



## **Fire Proof Protection**

**“Key: Know your Past and Know your Future”**

**2 Peter 3:1-18**

Lord's Day – September 4, 2022 - Chas Morse



## Ernest Haeckel, Atheist

“Our science of evolution won its greatest triumph when, at the beginning of the twentieth century, its powerful opponents, **the churches**, became **reconciled to it**, and endeavored to bring their dogmas into line with it.”

**1906, Last Word on Evolution**

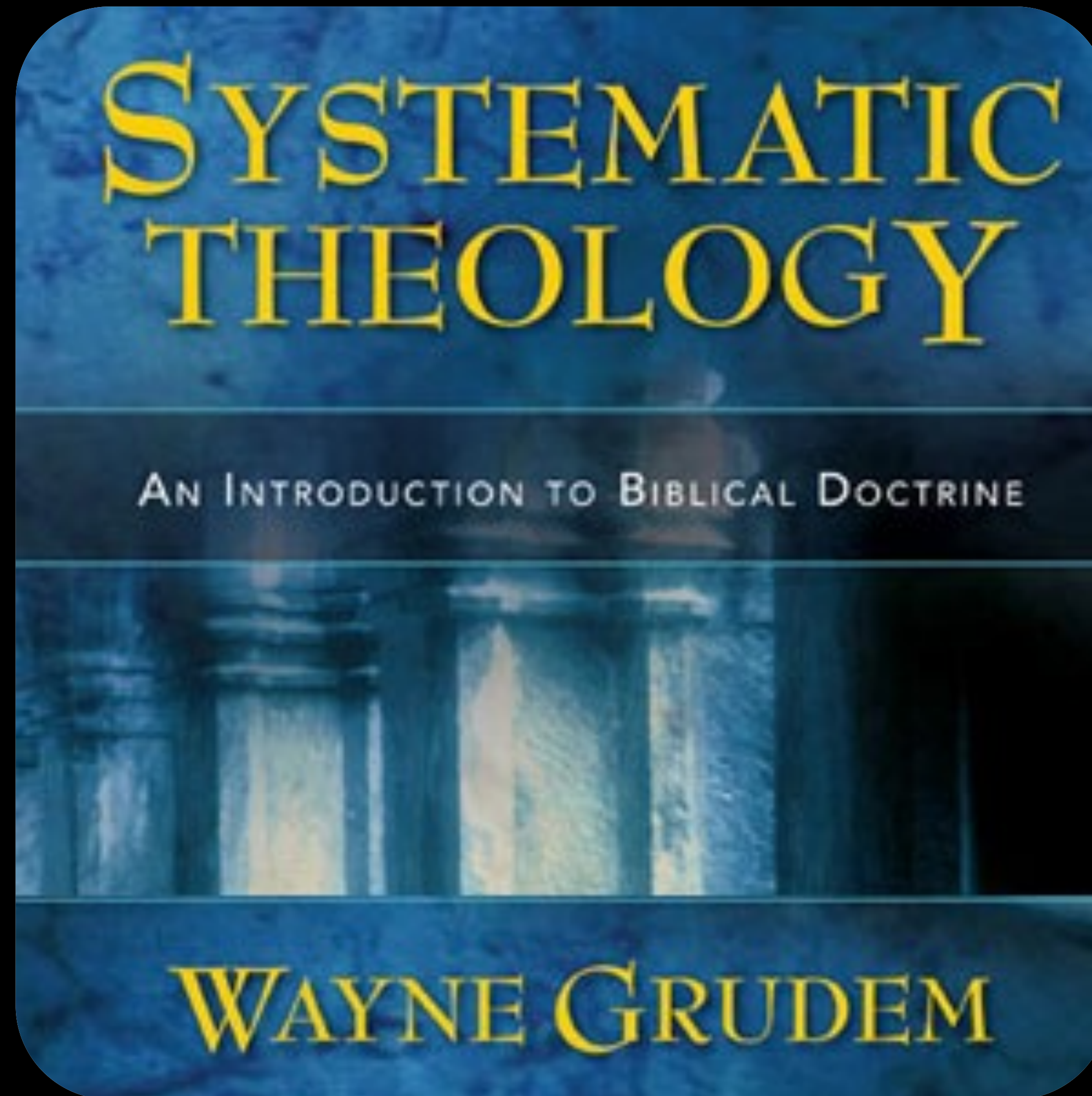


# I. Introduction:

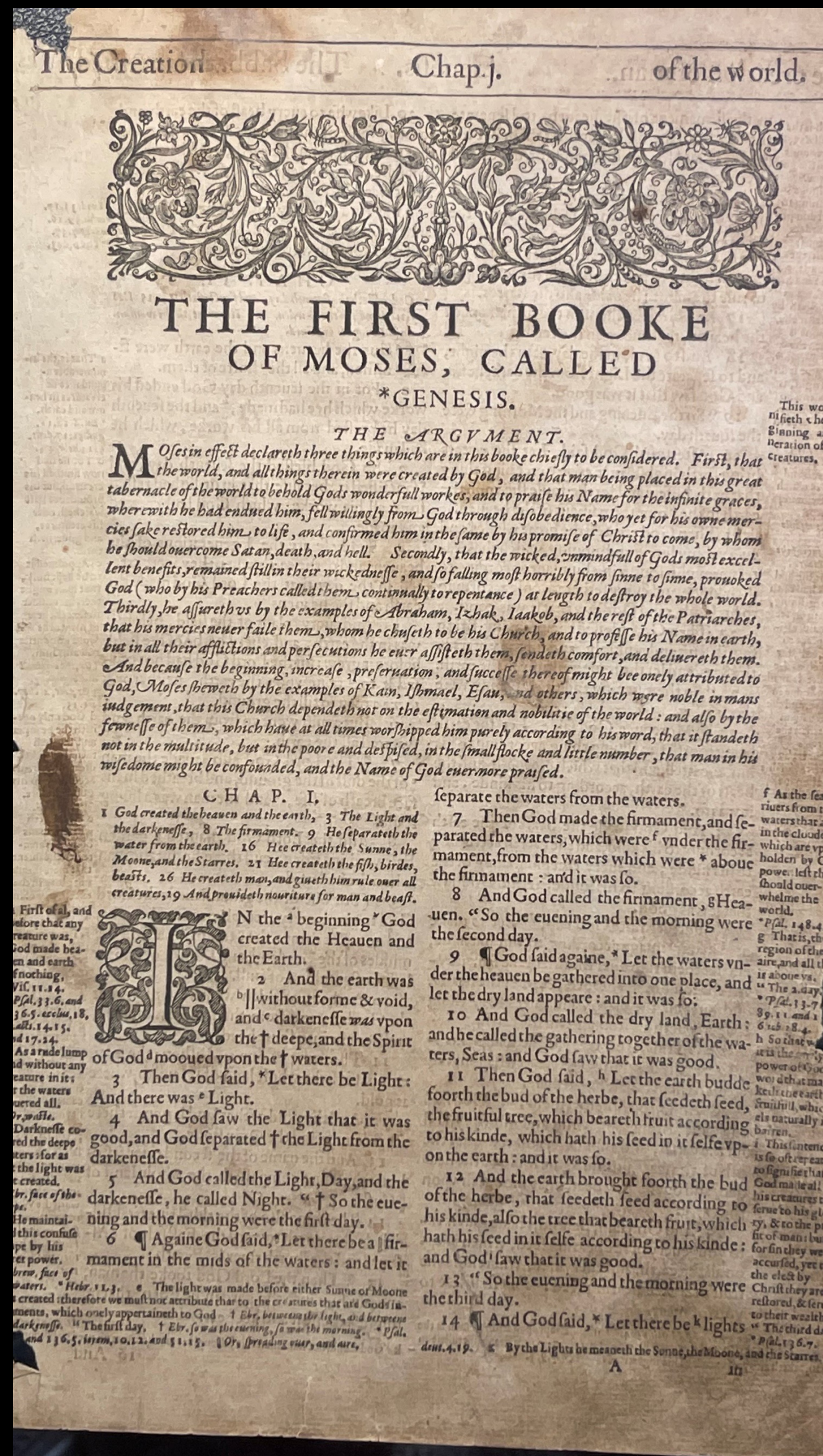




# I. Introduction:







## Countryside Bible Church Distinctive – Creation

We believe the book of Genesis is a straightforward, literal presentation of the historical events it describes.

We teach, therefore, that God created everything in six literal days. We reject every form of theistic evolution.

