

# The Pope Is Dead Wrong

# In Changing The Ten Commandments And Other Laws Written In Your Bible

#### My Dear Friends,

The reason there is so much sickness and disease such as STDs, cancer, heart and blood disease throughout the world is because the popes changed Yahweh's Laws in the minds and hearts of the people.

Now Prophecy shows, <u>for this</u> <u>generation</u>, that nuclear wars are starting that will devastate the earth and destroy four-fifths of the earth's population because <u>they</u> (the popes) changed Yahweh's Laws of peace, joy, love, and health. Notice the wars and the cause of them.

#### • Isayah 24:1-6, 10, 18-20, 23-

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, <u>because</u> they have <u>transgressed the Laws</u>, <u>changed the</u> <u>Ordinance</u>, and <u>broken the Everlasting</u> <u>Covenant</u>.

6 <u>Because of this</u>, the curse has devoured the earth, and they who dwell therein are desolate; therefore, the inhabitants of the earth are <u>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 earth will <u>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.

23 Then the moon will be confounded, and the sun ashamed, when Yahweh our Father will reign in Mount Zion, and in Yerusalem, and before His ancients gloriously. In verse 6, we see because of this, because of what is shown in verse 5, the transgressing and changing of the Laws that assure peace, health and abundant living, the earth is burned. The burning spoken of in verse 6 is nuclear burning, which is described in great detail by the Prophets and Apostles in many Scriptures in your bible. In verse 20 we see that the earth will reel to and fro, and sway. This shows a lot of force, like nuclear explosions taking place. Verse 6 also shows that few people will be left alive.

Did you know that the nations are getting ready for nuclear wars in the very location of the earth specified in Prophecy and in the exact time period also given in Prophecy? Even as I write this article the nations are moving their ships and planes into place, getting ready to strike. **Isayah 24:23** shows the darkening of the sun and moon, which scientists have already warned the nations will take place in an all out nuclear war. Now notice the cause in **verse 5**, because they transgress Yahweh's Laws.

The Savior spoke of this time period calling it the End of the Ages and the last generation. Remember, the Prophet Isayah shows in **Isayah 24:23** that the sun and moon will be darkened by these nuclear wars that will burn the earth and the people. Now notice the Savior's Words which show that the Savior is speaking of the same time period and the same time of trouble. Notice, the sun darkened.

#### • Mattithyah 24:29-

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

This darkening of the sun and moon, He calls <u>the tribulation</u>. Now compare: • Mattithyah 24:21-22—

21 For then will be <u>Great Tribulation</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 <u>no flesh be saved</u>; but for the Elect's sake, those days will be shortened.

If you have watched the world news

lately, you have surely noticed the increase in confusion, hatred and violence, even brutality. There is also hatred and disrespect among the nations, as is evident among the individuals in the nations. Nation is against nation to the point that everyone wants nuclear bombs, and it is plainly shown that they intend to use them. Notice the Savior's Words:

#### • Mattithyah 24:12—

And because <u>iniquity</u> will abound, the love of the many will grow cold.

Iniquity is what the popes have always brought forth and taught to all nations. They even practice iniquity openly.

Iniquity? <u>Iniquity</u> is the doing away with Yahweh's Laws of peace, joy and love. <u>Iniquity</u> is becoming, and teaching others to become, a transgressor of the Laws. Remember the Prophet Isayah's words in:

#### • Isayah 24:5—

...because they have transgressed the Laws...

Did you notice the cause of all the problems? Isayah 24:5 shows it is because they have transgressed Yahweh's Laws. Why is the whole world, all nations, transgressing Yahweh's Laws today? Doesn't this seem strange to you that all nations would be transgressing Yahweh's Laws?

Transgressing Yahweh's Laws, the Ten Commandments and the other Laws such as Love Yahweh with all your heart and love your neighbor, is called sin. Yes, transgressing Yahweh's Laws written in the Inspired Holy Scriptures is called sin. Yet, we see all religions on earth now transgressing them and seemingly in total ignorance.

The Savior warned, for this time period, the last generation

<u>that iniquity</u>, the changing and transgressing of Yahweh's Laws <u>would increase</u>.

#### • Mattithyah 24:12—

And because <u>iniquity will</u> <u>abound</u>, the love of the many will grow cold.

**N**ow He said, let no man deceive you. Yahshua Messiah shows that the increase of hatred, violence, and the willingness to destroy all life on earth would come through deception and iniquity increasing throughout all nations. Turning every nation against the other nations.

• Mattithyah 24:4—

Be on guard so that no <u>man</u> deceives you...

That is, deceives you into iniquity or transgressing Yahweh's Laws.

#### Mattithyah 24:12—

And because iniquity will abound, the love of the many will grow cold.

