# **English**

## The Creation by God

On the last day, God created man and woman in His own image. Everything that we humans need has been infused into the earth. Among these, God created us humans as blessed beings, the pinnacle of all creation.

## The Beginning of Unhappiness

Happiness was supposed to continue, so why did unhappiness begin here? Why do we humans live with indescribable suffering and pain? The Bible tells us the root cause of why humans ended up this way. It is because we were separated from God. Humans, who should have met God, were separated from Him and disobeyed His word, which became sin. It is the sin of disobedience.

#### The Reason for Disobedience

Why did we disobey? Because we were deceived by an invisible being called Satan. In Genesis 3:1-6, there is a scene where humans are separated from God. Because they disobeyed God's command not to eat the forbidden fruit, humans were born into this world with original sin. Original sin means being born in a state bound by the sin committed by humans, even though one has not committed any personal wrongdoing.

#### **Descendants of Adam**

The Bible records that we are descendants of Adam. The descendants of the first human, Adam. All humans are descendants of Adam. Chinese, Koreans, Japanese, Russians, everyone regardless of nationality, are descendants of Adam. And what were we born with? We were born with original sin. But all humans were born with their destiny held by Satan.

## The Cause of Unhappiness

Because of these three problems, human unhappiness began. Continuous suffering comes during life. In Genesis 3:16-20, suffering is described. What is the most common suffering you experience? I believe it is mental suffering. Many people feel stressed. There is no one who does not experience stress. Seeing even a small mistake can cause anger, bad mood, or irritation. Such suffering is imprinted in our minds. And the suffering of the heart continues. So there is no margin, only anxiety. Always worried. Afraid things won't go well. Such suffering brings depression to our hearts, binding us in pain. Acts 10:38

states, "oppressed by the devil." What is oppressed? The heart is oppressed. It is painful. I think most people live with such hearts.

## **Physical and Daily Suffering**

There is physical and daily suffering. Economic suffering, suffering in daily life, environmental suffering are also daily sufferings. Physical pain is also a daily suffering, not being able to work well, not being successful are daily sufferings. Such suffering and pain continue. So, humans, created as happy beings, why have we become so unhappy? The Bible tells us the answer. We ended up suffering because of these problems. Continuous issues with mental, emotional, and physical daily problems cause humans to seek God in their hearts, as the Bible says.

#### **Idol Worship**

Humans began to seek gods. They began to struggle to meet God. This resulted in idol worship. Idols are all creations of humans. People carve wood, melt iron, and worship saying, "I have these problems." Is this bad? No, it is not bad. It is inevitable. Idol worship is not bad. It is struggling to solve problems over their heads. But the Bible says it is idol worship. God said, "You shall have no other gods before me." The Creator God, who created us, who governs our lives and deaths, told us, "That is not God. It is merely a religion created by human belief. However, it is controlled by an entity called Satan, not the true Lord." If you worship it, this disaster and curse will continue to your descendants for three to four generations, as God said. Because it is not the Creator, not the God who created humans.

#### The Existence of Satan

But without knowing God, humans can only create idols and worship them as a temporary defense to solve their problems. That is idol worship. For a person without money, they might think that if they could just earn more money, they could solve their life's problems. We humans cannot avoid dying once. Our bodies return to the earth from the earth. The soul within the body must go to God's kingdom. This is the issue of death. The children of the devil return to the devil's kingdom. This is called hell. Some say we will know after we die. Try dying. You will know then. God's saved children can go to God's kingdom. That is our homeland. Your soul's homeland is God's kingdom. Your body's homeland is the earth. If you say that God made humans from earth, we return to the earth. Humans gradually disappear. If we live until 80, 90, or 100 years old, how much suffering have we endured on this earth because of these words?

