

## Old Testament Sacrifice and Worship Before Mt Sinai (*Antesinaic*)

- **Adam and Eve – before the fall (Genesis 2)**
  - No sin
  - No fear
  - Work to do
  - Got Adam a wife – Genesis 2:18-25
- **After the fall – God provides the sacrifice**
- **Cain and Abel – blood sacrifice (Genesis 4)**
  - Genesis 4:1-4, 5-8
  - Why did they offer blood sacrifice?
  - Original sin
  - Sin just like any other humans today
  - “Cain told Abel” – in context, discussed sacrifices
- **Genesis 4:26 Start of public worship**
- **Noah – Clean and unclean, blood sacrifice (Genesis 6-9)**
  - Genesis 7:1-3, 6-10
  - Clean – appropriate for sacrifice
  - Clean later applies to Mosaic law because even though Noah is given 8:30, 9:3 all moving things to eat, Israel is to be holy – eating only “clean” animals (Leviticus 11)
- **Abraham**
  - Genesis 15
  - Righteousness by faith
  - Covenant by sacrifice
  - Genesis 14:17-20 – Melchizedek
  - Genesis 17:10-13 – Bloody rite of circumcision
  - Genesis 18 – Respectful intercession
  - Genesis 22 – Offering of Isaac
- **Jacob**
  - Genesis 28:10-22 – Conditional dedication to God
  - Genesis 32:24-32 – Wrestling with God
  - Genesis 49:1-33 – Deathbed
- **Job – redeemer, priesthood beyond family and tribes**
  - Job 19:23-27 – Job’s Redeemer
  - Job 42:7-9 Job serves as priest beyond family (as Melchizedek)

- **Jethro – possible source of Genesis, Job – tribal knowledge**
  - Toldots of Genesis – passed down – starting from Adam(?)
  - Near geography, within a few hundred years of Job