**S** o it is deception that is causing the increase in iniquity (changing or doing away with the Laws of Yahweh, called Yahweh's Righteousness). Let no man deceive you.

The Savior actually warned the world that man, led by Satan, would deceive the whole world, causing mankind to destroy himself. Led by Satan: • I Yahchanan 3:7-8—

> 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 <u>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.

#### • Revelation 12:9—

And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the devil, and <u>Satan</u>, who <u>deceives the</u> <u>whole world</u>. She was cast out into the earth, and her angels were cast out with her.

# The Man Of Sin

The Apostles were inspired to write about the man of sin that would be bringing about sin, teaching people to do away with the Laws; therefore, teaching them to sin. This man of sin is also prophesied to be revealed in these Last Days, this last generation. Notice first what the Savior said of the Message of the Kingdom.

#### Mattithyah 24:14—

And this Message of the Kingdom will be preached to all the world by the One who bears witness to all nations; and then The End will come.

This Message of the Kingdom of Yahweh actually warns mankind of what his transgressing will cause. Remember what Yahshua Messiah said in:

#### Mattithyah 6:33—

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

Yahweh's Righteousness is His Laws which show one how to obtain peace, joy, love, heath and abundant living without war, fighting, hatred sickness, disease and confusion. Yahweh's Righteousness you must seek first. It's taught from Yahweh's Kingdom.

#### ■ Deuteronomy 6:25—

And it will be our  $\underline{Righteousness}$  if we observe to do all  $\underline{of\ these}\ \underline{Laws}$  before Yahweh our Father, as He has commanded us.

#### Mattithyah 19:17—

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

**R**emember the warning in **Mattithyah 24:4, 12**. Don't let any man deceive you into committing iniquity, which is doing away with Yahweh's Laws. This is also said many times by the Apostles and Prophets. Notice:

#### ■ I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8, 10—

4 Whoever commits sin, transgresses also the Laws; for  $\underline{sin}$  is the transgression of the Laws.

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

8 He who <u>commits sin is of the 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 Righteousness is not of Yahweh, and he does not love his neighbor!

#### ∎ I Yahchanan 2:4—

He who says: I know Him, but does not  $\underline{\text{keep His}}$   $\underline{\text{Laws}},$  is a liar, and the Truth is not in him.

The popes do not teach or keep Yahweh's Laws of Righteousness. In fact, they teach and even fight against Yahweh's Authority and His Laws.

Each pope has been a man of sin. They have all brought forth war and fighting, but never Righteousness. But this fact has not been revealed to the world, and was not prophesied to be revealed until the last generation by the Two Witnesses.

# the MAN OF SIN

# Revealed

The man of sin is a man who teaches rebellion against Yahweh's Laws. From that man of sin, others are taught to sin. Cain killed Abel, the Priest of Righteousness. Afterwards, sin spread. Soon violence and corruption got so bad that Yahweh allowed the flood and saved only Noah and his family—eight people only.

Yahshua Messiah compared this last generation to the days of Noah when speaking of this Great Tribulation that is now in progress and getting worse. Notice:

#### • Mattithyah 24:37—

But just <u>as the days of Noah</u> were, so will also be the coming of the Son of Man.

#### **C**ompare now:

• Genesis 6:5-13—

5 Then Yahweh saw that the <u>wickedness</u> of <u>man was great</u> in the earth, and every intent of the thoughts of *man's* heart was only <u>evil</u>, <u>continually</u>. 6 For they were <u>acting defiantly</u> <u>against Yahweh</u> because of the evil man had done on the earth, and they acted defiantly <u>against</u> Yahweh in their hearts.

7 So Yahweh said: Authority has been given (by My Heavenly Court) that *all* life which I have created must be destroyed from the face of the earth; both man and beast, creeping thing and bird of the air, for they; *mankind*, have acted defiantly against *Me* because of the evil they have done.

8 But Noah found regard *and* honor in the Eyes of Yahweh.

9 These *are* the begettings of Noah. Noah was a just man, perfect in his begettings. Noah walked in the reverence of Yahweh.

10 And Noah begot three sons: Shem, Ham, and Yapheth.

11 The earth also was corrupt before Yahweh, and the earth was *lawless*, filled with violence.

12 So Yahweh looked upon the earth, and indeed it was corrupt; for <u>all mankind</u> <u>had corrupted their way</u> on the earth.

13 And Yahweh said to Noah: The end of all mankind has come before Me, for the earth is filled with violence through them; and they; *mankind*, have corrupted themselves with the earth.

It was in that 1,656 years of history, from the time of creation until the earth became so corrupt and filled with violence, that Yahweh allowed it to be destroyed. Yahweh, therefore, proved His point. Mankind will turn to wickedness without Yahweh's teachers of Righteousness. The Prophets were persecuted, but they brought forth Part One of *The Book of Yahweh*. The world calls this the "Old Testament" of the bible. However, the Inspired Prophets of Yahweh named it *The Book of Yahweh*.