Thinking about this suffering cannot be expressed in words. People suffer every day. So we humans changed from happy beings to unhappy beings. After we die, if a father dies, a festival is held. Therefore, it is said that the children of three to four generations will suffer. How to solve this suffering problem? God provides the solution from the beginning. This is referred to in Genesis 3:15. The offspring of the woman will crush the serpent's head. Who is this offspring? The person born of the Virgin Mary. Today, when you and I meet Christ, life's problems change from unhappiness to happiness. The main problem is the next problem. Knowledge problems are the next problem. Environmental problems are the next problem. Whether you are healed or not, whether your business succeeds or not, those are also the next problems. Why are they the next problems? When you have such problems, there is an origin. The origin problem becomes the origin.

### The Way to Solve the Problem

The way to solve the problem is Christ. John 14:6 says, "I am the way and the truth and the life." It is said that no one comes to the Father except through me. Jesus Christ is the way for us to meet God. He is the answer to our lives. He is the answer to happiness. He is the answer to solving everything. That is Christ. The wages of sin are death, it is said. Suffering all the while and then dying. Even if you live until 70 or 100 years, you will suffer and die. This suffering continues. That is the life of suffering. Romans 8 says, "the law of the Spirit of life has set you free from the law of sin and death." That is Christ. Christ is the one anointed. God anointed. Who? Not the prophets of the hollow era. It was Christ. 1 John 3:8. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the devil's work. He fights the invisible Satan. He has the power to fight and destroy that entity. The reason we are in God is to destroy the devil's work. Jesus Christ is God's Son. He is the true King who broke Satan's sword. These three roles are called Christ. You should believe in Christ.

#### **Three Fundamental Problems**

These three fundamental problems are solved by Christ. In the past, not knowing Christ caused all the mental, emotional, and physical suffering. But if you truly meet Christ, this suffering disappears. If you truly meet Christ, all suffering becomes a mechanism in Christ. It becomes a foundation. It becomes a blessing. It changes like this. If you cannot turn your unhappiness into a blessing, you have the thoughts of an unbeliever. You are living a life that did not know God at all. It must be so. Romans 19:30 says, "It is finished." We are now truly happy people. Father still has mental, emotional, and physical

problems. This suffering became an opportunity to meet God. It became an opportunity to explore the gospel. So it is a foundation. Without such suffering, we would not have truly met Christ. The blessing of the gospel. That is the true blessing. Going to church solves business problems. How good would it be if it was solved? But that should not be the priority. While feeling your pain and suffering, think about why we have these problems. The Bible says it is because we were separated from God. The Bible says it is because we disobeyed God's word. My destiny was captured by Satan. That's why things don't go well. That's why you suffer. That's why it's always tangled. The Bible always says that. So truly meet Christ. The way to meet God is through me. All your curses and sins are over. The invisible Satan's sword is broken by me. That person is Jesus Christ. All our problems are solved. If you are saved, even if you need help with money, your perspective on these problems will change. Your thinking will change. In the past, you tried hard to solve them. Have you ever felt mentally difficult? Have you been subjected to general suppression? Have you ever been rejected in meetings? Have you been in discussions? I have. If someone woke me up or touched me, it would be good, but no matter how much I moved, I was already suppressed and could not recover. Even trying to move by thought was impossible. And so we die. That is a sad thing. Have you had such an experience? Have you experienced depression? There is something depressive. Especially on a day like today, when it rains all day. Somehow, I feel down and somewhat depressed. Even if the neighbor says something, it doesn't go into my ears. Could you control it with your power? Absolutely not. That is called the spiritual world. Who is working? Is it suppressed when the saint works? No, is it suppressed when the evil spirit works? Is it suppressed when the Holy Spirit works? No, it is said that the heart is suppressed when the evil spirit works. You should drive out that evil spirit. Will it leave when you say go out? No. No, do you know? No, you know. When I call the name of Jesus Christ, the evil spirit flees. Why Christ? The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the devil's work. That is why Satan fears nothing more than the name of Jesus Christ dwelling in you. He kneels before it. Yes, having Christ in you is the truth. It is not choosing one among religions. God is alive now. He is with me now. He guides me now. He takes responsibility for my and your life. How much faith can you confess to this fact? Do you live with that faith? Private is already one way. We live together. That is faith. You have that faith in the way of your life. So accept Christ as the Lord of your life in your heart. That is called the Holy Spirit indwelling within me. 1 Corinthians 3:16, do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?

