

# Three Sons Tell the Story of the World

Genesis 4-6





# The story of the world

## Abel - The futility of life

“**There is a vanity** which occurs on earth, that there are just men to whom it happens according to the work of the wicked; again, there are wicked men to whom it happens according to the work of the righteous. I said that **this also is vanity.**” (Eccl. 8:14)



# The story of the world

Cain - The possessor of life

Cain > Abel

Cain = Abel

# Seth - The “Gift” of God

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# Life doesn't always seem fair

Fear God and keep his commandments,  
for this is the duty of all mankind.

<sup>14</sup> For God will bring every deed into judgment,  
including every hidden thing,  
whether it is good or evil. (Eccl. 12:13-14)

God has made the one  
as well as the other.

Therefore, no one can discover  
anything about their future. (Eccl. 7:13-14)

Sin goes from bad to worse



# God provides a substitute

Cain > Abel

Cain = Abel

Cain < Abel