CATHOLIC CHURCH is TURNING World to Sodomy

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ISHONOR is brought on religions by proclaiming that the religions are discriminating against people when they teach against sins - sins that cause sickness and disease such as STDs, which cause cancer and a host of other diseases.

Notice the psychology in this propaganda written by The Huffington Post concerning statements made by Archbishop Desmond Tutu as he denounced religions that speak out against sin.



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Notice the way Tutu puts it.

Desmond Tutu Would Prefer Hell Over A Homophobic Heaven

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Desmond Tutu denounced religions that discriminate against LGTB (Lesbian, Gay, Transgender, Bi-sexual)-identified people by making some very strong statements during the United Nations' launch of its gay-rights program in Cape Town this Friday, reports AFP.

The Truth is, <u>religions are not dis-</u> <u>criminating against people</u> when they teach against sin. Do we discriminate against our children when we teach them not to steal their friend's pencil, not to commit fornication or adultery, or not to murder? Do we discrinimate against women when we teach against abortion? Some would say yes. But the truth is, abortion is murder and when we teach against murder, it's not discrimination, but an act of love and concern in hopes they will turn from the sin of murder. Remember, "thou shalt not murder."

This same propaganda was used by the popes to start the crusades in Europe; propaganda that brought forth lies. They accused certain religious groups of witchcraft. This 'witchcraft' consisted of the use of vitamins and herbs instead of their sorcerers (doctors). They also taught the Righteousness written by the Prophets and Apostles and were hated by the popes for doing so. Righteousness? They have always used propaganda against the Laws, Statutes, and Judgments of Yahweh; just as Yahweh prophesied they would. Notice:

Daniyl 7:25-

And he will speak great words against Yahweh, and will wear out; mentally attack to cause to fall away, the Saints of Yahweh, and think to change times; Yahweh's Feast Days, and Laws; and they will be given into his hand until a time, and times, and the dividing of time.

Daniyl 7:25 is speaking of the fourth beast, which is the catholic roman empire. They always murdered those who followed Righteousness. What is Righteousness?

Deuteronomy 6:25—

And it will be our <u>Righteousness</u> if we observe to <u>do all of these Laws</u> before Yahweh our Father, as He has commanded us.

I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8, 10-

4 Whoever commits sin, transgresses also the Laws; for <u>sin is the</u> <u>transgression of the Laws</u>.

7 Little children, let no man deceive you; he who practices Righteousness is Righteous, just as He is Righteous.

8 He who commits sin is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of Yahweh was manifested; that He might destroy the works of the devil.

10 In this the Children of Yahweh and the children of the devil are manifest. Whoever does not practice Righteousness is not of Yahweh, and he does not love his neighbor!

These are the Laws showing the way to Salvation. Anyone caught practicing these Laws was persecuted by false accusations, such as, "These people are discriminating against the priests who rape chilcren." Priests, expertly trained in psychology and progaganda, led the surrounding people to believe that these Righteous religions were committing secret crimes. Notice the definition of the word **propaganda**.

propaganda: spreading of ideas, information or rumor for the purpose of helping or damaging an institution, a cause or a person. These tactics have been used by the popes for thousands of years in trying to destroy all Righteousness and establish a world of sodomites. Prophecy, history, and present day tactics back up this statement, and are available upon request.

Notice, in speaking of the prophets of Yerusalem, before they destroyed the temple and moved to the seven hills of Rome; they were first called the elders of the twelve tribes, afterwards they were called Pharisees, Sadducees, Essenes, and Herodians (the four horns of **Daniyl 7**), today they are called catholic priests. For more information on this subject, call, write, or email us.

These four horns (religions/ kingdoms) owned the roving army, which they used to destroy the temple. This roving army was later called the roman army. Titus, the roman general, moved the temple artifacts to Rome. For historic proof of this event, call, write or email The House of Yahweh (hoy@ bitstreet.com).

In **Yeremyah chapter 23**, Yeremyah, the Prophet of Yahweh, was speaking to catholic priests who were in control of the temple in Yerusalem. They were known then as the priests and prophets of Yerusalem before they made their move to Rome and destroyed the temple in Yerusalem. It was in Rome that they changed their name to catholic, meaning universal.

The Prophet Daniyl, a Prophet of Yahweh, in a future Prophecy, spoke of the four kingdoms that would have a leading religion and spokesman (pope) to speak for them and give them orders to fight against Yahweh's Saints and Yahweh's Righteousness. Notice Daniyl's Prophecy from about 555 BCE.

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The time, times and dividing of time started with the seven-year peace plan signed September 13, 1993 and went into effect October 13, 1993. Our books, The Mark of the Beast, Volumes 1 and 2, The End, and Birth of the Nuclear Baby give details of this Prophecy. This is a very exciting Prophecy, half of which has been fulfilled. The other half is being prepared to enter now, with the Vatican at the helm and the armed forces anxiously waiting. The last of man's lessons, proving what their sins will bring, is about to be finished.

Forty-three years before Daniyl wrote this Prophecy, the Great Prophet Yeremyah around 598 BCE wrote about the Prophecy in **Yeremyah 23:10-14**. Keep in mind as you read the following verses, these men, that Yeremyah so vividly showed their religious character, are the same as those now in control of the Vatican and ruling the kings of the earth today in this prophesied generation.

Before they decided to destroy the temple and move to Rome, their sodomite character was shown. Sodomy is still a big part of their religion today, as all can see. **Yeremyah 23:10-14**—

10 For the land is <u>full of adulterers</u>; those who turn from following Yahweh to follow the gods (elohim). Because of this curse the land mourns; the pleasant places of the wilderness are dried up. Their conduct is evil, whose might is not right—

11 For <u>both prophet and priest are</u> <u>profane</u>! Yes, even in My *own* House I have found their wickedness! says Yahweh.

12 And so, their way will be slippery places to them; in the darkness they will be driven on, and fall in the darkness; for they will bring trouble upon themselves every time they commit sexual sins, says Yahweh.

13 I have seen folly; *offense*, in the prophets of Samaria—they prophesied by Baal; *the Lord*, and caused My People Israyl to err; *go astray*.

14 I have also seen in the prophets of Yerusalem a horrible thing-they commit adultery and walk in lies; *they turn from Yahweh and follow after the Gods (elohim)!* They also strengthen the hands of evildoers, so that no one turns back from his wickedness. <u>All of them are like Sodom</u> to Me, and her inhabitants are like Gomorrah.

Notice the extreme push to turn all Israyl, Yerusalem and even those of the temple to become sodomites. Yeremvah 23:15—

Therefore, this is what Yahweh our Father says concerning these prophets; Behold, they will be fed with wormwood, and they will be made to drink the water of gall; for from the prophets of Yerusalem profaneness has gone out into all the world.

It's no accident that the world is filled with sodomites at this time. Notice:

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Please get these points:

Server 15: the last part, profaneness, sodomy (verse 14)

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♥ Verse 10: because of this curse the <u>land</u> mourns. The Hebrew word for **land** in *Strong's Concordance* is word #776, which means world, earth, wherever there is activity, they mourn because of this sickness and disease caused by these sexual sins.

Sodomy is a sin against your own body which causes a curse that keeps a continual war going on in your body and the war continues in your children, to whom you pass these sins and curses.

Religions are not discriminating against people when they teach Righteousness. They are, in Scriptural fact, saving them from Satan and her attempts to destroy their lives with sin and its results - suffering, disease, confusion, violence, fighting, war, and now nuclear war. All of these have been brought about in part by sodomy and in part by other sins, but all are brought about by sin.

Isayah 24:1-6-

1 Before Yahweh's *very* Eyes, the earth is made empty and it is made waste; the face of it is perverted and its inhabitants scattered abroad;

2 And it will be: as with the people, so with the priest; as with the servant, so with his owner; as with the maid, so with her mistress; as with the buyer, so with the seller; as with the lender, so with the borrower; as with him who takes usury, so with him who gives usury to him:

3 The land will be utterly emptied and utterly plundered, for it has come to pass that this Judgment has been pronounced.

4 The earth mourns and fades away, the world mourns and fades away, and the haughty people of the earth languish.

5 The earth also is defiled under the inhabitants of it, because <u>they have</u> <u>transgressed the Laws</u>, <u>changed the</u> <u>Ordinance</u>, and <u>broken the Everlast-ing Covenant</u>.

6 Because of this, the curse has devoured the earth, and they who dwell therein are desolate; therefore, the inhabitants of the earth are burned, and few men left.

TO All Religions

In the near future you will see far greater attempts than these to try to force and enforce the evil of sodomy upon you and your children. But the man of sin is being revealed because these Prophecies and history are being taught, which reveal this religion of sin. This religion that sits on the seven hills of Rome will be removed forever with the command of Yahshua at His coming. I ask that you stand strong against this evil of sodomy that they are bringing to your children by means of television, radio, Internet, and books. Even schools are now being forced to teach it as one of the daily lessons to unsuspecting children. This is not happening by accident.



Take a look at what she is bringing you.

Revelation 17:1—

And there came one of the seven Malakim who had the seven bowls, and talked with me, saying to me: Come, I will show you the sentence of the great whore that sits upon many <u>waters</u>.

The waters are:

Revelation 17:15—

And he said to me: The <u>waters</u> which you saw, where the whore sits, are <u>peoples</u>, and <u>multitudes</u>, and <u>na-tions</u>, and <u>languages</u>.

Now:

Revelation 17:2-6. 9, 18-

2 With whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication; *practiced idolatry: godworship (the worship of elohim)*, and the inhabitants of the earth have been made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

3 So he carried me away in the Spirit into the *midst of* godworshipers (worshipers of Elohim); and I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet colored beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns.

4 And the woman <u>was arrayed in</u> <u>purple and scarlet color</u>, <u>and decked</u> <u>with gold, and precious stones</u>, and pearls, <u>having a golden cup in her</u> <u>hand</u> full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication.

5 And upon her head *was* a name written: <u>Mystery Babylon</u> the great, the mother of the harlots and of the abominations of the earth.

6 And I saw the woman drunk with the blood of the Saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Yahshua. And when I saw her, I wondered with great astonishment.

9 And here is the mind which has wisdom: The seven heads are <u>seven</u> mountains on which the woman sits.

18 And the woman whom you saw, is that great city which reigns over the kings of the earth.

Sodomy is not the only thing this leader of the nations is bringing upon the earth.

Notice for this Time Period

Mattithyah 24:5—

For many will come against My Name, saying: I am anointed *to preach salvation!*—and <u>will de-</u> ceive many.

Mattithyah 24:21-22, 29, 33-35-

21 For then will be <u>Great Tribu-</u> <u>lation</u>, such as has not come to pass since the beginning of the world to this time—no, nor ever will be.

22 And unless those days were shortened, there would no flesh be saved; but for the Elect's sake, those days will be shortened.

29 Immediately, *but* after the *Great* Tribulation of those days will the <u>sun</u> <u>be darkened</u>, and the moon will not give her light, and the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken.

33 In the same way, when you see all these things, know that *His coming and The End of the Ages* is near, at the very door.

34 Truly I say to you: That genera-

tion will not pass *away*, until <u>all these</u> things are fulfilled.

35 Heaven and earth may pass away, but My Words; My Teachings pertaining to the Laws and the Prophets, will not pass away.

Who brings the teachings that bring this nuclear destruction? The man of sin or the religion led by the man of sin.

II Thessalonians 2:1-12-

1 Now we plead with you, brothers, concerning the coming of our King, Yahshua Messiah, and our gathering together to Him,

2 That you not be soon shaken in mind, nor be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as *if* from us, as that the day of Yahweh is at hand.

3 Let no man deceive you by any means; for *that day will not come*, unless there comes a falling away first, and <u>that servant of sin is revealed</u>: the son of perdition,

4 Who is an adversary, and exalts himself above all, declaring himself a god (el), and he is to be worshiped; so that he, as a god (el), sits in the temple of god (beth-el), showing himself to be a god (el).

5 Do you not remember that when I was still with you, I told you these things?

6 And now you know what is restraining him, so that he may be revealed in his time.

7 For the mystery of iniquity is already working, but the One restraining him will continue to restrain him, until he is made to appear in the midst.

