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Exodus 20:8-11
Remember the sabbath day—keep it holy. Six days you may labor and do all your work, 10but the seventh day is a sabbath of the LORD your God. You shall not do any work, either you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your work animal, or the resident alien within your gates. For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

Deuteronomy 5:12-15
Observe the sabbath day—keep it holy, as the LORD, your God, commanded you. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a sabbath of the LORD your God. You shall not do any work, either you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your ox or donkey or any work animal, or the resident alien within your gates, so that your male and female slave may rest as you do. Remember that you too were once slaves in the land of Egypt, and the LORD, your God, brought you out from there with a strong hand and outstretched arm. That is why the LORD, your God, has commanded you to observe the sabbath day.

11. How is the first creation story in Genesis relevant to understanding the different versions of the Decalogue (Ten Commandments) in Exodus and Deuteronomy?

12. Which Documentary Source wrote each of the versions of the Sabbath Commandment above, and how do we know?

13. What are some of the apparent discrepancies or disagreements between the first and second creation stories in Genesis?

14. Which Documentary Theory source is thought to have written the second Creation Story, and what evidence supports this conclusion?

15. What are some examples of beliefs that Jews and Christians often relate to the second Creation Story, even if those beliefs are not explicitly mentioned in the story itself?

16. What do the names 'Adam' and 'Eve' mean, and what does their meaning tell us about the nature of the story? (In other words, what does it mean to say that they are archetypal figures?)

17. How is the concept of sin understood in the Second Creation story? What are the three aspects of sin, and how does the story illustrate them?

18. What does the evidence in the story suggest about why Eve disobeyed the prohibition to eat from the tree of knowledge?

19. What are the punishments/consequences of Adam & Eve's disobedience?

20. What is an etiology, and how is the second creation story etiological?