

## The Story of the Bible

- A) *In the Beginning*—the new world is very good—a very good place for people and God live together in shalom (Gn 1-2)
- B) In the middle of the Earth/Eden was the tree of life (Gn 2:9).
- C) A river ran through the Garden (Gn 2:10).
- D) There was no death (Gn 2:17).
- E) The world is cursed by sin (Gn 3:17.)
- F) Death enters (Gn 3:21).
- G) People are banished from Paradise (Gn 4-Rev. 20). ( The Story of Redemption in Messiah Jesus )
- G') People are returned to Paradise (Rev 21:1).
- F') Death ends (Rev 21:4).
- E') The world's curse is removed (Rev 22:3).
- D') There is no death anymore (Rev 21:4).
- C') A river runs through God's Kingdom (Rev 22:1-5).
- B') In the middle of God's Kingdom is the tree of life (Rev 22:2).
- A') *In the End*—(the new beginning)—the new world is very good—a very good place where people and God live together in shalom forever (Rev 22:5).