

Reading Plan for March

Book of Genesis

Preparing Your Heart for This Reading Plan

This month, we will journey through the book of **Genesis**, the foundation of Scripture and the beginning of God's redemptive story. Genesis invites us to slow down, observe God's character, and see His hand at work from creation to covenant, from promise to providence.

This reading plan is designed to be completed in **25-days**, allowing space for daily reading, personal journaling, and weekly reflection through devotions. As you read, ask the Lord to speak and draw you deeper into His purposes. At the end of the month, we will gather at "**At The Table**" podcast to reflect together on what God has shown us and to share insights from this journey.

About the Book of Genesis

Author: While no author is directly named, Jewish tradition and many theologians attribute Genesis to **Moses**, along with the other first four books of the Bible, the Pentateuch.

Content Overview: Genesis spans a vast period of history, covering

- Creation and the Fall
- God's promise of a Redeemer
- The Great Flood
- The call of Abraham
- The formation of God's covenant people
- The life of Joseph and Israel's arrival in Egypt

This book reveals God as Creator, Covenant-Keeper, and Faithful Provider.

Reading Plan Overview

- **Duration:** 25 days of daily scripture reading
- **Weekly:** One devotion per week
- **Encouragement:** Journal what the Lord reveals to you
- **Gathering:** Join us at the end of the month "**At The Table**" for discussion and shared reflection

WEEK ONE

Day 1: Genesis 1–2

Day 2: Genesis 3

Day 3: Genesis 4

Day 4: Genesis 5–6

Devotion

Creation itself testifies to God’s greatness and supreme authority. The sun rises, the stars shine, and the waters move, all in perfect *obedience* to His command. Every part of creation fulfills its purpose. In the same way, you were created with divine intention; to **glorify God**, walk in **fellowship with Him**, and reflect **His kingdom here on earth**.

Reflection question:

How can you live in alignment with the purpose for which you were created *today*? In what ways can your actions, words, and choices bring glory to your Creator?

WEEK TWO

Day 5: Genesis 7–8

Day 6: Genesis 9–10

Day 7: Genesis 11–12

Day 8: Genesis 13–14

Day 9: Genesis 15–16

Day 10: Genesis 17–18

Day 11: Genesis 19–20

Devotion

Abraham’s story is one of both great faith and human frailty. By faith, Abram left everything familiar to follow a God he could not see, toward an unknown land. But when faced with the power of Egypt and the beauty of Sarai, Abram chose self-preservation over trust in God’s protection. **His faith that could believe for a future nation struggled to believe for present safety**. – God invites us to trust Him not only for the *promise* but also in the *process*.

Reflection question:

Where do you see faith thriving in your life right now? And where might fear still be *guiding* your choices more than trust?

WEEK THREE

Day 12: Genesis 21–22

Day 13: Genesis 23–24

Day 14: Genesis 25–26

Day 15: Genesis 27–28

Day 16: Genesis 29–30

Day 17: Genesis 31–32

Day 18: Genesis 33–34

Devotional

Jacob's encounter wrestling with God was a turning point of transformation. No longer relying on tricks or schemes for gain, he wrestled honestly and persistently for God's blessing, willing to endure whatever it cost. As a result God blessed him with a new name, **a new identity**; marking the end of who he was and the beginning of who God called him to be. – As believers, we walk this same path. God meets us where we are, but His desire is to transform us into who He created and called us to be.

Reflection question:

What new identity has God given you? How can you walk confidently in it, embracing the fullness of who He's called you to be?

WEEK FOUR

Day 19: Genesis 35–36

Day 20: Genesis 37–38

Day 21: Genesis 39–40

Day 22: Genesis 41–42

Day 23: Genesis 43–44

Day 24: Genesis 45–46

Day 25: Genesis 47–50

Devotion

In Joseph's story with the wife of Potiphar. Scripture says that he not only avoided being **near** temptation, but when in front of it he **fled** from temptation. His honor and fear of God outweighed the thought of giving in to sin. Therefore scripture says, "*The Lord was with him*", both in Potiphar's house and later in prison. God's presence didn't leave him. – When we choose to live with integrity and guard our hearts, we can be confident that God's presence will remain with us, even when circumstances seem unfair

Reflection question:

What struggles are you currently battling? How can you practically *guard your heart* from falling into temptation?