#### • Isayah 34:16—

Search out <u>The Book Of Yahweh</u>, and read. Not one of these will be neglected. For it is written: Yahweh is their Shepherd; they shall not want; for His Mouth has commanded it, and His Spirit has gathered them.

**T**he so-called "New Testament" is simply Part Two of *The Book of Yahweh* which was written by the twelve prophesied Disciples and Shaul, the called of Yahshua Messiah who were taught the Righteousness of Yahweh, and they also taught the same.

#### • Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his <u>servants</u> you are <u>whom you obey</u>—whether of sin, *which leads* to death, or *of* obedience, *which leads* to Righteousness?

**P**lease notice that obedience to Yahweh's Laws of Righteousness leads to one becoming Righteous.

#### • Hebrews 10:16, 21, 24-27—

16 This is the <u>Covenant</u> that I will renew with them after those days, says Yahweh: I will put <u>My Laws</u> into their hearts, and in their minds I will write them; 21 And *having* a High Priest over The House of Yahweh:

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

and Righteous works; 25 <u>Not forsaking the gathering of</u> <u>ourselves together</u>, 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.

#### I Yahchanan 2:4—

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#### • I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-15-

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 <u>practices Righteousness is</u> <u>Righteous</u>, 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.

9 Whoever is begotten of Yahweh does not commit sin; for His seed remains in him; and it is possible for him not to sin, because he has been begotten of Yahweh.

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!

11 For this is the Message that you heard from the beginning, that we should love one another.

12 Not as Cain, *who* was of that wicked one, and murdered his brother. And why did he murder his brother? Because his works were evil, and his brother's *were* Righteous.

13 Do not marvel, my brothers, if the world hates you.

14 We know that we have passed from death to life, because we love the brothers. He who does not love *his* neighbor abides in death.

15 Whoever hates his neighbor is a murderer; and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.

#### II Yahchanan 1:4-11—

4 I greatly rejoiced that I found *some* of your children walking in Truth, according to the Laws we have received from the Father.

5 But now I plead with you, lady, not as though I wrote any new <u>Laws</u> to you, but that which we had <u>from the beginning</u>: That we love one another—

6 And this is love: That we <u>walk after</u> <u>His Laws</u>. Those are the Laws, that, as you have heard <u>from the beginning</u>, you should walk in them.

7 For many deceivers have gone out into the world, who do not confess Yahshua Messiah *as* having begun in the flesh. This is a deceiver and an Anti-Messiah!

8 Look out for yourselves, that you do not lose those things which we have worked for; but *that* we may receive a full reward.

9 Whoever transgresses, and does not abide in the doctrine of the Messiah, does not have Yahweh. He who abides in the doctrine of the Messiah, has both the Father and the Son.

10 If anyone comes to you, and does not bring this doctrine, do not accept him into The House of Yahweh there, nor welcome him;

11 For he who welcomes him is a partaker of his evil deeds.

#### • I Yahchanan 5:2-3—

2 By this we know that we love the

children of Yahweh: When we love Yahweh by keeping His Laws.

3 For this is the love of Yahweh: That we keep His Laws, and His Laws are not grievous.

#### I Yahchanan 3:22-24—

22 And whatever we ask, we receive from Him, because we keep His Laws and do those things that are pleasing in His sight.

23 And this is His Commandment: That we should believe on the Name of His Son, Yahshua Messiah, and love one another, as He *also* gave us commandment.

24 And he who keeps His Laws dwells in Him, and He in him; and by this we know that He abides in us: By the Spirit which He has given us.

They taught the same as Yahshua Messiah taught.

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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 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.

#### Mattithyah 7:23—

But then I will declare to them; I never knew you. Get away from Me, you who practice iniquity.

Now get this, in **Mattithyah 7:23** the Savior pronounced His Judgment on all those who work iniquity. Iniquity is doing away with, changing or just not practicing Yahweh's Laws of Righteousness. The Disciple Yaaqob (James in KJV) said that if you break any Law of Yahweh, you are guilty of breaking all of them.

#### • Yaaqob 2:10-11, 26—

10 For whoever keeps the whole Law, and yet <u>offends in one *point*</u>, he is guilty of <u>all</u>.

11 For He Who said: Do not commit adultery, also said: Do not murder. Now if you do not commit adultery, yet you do murder, you have become a transgressor of the Laws.

26 For *just* as the body without the spirit is dead, so the faith without works is dead also.

The Laws "do not commit adultery" and "do not murder" are part of the Ten Commandments.

