



The Great Overture: Teeming & Multiplying

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And God said, “Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the expanse of the sky.” So God *created* the great creatures of the sea and every living and moving thing with which the water teems, *according to their kinds*, and every winged bird *according to its kind*. And God saw that it was good. *God blessed them* and said, “*Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth.*” And there was evening, and there was morning—the fifth day.

Genesis 1:20-23

Then God *blessed* Noah and his sons, saying to them, “*Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the earth.*”

Genesis 9:1

No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws him...

John 6:44

If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!

All this is from God ...

2 Corinthians 5:17-18

Go and *make* disciples of all nations...

Matthew 28:19

He who walks with the wise grows wise, but a companion of fools suffers harm.

Proverbs 13:20

"Watch me," he told them. *"Follow my lead. When I get to the edge of the camp, do exactly as I do."*

Judges 7:17

Gideon made the gold into an ephod, which he placed in Ophrah, his town. All Israel prostituted themselves by worshiping it there, and it became a snare to Gideon and his family.

Judges 8:27

Our kings, our leaders, our priests and our fathers did not follow your law; *they did not pay attention to your commands* or the warnings you gave them. "But see, we are slaves today, slaves in the land *you gave our forefathers* so they could eat its fruit and the other good things it produces. Because of our sins, its abundant harvest goes to the kings you have placed over us. They rule over

our bodies and our cattle as they please. We are in great distress.”

Nehemiah 9:34, 36-37

I have been reminded of *your* sincere faith, which first lived in *your grandmother Lois* and in *your mother Eunice* and, I am persuaded, *now lives in you also*.

2 Timothy 1:5

Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord *ADDED* to their number daily those who were being saved.

Acts 2:46-47

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but *set an example* for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity. Be diligent in these matters; give yourself wholly to them, *so that everyone may see your progress*.

1 Timothy 4:12, 15

Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice.

Philippians 4:9

The things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable men who will also be qualified to teach others.

2 Timothy 2:2

