

**Origin, Nature, & Destiny of Man - The Biblical View**  
*Volume 5 - Unit 12*

**I. Special Creation**

**II. The Age of Man**

**III. The Image of God (Genesis 1:26-27)**

A. Intellect

B. Sensibility

C. Will

D. Original Holiness

E. Immortality

F. Lord of Creation (Genesis 1:26, Psalms 8:5-6)

**IV. The Material Part of Man**

A. Body = Prison House of Soul

B. Body = Whole Man

C. Body = Partner of Soul

I Corinthians 6:19-20

II Corinthians 5:10

Philemon 1:20

Thus: Romans 12:1-2

## **V. The Immaterial Part of Man**

### A. Composition

#### 1. Unity (Holism)

Genesis 2:7

Ezekiel 18:4

Psalms 23:3

Psalms 25:1

Etc.

Evaluation:

#### 2. Trichotomy

-Body

-Soul

-Spirit

I Thessalonians 5:23

Hebrews 4:12

### 3. Dichotomy

Genesis 41:8 - Psalms 42:6

Luke 1:46-47

Mark 12:30

Eccl 3:21

I Corinthians 5:3, III John 2

### 4. Solution?

<b>BODY</b>
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<b>SOUL</b>	<b>∴</b>	<b>SPIRIT</b>
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## B. Transmission

1. Pre-existence

2. Creationism

Hebrews 12:9

Ecclesiastes 12:7

3. Traducianism

Evaluation:

**VI. God's Purpose for Man**

John 4:23-24

Revelation 21:3

**VII. The Fall**

A. Curse upon natural creation ----- → man's lack of dominion ----- → man vs. creation (Hebrews 2:8)

B. Mortality ----- → physical death (Romans 5:12, Hebrews 9:27)

C. Spiritual death ----- → the second death (Revelation 20:14)

D. Adamic nature ----- → personal sins (Romans 3:23)

**VIII. God's Salvation vs. Adam's Sin**

A. Curse on nature ----- → Lifted, New Heavens, New Earth (II Peter 3:13), man's dominion restored (Hebrews 2:6f.)

B. Mortality ----- → Immortality (I Corinthians 15:51f.)

Physical death ----- → Resurrection (I Corinthians 15:23)

C. Spiritual death -----→ Reconciliation (Ephesians 2:1)

Second death -----→ No condemnation (Romans 8:1)

D. Adamic nature -----→ Control now (Romans 6:6)

-----→ Removal eventually (Revelation 21:27)

Personal sins -----→ Forgiveness (Ephesians 1:7)

SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE - Genesis 2:7 – “And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and man became a living soul.”