- What do you think it would have been like to live in that garden?
- What's the most beautiful garden you've ever seen?

Let volunteers tell why Adam and Eve had to leave the garden. Explain that many people have looked for the Garden of Eden, but no one knows exactly where it was. Tell kids we can imagine what the Garden of Eden was like and we'll have some creative fun making Garden of Eden Dirt Soufflés.



## SUPPLIES

- quart jars with lids
- instant chocolate pudding mix
- milk
- chocolate sandwich cookies
- strong resealable plastic bags
- rolling pins
- plastic spoons
- new, small clay pots
- animal crackers
- gummy worms
- small jelly beans
- paper cups

## PRO POINTER

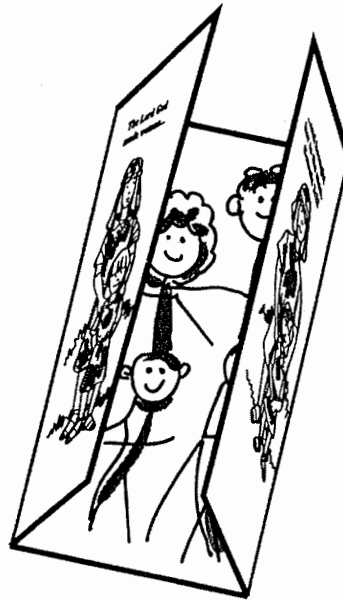
You may want to let kids spoon the leftovers into resealable bags and take the bags home.

# God Makes Families

Genesis 2:20-24 and 4:1-2

## MEMORY VERSE

*The Lord God made a woman...and brought her to the man.*  
~ Genesis 2:22



## WHAT YOU NEED

- page 12, duplicated
- crayons



## BEFORE CLASS

Duplicate the pattern page for each child. For younger children, fold the pages on the broken lines. Make a sample to show the children.



## WHAT TO DO

1. Introduce the lesson by telling the story found in Genesis 2:20-24 and 4:1-2. Say, **God made a man and called him "Adam." He made a woman who was named Eve. Then Adam and Eve had a son named Cain and another son named Abel. They were the very first family in the world. God makes families.**
2. Show the children the sample.
3. Distribute a pattern page to each child.
4. Say the memory verse.
5. Have the children fold the page on the broken lines and color the pictures on the flaps. Say, **Adam and Eve were the first people God made. They had two sons. They were the first family.**
6. Have the children open the flaps and draw a picture of their own families inside.
7. When the pictures are finished, have the children show the pictures of their families. Practice the memory verse together. Ask, **Can you point to Adam and Eve? Where are their sons? This is the first family God made.**



## EXTRA TIME

Provide magazine cut-outs of families. Have the children glue one or more of the cut-outs inside the folding picture.

