



your story my story his story

Know God's Story

your story **my** story **his** story



The beginning



Once upon a time ...

Genesis 1:1

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

The ending



**... and they all lived
happily ever after**

Revelation 21:1-5

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth,
...He will wipe every tear from their eyes.
... "I am making everything new!"

The greatest story ever told ...



THE story

His story

HISTORY



The greatest story ever told ...



... began in a garden

Genesis 2:8

Now the LORD God had planted a garden in the east, in Eden; and there he put the man he had formed.

The greatest story ever told ...



... ends in a city

Revelation 21:2
I saw the Holy City, ...

The greatest story ever told ...



... is all about
GRACE
from beginning to end



The greatest story ever told ...



is about JESUS

Genesis 1:26

Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, ..."

The greatest story ever told ...



is about JESUS

John 1:1 - 4

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ... **3**Through him all things were made; **4**In him was life, ...

The greatest story ever told ...



is about JESUS

Hebrews 1:2 - 3

The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word.

The greatest story ever told ...



is about JESUS

Genesis 3:15

And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.”

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Colossians 2:15

And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

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Rev 21:23-24

The city does not need the sun or the moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and the Lamb is its lamp. **24**The nations will walk by its light, ..

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God's story in 3 words ...



1. DESIGN

Genesis 1:1

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

God's story in 3 words ...



2. DESTRUCTION

Genesis 6:5 - 6 The LORD saw how great man's wickedness on the earth had become, .. 6The LORD was grieved that he had made man on the earth, and his heart was filled with pain.

God's story in 3 words ...



3. DELIVERANCE

Colossians 1:13

For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves,

God's story in 3 words ...



Design

Destruction

Deliverance

Do you KNOW the story?

Do you know God's story ...



1. the thrill of being God's design

Psalms 139:13 - 14

For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. 14 I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; ...

Do you know God's story ...



2. the truth of our own destruction

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, ...

Do you know God's story ...



3. the transformation of God's deliverance

2 Corinthians 3:18

And we, ..., are being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory, ...

Do you know God's story ...



3. the transformation of God's deliverance

Philippians 1:21

For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

Do you know God's story ...



1. The thrill of being his design
2. The truth of our own destruction
3. The transformation of his deliverance