8 And then that lawless one will be revealed, whom Yahshua will remove with the breath of His mouth, and make powerless with the appearance of His coming—

9 Whose coming is according to the energy of Satan, *who works* with all power, and signs, and lying wonders,

10 And with all deceivableness of sin in those who are perishing, because they did not receive the love of the Truth, that they might be saved.

11 And for this reason, Yahweh will send them strong delusions, that they would believe the deception,

12 In order that all those may be judged *as* not having believed the Truth, but as having delighted in sin.

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Revelation 12:12—

Therefore, rejoice *you* heavens, and you who dwell in them! <u>Woe to the</u> <u>inhabitants of the earth</u> and of the sea! For the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because she knows that she has but a short time.

Satan and those of the vatican have but a few years left. Satan is using those of the vatican, as Scriptures show, to try to destroy the <u>earth</u>, which was made for man. Sodomy is a means of destroying the mind. It brings confusion so that sensible decisions cannot be made. We see this today, where every plan and every action of man has become a mound of deeper problems; so much so, that the world leaders become frustrated and think that nuclear destruction is the only way out.

The whole world has rejected Yahweh's Laws which are the only way to solve the world's problems. But the catholic popes will not repent. They want to resurrect the roman empire and rule the world, bringing all people into submission to their sodomy and all other sins. They want to make it possible once again to kill all who want to follow any form of Righteousness. However. Yahweh has set a time limit upon their evil rule and it will soon end, but only after four-fifths of the earth's population is dead. About one-fifth of the population will be left alive and will actually turn to Yahweh and His House -The House of Yahweh.

Daniyl 2:44—

And in the days of these kings, Yahweh in heaven will appoint a Kingdom *of Priests* which will never be destroyed, nor will the Kingdom be left to another people; *but* it will break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms; and it will stand forever. The prophecy in **Daniyl 2:44** took place in the Last Days, the last generation (**Mattithyah 24:34**). Notice now how.

Isayah 2:1-4-

1 The word that Isayah son of Amoz saw concerning Yahdah and Yerusalem.

2 It will come to pass in the Last Days, that the mountain; promotion, of The House of Yahweh will be established in the chief of the nations, and will be raised above all congregations; and all nations will eventually flow to it.

3 And many people will go and say; Come, and let us go up to the mountain of Yahweh, to the House of the Father of Yaaqob, and He will <u>teach</u> <u>us of His Ways</u>, and we will walk in His paths. For the Laws will depart from Zion, and the Work of Yahweh *will depart* from Yerusalem.

4 He will judge among the nations, and will rebuke many people; they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks; <u>nation will not lift up sword against</u> <u>nation, neither will they learn war</u> <u>anymore</u>.

Micahyah 4:1-3—

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3 And He will judge between many people, and rebuke strong nations afar off; and they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks. <u>Nation will not lift up sword</u> <u>against nation, nor will they learn</u> <u>war anymore</u>.

Notice, The House of Yahweh was established for the purpose of taking the Message of Yahweh's Kingdom to all nations. The Savior, Yahshua Messiah, said the Message of Yahweh's Kingdom would only go out in this last generation and it's one of the things you can see in this time period.

Mattithyah 24:14, 33-34-

14 And this joyous Message of the Kingdom of Yahweh shall be preached in all the world *from* The House of Yahweh *at* Abel by the Witness Yisrayl; for Yahweh will be with him. *He will preach this Message* to all nations; and then The End will come.

33 In the same way, when you see all these things, know that *His coming and The End of the Ages* are near, at the very door.

34 Truly I say to you: That generation will not pass *away*, until all these things are fulfilled.

For this purpose, notice now that Yahshua Messiah is deeply involved, being the High Priest over The House of Yahweh.

Hebrews 10:21-22-

21 And *having* a High Priest over The House of Yahweh:

22 Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of the Faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water.

Notice, the Teaching of the High Priest Yahshua Messiah is not to do away with the Laws of Yahweh, but to teach them.

In the same chapter of **Hebrews**, we find the judgment for those who sin willfully.

Hebrews 10:24-27-

24 And let us consider one another, how we may urge *one another* on *toward* love and Righteous works;

25 Not forsaking the gathering of ourselves together, as the manner of some *is*, but exhorting *one another*;

and so much the more as you see the day approaching.

26 For if we sin willfully after we have received the knowledge of the Truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins,

27 But a certain fearful expectation of judgment, and fiery indignation which will devour the adversaries.

Yes! Yahshua, the True Savior, is High Priest over The House of Yahweh. Notice:

Mattithyah 16:18—

And I also say to you who are Kepha; *whose name means "rock"*: That upon this Rock, YAHWEH UNITY; I will build this House; *Family: The House of Yahweh*, and <u>the gates of sheol</u>; *the grave*, will not prevail against it.

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This Message is prophesied to go to all the world during a time of great trouble among the nations, even nuclear trouble that will darken the sun.

Mattithyah 24:7, 21-22, 29, 14-

7 For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and there will be famines, and pestilences; *disease epidemics*, and earthquakes; *natural disasters*, in place after place:

21 For then will be Great Tribulation, such as has not come to pass since the beginning of the world to this time—no, nor ever will be.

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All of these things were prophesied to take place in this generation. Mattithyah 24:33-34—

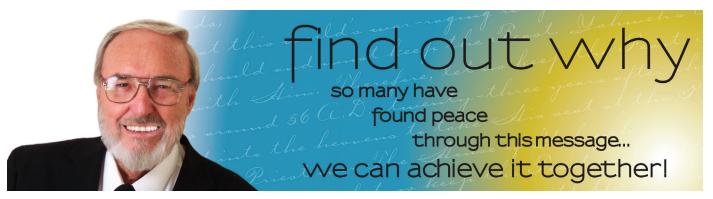
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Think! Everything Yahshua spoke of here is happening now in this present generation. Yahweh's House has been established and it is taking Yahweh's Laws of Peace to all nations. Through this Work Yahweh shows that a huge number of people will be saved alive and come out of Great Tribulation to Yahweh's House, the prophesied place of safety.

You need the book, *Birth of the Nuclear Baby*. It shows it all and the dates.

May Yahweh bless your understanding.





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Yisrayl Hawkins says the popes' use of psychology in using the word **discrimination**, saying anyone who objects to sodomy or sin of any kind, is discriminating against the choice of moral character.

A great example of their psychology that they are using lately is seen in *The Huffington Post*. Desmond Tutu is insinuating that if one objects to sodomy or other sins being taught to or forced upon children, as the catholic popes and priests are doing, then we are discriminating against these poor people who learn these sins and practice them.

In reality, it's rich priests of the catholic church who are raping the children in many ways, from the actual physical rape to the forced teachings of the school system, television, music, and media of all forms.

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Luke 13:5—

I tell you, No! But <u>unless you repent</u> you will all likewise perish!

Mattithyah 19:17-

But He said to him: Why do you question Me about Righteousness? There is only One Who is the Standard of Perfection, and He is Yahweh; so if you would enter into Life, keep the Laws of Yahweh.

Revelation 20:15—

And whoever was not found written in The Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.

Revelation 21:7-8-

7 He who overcomes will inherit all things; and I will be his Father, and he will be My son.

8 But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers,

and worshipers of gods (elohim), and all liars, will have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone—which is the second death.

According to Tutu, Yahshua's Apostles were also discriminators. **Ephesians 5:1-13**—

1 Therefore, be followers of Yahweh, like dear children,

2 And walk in love, as the Messiah has also loved us, and has given Himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to Yahweh as a sweet-smelling aroma.

3 But fornication; *idolatry*, and all uncleanness or covetousness, let this not once be named among you, as is fitting for Saints;

4 Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor *vulgar* jesting, which are not proper. Instead, *let there be* giving of thanks.

5 For know this: that <u>no whore-</u> monger; *sodomite or catamite*, unclean person, nor covetous man—who are idolaters—has any inheritance in the Kingdom of Messiah and Yahweh.

6 Let no man deceive you by letting you think otherwise, for because of these things the Judgment of Yahweh comes upon the children of disobedience;

7 Therefore, <u>do not be partakers</u> with them!

8 For you were once darkness, but now *you are* light, as Yahweh. Walk as children of Light,

9 For the fruit of the Light, *is* namely, all Holiness, Righteousness, and Truth—

10 Proving what is acceptable to Yahweh.

11 And <u>have no fellowship with</u> <u>the unfruitful works of darkness</u>, but instead, expose *them*—

12 Even though it is shameful to speak of those things which are done by them in secret.

13 However, all things that are exposed are made manifest by the Light—for whatever makes manifest is Light!

I Timayah 1:9-10—

9 Knowing this: That the Law is not only laid down for a Righteous man, but also for *the* lawless and disobedient, for the unrighteous and for sinners, for *the* unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers,

10 For whoremongers; *sodomites*, *catamites*, for fornicators; *sexually impure*, for kidnappers, for liars, for

perjurers; *vowing oaths falsely*, and all other things that are opposed to sound doctrine;

I Corinthians 6:9-10-

9 Do you not know that <u>the unrigh-</u> teous will not inherit the Kingdom of <u>Yahweh</u>? <u>Do not deceive yourselves</u>. Neither fornicators, nor godworshipers (worshipers of elohim), nor adulterers, <u>nor men who commit sexual</u> <u>perversions with boys</u>, <u>nor men who</u> <u>commit sexual perversions with other</u> <u>men</u>,

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I Corinthians 6:9, Amplified Bible-

Do you not know that the unrighteous *and* the wrongdoers will not inherit *or* have any share in the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived (misled): neither the impure *and* immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, <u>nor those</u> who participate in homosexuality.

What Tutu is saying is that Yahshua Messiah, the Apostles, and the Prophets were all discriminators. But Tutu is ignorant concerning the Scriptures. He is like the pope, they only read their own mistranslations.

Continuing in the article:

He leaves no doubt about <u>his</u> opinions regarding LGTB rights, declaring:

I would not worship a God who is homophobic and that is how deeply I feel about this.

He added:

<u>I would refuse to go to a homophobic heaven</u>. No, I would say sorry, I mean <u>I would much rather go to the</u> <u>other place</u>.

South Africa's iconic archbishop is clearly still fighting for equality despite his retirement, as he went on to relate the gay rights issue to his country's tumultuous history, saying:

I am as passionate about this campaign as I ever was about <u>apartheid</u>. For me, it is at the same level.

This catholic archbishop is expressing the views of the majority

of the catholic leaders in the vatican. He's saying they have made their choice. They would rather burn in hell than to give up the sin of sodomy. And in essence, they are wanting the whole world to join them. But there is much more being said in his statement that we are supposed to get from between the lines to persuade us to believe that if we show sodomites the evil in sodomy then we are discriminating against those who engage in this sinful practice. Sodomy is condemned in your bible and their bible also unless they changed what Yahweh's Prophets wrote.

Notice again his statement: <u>Desmond Tutu denounced reli-</u> <u>gions that discriminate against</u> <u>LGTB</u>... They do not explain what he means by discriminate. Does he mean that the Inspired Prophets of Yahweh were doing evil because they told all sodomites to repent and stop sinning? Notice:

Leviticus 18:22-

You shall not have sexual relations with a man, as with a woman. It is an abomination

This Scripture shows that men having sex with men is an <u>abomination</u>. We see in **Revelation 17** that the catholic church, the city of the catholic roman empire, brings forth <u>abominations</u>.

Revelation 17:1-6—

1 And there came one of the seven malakim who had the seven bowls, and talked with me, saying to me: Come, I will show you the sentence of the great whore that sits upon many waters,

2 With whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication; *practiced idolatry: godworship (the worship of elohim)*, and the inhabitants of the earth have been made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

3 So he carried me away in the Spirit into the *midst of* godworshipers (worshipers of elohim); and I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet colored beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns.

4 And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet color, and decked with gold, and precious stones, and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication.

5 And upon her head *was* a name written: Mystery Babylon the great, the mother of the harlots and of the <u>abominations of the earth</u>.

6 And I saw the woman drunk with the blood of the Saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Yahshua. And when I saw her, I wondered with great astonishment.

The word **abomination** means it creates sickness and disease in the body called STDs. Surely, anyone can see how sickness and disease are multiplying in this last generation as never before in history. The Savior, Yahshua Messiah, prophesied this very thing.