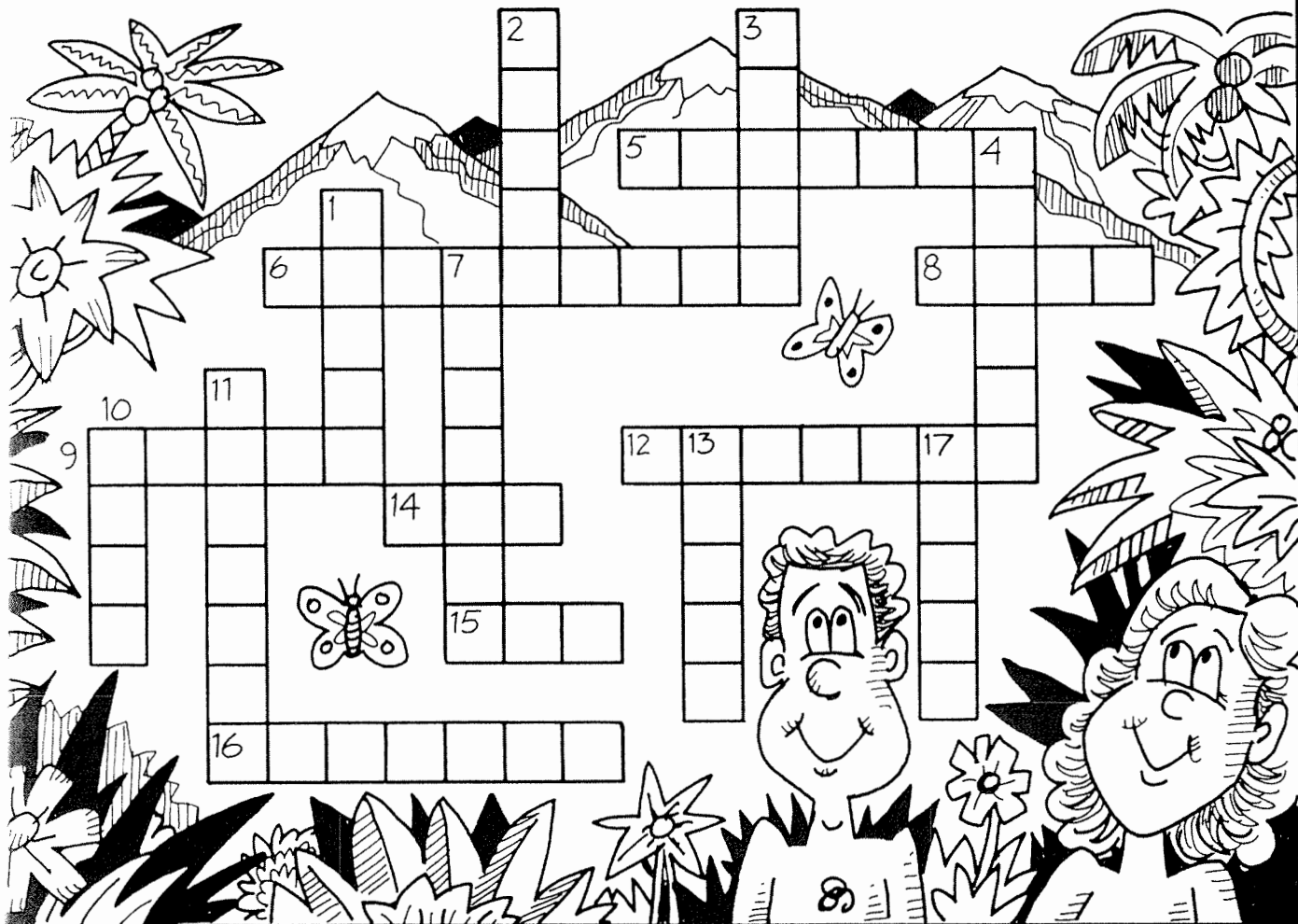
# THE CREATION GENESIS 1-2:3

## Across

5. There was evening and there was \_\_\_\_\_. v. 8
6. God created the great \_\_\_\_\_ of the sea. v. 21
8. God made all the creatures that \_\_\_\_\_ along the ground. v. 25
9. God made two \_\_\_\_\_ lights. v. 16
12. God \_\_\_\_\_ the seventh day. v. 2:3
14. God created \_\_\_\_\_ in His own image. v. 27
15. God created man to rule over the fish of the \_\_\_\_\_. v. 26
16. In the beginning God created the \_\_\_\_\_ and the earth. v. 1

## Down

1. The land produced plants and trees bearing \_\_\_\_\_. v. 12
2. God gave man and woman every \_\_\_\_\_ and tree. v. 29
3. God created man to rule over the \_\_\_\_\_ of the air. v. 26
4. God called the dry \_\_\_\_\_ land. v. 10
7. God created livestock and wild \_\_\_\_\_. v. 24
10. God saw all he had made and it was \_\_\_\_\_. v. 31
11. By the \_\_\_\_\_ day God had finished his work. v. 2:2
13. God separated the \_\_\_\_\_ from the darkness. v. 4
17. God told them to fill the \_\_\_\_\_ and subdue it. v. 28





# Adam

Genesis 2:15-22

The Lord God took the \_\_\_\_\_ and put him in the Garden of \_\_\_\_\_ to work it and take care of it. And the Lord God \_\_\_\_\_ the man, "You are free to \_\_\_\_\_ from any \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_; but you must not eat from the tree of the \_\_\_\_\_ of good and \_\_\_\_\_, for when you eat of it you will \_\_\_\_\_ die."

