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Eight

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Bible House of Grace contains an easy to read New and Old Testament commentary full of spiritual treasures and pearls, complete with an insightful resource guide illuminating God's love and grace.



Although I believe my aim is pure and God's will perfect this document is still the product of a human man, as to such I neither claim perfect knowledge or perfect understanding.

Eight.

The symbolism of number eight: the following seven creative words of God, "Let there be," in Genesis chapter one, brought forth seven new days, while the eighth brought forth the creation of mankind.

1. **Genesis 1:3:** Let there be light," and there was light.
2. **Genesis 1:6:** Let there be an expanse in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.
3. **Genesis 1:9:** Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.
4. **Genesis 1:11:** Let the earth sprout vegetation, plants yielding seed, and fruit trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind, on the earth.
5. **Genesis 1:14:** Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night. And let them be for signs and for seasons, and for days and years.
6. **Genesis 1:20:** Let the waters swarm with swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the expanse of the heavens.
7. **Genesis 1:24:** Let the earth bring forth living creatures according to their kinds—livestock and creeping things and beasts of the earth according to their kinds.
8. **Genesis 1:26:** Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth.

Seven is the number of completeness and signifies an end to something, which means that eight which comes after seven signifies the beginning of something new (i.e., a new era or a new order of things). The number eight is used around seventy-three times in the Bible, showing that it has great significance. Following are five major events that took place on the eighth day:

1. God rested on the seventh day and the eighth day was a new beginning.
 - **Genesis 2:2-3:** On the seventh day God finished his work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had done. ³So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God rested from all his work that he had done in creation.
2. In Genesis chapter seven we read: God told Noah, that after seven days the waters of the flood will come upon the earth, and on the very same day that the heavens were opened, and rain fell upon the earth Noah and his sons, Shem, Ham, Japheth and Noah's wife and the three wives of his sons with them entered the ark. (Gen. 7:9-13). This means that eight people were saved in Noah's Ark for mankind to have a new beginning.
3. God commanded circumcision the sign of the Covenant to be performed on the eighth day, which means eight signifies entrance into the Old and New Testament Covenant of God and ultimately entry into the beginning of the New Word to come new with the Resurrection of the dead.
4. Jesus rose on the eighth day, the first day of the week, which introduced a new spiritual beginning for God's chosen people Israel and the Gentiles and introduced a Gospel for the world. (John chapter twenty).

5. Eight men Matthew (1), Mark (2), Luke (3), John (4), James (5), Peter (6), Jude (7), and Paul (8) were chosen by God to enable us to have the New Testament and the Gospel in written form, which began a new revival of God's Kingdom in the world.

Since eight is a balanced number (4 + 4) it can also signify the balancing of both the material and the spiritual aspects of our experiences and lives.

Overview: in Bible numerology, eight coming after seven the number of perfection and completeness and is therefore the symbolic number of new life and new beginnings, it denotes:

- A new creation, a new world, a new age and a new order of things.
- Being born again, the beginning of a new life in Christ.
- The resurrection of the dead, the beginning of life in the New World and eternal life.

Overview of the number eight: in Bible numerology, eight coming after seven the number of perfection and completeness and is therefore the symbolic number of new life and new beginnings. The creative words of God, "Let there be," are spoken seven times in Genesis chapter one and brought into being seven new days which completed the creation of earth. The eighth, "Let there be," began an entirely new work, bringing forth the creation of mankind. The number eight is used around seventy-three times in the Bible, showing that it has great significance. Seven is the number of completeness and signifies an end to something, which means that eight which comes after seven signifies the beginning of something new (i.e., a new era or a new order of things). Following are five major events that took place on the eighth day:

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2. Eight people were saved in Noah's Ark so that mankind could have a new beginning. (Genesis 7:9-13).
3. Circumcision the sign of the Covenant was performed on the eighth day. (Lev. 12:3).
4. Jesus rose on the first day of the week, the eighth day. (John chapter twenty).
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As the founder of Bible House of Grace, I would like to thank the many Christian scholars, commentators and theologians who have gone before me, and the many today, who have freely made available their works to enhance the knowledge of the Bible to all people worldwide. It is only with the help of these faithful writers that much of Bible House of Grace exists as it does today.

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