Who is inside you? The Holy Spirit is with you. Such people live in any confusion, danger, sword, or evil thought within God. He created a bond.

That is the secret of being with God. You can believe with such assurance. God is the God who saves my world. God is the God who saves my world. God came to remove the sins of this world.

Today, God came to solve the problem of separation from Him and the problem of Satan on the cross. That is Matthew 16:16, Christ. You are the Christ, the Son of the living God. All these Satans were crushed. All sins and curses were solved. He gave the way to meet God for those separated from Him. That is Christ. Who is Christ? Colossians 2:2-3, God's mystery is Christ. Christ is God's mystery. In Him are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. So when you realize Christ, all problems are solved. Because John 19:30, the root problem is solved. Truly, if Christ becomes my Lord, I believe all your suffering problems become a foundation and turn into blessings on this earth. You live with that faith. Who can harm you? Who can judge you? No one. Today, we want everyone to be saved by the law of sin and death. That is salvation for us. Matthew 24:14 says, after the gospel of the kingdom has been preached to all nations, the end will come. So God calls you and me pioneers. God calls you and me missionaries. Yes, you. Tell the way you met God. What do people cursed and insulted need now? We should tell them the way to liberation. Captured by Satan, captured by destiny, continuously cursed, and unsuccessful. What do they need? Someone with authority to cast out Satan. You should tell them. Evangelism is about that. You are seen as missionaries in this country when you tell them. So, you all are evangelists. You are all in heaven. You meet many unbelievers.

Tell them. Yes, after the gospel has been preached to all nations, the end will come. Today's story is about Elisha. Elisha was a person prepared by God. Prepared by God. Elisha didn't believe in Jesus after meeting Elijah. He was from a family line that held onto that church and passed it down. God restored that family line. In 1 Chronicles 27:29, the name Shaphat appears. Who is Shaphat? Elisha's father. Shaphat is Elisha's father. There appears the name of his grandfather, Adlai. Who are they? They were the stewards of King David's property. Shaphat managed King David's property. So, David was a great man of property. Who could he entrust that property to? Who did he entrust it to? A person who had faith, a person who had the skill to manage. A person with both faith and skill was entrusted. When are the remnants used by God? It is not just

your ability. Faith and skill are prepared. So, remnants are used if they have faith and skill. I hope our remnants, our children, will receive this blessing.

God called Elisha from that family line. A person with both faith and skill was appointed by God. In John 3:19, Elijah anointed Elisha, son of Shaphat of Abel-Meholah. He said, "You shall succeed me as a prophet." At that time, Elisha was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen. God sent Elijah to find Elisha. Elijah appointed him and called him. We should not just zealously attend church and worship. We should be people used by God. We should be workers used by God. So, you are called to be workers, teachers, directors, deacons, and leaders. The important thing is not just attending church but being used to expand the kingdom of faith. What will you help expand the kingdom of faith?

Where we live is not important. What kind of person we become is important. Where you live is important. It is about living rightly there. Where you live, whether Elisha plows fields with oxen and pigs, it does not matter. The place is not important. The environment is not important. Becoming the person appointed by God to prepare faith and ability is important. That is the will of God. Become disciples. It is time for God to use you. Faith life is being used. Teaching time is being used. Time to be used in the name of God. I hope you will be used. You will be proved. Elisha was proved. 1 Kings 19:19-21. Elijah went to Elisha's house. God poured His love on you and said, "Be my prophet instead of me." How did he react when this was said? He was shining with 24 oxen. When he saw Elijah, he broke the tools and followed Elijah. He told his parents and followed Elijah. Then suddenly, he took two oxen, broke the tools, killed the oxen, called everyone in the village, and held a feast. He held a feast and decided to follow Elijah under God. How did Peter follow? He was a fisherman. He was catching fish in the Sea of Galilee. The nets were broken, and Peter couldn't catch any fish, holding his group, saying, "I will cast the net into the deep water."