Mattithyah 24:7, 21-22, 33-34-

7 For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and there will be famines, and <u>pestilences</u>; *disease epidemics*, and earthquakes; *natural disasters*, in place after place:

21 For then will be Great Tribulation, such as has not come to pass since the beginning of the world to this time—no, nor ever will be.

22 And unless those days were shortened, there would no flesh be saved; but for the Elect's sake, those days will be shortened.

33 In the same way, when you see all these things, know that *His coming and The End of the Ages* are near, at the very door.

34 Truly I say to you: That generation will not pass *away*, until all these things are fulfilled.

We now know, from scientific research, the act of sodomy causes the following diseases, as **Leviticus Chapter 18** also shows.

Gay and Bisexual Men's Health

Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs) have been increasing among gay and bisexual men. Recent increases in syphilis cases have been documented across the country. In 2008, men who have sex with men (MSM) accounted for 63% of primary and secondary syphilis cases in the United States. MSM often are diagnosed with other bacterial STDs, including chlamydia and gonorrhea infections.

Gay and bisexual men can be infected with <u>HPV</u> (Human Papillomavirus), the most common STD in the United States. Some types of HPV cause genital and anal warts and some can lead to the development of anal and oral cancer. Men who have sex with men are 17 times more likely to develop anal cancer than heterosexual men. Men who are HIV-positive are even more likely than those who are uninfected to develop anal cancer.

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The Health Risks of Gay Sex

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Sexual relationships between members of the same sex expose gays, lesbians and bisexuals to <u>extreme</u> <u>risks of Sexually Transmitted Diseas-</u> <u>es</u> (STDs), physical injuries, mental disorders and even a <u>shortened life</u> <u>span</u>.

The list of diseases found with extraordinary frequency among male homosexual practitioners as a result of anal intercourse is alarming:

- Anal Cancer
- Chlamydia trachomatis
- Cryptosporidium
- Giardia lamblia
- · Herpes simplex virus
- Human immunodeficiency virus
- Human papilloma virus
- Isospora belli
- Microsporidia
- Gonorrhea
- Viral hepatitis types B & C
- Syphilis²⁵

Sexual transmission of some of these diseases is so rare in the exclusively heterosexual population as to be virtually unknown. Others, while found among heterosexual and homosexual practitioners, are <u>clearly</u> predominated by those involved in homosexual activity.

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So is <u>Tutu the catholic</u> saying that we are discriminating when we warn these sick, deceived people of the harm they are bringing upon themselves and others? Should we stand by and let the popes make sodomites out of our children? Was the Apostle Shaul (Paul) discriminating when he plainly said that Tutu and the other catholics who agree with him would not be in Yahweh's Kingdom?

I Corinthians 6:9-11—

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11 And such were some of you. But now you are washed, now you are sanctified, now you are justified in the Name of Yahshua Messiah, and by the Spirit of our Father.

I noticed, Tutu, that you were bragging about refusing to enter heaven, which shows you are Scripturally illiterate. You don't even know the reward of the Righteous or the wicked. Neither do you know why man was created or his ultimate potential. All you can understand at this time is a deception of heaven and hell, being led to believe that's Yahweh's reward for mankind.

"<u>I would refuse to go to a ho-</u> mophobic heaven. No, I would say sorry, I mean <u>I would much rather</u> go to the other place."

I guess that in all your years as a catholic you never read the bible

or you would know that you, and all those like you, belong to Satan, and you will until you repent of sin. The bible clearly defines what sin is and to whom you belong.

I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8, 10-

4 Whoever commits sin, transgresses also the Laws; for <u>sin is the</u> transgression of the Laws.

7 Little children, let no man deceive you; he who practices Righteousness is Righteous, just as He is Righteous.

8 <u>He who commits sin is of the</u> <u>devil</u>, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of Yahweh was manifested; that He might destroy the works of the devil.

10 In this the Children of Yahweh and the children of the devil are manifest. Whoever does not practice Righ-

teousness is not of Yahweh, and he does not love his neighbor!

Isayah 59:1-2-

1 Behold, Yahweh's Hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; nor His Ear heavy, that it cannot hear.

2 But <u>your *own* iniquities</u> have separated you from your Father; and <u>your</u> <u>own sins</u> have *caused Him* to hide *His* face from you, so He will not listen.

Your body is riddled with diseases, caused by sin, that are destroying your mind (brain) and other organs in your body. The only ones who will enter through the Gates of Life are those who repent and convert.

Acts 3:19—

<u>Repent</u> therefore, and <u>be converted</u>, that your sins may be blotted out; that times of refreshing may come from the Presence of Yahweh.

Revelation 22:12-14—

12 And behold, I come quickly, and My Reward *is* with Me, to give every man according as his work will be.

13 I am the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End.

14 Blessed *are* <u>those who keep His</u> <u>Laws</u>, that they may <u>have right to the</u> <u>Tree of Life</u>, and may enter in through the gates into the City.

Sodomy seems to be the sin that you hang on to the most. Sodomy and murder carry the same penalty because they both kill. They take the lives of others.

I Yahchanan 3:15-

Whoever hates his neighbor is a murderer; and you know that <u>no mur-</u><u>derer has-Eternal Life</u> abiding in him.

I Corinthians 6:9-10-

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Notice the reason why you are so ignorant concerning the Plan of Yahweh, heaven, sin, repentance of sin and Salvation. Notice, the Apostle Shaul (Paul) was speaking to those in the great, evil city that sits on the seven hills of Rome.

Romans 1:22-24, 26-32-

22 Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools; *simpletons*,

23 And exchanged the glory of the uncorruptible Father for images, made to resemble corruptible man, and birds, four-footed beasts, and creeping things.

24 Therefore, Yahweh also gave them up to uncleanness through the <u>lusts of their own minds</u>, to <u>dishonor</u> <u>their own bodies between themselves</u>:

26 For this reason Yahweh gave them up to <u>degrading passions</u>: for <u>even their women</u> exchanged the natural use into that which is against nature.

27 And the men did the same thing: leaving the natural use of the woman, *they* <u>burned in their lusts for one</u> <u>another; men committing shameful</u> <u>acts with men, and <u>suffering in their</u> <u>own bodies the penalty for their error</u>, which is *their* fitting retribution.</u>

28 And so, since they did not like to retain Yahweh in *their* knowledge, it came to pass that they were given over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not proper;

29 Causing to arise all unrighteousness, <u>sexual impurity</u>, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, and malice. *They are* great slanderers,

30 Backbiters; *slanderers*, <u>haters</u> <u>of Yahweh</u>, despiteful, arrogant, and boastful. *They are* inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents,

31 And without understanding. *They are* covenant-breakers, without original affection, implacable; *truce breakers*, and unmerciful:

32 Who, knowing the Righteous Judgment of Yahweh, that <u>those who</u> <u>practice such things deserve death</u>, not only continue to <u>do these very</u> <u>things</u>, but also <u>approve of those who</u> <u>practice them</u>.

Of course, you are deceived, having been taught by the popes, but you are required to make your own choice. Right now you are guilty of death.

Revelation 20:11-15-

11 And I saw a Great White Throne, and Him Who sat on it, from Whose Face the powers of the earth and the powers of the heavens, the Gods (elohim), were driven away; for the verdict was reached that there is no place for them.

12 And I saw the dead, small and great, standing before Yahweh. And the books were opened; and another book was opened, which is *The Book* of Life. And the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works.

13 And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and sheol; *the grave*, delivered up the dead which were in them. And <u>they were judged</u>, <u>every man</u>, according to his works.

14 And death and sheol were cast into the lake of fire. This is the <u>second</u> <u>death</u>.

15 And whoever was not found written in The Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.

The only way to Life, at all, is shown by the Savior. Notice His Words.

Revelation 22:14—

Blessed *are* those who keep <u>His</u> <u>Laws</u>, that they may have <u>right to the</u> <u>Tree of Life</u>, and may enter in through the gates into the City.



Salvation is offered to those who repent of sin and convert to practicing Yahweh's Righteousness.

Mr. Tutu, if you will read the following Scriptures, you will see that the Kingdom of Heaven, governed by Yahweh, will be free of sickness, disease, confusion, and war; the things that <u>hurt</u> and <u>destroy</u> mankind. Those who refuse to repent of causing these things will perish. They will be consumed with the priests they are following into these abominations.

II Kepha 3:10-13-

10 But the Day of Yahweh will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth, and the works that are in it, will be burned up.

11 Since all these things will then be dissolved, what manner *of persons* ought you to be in Holy conduct and Righteousness?

12 You must look for and earnestly long for the Day of Yahweh, because

of which the heavens will be dissolved in fire, and the elements will melt with fervent heat.

13 Nevertheless we, according to His Promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, <u>in which Righteousness dwells</u>.

Righteousness? Deuteronomy 6:25—

And it will be our <u>Righteousness</u> if we observe to do all of these Laws before Yahweh our Father, as He has commanded us.

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Isayah 65:17—

For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth; and the former will not be remembered, nor come into mind.

Isayah 66:22-24-

22 For as the new heavens and the new earth which I will make will remain before Me, says Yahweh: so will your seed and your name remain.

23 And it will come to pass that from one New Moon to another, and from one Sabbath to another, all flesh will come to worship before Me, says Yahweh.

24 And they will go forth and look upon the carcasses of the men who have transgressed against Me; for their worm will not die, nor will their fire be quenched; and they will be an abhorrence to all flesh.

Revelation 21:27—

And <u>there will by no means enter</u> <u>into it anything that defiles</u>, <u>nor works</u> <u>abomination</u>, neither a lie; but only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

The Lamb Himself shows who is written in the Book of Life - those who repent and convert to practicing Yahweh's Laws of Righteousness.

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Mr. Tutu, take notice of the words **defile** and **abomination** in **Revela-tion 21:27**. Now read these words in the following verses and notice the cause of all the sickness, diseases, confusion, hatred, violence, and wars.

Leviticus 18:22-23—

22 <u>You shall not have sexual rela-</u> <u>tions with a man, as with a woman</u>. <u>It is an abomination</u>.

23 Neither shall you have sexual relations with any animal and <u>defile</u> <u>yourself</u>, *along* with it; neither shall any woman present herself to have sexual relations with an animal. It is confusion and perversion.

I am sorry you are so Scripturally ignorant, confused and deceived. You would not be that way if you would not follow the priest who eats swine's flesh.

Isayah 65:4-5, 7-

4 Who assemble and spend the night keeping memorials for the dead, who <u>eat swine's flesh</u>, and the broth of <u>abominable</u> things is *in* their vessels,

5 Who say; Stand by yourself! <u>Do</u> not come near me, for I am holier than you! These *are* a smoke in My Nostrils, a fire that burns all the day.

7 <u>Your iniquities</u> and <u>the iniquities</u> of your fathers together, says Yahweh: who have burned incense upon the mountains, and blasphemed Me upon the hills. Therefore I will measure their former work into their bosom.

Notice the word **abominable** in **Isayah 65:4**. **Isayah 66:17**—

They who sanctify themselves, and purify themselves in the gardens, <u>following after the priest in the midst</u> <u>of those who eat swine's flesh</u>, that which is offered to gods (elohim) and the rodent—<u>will be consumed</u> together: says Yahweh.

Notice, you will be consumed with them. There is no other place to go. Those who do not choose Life by choosing Righteousness will be consumed. They will exist no more. **Revelation 21:8**—

> But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the <u>abominable</u>, and <u>murderers</u>, and <u>whoremongers</u>, and sorcerers, and worshipers of gods (elohim), and all liars, will <u>have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone—which is the <u>second death</u>.</u>

Did you notice the word **<u>abomina-</u>** <u>**ble**</u> again? Notice, too, this is the second death - no more life after the second death.

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Your Only Hope and the World's Only Hope is Repentance

Acts 3:19-

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10 In this the Children of Yahweh and the children of the devil are manifest. Whoever does not practice Righteousness is not of Yahweh, and he does not love his neighbor!