Pastor Tom Pennington's message on Creation  
[https://countrysidebible.org/media-archives/20140629a\\_c-ser\\_t-tp](https://countrysidebible.org/media-archives/20140629a_c-ser_t-tp)















## II. Theme Verse:

“This is now, beloved, the second letter I am writing to you in which I am stirring up your sincere mind by way of reminder, that you should remember the words spoken beforehand by the **holy prophets** and the **commandment of the Lord and Savior** spoken by your **apostles**  
(2 Peter 3:1–2)”



### **III. Section Verse:**

**“Since all these things are to be destroyed in this way,  
what sort of people ought you to be in holy conduct and  
godliness” 2 Peter 3:11**



## **IV. Section Theme:**

**How do believers behave until God replaces this present creation with a New Heaven and a New Earth?**



# V. Book Outline:



- I. Know Your Salvation (1:3-11)
  - A. Sustained by God's Power (1:3-4)
  - B. Confirmed by Christian Graces (1:5-7)
  - C. Honored by Abundant Reward (1:8-11)
- II. Know Your Scriptures (1:12-21)
  - A. Certified by Apostolic Witnesses (1:12-18)
  - B. Inspired by the Holy Spirit (1:19-21)
- III. Know Your Adversaries (2:1-22)
  - A. Deceptive in Their Infiltration (2:1-3)
  - B. Doomed by their Iniquity (2:4-10a)
  - C. Disdainful in Their Impurity (2:10b-17)
  - D. Devastating in their Impact (2:18-22)

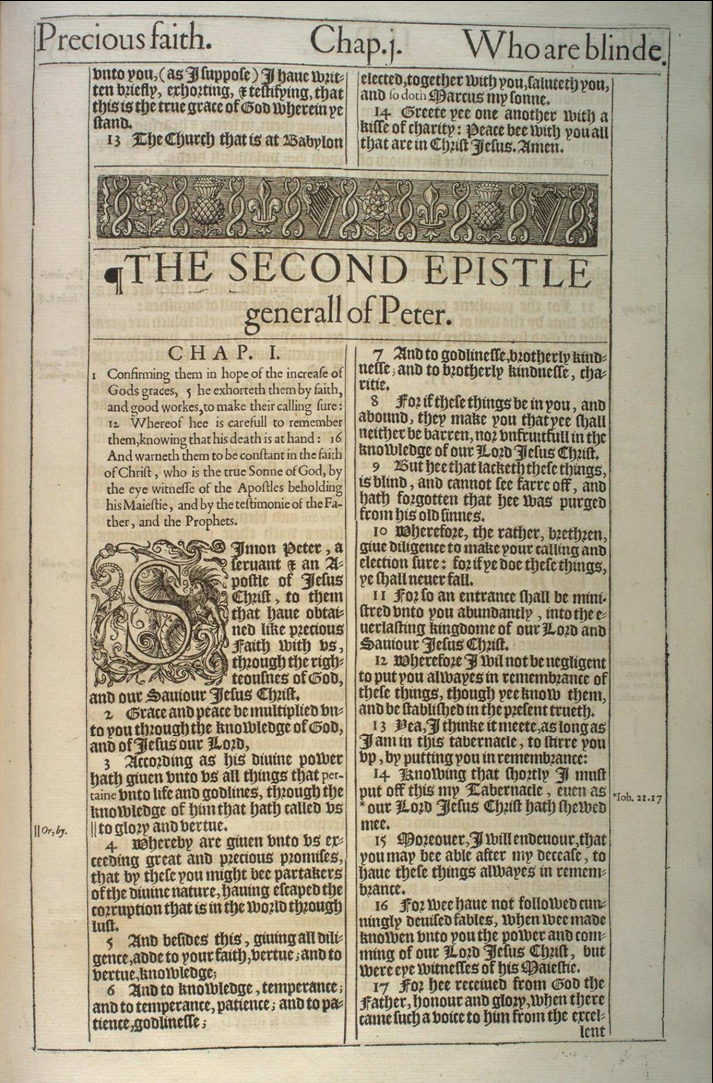


# VI. Section Outline:



## IV. Know Your Past and Know Your Future (3:1-18)

### A. The Sureness of Creation, Flood, and Day of the Lord (Day of God, 3:1-10)





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## IV. Know Your Past and Know Your Future (3:1-18)

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B. The Sanctification of God's People (3:11-18)



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**6) Patience.**





Perhaps Today...