

Come up here

(Gen 4:8) Now Cain talked with Abel his brother; and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother and killed him.

(Gen 4:9) Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is Abel your brother?" He said, "I do not know. Am I my brother's keeper?"

1) he showed himself to be a liar (god hates liars)

2) He was wicked because he thought he could hide his sin from God.

3) He was considered to be unjust by saying he was not his brother's keeper.

Keeper

1) to keep, guard, observe, give heed

to be on one's guard, take heed, take care, beware

1b2) to keep oneself, refrain, abstain

1b3) to be kept, be 1) to keep, guard, observe

Php 2:4 Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others.

The outcry of innocent bloodshed is a symbol of the soul crying out to live. It was also a cry and demand, punishment, and vengeance on the murder, The sound of the cry of the blood is so loud it booms and echos through all the lands and all the ages.

Gen 18:20 And the LORD said, "Because the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah is great, and because their sin is very grave,

Gen 18:21 I will go down now and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry against it that has come to Me; and if not, I will know."

Gen 19:13 For we will destroy this place, because the outcry against them has grown great before the face of the LORD, and the LORD has sent us to destroy it."

Exo 3:9 Now therefore, behold, the cry of the children of Israel has come to Me, and I have also seen the oppression with which the Egyptians oppress them.

Exo 3:10 Come now, therefore, and I will send you to Pharaoh that you may bring My people, the children of Israel, out of Egypt."

Innocent bloodshed will not be invisible and inaudible to the Lord.

Eze 24:7 For her blood is in her midst; She set it on top of a rock; She did not pour it on the ground, To cover it with dust.

Eze 24:8 That it may raise up fury and take vengeance, I have set her blood on top of a rock, That it may not be covered."

Eze 24:9 'Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: "Woe to the bloody city! I too will make the pyre great.(Pile of wood kindle)

Here we see God cursing the devil and the serpent.

Gen 3:14 So the LORD God said to the serpent: "Because you have done this, You are cursed more than all cattle, And more than every beast of the field; On your belly you shall go, And you shall eat dust All the days of your life.

We see Cain had an agreement with the cursed devil and he became what he agreed with he was cursed in his soul, his body would just wander without a permanent home often and no means of support, unprosperous in his labors (wallet)

Rom 6:23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

wages

Thayer Definition:

1) a soldier's pay, allowance

1a) that part of the soldier's support given in place of pay [i.e. rations] and the money in which he is paid

2) metaphorically wages: hire or pay of sin

Part of Speech: noun neuter

Jas 1:13 Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am tempted by God"; for God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He Himself tempt anyone.

Jas 1:14 But each one is tempted when he is drawn away by his own desires and enticed.

Jas 1:15 Then, when desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, brings forth death.

Deu 28:1 "Now it shall come to pass, if you diligently obey the voice of the LORD your God, to observe carefully all His commandments which I command you today, that the LORD your God will set you high above all nations of the earth.

Deu 28:2 And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you, because you obey the voice of the LORD your God:

Deu 28:3 "Blessed shall you be in the city, and blessed shall you be in the country.

Curses

Deu 28:15 "But it shall come to pass, if you do not obey the voice of the LORD your God, to observe carefully all His commandments and His statutes which I command you today, that all these curses will come upon you and overtake you:

Deu 28:16 "Cursed shall you be in the city, and cursed shall you be in the country.

God doesn't do bad things to people; our impure hearts lead us to deception, which in turn leads us to birth sin in our lives, and we open ourselves up for a curse.

Jesus has come to set us free from the curse. His blood speaks better than the blood of Abel

Heb 12:24 to Jesus the Mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling that speaks better things than that of Abel.

Isa 53:5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

Eph 2:13 But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

Act 20:28 Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood.

1Co 13:4 Love suffers long and is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not puffed up;

1Co 13:5 does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, thinks no evil;

1Co 13:6 does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth;

1Co 13:7 bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

1Co 13:8 Love never fails.

Joh 3:16 For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

Joh 3:17 For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.

Jesus's Blood is our life source.

Questions:

What did you learn about the blood of Abel?

What did you learn about innocent blood being shed?

Are you aware of the power of the blood of Jesus?

If yes explain, if not explain?

What new thing did you learn?