

# GENESIS

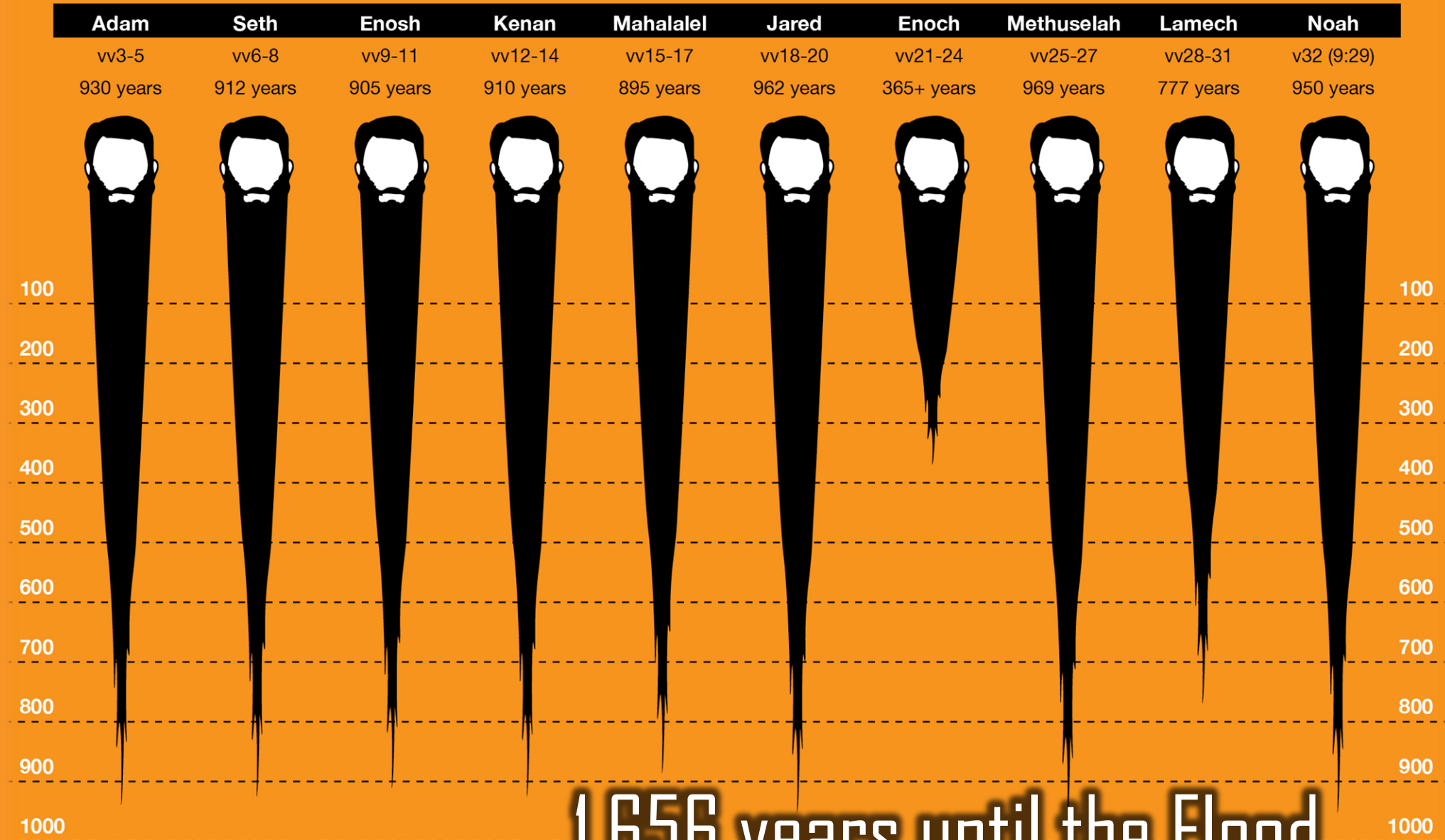
CLASS 5 — GENESIS 4f

# THE CURSE OF CAIN

- Driven from the land
- Made to be a wanderer
- Despised by his family
- Marked to live separately



# ADAM to NOAH GENESIS 5



*Now it came about, when men began to multiply on the face of the land, and daughters were born to them, that the sons of God saw that the daughters of men were beautiful; and they took wives for themselves, whomever they chose.*

*Then the Lord said, “My Spirit shall not strive with man forever, because he also is flesh; nevertheless his days shall be one hundred and twenty years.”*

*The Nephilim were on the earth in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of men, and they bore children to them. Those were the mighty men who were of old, men of renown.*

✧ SO WHO ARE THESE SONS OF GOD?

✧ OR THE DAUGHTERS OF MEN?

✧ HOW ABOUT THE NEPHILIM?

✧ WHY WAS GOD ANGRY ABOUT THE SONS MARRYING THE DAUGHTERS?

## A COMMON MYTH ON THIS SUBJECT

Some believe that the Nephilim were the byproducts of angels (sons of God) intermarrying with human women (daughters of men).

- The verse most commonly attached to this is *“And angels that kept not their own principality, but left their proper habitation, he hath kept in everlasting bonds under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.”* (Jude 6)
- The theory is that rebellious angels fornicated with humans so that they could overthrow God and His plans.
- That is why the Nephilim were such big people and mighty.

**IF THIS IS TRUE, WE SHOULD EXPECT TO SEE SEVERAL THINGS:**

- 1. The Nephilim to be talked about as a “hybrid” – not fully human.**
- 2. The term ‘sons of God’ should be used to refer to angels in other parts of the Bible.**