

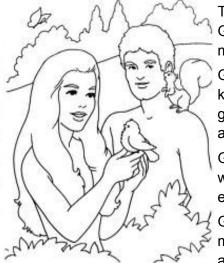




UNIT 3

BIBLE READING IN THE IMAGE OF GOD





Then God said: "Now let us make human beings. They will be like us." So God made human beings. God created them like himself. He made them man and woman. Their names were Adam and Eve.

God placed Adam and Eve in a beautiful garden that he made with all kinds of wonderful trees. Some of the trees made delicious fruits. The garden was covered with all sorts of colourful flowers. God said to Adam and Eve: "Enjoy yourselves. Enjoy all I have created for you!"

God was their friend. He wanted Adam and Eve to name all the animals. It was great fun for them to find names for the animals: squirrels, cats, dogs, elephants, horses, tigers, and elephants.

God blessed them and said to them: "Have many children so that they may live all over the earth and take care of the fish, the birds, the animals and all that I have created."

Based on Genesis, chapters 1 and 2

YVONNE

Yvonne's mother was having a birthday party. She invited many friends who all came over with a nice gift. But Yvonne was only five years old. She was too young to buy a present and after all she had no money. But she wanted to give mummy a special present. What would she do?

While mum was opening the gifts, Yvonne left the room. After a while she returned carrying a tray which she then placed on the floor right in front of her mother. Then to everybody's surprise, she stood on the tray and said: "Happy Birthday, Mum. I'm your gift!"



Image: my prayers - my thoughts - my ideas How can I be a gift to others?