

2ND C OF HISTORY: **CORRUPTION**

Text: Genesis 2:15-17; Genesis 3-4

SUMMARY—God created all things in 6 days and rested on the 7th (Genesis 1-2). This is why we have 7 days in our week. When God was finished creating, He declared all things "very good." But we don't see a "very good" world today. Rather, we live in a world filled with disease, suffering, and pain. This Bible study is taken from Genesis 3; it reveals what happened to change the original paradise into the world we have today. In this study, we will discuss why suffering and pain exist in the world and why these things can happen to "good" people.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What does "corruption" mean?
2. How does this event affect you and the world you live in?

RESOURCES ON THE WEB

answersingenesis.org/articles/ka/v8/n1/corruption

answersingenesis.org/articles/am/v4/n3/effects-curse

answersingenesis.org/articles/kw/cains-wife

answersingenesis.org/articles/2010/11/02/second-law-of-thermodynamics

"But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die." Genesis 2:17