



Session 5

The God's progressive revelation of His purpose

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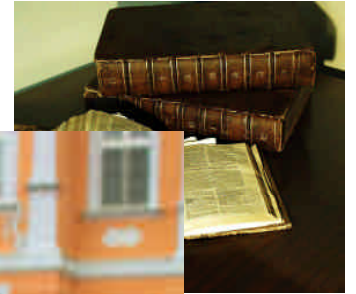
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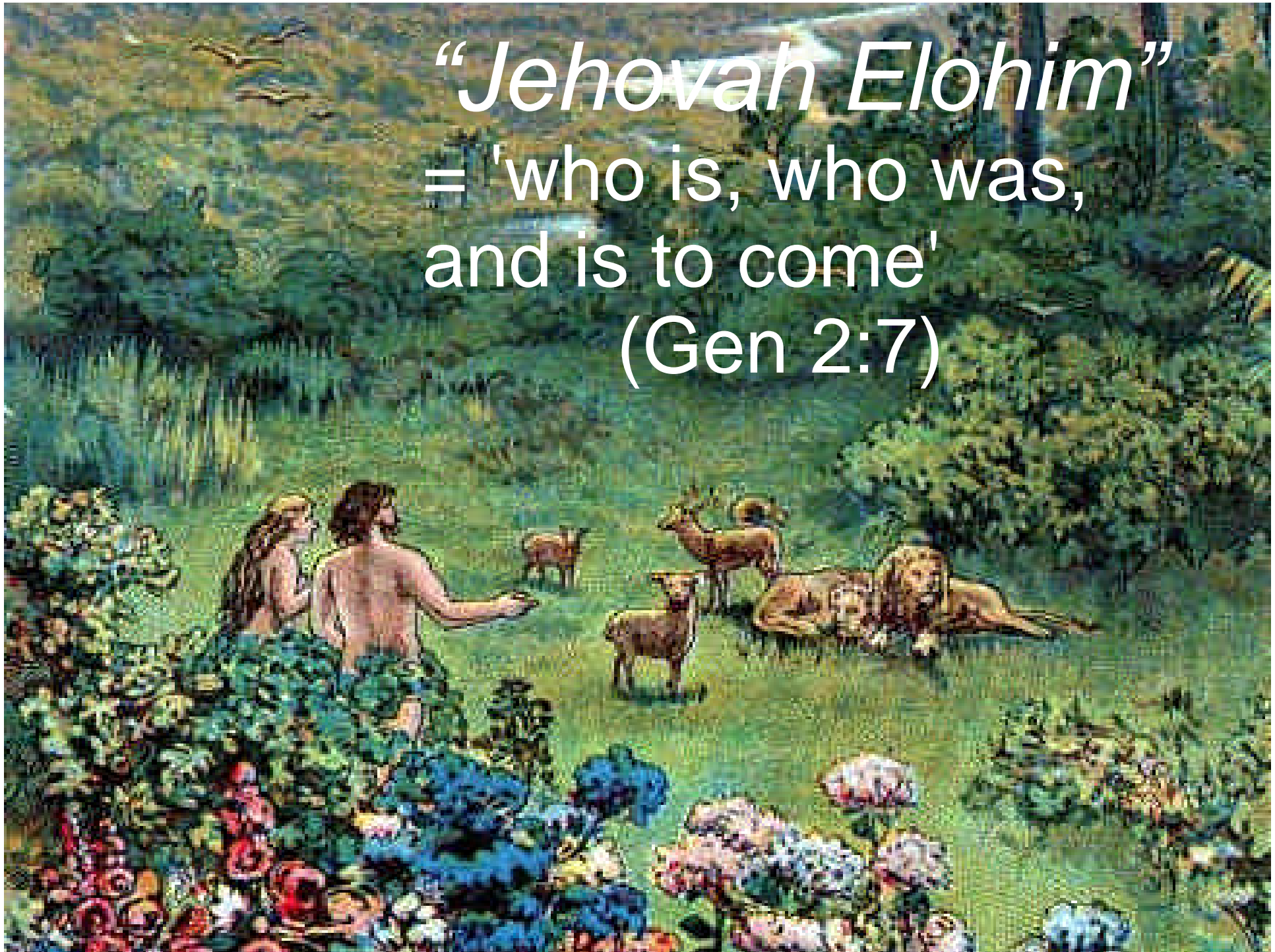






“Elohim”
= God the Creator
(Gen 1:1)

“Jehovah Elohim”
= 'who is, who was,
and is to come'
(Gen 2:7)





“*El Shaddai*” = God Almighty → *the Patriarchs*
(*Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob*)

'I appeared unto Abraham, unto Isaac, and unto Jacob, by [the name of] God Almighty, but by my name JEHOVAH was I not known to them.' (Ex 6:3)

'And Abram was ninety-nine years old, when Jehovah appeared to Abram, and said to him, I [am] the Almighty God' (Gen 17:1)



“*Jehovah*” = Who is, who was, and is to come
→ *Nation of Israel (covenant relationship)*

'And God spoke to Moses, and said to him, I am Jehovah.' (Exo 6:2)

'And I have also established my covenant with them, to give them the land of Canaan, the land of their pilgrimage, wherein they were strangers.' (Exo 6:4)



“Father” → Christians (family relationship, children and sons of God)

'But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeks such to worship him.

God [is] a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship [him] in spirit and in truth.'
(John 4:23, 24)



“Father” → all Christians (family relationship)



“Jehovah” → nation of Israel (covenant relationship)



“El Shaddai” = God Almighty → Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob (friendship)



“Elohim” = God the Creator → *men as creatures (remote / distant)*

“the Father” → God fully revealed



'I ascend unto my Father, and your Father; and to my God, and your God ' (John 20:17)]

'God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the fathers by the prophets, Hath in these last days spoken unto us by [his] Son' (Heb 1:1,2)]

'Blessed [be] the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly [places] in Christ' (Eph 1:3)]

'Therewith bless we God, even the Father' (James 3:9)]