

Parable of the Seven Days of Creation

Day/ Era	Creation	Historical Significance
The Beginning	Gen 1:1-2 - earth in darkness, without form and void.	The state of man before he was illuminated with the Word of God (Jer 4:22-23; Psa 119:105,130).
1st Day 4000-3000 BC	Gen 1:3-5: • Light created. • God divided light from darkness.	Light (Word of God) shone in the darkness. (Jn 3:19-21) • Seed of the Serpent - went out from the presence of God (Gen 4:8-16) and sought out many inventions (Ecc 7:29). Blasphemed the name of Yahweh (Gen 4:26) • Seed of the Woman - attracted to the light and walked in the light.
2nd Day 3000-2000 BC	Gen 1:6-8 - The waters that are above are divided from the waters which are below.	Separation between heavenly and earthly things is slowly broken down ending in the flood (Gen 6:4; 11-12). After the flood the earth became divided (Gen 10:25) between the waters that are above (true religion in Salem under Shem & Melchizedek - Gen 14:18-20) and the waters from beneath (the idolatry begun by Nimrod in Babel (Ur) - Gen 10&11; Josh 24:2). See Col 3:1-2; 2 Cor 6:14-18.
3rd Day 2000-1000 BC	Gen 1:9-13 - Dry land appeared. Plant life to bring forth fruit after his kind.	Israel (the earth) was separated out of the nations (the sea) see Acts 15:14: • Abraham was called (Gen 12:1-3; Acts 7:2-4). • Israel was called out of Egypt (Exod 3:18). Israel is also symbolised by the Vine, and Fig trees. Planted by Yahweh that they might bring forth fruit (Isa 5:1-7; Matt 21:19-21, 33-41).
4th Day 1000 BC-1 BC	Gen 1:14-19 - Lights to: • Divide the day from the night. • For signs, for seasons, for days and for years. • Sun & Moon to rule the day and night.	The prophets, Judges, priests and kings (stars) caused the light of the Word of God to shine. No less than 25 prophets lived in this time: (Samuel to Malachi (except Job) written - 30 books). • Gave light in times of spiritual darkness. • Gave signs and seasons for the fulfillment of the prophetic Word (esp of the Kingdom). Christ (the Sun) was born at the close of the millennium. (The whole of the NT is based around Christ) See Heb 1:3; John 1:1-9. Out of Christ the Ecclesia (the moon) was formed to reflect the glory of the Son of Righteousness.
5th Day 1 AD-1000 AD	Gen 1:20-23 - waters brought forth: • moving creatures. • fowl that fly above the earth.	During the early part of this millennium the earth was dominated by Rome (4th beast of Daniel 7 - most like a crocodile). Also symbolised by the great red dragon (Pagan Rome) of Revelation 12. This makes way for the beast of the sea (the Papacy) (Revelation 13:1). During this millennium people were called out of the sea of nations to elevate their minds above the things of the earth (see Matt 4:19; Jn 21:1-11; 1 Pet 3:15; Mk 16:15-16).
6th Day 1000 AD-2000 AD	Gen 1:24-31; 2:7-25 - earth brought forth: • beasts of the earth. • man then woman. • man is united with his bride.	This millennium is initially dominated by the beast of the earth (Holy Roman Empire) of Revelation 13. At the end of this millennium, the man (or great image of a man) of Daniel 2 stands erect to be destroyed by Christ. The Man Christ Jesus returns to the earth, and is united with his bride (the saints), who was formed out of him.
7th Day 2000 AD-3000 AD	Gen 2:1-3 - The heavens and earth were finished. God rested.	The kingdom of God is described as the "rest" (Heb 3:18; 4:1,9-10). This is the time that the new heavens and new earth that Yahweh is creating will be complete (Isa 65:17-25).
8th Day	Circumcision - Flesh Cut Off	God all in all - 1 Cor 15:28, A New Heavens and a New Earth - Rev 21:1, Universal Immortality - Rev 21:4, No more Sea - Rev 21:1, One nation: Israel - Jer 30:11.