The Lord God said, "It is not \_\_\_\_\_ for the man to be alone. I will make a \_\_\_\_\_ suitable for him."

Now the Lord God had \_\_\_\_\_ out of the ground all the \_\_\_\_\_ of the field and all the \_\_\_\_\_ of the air. He brought them to the man to see what he would \_\_\_\_\_ them; and whatever the man called each \_\_\_\_\_ creature, that was its name. So the man \_\_\_\_\_ names to all the \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ birds of the \_\_\_\_\_ and all the beasts of the \_\_\_\_\_.

But for \_\_\_\_\_ no suitable helper was \_\_\_\_\_. So the Lord God \_\_\_\_\_ the man to fall into a \_\_\_\_\_ sleep; and while he was \_\_\_\_\_, he took one of the man's \_\_\_\_\_ and closed up the place with \_\_\_\_\_. Then the Lord God made a \_\_\_\_\_ from the rib he had \_\_\_\_\_ out of the man, and he \_\_\_\_\_ her to the man.

G N D R O S Q N R I B S P D  
E A N C T M E J N K B L N A S P E E  
K M R S Z D E P O M E U L S X M  
H E A D F E U E D L C T A V D F  
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# GOD MAKES ADAM AND EVE

## (GENESIS 1:26-4:1)

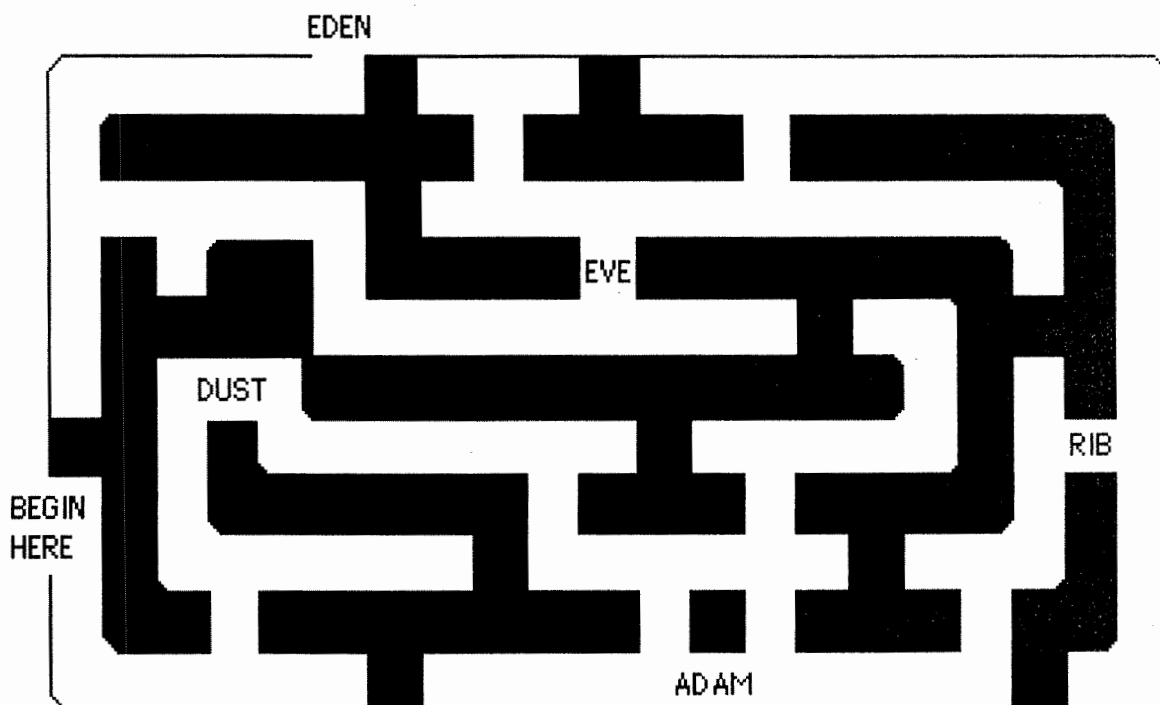
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R E S F Y B S U B R D T Z D T  
H R I B R I H T R E E F U V E