Mr. Tutu, the priest who eats swine's flesh that you are following is the pope, the man of sin who is revealed in **Revelation Chapter 17** as sitting on seven hills. It's not discrimination against people or groups of people when I quote to you the words of the Great Apostle Shaul found in:

II Corinthians 6:17-

Therefore: Come out from among them and be separate, says Yahweh. Do not touch the unclean *thing*, and I will receive you.

It's not discrimination against lesbians only, sodomities only, transgenders only, bi-sexuals only, or those who practice bestiality only. The Scriptures do not discriminate. There is one Law for all. <u>Anyone</u> who breaks even one Law is guilty of sin. Because of these sins, confusion and perversion have consumed the minds of mankind and is destroying the earth. Notice what else sin causes. **Isayah 24:1-6, 10, 18-20**—

1 Before Yahweh's *very* Eyes, the earth is made empty and it is made waste; the face of it is perverted and its inhabitants scattered abroad;

2 And it will be: as with the people, <u>so with the priest</u>; as with the servant, so with his owner; as with the maid, so with her mistress; as with the buyer, so with the seller; as with the lender, so with the borrower; as with him who takes usury, so with him who gives usury to him:

3 The <u>land will be utterly emptied</u> and utterly plundered, for it has come to pass that this Judgment has been pronounced.

4 <u>The earth mourns</u> and fades away, the world mourns and fades away, and the haughty people of the earth languish.

5 The earth also is defiled under the inhabitants of it, <u>because they have</u> transgressed the Laws, changed the Ordinance, and broken the Everlasting Covenant.

6 Because of this, the <u>curse has de-</u><u>voured the earth</u>, and they who dwell therein are desolate; therefore, the <u>inhabitants of the earth are burned</u>, and <u>few men left</u>.

10 The cities of confusion are broken down; every house is shut up, so no man may come in.

18 And it will come to pass, *that* he who flees from the noise of the fear will fall into the pit; and he who comes up from the midst of the pit will be caught in the snare; for the windows from on high are open, and the foundations of the earth are shaken.

19 The earth is utterly broken down, the earth is dissolved clean, the earth is shaken exceedingly.

20 The <u>earth will reel to and fro</u> like a drunkard, and will <u>sway like a hut</u>. The transgression in it will be heavy upon it; it will fall, and not rise again.

This Prophecy is speaking of this present generation. Yahshua Messiah calls it the last generation when the sun and moon will be darkened.

Isayah 24:23-

Then the moon will be confounded, and the sun ashamed, when Yahweh our Father will reign in Mount Zion, an in Yerusalem, and before His Ancients gloriously.

Compare:

Mattithyah 24:29, 34—

29 Immediately, *but* after the *Great* Tribulation of those days will the <u>sun</u> <u>be darkened</u>, and the <u>moon will not</u> <u>give her light</u>, and the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken.

34 Truly I say to you: That <u>genera-</u> <u>tion</u> will not pass *away*, until <u>all these</u> <u>things are fulfilled</u>.

In the Last Days - the last generation, The End - all these things will be fulfilled.

Isayah 2:1-4—

1 The word that Isayah son of Amoz saw concerning Yahdah and Yerusalem.

2 It will come to pass in the Last <u>Days</u>, *that* the mountain; *promotion*, of The House of Yahweh will be established in the chief of the nations, and will be raised above all congregations; and all nations will *eventually* flow to it. 3 And many people will go and say; Come, and let us go up to the mountain of Yahweh, to the House of the Father of Yaaqob, and He will teach us of His Ways, and we will walk in His paths. For the Laws will depart from Zion, and the Work of Yahweh *will depart* from Yerusalem.

4 He will judge among the nations, and will rebuke many people; they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks; nation will not lift up sword against nation, neither will they learn war anymore.

Micahyah 4:1-3—

1 But <u>in the Last Days</u> it will come to pass *that* the mountain; *promotion*, of <u>The House of Yahweh will be established in the chief of the nations</u>. It will be raised above all congregations; and all peoples will *eventually* flow to it.

2 And many people will go and say; Come, and let us go up to the mountain; *uplifting*, of Yahweh, and to the House of the Father of Yaaqob, and He will teach us of His Ways, and we will walk in His Paths. Because the Laws will depart from Zion, and the Word of Yahweh from Yerusalem.

3 And He will judge between many people, and rebuke strong nations afar off; and they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks. Nation will not lift up sword against nation, nor will they learn war anymore.

The priests of the catholic church are leading the whole world into sin and destruction. They follow and belong to Satan.

Genesis 3:1-7—

1 Now the serpent was more subtle *and* crafty than any beast of the field which Yahweh had made. And she said to the woman; Has Yahweh indeed said: You shall not eat of every tree of the garden?

2 And the woman said to the serpent; We may eat the fruit of the trees of the garden;

3 But of the fruit of the tree which *is* in the midst of the garden, Yahweh has said: You shall not eat it, nor shall you touch it, or you will die.

4 And the serpent said to the woman; <u>You will not surely die</u>.

5 For He knows that in the day you eat of it, your eyes will be opened, and <u>you will be as Gods</u> (elohim),

knowing Righteousness and evil.

6 So when the woman saw that the tree *was* desirable for food, that it *was* pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make *one* wise, she took of its fruit and ate. She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate.

7 Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized that they had sinned; they had violated Yahweh's Laws. *Because* they had not kept Yahweh's Laws, they were afraid.

They have all gone the way of Cain, following sin.

Genesis 4:6-7-

6 So Yahweh said to Cain: Why are you angry? Why are you downcast?

7 If you do Righteousness, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do Righteousness, sin *is* crouching at your door. <u>The desire to sin is with</u> you, but you must overcome it!

Yahdah 1:11-

Woe to them! For they have <u>gone</u> <u>in the way of Cain</u>, have run greedily in the error of Balaam for reward, and have perished in the rebellion of Korah!

Yahchanan 8:44-47—

44 You are <u>of your teacher who is</u> <u>Satan the devil</u>, and whatever she who is your teacher desires, you will do. She was a murderer from the beginning, and remained not in the Truth, because there is no Truth in her. Therefore, *when* you speak your falsehoods, you speak her words, because she is a liar, and the teacher of *all* lies!

45 Yet, because I tell you the Truth, you do not believe Me.

46 Which of you convicts Me of sin? So if I speak the Truth, why do you not believe Me?

47 He who is of Yahweh, hears Yahweh's Words; *the Laws and the Prophets*. Now you do not hear, because you are not of Yahweh.

They do not belong to Yahweh. **I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8, 10**—

4 Whoever commits sin, transgresses also the Laws; for sin is the transgression of the Laws.

7 Little children, let no man deceive you; he who practices Righteousness is Righteous, just as He is Righteous.

8 He who commits sin is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of Yahweh was manifested; that He might destroy the works of the devil. 10 In this the Children of Yahweh and the children of the devil are manifest. <u>Whoever does not practice</u> <u>Righteousness is not of Yahweh</u>, and he does not love his neighbor!

Satan's hope is to destroy mankind totally, along with the earth and the heavens that goven the earth. Yahshua said the same in:

Mattithyah 5:17-18-

17 Do not *even* think that I have come to destroy the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to destroy *them*, but to establish *them*.

18 For truly I say to you; <u>Unless</u> <u>heaven and earth pass away</u>, one yodh—the smallest of the letters—will in no way pass from the Law, until all things are perfected.

Notice with this: **Isavah 14:12-17**—

12 How you have fallen from heaven, O Hillel; *Lucifer, Aphrodite, Venus,* child of the light! How you are cut down to the ground, you who weakened the nations!

13 For you have said in your heart; I will ascend above the heavens; I will raise my throne above the stars of Yahweh. I will sit in the highest place on the Holy mountain of the congregation.

14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the Most High.

15 Yet you will be brought down to sheol; *the grave*, to the sides of the pit.

16 Those who see you will stare at you, and they will talk about you, *saying; Is* this the one; *the adversary*, who shook the earth, and made kingdoms tremble?

17 *Is this the one who* made the world like a wilderness, who overthrew the cities in it, and *who* would not let her captives go free?

Therefore, Satan's hope is to destroy Yahweh's Creation. The whole world, like sheep, is following to the destruction. Notice now the Plan for mankind.

Genesis 1:26-

Then Yahweh said: I will <u>make man</u> <u>in My Image</u>, according to My Likeness; <u>they will have authority</u> over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, over the cattle, and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.

Satan's plan will fail, and so will all the priests of the catholic church. **Revelation 20:1-6**—

1 And I saw a malak come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand.

2 And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, who is the devil, and Satan, and bound her a thousand years—

3 And cast her into the bottomless pit, and shut her up, and <u>set a seal</u> <u>upon her, that she should deceive the</u> <u>nations no more</u>, until the thousand years should be finished; and after that she must be loosed a little season.

4 And I saw Thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given unto them. And *I saw* the souls of those who were beheaded for their witness of Yahshua and for the Word of Yahweh; *the Law and the Prophets*, and who had not worshiped the beast, nor his likeness, neither had received *his* mark in their foreheads nor upon their hands; and they lived and reigned with the Messiah a thousand years—

5 But the rest of the dead did not live again until the thousand years were finished. This *is* the first resurrection—

6 <u>Blessed and Holy</u> *is* he who has part in the first resurrection; on such the second death has no power, but they will be Priests of Yahweh and of the Messiah, and will reign with Him a thousand years.

Not one of Yahweh's Prophecies have failed. That proves we have nothing to fear. Trust in Yahweh and He will deliver.

Blessed and Holy? Look:

Revelation 20:6—

<u>Blessed and Holy is</u> he who has part in the first resurrection; on such the second death has no power, but they will be Priests of Yahweh and of the Messiah, and will reign with Him a thousand years.

Revelation 22:12-14—

12 And behold, I come quickly, and My Reward *is* with Me, to give every man according as his work will be.

13 I am the First and the Last, the

Beginning and the End.

14 Blessed *are* those who keep His Laws, that they may have right to the Tree of Life, and may enter in through the gates into the City.

Revelation 22:16—

I, <u>Yahshua, have sent My Messen-</u> <u>ger</u> to testify to you these things in the congregations of The House of Yahweh. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, *and* the Bright and Morning Star.

This is the last generation, Mr. Tutu, and Yahweh's House has been established. The Messenger of Yahweh is taking this Message of the Kingdom of Yahweh to all the world. The messengers of Satan have had 6,000 years to prepare this world for the great slaughter. **Isavah 14:17, 21-22, 26**—

> 17 Is this the one who made the world like a wilderness, who overthrew the cities in it, and who would not let her captives go free?

> 21 <u>Prepare slaughter for her children, because of the iniquity of their</u> <u>fathers</u>; so that they may not rise, possess the earth, and fill the face of the world with cities.

> 22 For I will rise up against them, says Yahweh our Father: and cut off from Babylon the name and remnant, and offspring and descendant, says Yahweh.

> 26 This is the purpose; *plan*, that is purposed upon the whole earth; this is the hand that is stretched out upon all the nations.

But Yahshua Messiah says, the gates of hell will not prevail against His House.

Mattithyah 16:18-

And I also say to you who are Kepha; *whose name means "rock":* That upon this Rock, YAHWEH UNITY; I will build this house; *family: The House of Yahweh*, and <u>the gates of sheol; *the grave*, will not prevail against it</u>.

Try three more Scriptures.

Deuteronomy 12:5—

But you are to seek the Habitation of your Father; The House of Yahweh the place which Yahweh your Father shall choose out of all your tribes to establish His Name—and there you must go.

Mattithyah 6:33—

But seek you first the Kingdom of Yahweh and-His Righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

Micahyah 4:1-3—

1 But in the Last Days it will come to pass *that* the mountain; *promotion*, <u>of The House of Yahweh will be established in the chief of the nations</u>. It will be raised above all congregations; and all peoples will *eventually* flow to it.

2 And many people will go and say; <u>Come, and let us go up to the moun-</u> <u>tain; *uplifting*, of Yahweh</u>, and to the House of the Father of Yaaqob, and He will teach us of His Ways, and we will walk in His Paths. Because the Laws will depart from Zion, and the Word of Yahweh from Yerusalem.

3 And He will judge between many people, and rebuke strong nations afar off; and they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks. Nation will not lift up sword against nation, nor will they learn war anymore.

