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* "[Adam](#) and [Eve](#), according to the [creation myth](#) of the [Abrahamic religions](#),^{[1][2]} were the first man and woman. They are central to the belief that humanity is in essence a single family, with everyone descended from a single pair of original ancestors.^[3] It also provides the basis for the doctrines of the [fall of man](#) and [original sin](#) that are important beliefs in [Christianity](#), although not held in [Judaism](#) or [Islam](#).^[4]

In the [Book of Genesis](#) of the [Hebrew Bible](#), chapters one through five, there are two [creation narratives](#) with two distinct perspectives. In the first, Adam and Eve are not named. Instead, God created humankind in [God's image](#) and instructed them to multiply and to be [stewards](#) over everything else that God had made. In the second narrative, God fashions [Adam](#) from dust and places him in the [Garden of Eden](#). Adam is told that he can eat freely of all the trees in the garden, except for a [tree of the knowledge of good and evil](#). Subsequently, [Eve](#) is created from one of Adam's ribs to be his companion. They are innocent and unembarrassed about their [nakedness](#). However, a [serpent](#) deceives Eve into eating fruit from the forbidden tree, and she gives some of the fruit to Adam. These acts give them additional knowledge, but it gives them the ability to conjure negative and destructive concepts such as [shame](#) and [evil](#). God later curses the serpent and the ground. God prophetically tells the woman and the man what will be the consequences of their sin of disobeying God. Then he banishes them from the Garden of Eden.

The myth underwent extensive elaboration in later Abrahamic traditions, and it has been extensively analyzed by modern biblical scholars. Interpretations and beliefs regarding Adam and Eve and the story revolving around them vary across religions and sects; for example, the Islamic version of the story holds that Adam and Eve were *equally* responsible for their sins of [hubris](#), instead of Eve being the first one to be unfaithful. The story of Adam and Eve is often depicted in art, and it has had an important influence in literature and poetry.

The story of the fall of Adam is often considered to be an allegory. Findings in [population genetics](#), particularly those concerning [Y-chromosomal Adam](#) and [Mitochondrial Eve](#), indicate that a single first "Adam and Eve" pair of human beings **never existed**." (emphasis ours)

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adam_and_Eve