ADAM  
CREATED  
DECEIVED  
DOMINION  
DUST  
EVE

FRUITFUL  
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HELPER  
HUSBAND  
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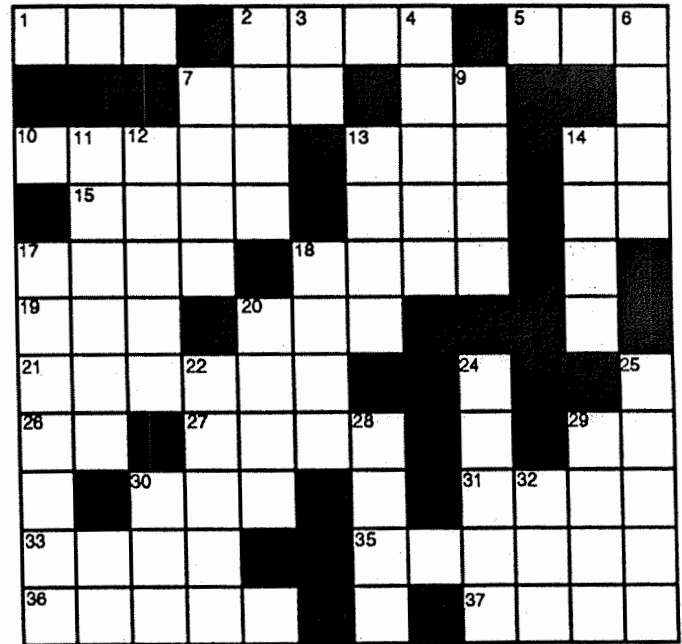
God created our world and everything in it. He also made people to live in the world. Complete this crossword about the first man and woman. Look up the Bible verses if you need help.

### ACROSS

1. Kind of leaves Adam and Eve used to make coverings. (3:7)
2. God said: "And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy \_\_\_\_\_ and her \_\_\_\_\_." (3:15)
5. Adam's bone God used to make Eve. (2:22)
7. What Adam and Eve did after they disobeyed God. (3:8)
10. To use shoestrings; Michaela \_\_\_\_\_ up his shoes.
13. First woman.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ apple; \_\_\_\_\_ egg; \_\_\_\_\_ elephant.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ of life; \_\_\_\_\_ of the knowledge of good and evil. (2:9, 17)
17. Cursed because of Adam's sin; another word for ground.
18. To liquefy.
19. Number of ribs God used to make Eve. (2:21)
20. Adam was the first. (2:7)
21. God did this on the seventh day. (2:2)
26. Abbreviation for road.
27. To listen to and obey; Adam and Eve did not \_\_\_\_\_ God's warning.
29. Old-fashioned, slang word for mother.
30. Eve did this before Adam; present tense verb. (3:6)
31. First man. (2:19)
33. God \_\_\_\_\_ ed Adam and Eve of the consequences if they ate of the tree.
35. Eve was the first of this sex.
36. Serpent; Satan disguised himself as this.
37. "And the \_\_\_\_\_ of them both were opened, and they knew that they *were* naked." (3:7)

### DOWN

2. Where Adam's bone was removed to make Eve.
3. Abbreviation of editor.
4. Another name for Satan.
6. Adam said, "This is now \_\_\_\_\_ of my \_\_\_\_\_ s, and flesh of my flesh." (2:23)
7. Part of foot that would be bruised. (3:15)



9. God said, "Now, \_\_\_\_\_ he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life," (3:22)
11. Christ's blood \_\_\_\_\_ for everyone's sins.
12. The way a baby communicates.
13. First home of Adam and Eve. (2:15)
14. Cain killed \_\_\_\_\_. (4:8)
17. God said to Eve, "In \_\_\_\_\_ (plural) thou shalt bring forth children" (3:16)
18. God \_\_\_\_\_ the world and everything in it.
20. God said, "*It is* not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help \_\_\_\_\_ for him." (2:18)
22. To express appreciation.
24. What was on the sword that kept Adam and Eve from the tree of life. (3:24)
25. Adam gave these to all the animals. (2:19)
28. To disobey or ignore rules; Adam and Eve did this.
29. Sex of first human. (1:27)
30. A period of time.
32. Man was made on the sixth \_\_\_\_\_.