Remember, starting with the nimrod schools, Yahweh allowed Satan to bring sin to its peak in this last generation, to prove to mankind what sin brings wherever it's practiced. The final proof is the nuclear burning that has already started and will get worse daily. But sin will never be allowed to reign again.

Yahweh's Prophecy is fulfilled. Burning in hell, the second death, is yours to choose or you could repent, be converted, and be chosen as one who overcomes.

Acts 3:19-

<u>Repent</u> therefore, and <u>be converted</u>, <u>that your sins may be blotted out</u>; that times of refreshing may come from the Presence of Yahweh.

Revelation 2:11-

He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the called out ones of The House of Yahweh. <u>He</u> who overcomes will not be hurt by the second death. I don't discriminate when I tell you, the catholic roman empire, and the whole world that it is sin that causes death. You must repent of sin and convert totally to Yahweh's Righteousness, which brings Life, or you will have your part in the lake of fire. You will reap the reward of your own mouth..."I would much rather go to the other place".

The Great White Throne Judgment

Revelation 20:11-15-

11 And I saw a <u>Great White Throne</u>, and Him Who sat on it, from Whose Face the powers of the earth and the powers of the heavens, the Gods (elohim), were driven away; for the verdict was reached that there is no place for them.

12 And I saw the dead, small and great, <u>standing before Yahweh</u>. And the books were opened; and another book was opened, which is *The Book* of Life. And the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works.

13 And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and sheol; *the grave*, delivered up the dead which were in them. And they were judged, every man, according to his works.

14 And death and sheol were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death.

15 And whoever was not found written in The Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.

It's your choice!

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Was the Messiah's birth on December 25th?

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1 Hear the word which Yahweh speaks concerning you, O house of Israyl.

2 This is what Yahweh says: Do not learn the way; *religious practic-es*, of the heathen; *Gentile nations*; and do not be deceived by the signs of heaven; though the heathen are deceived by them; *using them to set their feasts*.

3 For the *religious* customs of the peoples *are* vain; *worthless!* For *one* cuts a tree out of the forest, the work of the hands of the workman, with the ax.

4 They <u>decorate it with silver and</u> <u>with gold</u>; they fasten it with nails and with hammers, so that it will not move; *topple over*.

5 They *are* upright, like a palm tree, but they cannot speak; they must be carried, because they cannot go *by themselves*. Do not give them reverence! They cannot do evil, nor *is it* in them to do Righteousness!

The Encyclopedia Britannica, Volume II (1943-1973), under **Christmas**, says:

"In the Roman world, the Saturnalia was a time of merrymaking and exchanging of gifts. December 25th was also regarded as the birthdate of the Iranian Mystery god, Mithra, the Sun of Righteousness.

On the Roman New Year houses were decorated with greenery and lights and gifts were given to children.

To these observances were added the German and Celtic Yule rites...Food and good fellowship, the Yule log and Yule cakes, greenery and fir trees, gifts and greetings all commemorated different aspects of this festive season. Fires and lights, symbols of warmth and lasting life have always been

associated with the winter festival, both pagan and Christian."

In *A Book of Christmas*, by William Sansom, McGraw-Hill, 1968, pages 28-39, we find the following information:

To get green food for his beasts and later for himself when the first corn was planted, primitive man needed rain and sun. So, with their primitive eyes on the great and mysterious sky...the first religious instincts prayed to the sun! The moment of the Sun's Annual rebirth in late December was one of the vital religious times of the year. This time of year was also the least laborious. There was time to make merry. Early Northern people, who had no exact astronomical findings began their winter festivals earlier...in November... when the signs of the sun's recession... (dying) and the scarcity of animal food made the slaughter of the increase of the herd necessary. Later, the ceremonies moved forward to mid-December and the anticipation of the Saturnalia... that wonderful, heartwarming, emotional festival introduced by the Romans by their occupation of the then-known world.

In Roman Times...a <u>Pre-Christian Message</u> of 'peace and god's will' to all men accompanied the Saturnalia! The Saturnalia was within the <u>solstice and Saturnalia-Kalendae period</u>...starting December 17 and going through January 1st. The Roman Saturnalia is recorded in writing and was the function of a highly civilized people. The first period of feasting was generally for seven days. The <u>god celebrated was</u> <u>Saturn</u>... farmer of a former gold age and <u>eater of his own children</u>.

The giving of presents...particularly candles and <u>dolls called Sigillaria</u> also derives from the insistent <u>origin of human sacrifice</u> <u>at this time of year</u>!

Directly following the Saturnalia was the <u>Kalendae</u>...more mathematically concerned with the date of the <u>new Roman year</u>...and the <u>celebration of the god Janus</u>, god of doors (as a two-way engine) who looks back on the past and forward to the future.

One may think of the Saturnalia as <u>'Roman in Rome</u>'...but the truth is: <u>The Roman</u> <u>Empire</u> was a <u>World-Ruling Empire</u> at that time. The <u>customs of Rome</u> were spread to <u>all</u> the <u>known world</u>! Britons and Celts, Indians and Egyptians were all called part of the Roman Empire at one time. These nations brought their own <u>Sun Worshipping Cults</u> to join into the <u>Saturnalia Celebrations</u>! It was an <u>Empire-Wide Celebration</u>. All the people in this Empire, save only a few... gathered in their homes to drink wine...to dance and sing...to <u>light their candles and</u> <u>exchange presents</u>...giving their children the little clay dolls that represented their former sacrifices!

The Strenae...honoring the goddess Strenia...were given for 'good luck!'

The <u>Feast of Fools</u> and the <u>Lord of Misrule</u> derived directly from the Saturnalia.

Many other customs have become engrafted into the <u>ancient celebration</u> occurring at this time of year. Mummers and Wild Men roam the British Isles and Europe. The Mari Lwyd ritual in Wales is reviving. The <u>evergreen tree is an ancient custom</u> incorporated. The Vikings gave their Yule...the <u>druids</u> donated their <u>magic mistletoe</u>...the <u>Father Christmas</u> in Briton and the <u>Santa</u> <u>Claus of German origin</u> were all donated and incorporated into the holidays known worldwide as Christmas and New Year!

It was <u>not until the middle of the fourth</u> <u>century c.e.</u> that the 'Birth' of the Messiah was officially celebrated at the time of year when the lighting of fires...<u>the praising of</u> <u>the new sun</u>...relaxation and feasting was set <u>on the very same date as that of the birth</u> <u>of the sun god...Mithra!</u>

<u>MITHRAISM</u>: The worship of Mithra shared many similarities with the <u>newer</u> <u>Christian ceremonies</u>. There was baptism, a sacramental meal, and observance of Sunday, and <u>the god himself was born on</u> <u>December 25th</u>.

The ancient pagan celebrations of modern Christmas and New Year

In **Revelation 1:1**, the Apostle Yahchanan is given the revelation of what will shortly come to pass at the end of this age. Yahchanan is shown the history of The House of Yahweh and the end of the Babylonian mystery religions that this whole deceived world worships in this very day and time. **Revelation 17:1**—

> And there came one of the seven Malakim who had the seven bowls, and talked with me, saying to me: Come, I will show you the sentence of the great whore that sits upon many waters.

The word **waters** in this verse is referring to *peoples*, *and multitudes*, *and nations*, *and tongues*, as we find in: **Revelation 17:2-6**—

2 With whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication; practiced idolatry: Godworship (the worship of elohim), and the inhabitants of the earth have been made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

3 So he carried me away in the Spirit into the *midst of* Godworshipers (worshipers of Elohim); and I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet colored beast, <u>full of names of blasphemy</u>, having seven heads and ten horns.

4 And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet color, and decked with gold, and precious stones, and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand <u>full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication</u>.

5 And upon her head *was* a name written: <u>Mystery Babylon the great</u>, the mother of the harlots <u>and of the</u> abominations of the earth.

6 And I saw the woman drunk with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Yahshua. And when I saw her, I wondered with great astonishment.

Revelation 17:15-

And he said to me: The <u>waters</u> which you saw, where the whore sits, are <u>peoples</u>, and <u>multitudes</u>, and <u>na-tions</u>, and <u>languages</u>.

In **Revelation 17:5,** we are shown a religion of mystery, the great whore, or great God worshiper, as this religion should be called, which brings abominations to all peoples, multitudes, nations and languages.

Collier's Encyclopedia, 1980, Volume 16, pages 349-350, tells us of these ancient mystery religions.

THE MYSTERY RELIGIONS

The mystery religions furnish an ancient example of a missionary movement. Originally they were magical ceremonies designed to induce bountiful crops. They dramatized the annual decay of vegetation in the autumn as the death of a divine youth over whom a goddess mourned. Later they celebrated with ecstatic joy the return of verdure in the spring as the coming to life again of the departed youth. Participating in these rites was believed to cleanse the devotee of his sins and unite him mystically with the god. They were crude and orgiastic but they had a dynamic quality which led to their expansion.

<u>In spite of the protests</u> of such men as Euripides and Plato <u>the mystery religions</u> <u>continued to make converts</u> because they supplied something which neither the religion of the Olympic gods nor the philosophers of Greece could offer. This was especially true of the Eleusinian mysteries which may have had their <u>origin in Egypt</u>.

Though the details of these rites are unknown, because they were secret, it is evident that the drama which the initiates saw enacted was a source of great comfort to them thereafter, attracting at Athens alone thousands of candidates who thronged to be initiated.

The Syrian mystery religion in which the <u>goddess Astarte</u> wept over Adonis was carried by Phoenician sailors and traders to various ports in the Mediterranean at an early date. Later, when this sea was controlled by the Ptolemies, Egyptian sailors and traders carried the <u>mystery religion of Isis</u> to Cyprus, Sicily, Italy, Gaul, and Spain. This religion, transformed considerably from its Egyptian prototype, <u>had great</u> <u>popularity in Rome</u>, and held its own for 500 years. It was at one time a formidable rival of Christianity.

<u>Mithraism</u>, which was also a rival of Christianity in the early centuries, seems to have <u>had many affinities with the mystery</u> <u>religions</u>, especially in its graded series of seven stages of initiation. Mithra or Mithras was the name of an ancient deity among the Aryans. Originally he was the god of the social order, but in Persian religion he had warlike characteristics, being a manifestation of the power of the sun, fighting against darkness on behalf of Ahura Mazda. His <u>emblem was *sol invictus*</u>, the invincible sun, and his help was <u>sought especially by</u> <u>those engaged in warfare</u>.

The **<u>Romans</u>** became acquainted with Mithraism in 66 B.C. Pompey had been given dictatorial powers to suppress the pirates who swarmed the Mediterranean. He captured their strongholds in Cilicia at the eastern end of the Mediterranean, took 20,000 prisoners and settled them at various points in Asia Minor and Greece. These captured Cilician pirates introduced Mithraism to the Romans. It did not make much headway, however, till toward the end of the second century A.D., when soldiers recruited in Pontus, Cappadocia, and Lesser Armenia spread the faith through the Roman legions. It was also propagated by merchants and slaves from these regions. but its strength lay chiefly in the army. Emperor Diocletian favored it, and so did Constantine at first, even using the emblem of the invincible sun on his banners. He later replaced this by the Christian emblem. Mithraism had already received a severe setback through the loss of the important outpost of the army in Dacia on the Danube, where the faith was especially strong. While for a time Mithraism seemed a formidable rival of Christianity, it had an outstanding weakness. It was a masculine religion with little or no place for women. Consequently it could never become strongly entrenched in family life. Its vogue came to an end toward the close of the fourth century, though it lingered on in a few isolated places.

Has Mithraism, or sun worship, really come to an end in these Modern Times?

In the earliest millennium, the great mother goddess was a symbol of procreation and fertility and was worshiped in every corner of the world. This mother goddess was pictured as the sun and earth and her consort as the moon and the natural elements.

The Babylonians, in their popular religion, worshiped a goddess mother and a son, represented in pictures and images as a mother with her son in her arms. From Babylon this worship of the mother and her child spread to the ends of the earth.

The original Babylonian mother goddess was Semiramis. The adored little child in her arms was Ninus (Tammuz), signified as the son. This same little child was also signified as the husband of Semiramis.

The Madonna and child worship certainly did not start in the Christian era.

