**Milton, *Paradise Lost* Book 11**

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1-20 Narrator

3 prevenient grace

12 Deucalion and Pyrrha

19ff Son as intercessor

21-44 Son to EF

22-23 first fruits of grace

32 unskillful with what words to pray

35-39 reconcile man and EF

44 man at one with Son as Son is one with EF

45-71 EF to Son

46-47 grants Son’s requests for man

72 eject them from Paradise

58 EF gave man two gifts: happiness and immortality; man lost them

60-61 to woe and death (final remedy)

64 second life

68-69 tell all to the angels

72-83 Narrator

74 trumpet blast

80ff angels to Heavenly Council

83-125 EF to Council, then Michael

83-84 man like us in knowing good and evil

87 good lost, evil got

93 EF knows man’s heart

94-95 dare not let Adam and Eve eat from Tree of Life and live forever

in sin

99-105 Michael: take cherubim and drive out Adam and Eve (must be

driven out to keep them safe)

112-113 if they obey, console them with future

117 sorrowing, yet in peace

118 east

120 sword of flame to keep them away from Tree of Life

126-139 Narrator

126-138 Michael prepares to descend with four-faced cherubim

136-139 Adam and Eve awaken hopeful, yet fearful

141-161 Adam to Eve

151-153 feels EF’s grace and peace as result of prayer

158 we shall live

162-180 Eve to Adam

163-166 Eve’s guilt

171-174 call to labor despite unrestful night

176 never stray from Adam again

180 live here and be content

181-191 Narrator

182-191 signs of change in nature

192-207 Adam to Eve

192-195 some change or warning

201-207 Adam’s questions

208-225 Narrator

208-211 Michael and cherubim arrive

212 Adam fearful

221 seize Paradise

223-327 Adam to Eve

228 new laws

232 Michael comes in majesty, solemn and sublime

234 not affable like Raphael

237 sends Eve away

238-250 Narrator

240-242ff Michael as military man

247-248 sword, spear

250-262 Michael to Adam

252 prayers heard

255 grace to repent

259-260 must leave Paradise

263-267 Narrator

264 Adam heart-strook, sorrowing, seeks Eve

268-285 Eve’s lament to Adam

Use of rhetorical questions; love for garden

286-292 Michael to Eve

287 justly lost

290 not alone: she will be with Adam

293-333 Adam to Michael

305 all place else inhospitable, desolate, unknown

311 prayer against EF’s absolute decree avails nothing

314 submission

316 fear he will no longer be able to see EF’s face

319 how relate stories about EF to his sons

329 where shall he seek EF now?

334-369 Michael to Adam

335 all the Earth is EF’s; his omnipresence

341 EF’s presence not bound in Paradise

347 this preeminence you have lost

348 down to even ground to dwell

350 EF the same everywhere

352 EF always with you, compassing you round with goodness and

paternal love

357 show you the future

366-368 ascend the hill; let Eve sleep

370-376 Adam to Michael

374-376 arming to see suffering

376-422 Narrator

377 highest hill in Paradise

382-384 fs: Satan with Jesus during the temptation in wilderness

387-411 countries seen from mount in Paradise

416 three drops to give Adam sight into future

419-420 Adam in trance

423-428 Michael to Adam

424 thy original crime

429-448 Narrator

Description of Cain and Abel

449-452 Adam, dismayed, to Michael

453-460 Michael to Adam

455 the unjust the just hath slain

460-465 Adam to Michael

462 death?

466-477 Michael to Adam

468-469ff many shapes of Death

474ff miseries of mankind

477-499 Narrator

479-489 lazar-house, many maladies

489 despair

492 triumphant Death

495 Adam weeps, compassion

500-514 Adam to Michael

507-510 pity; man created in God’s image: why thus so debased in

suffering; what about God’s image?

515-525 Michael to Adam

516-518 vice, sin

521 disfiguring not God’s likeness, but his own

526-529 Adam to Michael

528 any other way besides vice and misery to come to Death?

530-546 Michael to Adam

531 temperance into old age

538-546 description of old age

546-552 Adam to Michael

549-550 fair and easy to end this life?

552-555 Michael to Adam

556-596 Narrator

Descendants of Seth: toolmaking, music, dance, celebrations,

marriages, men studying

596-602 Adam to Michael

599-600 Adam misunderstands pleasure he sees

603-627 Michael to Adam

604-605 pleasure not best; tents of wickedness

611 studious men not of God

616 beautiful women empty of good

628-633 Adam to Michael

634-637 Michael to Adam

638-673 Narrator

643 giants’ war; destruction

653 carcasses, ensanguined field

656 siege

661 council within city under siege

665-671 Enoch saved by cloud

673-682 Adam to Michael

675-677 laments mankind’s cruelty to man

683-711 Michael to Adam

684 ill-mated marriages

688ff giants, heroes, battles, wars, slaughter

700-702 only Enoch righteous, therefore hated

705-711 EF saves Enoch

712-762 Narrator

714ff jollity, riot, feast, civil broils

719ff Noah

729 ark

734-735 sevens and pairs of animals and insects

741ff flood

749 sea covered sea, sea without shore

754-756 Adam bereft

763-786 Adam to Michael

764 hates knowing future

770-776 knowledge of future is horrible; please spare mankind that

784-785 peace corrupts just as war lays waste

787-839 Michael to Adam

790 riches without virtue

794 fame leads to pleasure, ease, slot, surfeit, lust

806 depraved humanity

808 Noah a light in a dark age

826ff rain, flood

840-868 Narrator

840-851 flood ends

855 raven

857 dove

861 olive leaf

865-868 rainbow: new covenant

868-883 Adam to Michael

869 Adam rejoices

874-876 happy about Noah, not all men bad

879 rainbow: what does it mean?

884-901 Michael to Adam

890-892 grace, covenant; never destroy Earth again by flood

895-901 great lines