

Moses 6:25- 7:41

**The visions of
Enoch and the
plan of
salvation**

Prophetic Parallels

- ◆ Abraham and Moses both were shown what Enoch saw—Moses 1:28, Abraham 3:22; ◆ 6:35-36
- ◆ Moses and Enoch both felt extremely inadequate—Exodus 3:11, 4:10 ◆ 6:31
- ◆ God promised to help both of them, and did—Exodus 3:12, 4:12 ◆ 6:32
- ◆ They told the people of his vision—JSH 1:21-24; Exodus 4:27-31 ◆ 6:42
- ◆ People were offended by their words—JSH 1:20, Ex.16:2 ◆ 6:37

The Plan of Salvation (6:62)

- ◆ The Creation
 - ◆ The Fall
 - ◆ The Atonement/First Principles
 - ◆ Agency
 - ◆ Faith
 - ◆ Repentance
 - ◆ Baptism
 - ◆ Receive the Holy Ghost
 - ◆ Adam repents, is baptized, and receives the Holy Ghost
 - ◆ The order of the Church has been the same from the beginning
- ◆ 6:51
 - ◆ 6:48-49 ▶
 - ◆ 6:50, 52-61
 - ◆ 6:55-56 ▶
 - ◆ 6:57, 62-63
 - ◆ 6:50, 52-57
 - ◆ 6:52-53, 59-60
 - ◆ 6:59-61
 - ◆ 6:64-68

Phase I

Spirit Creation

Celestial

No Detailed Account
of Spirit Creation
Moses 3:5

References: 2 Nephi 2:23-26, Moses
6:48; 4:14; 5:11

Phase II

Physical/Spiritual Creation
Immortal State
Terrestrial

Accounts of 6 Creative Periods

Genesis 1
Moses 2, 3
Abraham 4, 5

Conditions (before Phase II):

1. No Death
2. No Procreation
3. No blood (NOT mortal)
4. Innocent(not accountable), no joy, no good
5. No sin (no alternatives)
6. No corruption, aging, pain
7. In God's presence

Phase III

Present World
Mortal or Temporal State
Telestial

Accounts After the Fall

Genesis 3
Moses 4, 5

Conditions (after Phase II):

1. Spiritual, physical death
2. Reproduction
3. Blood (mortal)
4. Experience joy, accountable
5. Good, evil, sin
6. Corruption, aging, pain
7. Out of God's presence

Note: Every one of us comes from phase I to phase III. None of us experienced phase II except Adam and Eve.

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•Note: Everything was created in a condition that required a fall to progress. Adam and Eve used agency to choose the two conditions of mortality—sin and death—for themselves and us→atonement!



Enoch Establishes Zion

- ◆ He cries repentance—and continues to ◆ 7:10, 12
- ◆ He baptizes in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost ◆ 7:11
- ◆ Great faith, preaches the word (Alma 31:5; Helaman 3:24-30; Alma 13:18) ◆ 7:13
- ◆ The Lord comes and dwells with His people because they are righteous ◆ 7:16
- ◆ They are blessed by the Lord and His glory is upon them ◆ 7:17
- ◆ One heart, one mind, righteous, no poor ◆ 7:18
- ◆ Taken to Heaven ◆ 7:21

Visions of Enoch

- ◆ **The inhabitants of the earth fight and war amongst each other** ◆ **7:16**
- ◆ **Satan has great power on the earth** ◆ **7:24, 26**
- ◆ **God weeps over his children** ◆ **7:28-31**
- ◆ **Prophecy of the Flood** ◆ **7:34**
- ◆ **Most wicked of God's creations** ◆ **7:36**
- ◆ **Foreshadowing of the great work the Savior would do for those in Spirit Prison (D&C 138:7-11, 30-37, 57-59)** ◆ **7:38-39**

Satan's Power/Satan's Lies

- **Elder Robert D. Hales of the Quorum of the Twelve apostles declares that Satan can only have influence in our lives if we let him**



Elder Robert D. Hales, April 2006

He also taught that because of agency (D&C 58:28) we can overcome addiction by exercising our freedom of choice.



Elder Robert D. Hales, April 2006

Elder Boyd K. Packer, also of the Twelve, taught that we can regain our freedom because of the atonement



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