We are told of the first government system by the people and of the people, and against Yahweh in:

Genesis 10:8-9—

8 Cush begot Nimrod; he began to be a mighty one on the earth.

9 He was a tyrant who <u>deceived</u>, who turned against Yahweh; therefore it is said: Like Nimrod the tyrant who deceived, who <u>turned against Yahweh</u>.

It has been said that the custom of Christmas "started with Semiramis and the birth of her illegitimate son, Tammuz.

Legend has it that Tammuz was so evil he married his own mother, Semiramis. After Tammuz's untimely death, his mother/wife brought forward the doctrine of the resurrection of Tammuz. She claimed a full grown evergreen tree sprang up overnight from a dead tree stump. She also claimed that Tammuz would visit the evergreen tree on each anniversary of his birth and leave gifts upon it. Semiramis, through her scheming, became the Babylonian Queen of Heaven. She introduced a worship to usher in the rebirth of her son every year.

Yeremyah 7:18—

How the children gather wood, and the fathers kindle the fire, while the women knead dough to <u>make cakes</u> for the Queen of Heaven, and how they pour out drink offerings to the hinder gods (elohim), so they may act defiantly against Me?

Yechetzqyah 8:14-

Then he brought me to the door of the gate of Yahweh's House, which *was* toward the north; and behold, there sat women weeping for Tam-<u>muz</u>.

In this ancient act of sun worship, women would ceremonially weep until Tammuz was reincarnated as the evergreen tree. Tammuz's birthday was December 25th.

The festival of Mithras, the sun God of ancient Persia, was celebrated on December 25th. Tree worship and celebrating a birthday on December 25th certainly did not start in the christian era.

The Last Two Million Years, by The Readers Digest Association, 1971, page 77, says:

Worship of the sun-god

For the next 500 years Persia came under the rule of the Parthians, a warlike people from the north-east. This was a period of almost ceaseless conflict with Rome, from which neither side emerged victor. Roman soldiers carried back to Europe the Persian worship of Mithras, the sun-god. If Mithraism had not been superseded in the Roman Empire by Christianity, Europe might have adopted the Persian religion.

Collier's Encyclopedia, 1980, Volume 9, page 431, says:

Roman Religion and the Emergence of Christianity.

The religion of the Romans also displayed lack of imagination. As encouraged by Augustus and some of his successors, it was a cold, remote affair of ceremonies and rituals. Much had been borrowed from the Greeks, but, as so often occurred, the Romans took the shell and left the kernel; the charm of the old Greek religion was lost. As social and economic conditions became worse, the Roman masses turned more and more to the colorful, strongly emotional, and superstitious mystery religions imported from the East. The cults of the Great <u>Mother</u>, of <u>Isis</u>, and of <u>Mithras were the</u> <u>most popular</u>. They all emphasized spiritual salvation and a future life—in a word they offered comfort. The cult of Mithras, which appealed primarily to men, became very strong and was carried throughout the Empire by the constantly moving Roman legions. It was to be the <u>chief rival of</u> <u>Christianity</u>.

Was Mithraism the chief rival of Christianity or is Christianity just the name of Mithraism in this day and age?

Constantine was still a sun worshiper when the religion that is called Christianity today was initiated.

Collier's Encyclopedia, 1980, Volume 21, page 632, says:

SUNDAY. To understand the meaning and significance of Sunday as the first day of the week it is necessary to consider the five contributions which have been made to its place in the calendar and to its manner of observance: (1) the worship of the sun among ancient peoples, (2) the popularity of Mithraism among the Romans, (3) the Roman observance of the day of the Sun, (4) the early Christian dedication of the first day of the week as a memorial of the resurrection of Christ, and (5) the Scottish Presbyterian conception of Sunday as a day of rest and the adoption of this conception by Puritan Massachusetts, with the resulting Sunday laws, usually known as Blue Laws.

From prehistoric times to the close of the fifth century of the Christian Era the worship of the sun was dominant. Deified in Egypt as Ra, the Sun-god, he is pictured in the oldest passages of the Pyramid texts. The sun-disk (Aton) with the outspread wings of the falcon became the most generally used symbol of Egyptian religion. In Babylonia, cylinder seals picture the sun as a deity coming forth through open doors which attendants hold open for him, at the same time turning their faces away so as not to be blinded by his brightness. This idea of the sun having a habitation is reflected in the Biblical reference to his coming forth as a bridegroom from his chamber rejoicing as a strong man to run his course. When the Israelites entered Palestine they found the worship of the sun under the name of Baal-hammon, the latter part of this title meaning sun images.

At an early unknown date the <u>mystery</u> <u>cult of Mithra</u> or Mithras arose in Persia. In Zoroastrianism he is named Yazata, a power of light serving as aide to Ahura-Mazda. In the valley of the Euphrates he attained the eminence of an Assyrian god. Mithraism reached Rome in the second century B.C.E. It became popular in the Roman army, in the commercial class, and among the slaves and eventually was adopted by the Roman emperors because it supported the divine right of kings. From very ancient times, the Romans had marked each eighth day as a holiday. It is not surprising, since they were influenced not only by the favored cult of Mithras but also by the Egyptian cult in North Africa that they gradually came to observe a holiday dedicated to the sun. <u>Dies solis was substituted for dies Saturni. The</u> earliest known Sunday law appeared in the edict of Constantine (A.D. 321) enacting that 'magistrates, city people, and artisans' were to rest on the venerable day of the Sun. This law probably bore no relation to Christianity.

The early Christians had first adopted the Jewish seven day week with its numbered weekdays, but by the close of the third century the planetary week, and in the fourth and fifth centuries <u>the pagan calendar names had become general in western Christendom</u>.

This says: "The earliest known Sunday law appeared in the Edict of Constantine in 321 C.E. enacting that magistrates, city people and artisans were to rest on the veneral day of the sun." This is not the only enactment that resembles present day Christianity.

The Last Two Million Years, by The Readers Digest Association, 1971, pages 217-218, says:

By a stroke of tactical genius the Church, while intolerant of pagan beliefs, was able to harness the powerful emotions generated by pagan worship. Often, churches were sited where temples had stood before, and many heathen festivals were added to the Christian calendar. Easter, for instance, a time of sacrifice and rebirth in the Christian year, takes its name from the Norse goddess Eostre, in whose honour rites were held every spring. She in turn was simply a Northern version of the Phoenician earth-mother Astarte, goddess of fertility. Easter eggs continue an age-old tradition in which the egg is a symbol of birth; and cakes which were eaten to mark the festivals of Astarte and Eostre were the direct ancestors of our hot-cross buns.

By harnessing the emotions generated by pagan religions, one can truthfully say that the pagan religions are a part of Christianity.

Constantine, was also the leader of the First Council of Nicaea in the year 325 C.E. Sunday worship was established for Christianity at that time. The Christian church did not want to have anything to do with the "wicked rabble of the Jews," including Yahweh's Seventh Day Sabbath. Easter, or the worship of the Goddess, Eostre, was established at that Council because Passover was part of the "Jewish" religion. The doctrine of the trinity was established and Yahweh's Feasts were changed to the pagan celebrations the deceived Christian world celebrates today.

Daniyl 7:24-25-

24 And the ten horns out of this kingdom *are* ten kings *that* will arise; and another will rise after them; and he will be different from the first *ones*, and he will subdue three kings.

25 And he will speak great words against Yahweh, and will wear out; mentally attack to cause to fall away, the Saints of Yahweh, and think to change times; Yahweh's Feast Days and Laws; and they will be given into his hand until a time, and times, and the dividing of time.

History has proven this Prophecy correct. The last, diverse kingdom that subdued three kingdoms is the religious power of papal Rome. This religious power changed the Feast days of Yahweh to the pagan festivals that were already popular.

The most popular pagan festival was the birthday of the invincible sun on December 25th. The Mithraic and Roman religions were already celebrating the rebirth of the sun. It was not a hard task to place the mask of Christianity over this pagan birthdate and call it the birthday of Jesus.

Strange Stories Amazing Facts, by The Readers Digest Association, pages 283-284, says:

<u>Christmas and Easter</u>, although the greatest festivals in the Christian calendar, <u>are</u> celebrated with customs that originated in <u>superstition and heathen rites hundreds of</u> years before Christ was born.

Even the dates owe more to pagan practices than to the birth and resurrection of Jesus. It was not until the fourth century that December 25 was fixed arbitrarily as the anniversary of the Nativity–because the pagan festivals from which so many Christmas customs spring were held around that time.

Although Christianity has swept the world in a relatively short time, as the histories of great religions go, the early missionaries faced an uphill task. <u>The pagans</u> were reluctant to give up their false gods and ancient practices.

So the missionaries, unable to convert them easily to an entirely new code of worship, did the next best thing. They <u>took the</u> <u>pagan festivals as they were and gradually</u> <u>grafted the observances of the new faith</u> <u>onto these festivals and the rites and cus-</u> toms surrounding them.

<u>December 25 was not called Christmas</u> <u>until the ninth century</u>. Until then it had been the Midwinter Feast, a combination of the <u>Norse Yule Festival</u> and the <u>Roman</u> <u>Saturnalia</u>, both of which took place in late December.

How was this deceit perpetrated on mankind? *The Last Two Million Years*, by The Readers Digest Association, 1971, pages 217-218, tells us how:

Since bishops were educated men at a time when education was a rarity, they became civil servants, chancellors and secretaries to rulers. ...in Rome itself, <u>the popes had an</u> <u>efficient organization, the *curia*, patterned</u> <u>on that of the Roman Empire</u>. Papal legates abroad reported back to the pope on shifts of policy and political power, and held a powerful diplomatic weapon in their right to refer disputes to Rome. <u>The pope claimed</u> <u>the sole power to grant absolution for sin</u>. <u>Through the bishops and the parish priests</u>, <u>his authority reached into almost every</u> <u>corner of Europe</u>.

The only educated people were the roman catholic clergy. The great majority of the population were ignorant, uneducated, and superstitious. When the priests said this was the way of worship, this was the way of worship no matter that it originated in paganism, or that it had nothing to do with the bible.

It is one thing to be illiterate, unlearned, and deceived about the pagan holidays worshiped today; but it is an entirely different thing to know what the bible says, and then refuse to obey what the bible says.

Yechetzqyah 16:2-3-

2 Son of man, make Yerusalem realize her <u>abominations</u>,

3 And say; This is what Father Yahweh says to Yerusalem: Your <u>birth</u> and your <u>nativity</u> *are* of the land of Canaan; your father *was* an Amorite, and your mother *was* a Hittite.

Birth and Nativity?

The birth and nativity are as old as the history of the Holy Scriptures.

As we have previously proven, the people throughout the known pagan world, including Babylon, Egypt, and Syria, all worshiped the sun and the moon through their Gods and Goddesses. Mother and child worship was prevalent. The rebirth of this child each year was manifested in the form of an evergreen tree. In **Yechetzqyah 16:2-3**, Yechetzqyah spoke of this abominable worship. He also says in: **Yechetzqyah 16:15-17, 20-21**—

15 But you trusted in your own beauty, and <u>played the harlot</u> because of your renown; *fame*, and <u>poured out</u> your fornications upon every one who passed by; worshiping the Gods (elohim) of every nation; his it became.

16 You took some of your garments, decked your high places with many different colors, and <u>played the harlot</u> upon *your high places*. *Such things* should not have come to pass, nor should they ever have been!

17 You also took your beautiful jewelry, My gold and My silver which I gave you, and <u>made male Gods</u> (elohim) for yourself, and <u>committed</u> <u>whoredom</u>; *God (el) worship*, with them;

20 Moreover, you have <u>taken your</u> <u>sons and your daughters</u>, whom you have borne to Me, and you have <u>sacrificed them</u> as meat *for your Gods (elohim)!* <u>Is your harlotry not enough</u>,

21 <u>That you must slay My children</u>, offering them up and causing them to pass through *the fire* to your Gods (elohim)?

Playing the harlot and committing whoredom in these Scriptures is giving worship to Gods rather than to Yahweh.

Yechetzqyah 16:25-26-

25 You have built your high places at the head of every road, and made your beauty to be abhorred. <u>You</u> have offered yourself to every one that passed by, and multiplied your whoredoms.

26 You have also committed fornication; God (el) worship, with the sons of Egypt, your neighbors who are great of flesh; and you have increased your whoredoms, acting defiantly against Me.

