

9 The nature of man - Good or bad

The Creation of man



Genesis 1:25,31 - How is God's creation described?

Genesis 2:7,19; 7:22 - What was the formula for man, and what else was this the formula for?

Genesis 1:27,28 - What was the important difference between man and animals?

The Origin of sin

Genesis 2:16, 17 - How did God test Adam and Eve? Why did God test them, do you think?

The Nature of sin

1 John 3:4, 1 John 2:16; Mark 7:20-23 - What is sin, and where does it come from?

Do you think some sins are worse than others





Matthew 12:31 - What sin can't be forgiven - and why do you think this is?

The Consequences

Genesis 3:7,8,19, Romans 6:23 - What were the immediate consequences, and the ultimate consequences?



Implications for us

Romans 5:12 and Ephesians 2:1-3 - How are we affected by Adam's sin? What does this tell you about yourself. How does it make you feel if you imagine yourself standing in front of God?