When he obeyed the word, he returned with a full boat, including his brother Andrew's boat. At that time, Jesus said to Peter, "Follow me. I will make you fishers of men." Peter accepted that word in one go. He entrusted the fish to his brother Andrew. You should follow by breaking the tools like Elisha. You should follow by breaking the ship or abandoning the ship. But he followed by entrusting it to his brother. Because he followed, preparing an escape route to deny Jesus when he did not know Jesus. But Elisha? He killed the oxen, broke the tools, and decided to follow Elijah completely. Who is the obedient one? Who is the true obedient one? A person preparing to escape?

It is to follow by deciding completely like Elisha. That is a disciple. When you recruit people in the future, it is important to show many such workers who decide to follow God. And it is serious. When following Elijah, Elijah said this. 2 Kings 2:9, Elijah said to Elisha, "Before I am taken from you, ask what I should do for you before I am taken." Elisha prayed, "Let me inherit a double portion of your spirit." You prayed for one thing. There was one prayer topic. Today, how many prayer topics do you and I have? Elisha had one prayer topic. Give me the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Give me a double portion of the fullness of the Holy Spirit. This one request finished everything. Today, you and I have many prayer topics, but it doesn't matter if you lose them all. What should you do? Give me the fullness of the Holy Spirit. If you seek this one thing, everything is finished. Why does faith waver? Because the fullness of the Holy Spirit does not continue. The Holy Spirit is not there. The Holy Spirit is not continuing. When it cannot continue, my emotions arise with just the passage of disbelief, and my mood and judgment arise. Because the fullness of the Holy Spirit is not happening. Elisha prays before God for just one thing. Give me the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Today, you and I must give this fullness. Everyone, every day, every moment, read the Bible a lot. The Bible has evidence. Joseph was a man in whom the Spirit of God dwelled. Daniel was also a man in whom the Spirit of God dwelled. He was a holy man of the temple. He also revived an era. He saved everyone. Today, if you and I receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit, we can save everyone. What does Judges 13 say? "From that day on, the Spirit of the Lord began to stir him." The fullness of the Holy Spirit. There is no king like a king on this earth. The highest king. It was true faith in God's sovereignty. This week, you and I pray to God, and even though there is much suffering, God, give me life.

If the power of God comes to me, this one thing will end everything. This one thing was requested. Elisha was dedicated to God. Elisha succeeded Elijah. You and I should become disciples today. You should become disciples. Become disciples to deliver the correct covenant. God rode the chariot of fire and the horses of fire and went up to heaven. It says he was taken up to heaven without tasting death. Who was taken up without tasting death? Enoch. There is a good Enoch in our church. He did not taste death. He went up. Second, Elisha. Amid anxiety and inequality, he went up with the chariot of fire and the horses of fire, ascending into God's body. Finally, Jonathan. 2 Kings 6:23 says that the raiding bands of Aram did not invade Israel's territory again. He faced the danger of Aram. He received such a tremendous blessing. So the movement of Dothan began. Ultimately, he completely destroyed the army of Aram. In the era of

Israel's kings, rumors spread that they could not enter. How to do it? Truly, a person filled with the Spirit of God, a person filled with the Holy Spirit, a person with spiritual power. Such people will remove the calamities from your family. They will also remove the calamities of the region. Are things not going well for you? Do not think with human thoughts. You truly receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit and let God work. The door will open. Don't always try to live at the standard level. God, live with power. This week, I hope you pray for such power. I hope such work will happen to prevent the calamities of my family. Pray to end. Thank God.