In Yechetzqyah 16:27-29, Yahweh goes on to show that the children of Israyl also committed God worship with the Philistines, the Assyrians, and the Chaldeans. The children of Israyl celebrated the religious festivals of the Middle Eastern versions of Christmas and New Year. They brought gifts to the Gods. The high places were where sacred poles had been set up for the renewed God and sun. Their children were sacrificed to the high God Molech at the time of the new year.

Child Sacrifice

Mythology of All Religions, Volume 5, page 52, says:

At this festival a great fire was lighted and having lost his old age in fire he obtains in exchange his youth. There was in consequence a feast on the second of this month throughout Syria called, <u>Dies Natalis Solis</u> <u>Invicti...Natal (birth) day of The Unconquerable Sun</u>.

This legend of the death and burial of the <u>sun god</u> of Tyre is undoubtedly based upon the legend of the tomb of <u>Bel-Marduk</u> at Babylon. As Marduk (Bel-Baal-Lord) rose from his tomb at the New Year's Festival... so also the Tyrians believed their <u>sun god</u> to come forth from <u>his tomb</u>, symbol of his annual <u>sleep of death in the lower world</u>.

At Aphaca in the Lebanons, east of Gebal, was the tomb of BAAL, who, as shall be seen, is probably <u>Adonis</u> of Gebal, also a <u>sun god</u>. The <u>burning</u> of the image of Melqart, the Tyrian <u>Hercules</u>, that by passing through the fire he may receive his youth again to <u>revive the life of a dying</u> <u>world</u>, seems to have been peculiar to Tyre and the land to which this cult spread.

It may be presumed from the human (infant-child) sacrifices to Malik (Molech) in Canaan and to Melqart (Bel-Baal-Lord) as <u>Cronus</u> at Carthage that the Phoenicians offered the <u>first born in the fire which celebrated the Sol Invictus</u> (the <u>same Invincible</u> <u>Sun Constantine worshipped</u>) and insured themselves against the wrath of the relentless god. The Malik of Tyre was identified with Hercules...

Living infants and children were burned in the fire to the God Molech during this time. This was the time of the winter solstice when those heathen were dismayed at the signs of heaven.

Unger's Bible Dictionary, page 416 says:

<u>Mo'lech</u> (mo'lek; Heb. *Melek, king*), <u>a</u> <u>detestable Semitic deity honored by the</u> <u>sacrifice of children</u>, in which they were caused to pass through or into the fire.

<u>Mo'loch</u> (mo'lok), another form in English (Amos 5:26; Acts 7:43) of *Molech* (q. v.).

The Concise Encyclopedia of Greek and Roman Mythology, by Sabine G. Ostwalt, page 261, under **Saturnus** we find:

A Sacrifice was made to <u>Saturnus</u>... After

the Sacrifice there was a public banquet... <u>People exchanged presents, most frequently</u> <u>clay puppets (dolls)</u> in memory of the fact Hercules abolished human sacrifice when he introduced the cult of Saturnus.

The Encyclopedia Britannica, Eleventh Edition, under **Saturnalia**, says:

"These <u>dolls were especially given to chil-</u> <u>dren</u> and the makers of them held a regular fair at this time."

It was believed that these dolls represented the original sacrifices to the infernal God. This infernal God was the original Molech that the Greeks renamed Cronus and the Romans renamed Saturnus. Under the earliest Romans, the Saturnalia was unified with the Brumalia—the winter solstice.

This same Babylonian worship of Molech, which came down through the Greeks and Romans, through Constantine and through the great whore of **Revelation 17:1**, is observed with the same practices and the same customs, at the same time of year, by the whole deceived Christian world today.

Holidays Around The World, by Joseph Gaer, 1953, page 133, says:

The Old Winter Solstice Christmas is a very old holiday. It clearly started as a celebration of the passing of the winter solstice, and the start of the sun's return journey from the north to the south.

All the early nations of the earth joyfully celebrated the arrival of this season in the sun's journey. The ancient Romans observed this time with a festival <u>dedicated to Saturn</u>, the god of agriculture, and it was <u>called Saturnalia</u>. This festival was observed with great merriment and abandon. Gifts were exchanged. And great liberties were allowed between freemen and slaves—just as the Hindus allow the breaking of the barriers between castes on certain holidays.

When Emperor Constantine decreed Christianity as the new faith of the Roman Empire, early in the fourth century, the <u>Christians gave the holiday an entirely new</u> <u>name</u> and an entirely new meaning.

They called the holiday the Mass of Christ, or Christ Mass, which was shortened to Christmas. And they declared that Christmas was the birthday of Jesus of Nazareth. Though the exact day and year when Jesus was born are not known, tradition has set the date as December 25, 4 B.C., according to our present-day reckoning.

All of the practices of Christmas have

come from paganism. They are merely the modern day practices of the same worship that Yahweh says is an abomination to Him.

New Year?

The Book of Holidays, by J. Walker McSpadden, 1958, pages 183-184, says:

The first presents given at this time of year, at the Roman Saturnalia which began on December 17, were green branches for good luck. Way back in the reign of King Tatius of the Sabines, the King received this woodland token from a "lucky tree" in the grove of Strenae. The branches (and later fruits, cakes, and other things as well) were therefore called strenae. Since the Saturnalia was celebrated up through the Calends (or first) of January, the branches were also one of the earliest ways of wishing Happy New Year. Green, in those days of nature worship, was for luck and for warding off evil. And even now, for the Christian festival, to "bring home Christmas" is to bring into the house the beauty and the blessing of the woods and outdoor world. What would Christmas be for any of us without the green-the holly and the mistletoe, the evergreen boughs and, above all, the tree?

The Saturnalia was celebrated up through the Calends, or first of January, as it is still being celebrated today by the whole deceived Christian world.

Hogmany (Chag-Meni) Feast of God Luck!

Isayah 65:11-

But you *are* those who forsake Yahweh, who forget My holy mountain, who prepare a table for that <u>troop</u> and who furnish a drink offering for that <u>number</u>.

The word **troop** is translated from the Hebrew word **gad**. *Unger's Bible Dictionary*, on page 415, shows us:

Gad, a Canaanite deity improperly rendered "troop" (Isa. 65:11), was the god of good fortune, supposed to be the deified planet Jupiter. This star is called by the Arabs "the greater luck" as the star of good fortune.

This word **number** comes from the Hebrew word **mene**. *The Hebrew-English Lexicon of the Old Testament,* by Brown, Driver, and Briggs, page 584, shows us that this word means *God of fate*.

Unger's Bible Dictionary, page

416, also shows us:

<u>Me'ni</u> (me'ni; Heb. <u>meni, destiny</u> or <u>fate</u>). Name of the god of destiny or fortune worshipped by the ancient Hebrews in time of apostasy (Isa. 65:11): "But you who forsook the Lord, who forget my holy mountain, who set a table for Fortune and fill cups of mixed wine for Destiny" R. S. V. <u>Fortune is</u> <u>"Gad"</u> (q. v.) and <u>Destiny is "Meni."</u> *M. F. U.*

What were these condemned people doing when Isayah prophesied against them? They were celebrating Christmas and New Year. *The Two Babylons*, by Alexander Hislop, 1959, pages 94-96, shows us:

"Christmas Day among the ancient Saxons...was observed to celebrate the BIRTH of any lord of the host of Heaven...The Saxons regarded the <u>sun as a female god</u> and the <u>moon a male god</u>. The birth of this 'Lord Moon' was on December 25th. The <u>name</u> of this 'Lord Moon' in the East...Babylonians, Chaldeans and among the Canaanites...was <u>Meni–The Numberer</u>."

According to Hislop, **Gad** refers to the sun God, and **Meni** the moon God. The people offered sacrifices to these Gods in **Isayah 65:11**.

Holidays Around The World, by Joseph Gaer, 1953, page 137, says:

A Happy New Year!

Exactly one week after Christmas comes New Year's Day. In the minds of many people these two holidays seem to go together as if they had something in common. Actually, of course, there is no relationship between them. Christmas is a deeply religious holiday, whereas New Year's Day does nothing more than mark the beginning of the civil year.

The date we celebrate as New Year's, like the date of Christmas, is an inheritance from the Romans.

Hogmanay means *feast of the numberer*. It is the feast of the God Meni. Even in this age the deceived world bows down on New Year's Day, to Gad and Meni the Gods of luck and fortune, just as they did when Isayah prophesied against them in his day. Spreading a feast of luxuriant 'lucky' foods and toasting drink offerings to 'good luck' still takes place in Christendom today on the evening before New Year's Day.

Collier's Encyclopedia, Volume 6, 1980, page 404, tells us:

<u>Gifts and Cards.</u> The practice of exchanging presents at Christmas stems from the ancient Roman custom called Strenae. During

the Saturnalia Roman citizens used to give "good luck" gifts (strenae) of fruits, pastry, or gold to their friends on New Year's Day.

These 'good luck' gifts are in honor of the Gods of fortune and destiny *The Book of Holidays*, by J. Walker McSpadden, pages 7-8, says:

NEW YEAR'S DAY

Both on the Eve and on the Day we indulge in the old, old custom of "Wassail." This universal toast comes from the old Gaelic words, *was hael*, meaning "good health," and signifies the special food and drink with which we wish each other well at this time. In Scotland and northern England wassail cakes and wassail bowls are still called by that name.

An entire book, instead of a chapter, could be written on the omens and rituals of New Year's Day throughout the ancient and modern world.

There is no question that the first day of the pagan new year is spent in acquiring 'good luck' from the Gods of luck—fortune and destiny.

There is also no question that the ancient festivities of Saturnalia— Brumalia—Chag Meni are nothing more than the Christmas—New Year of today. Christmas and New Year are still the ancient pagan worship of the ancient pagan Gods Yahweh tells us is an abomination to Him.

Janus: The God Of January

Holidays Around the World, by Joseph Gaer, pages 138-139, says:

Two-faced Janus

Janus was represented among the <u>Roman</u> gods as having two faces. He was called Janus Bifors, meaning "Janus with the two faces." <u>One face always looked back to</u> <u>the old year</u>, and <u>the other always looked</u> <u>forward to the new</u>. In his right hand <u>Janus</u> <u>held a key</u>, with which he closed the old year and opened the new; in his left hand he held a scepter, symbol of his power.

A great temple with immense gates was built to Janus. And when Rome was at war, the gates of the temple of Janus stood open. But when peace was declared, the gates were closed with great rejoicing.

____There was also <u>great rejoicing before the</u> <u>gates of the temple of Janus on New Year's</u> <u>Day</u> when the people gathered to do <u>homage to the god</u> of all beginnings. <u>Gifts were</u> <u>exchanged</u> among friends. <u>Resolutions</u> to be friendly and good to each other were made. And the <u>entire day was given to festivities</u>. When the Romans under Constantine accepted Christianity as their new faith, they <u>retained the Festival of Janus as their New</u> <u>Year's Day</u>.

The Two Babylons, by Alexander Hislop, 1959, pages 209-210, tells us about the **key of Janus**:

When the Pope came, as he did, into intimate connection with the Pagan Priesthood; when they came under his control, what more natural than to seek not only to reconcile paganism and Christianity, but to make it appear that the pagan, 'Peter-Roma', with his 'keys' meant 'Peter of Rome' and that 'Peter of Rome' was the very Apostle to whom Jesus gave "the keys of the kingdom?" Hence, from the mere jingle of words, persons and things essentially different were confounded; and paganism and Christianity jumbled together, that the towering ambition of a wicked priest might be gratified; and so...to the blinded Christians of the apostasy, the <u>Pope</u> was the representative of Peter the Apostle... while to the initiated pagans..he was only the representative of Peter...<u>the interpreter</u> of their well known Mysteries. Thus was the Pope the express counterpart of "Janus, the double-faced.

Janus, the God that the month of January is named for was the father of the Gods, and at the same time the mediatorial divinity. He is identified with Bacchus or Adonis (the Sun God) and was invoked in the religion of mystery as Satur, Saturn, Mystery. *The Two Babylons*, page 269, says:

As <u>MYSTERY</u> signifies the <u>HIDDEN SYS-</u> <u>TEM</u> so <u>SATURN</u> signifies the <u>HIDDEN</u> <u>GOD</u>.

