- 10. Verse 2 is describing the condition of this God created matter as the black hole matter without what?
- 11. In Genesis 1:3, God speaks light, and this begins the process of changing the black hole into the what?
- 12. The dividing of the light from darkness in verse 4 might be the origination of what?
- 13. The term "firmament" means what?
- 14. Many Scriptures refer back to the event of Genesis 1:6-8 and describe it as the what by God's hands?
- 15. The "heaven" of verse 8 refers to the what?
- 16. What did God form on day 3?
- 17. In verses 14-19 we see that God takes the liquid masses of matter that are spread throughout the universe and shapes them into what?
- 18. The 5th day of creation God filled the sky and waters with what?
- 19. The phrase "according to its kind" is God's way of emphasizing the fact that all organisms always have what?
- 20. Where do we find a description of the pinnacle of God's creation?
- 21. Adam and Eve had what with God in the glorious garden?
- 22. Where do we find the record of the most horrible event ever to happen?
- 23. Because of sin, this wonderful world that God created was put where?
- 24. What does Genesis 3:16 describe?

- 25. In Genesis 4 we are told about the first what?
- 26. What is the one word that could sum up life under the reign of sin?
- 27. After Genesis 1-2, the next 1,185 chapters are about what?
- 28. Even Jesus, the flawless Son of God, tasted what?
- 29. What was poured out on Jesus when He took our sin and became sin for us?
- 30. Why is it impossible for us to completely understand the fact that Jesus was alienated from God for the only time in all of eternity?
- 31. Why did the darkness happen for 3 hours during the crucifixion of Christ?
- 32. Because Jesus was eternal, His death has what?
- 33. What Jesus experienced during those hours of His crucifixion was so unnatural and foreign for Jesus in light of His what?
- 34. In the Gospel records there are 170 times in which Jesus addressed God as what?
- 35. How does Jesus address the Father when on the cross?
- 36. The phrase (used by Jesus) "it is finished" in Greek means what?
- 37. Jesus died at the very moment He did what?
- 38. What began in Genesis 1-2 is culminated where?
- 39. List the corresponding references between Genesis and Revelation:

- 40. Revelation 21:1-4a tells us that there will be no more what?
- 41. The last enemy that will be destroyed is what?
- 42. One of the best ways to describe our eternal home and existence is to use what words?
- 43. What are some of the things that there will be no more of in the new heaven and earth?
- 44. Revelation 22:3-5 describes life after sin. Will you be there?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- » How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- » How can I accomplish this change?
- » What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

FOR NEXT TIME:

- 1. This week read Genesis 1-3 and Revelation 20-22
- 2. What are some things you note about life before sin?
- 3. How would you describe life after sin?

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"LIFE BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER SIN" Selected Scripture

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "Life Before, During, and After Sin". All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

- 1. How many chapters are there in the English translation of the Bible?
- 2. God made a covenant with the people of Israel and that covenant is often referred to as the what?
- 3. Jesus said that His death would inaugurate the what?
- 4. The first two chapters of the Bible describe life before what?
- 5. Genesis 1-2:4 gives us whose account of the creation?
- 6. Why does Pastor Bryan say that this section is God's own account of creation?
- 7. Jesus affirmed the creation account of the book of Genesis in what two passages?
- 8. In Genesis 1:1 God created the what (what He would use to make space and planet earth)?
- 9. Does the phrase, "ex-nihilo" refer to God making the sun, moon, and the stars?

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