This hidden God is the same God this whole deceived world worships today in the celebrations called Christmas and New Year.

Collier's Encyclopedia, 1980, Volume 20, page 449, shows us who **Saturn** is:

SATURN [sæ'tern] (*Lat.* Saturnus), an ancient Roman god of sowing and agriculture, hence considered a mythical king who had introduced civilization and morality into Italy, which was thus called Saturnia. The wife of Saturn was Ops, goddess of plenty. Saturn was later identified with the Greek god Cronus, father of the gods, who was said to have fled to Italy after being dethroned by Zeus and to have reigned there during the Golden Age. The festival of the Saturnalia, originally on December 17, was later extended by five or seven days; candles were lighted, friends exchanged gifts, and slaves were served by their masters; it was a period of good will and general festivity, the prototype of Christmas. The earliest extant reference to Saturn's day dates from the first century B.C. (Tibullus). *See also* AGES OF MAN; CRONUS.

Saturn is identified with Kronos, the father of the Gods. *A Dictionary of Non-Christian Religions*, Geoffrey Parrinder, 1971, page 157, says: "Kronos, time in ancient Greek mythology..."

Gods and Mortals in Classical Mythology, Michael Grant and John Hazel, 1973, pages 124-125, tells us more about **Kronos**, the father of the Gods:

According to a different tradition, Cronos had not been a grim tyrant but a benign ruler who presided over a blessed golden age; after his deposition he left to become ruler of the Isles of the Blessed in the Western Ocean. This aspect of Cronos links him with Saturn, the Roman god with whom he was identified. Some Greeks associated Cronos' name, wrongly, with the word <u>chronos (time)</u>, and consequently depicted him as an <u>old man with a scythe–Father Time</u>. The oldest account of the story of Cronos is given by Hesiod in the *Theogany*.

Saturnus and Kronos are one and the same God. *The Concise Encyclopedia* of Greek and Roman Mythology, page 261, says this about **Saturnus**:

...an ancient agricultural deity who came to Rome from Etruria. But he was very early <u>identified with the Greek-Cronus</u> ...Saturnus introduced the cultivation of the vine and taught them to use a sickle for reaping corn; hence...<u>his statue held a sickle</u>.

The modern version of "father time" is that of an old man with a sickle (representing the old year) who dies at the year's end and is immediately reborn as an infant in the new year.

Mythology of All Religions, Volume 5, page 52, shows that Kronus is the ancient prototype of this modern holiday:

Bel-Melqart (Kronus)...renews himself each year as the 'Invincible Sun' in the fires that burned the infants and children to the god—Molech!

A Dictionary of Non-Christian Religions, by Geoffrey Parrinder, 1971, page 246, says:

<u>Saturn, Saturnalia</u>. Saturn was a Roman god, perhaps of autumn sowing, and identified with the Greek Kronos (q.v.). His festival, the Saturnalia, was on 17 December, when there was considerable licence. Slaves could do as they liked, for a time. There was a Lord of Misrule, and presents were exchanged. <u>Some of this was</u> <u>transferred into Christmas and New Year</u> <u>festivities</u>. Saturn was also a planet from which Saturday is named.

Strange Stories, Amazing Facts, by The Readers Digest Association, 1980, pages 283-284, tells us of some of the customs that were transferred to Christmas and New Year:

Weeklong feast

The seven days of Roman feasting were an occasion for <u>exchanging presents</u>—one of the pagan customs that was gladly incorporated into Christmas. Even the sternest advocates of the new faith could not eradicate the notion that Saturnalia was a time for <u>merrymaking</u>.

The <u>Romans used to switch roles with</u> <u>their slaves</u>, who were encouraged to elect their own "king" for the holiday. He would preside over a great banquet, at which the master would wait on him and his fellow servants.

<u>A similar idea survives in the armed</u> <u>forces</u> in Britain, where it is still an honored tradition for the officers and senior NCO's to serve the Christmas dinner in the lower ranks' mess. The reason Christian practice could never go the whole way with the Roman custom is that the unfortunate slave "kings," after their brief exaltation, were put to death.

When the Normans invaded England in 1066, they introduced into the Christmas festivities a mock king, called the <u>Lord of Misrule</u>, whose job was to ensure that the celebrations were conducted in the old pagan style.

Wearing <u>paper hats</u> and using <u>firecrack</u>ers are throwbacks to the wilder excesses of ancient Rome. <u>Yule logs</u> and <u>candles</u> belong to the Norse tradition: They were symbols of fire and light, bringing welcome relief in the cold and darkness of the northern midwinter.

In the centuries that followed the Norman Conquest, <u>as Christianity gained a firmer</u> hold, carols and the Nativity play were added. And Father Christmas evolved as a mixture of the red-robed Lord of Misrule and St. Nicholas (Santa Claus), the patron saint of children.

The mistletoe

<u>Mistletoe</u>, a plant sacred to the Druids, was hung outside Viking homes as a sign of peace and welcome to strangers.

<u>The custom of kissing under the mistletoe</u> <u>has been traced to the Roman Saturnalia</u>. It has also been associated with certain primitive marriage rites. It is a proven fact that the festivities of Christmas and New Year are the same worship to the same pagan Gods which Yahweh tells us is an abomination to Him. Yahweh also says to us in: Yeremyah 10:2-5—

2 This is what Yahweh says: <u>Do</u> <u>not learn</u> the way; *religious practices*, of the heathen; *Gentile nations*; and do not be deceived by the signs of heaven; though the heathen are deceived by them; *using them to set their feasts*.

3 For the *religious* <u>customs</u> of the peoples *are* vain; *worthless!* For *one* <u>cuts a tree</u> out of the forest, the work of the hands of the workman, with the ax.

4 <u>They decorate it with silver and</u> <u>with gold</u>; they fasten it with nails and with hammers, so that it will not move; *topple over*.

5 They *are* upright, like a palm tree, but they cannot speak; they must be carried, because they cannot go *by themselves*. Do not give them reverence! They cannot do evil, nor *is it* in them to do Righteousness!

Yahweh has told us emphatically, "Do not learn the way of the heathen!" The way of the heathen is written in the chapters of man's customs and traditions that have come down from the mythological Semiramis—Tammuz/ mother—son adoration or worship.

Yahweh's Way is written in the Holy Scriptures. His Way is there for His House to read and then to obey. **Deuteronomy 4:1-2**—

> 1 Hear now, O Israyl, <u>the Statutes</u> and the Judgments which I teach you to observe and do, that you may live, and go in and possess the land which Yahweh, the Heavenly Father of your fathers, is giving you.

> 2 You shall not add to the word which I command you, nor shall you take anything from it, so that you may keep the Laws of Yahweh your Father which I command you.

We realize that these customs of Christmas and New Year are presented to this world as beautiful things. These worldly holidays are well bound in the very fabric of life in the Christian world. These are times when families come together, gifts are exchanged, and the tree is set up with all the old, familiar decorations. These festivals play on the emotions and senses of mankind. These are exactly the kinds of feelings Satan uses to get this world to give her the worship she desires.

The worldly preachers who claim to follow the Scriptures are afraid to condemn these pagan practices. They are afraid of upsetting all the rich merchants who benefit during the yule-tide season. They are afraid of upsetting the worship of the sun that brings them so much wealth.

II Corinthians 11:14-15—

14 And no marvel; for Satan herself is transformed into an angel of light. 15 Therefore, *it is* no great thing if her <u>ministers</u> also are transformed as the ministers of Righteousness– whose end will be according to their works.

Satan makes the emotional holidays at this time of the year seem so right. But to know these customs and traditions are the worship of pagan Gods and then to still willfully participate in them is an abominable sin.

Hebrews 10:26-

For if we <u>sin willfully</u> after we have received the knowledge of the Truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins.

To know that these Christian holidays of Christmas and New Year are nothing more than the worship of ancient pagan Gods is to also know that to bow down and worship them is breaking the first two of the Ten Commandments.

The First Commandment is that Yahweh is our Heavenly Father and we are to have no hinder Gods at all, (Exodus 20:2-3).

The Second Commandment is that we are not to make any carved image in the form of anything in heaven, on earth, or in the waters, to bow down and serve them. (**Exodus 20:4-5**).

To bow down and serve Yahweh is to obey every Word that proceeds out of His Mouth, not adding to it nor diminishing from it in any way.

All one needs to do in order to serve hinder Gods is to turn from Yahweh's Way. Do not be mistaken, Yahweh is alive and sees all. Yahweh is the Rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

Hebrews 11:6—

But without the Faith *it is* impossible to please *Him*; for he who comes to Yahweh must believe that He is, and *that* He is a <u>Rewarder</u> of those who <u>diligently seek Him</u>.

The only reward that this sin-sick world has is the emotional reward they receive as they keep these pagan festivals. Their names are not written in the Book of Life and they will not know what has hit them when Yahshua returns. What is Yahweh's Word on this pagan worship? **Deuteronomy 12:30-32**—

30 Be careful not to be <u>ensnared</u> <u>into following them by asking about</u> <u>their Gods</u> (elohim), saying: How did these nations serve their Gods (elohim)? I also will do the same.

31 You must not worship Yahweh your Father in <u>their</u> way, for every <u>abomination to Yahweh, which He</u> <u>hates</u>, they have done to their Gods (elohim). They even burn their sons and daughters in the fire as sacrifices to their Gods (elohim).

32 Whatsoever I command you, be careful to <u>observe and do</u> it, you shall not add to it, nor take away from it.

Yahweh also shows us the judgment of the religious system of mystery Babylon the great, mother of harlots and abominations of the earth. **Revelation 18:2,8**—

2 And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying: <u>Babylon the great</u> is fallen, is fallen, and is become the habitation of demons, and the hold of every foul spirit, and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird.

8 Therefore, her plagues will come in one day—death, and mourning, and famine; and she will be utterly burned with fire; for strong *is* Father Yahweh Who judges her.

To those of Yahweh's House whom He has called or is calling in these Last Days, to all who would enter into His Kingdom, Yahweh says:

Revelation 18:4—

And I heard another voice from heaven, saying: <u>Come out of her, My</u> <u>People, so that you do not partake</u> <u>in her sins, and so that you do not</u> <u>receive of her plagues</u>.

Yahweh promises to His Servants,

those who obey every Word that proceeds from His Mouth:

Isayah 65:13-15—

13 Therefore, this is what Yahweh our Father says: Behold, My Servants will eat, but you will be hungry. Behold, <u>My Servants will drink</u>, but you will be thirsty. Behold, <u>My Servants</u> <u>will rejoice</u>, but you will be ashamed.

14 Behold, <u>My Servants will sing</u> for joy of heart, but you will cry for sorrow of heart, and wail for vexation; *grief*, of spirit;

15 And the names of your Gods (elohim) will remain as a trap; *test*, to My Chosen; for it will truly come to pass that you will be judged, and you will die, but *Yahweh* will give <u>His</u> <u>Servants a Name</u>; *Yahweh*, that will remain forever.

Revelation 21:5-8-

5 And He Who sat upon the throne, said: Behold, I make all things new. And He said to me: Write, for these Words are True and Faithful.

6 And He said to me: It is done! I am Aleph and Tau, the Beginning and the End. I will give to him who thirsts of the fountain of the water of life freely.

7 <u>He who overcomes will inherit all</u> <u>things;</u> and I will be his Father, and he will be My son.

8 But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and worshipers of Gods (elohim), and all liars, will have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone—which is the second death.

Revelation 22:13-17-

13 I am the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End.

14 <u>Blessed *are* those who keep His</u> <u>Laws, that they may have right to the</u> <u>Tree of Life, and may enter in through</u> <u>the Gates into the City</u>.

15 For outside *are* dogs, and sorcerers, and whoremongers, and murderers, and worshipers of Gods (elohim) and everyone *who professes* to love, yet practices breaking the Laws.

16 I, Yahshua, have sent My Malak to testify to you these things in the congregations of The House of Yahweh. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, *and* the Bright and Morning Star.

17 And the Spirit and the bride, say: Come! And let him who hears, say: Come! And let him who is thirsty come. And whoever will, let him take the water of life freely.



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