#### • Exodus 20:13-14—

13 You shall not murder.

14 You shall not commit adultery.

#### • Exodus 20:3-17—

3 You shall have no hinder gods (elohim) *at all*. They are in opposition against Me.

4 You shall not make for yourself any carved image; *an idol*, in the form of anything in heaven above, or on the earth beneath, or in the waters below.

5 You shall not bow down to them nor serve them; for I, Yahweh your Father, *am* a Heavenly Father Who is Zealous for My House. The sexual sins of the fathers will be on the children to the third and fourth *generation* of those who transgress My Laws and change them.

6 But I will show My Love to thousands who love Me by keeping My Laws.

7 You shall not take the Name of Yahweh your Heavenly Father to bring it to nothing, for Yahweh will not hold him guiltless who brings dishonor upon or profanes His Name.

8 Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it Holy.

9 Šix days you shall labor and do all your work,

10 But the Seventh Day is the Sabbath of Yahweh your Heavenly Father. *In it* you shall not do your work: you, *nor your wife*, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your manservant, nor your maidservant, nor your cattle, nor the stranger who *dwells* within your gates.

11 For *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that are in them; and rested the Seventh Day. Therefore, Yahweh blessed the Sabbath Day, and hallowed it; *Yahweh made the Seventh Day Sabbath Holy*.

12 Honor your father and your mother, so your days may be long upon the land which Yahweh your Father is giving you.

13 You shall not murder.

- 14 You shall not commit adultery.
- 15 You shall not steal.

16 You shall not bear false testimony against your neighbor.

17 You shall not covet; *lust after*, your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor anything that *belongs to* your neighbor.

**R**emember, iniquity means doing away with or simply not practicing keeping Yahweh's Laws. This is also called sin, which is shown by Yahshua's Disciple Yahchanan (John in KJV).

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This is a Scriptural fact, when anyone declares that they refuse to practice keeping Yahweh's Fourth Commandment, or any other of Yahweh's Laws, they are declaring that they practice iniquity and belong to Satan. Their Judgment is also openly declared, notice:

#### • 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 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 <u>not found written</u> <u>in The Book of Life was cast into the lake</u> <u>of fire</u>.

**B**ut blessed are those who refuse to be deceived and who practice Yahweh's Laws of Righteousness.

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# The Popes Are DEAD WRONG When They Say Do Away With The Fourth Commandment And Let Us Keep Sunday, The First Day Of The Week!!



The pope is openly rebelling against the One Who created mankind. Yahweh created mankind for the purpose of making mankind in His Own Image and Likeness, and giving them rulership.

#### Genesis 1:26—

Then <u>Yahweh</u> said: I will <u>make man</u> in My Image, according to My Likeness; they will have rulership 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.

#### Psalm 72:1-3—

1 Give Your Judgments to the King, O Yahweh, and Your Righteousness to the King's sons.

2 He will judge Your People with Righteousness, and Your needy with justice.

3 Then the mountains and hills will bear peace for the people, by Righteousness.

#### Psalm 8:6—

You made man to be the ruler over the works of Your Hands; You will put all things under his feet.

Yahweh gave to mankind His Perfect Laws, many of which are appointments with Yahweh in order to bring mankind to the Perfection of Yahweh so that Yahweh could give mankind Eternal Authority to rule as Himself.



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# the APPOINTMENTS with Yahweh



 $\mathbf{S}$  ome of Yahweh's Laws are for Holy gatherings, set Appointments in Yahweh's Presence, when Yahweh shows that He will be aware of your presence. We see this first in the Fourth Commandment; it is called a Holy Convocation.

#### • Exodus 20:8-11—

8 Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it Holy.

9 Six days you shall labor and do all your work,

10 But the <u>Seventh Day is the Sabbath</u> of Yahweh your Heavenly Father. *In it* you shall not do your work: you, *nor your wife*, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your manservant, nor your maidservant, nor your cattle, nor the stranger who *dwells* within your gates.

11 For *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that are in them; and rested the Seventh Day. Therefore, Yahweh <u>blessed the</u> <u>Sabbath Day</u>, and <u>hallowed it</u>; *Yahweh made the Seventh Day Sabbath Holy*.

#### • Leviticus 23:1-3—

1 And Yahweh spoke to Mosheh, saying:

2 Speak to the children of Israyl, and say to them; Concerning the <u>Feasts of</u> <u>Yahweh</u>, which you shall proclaim to be <u>Holy Convocations</u>; these are My Feasts: 3 Six days shall work be done, but the <u>Seventh Day is a Sabbath</u> of rest, a <u>Holy</u> <u>Convocation</u>. You shall not do just any work *on it*. It is the Sabbath of Yahweh in all your dwellings.

**P**lease notice the words **Holy Convocation**. **Holy** means sacred, dedicated, consecrated, hallowed, holiness. **Convocation** means calling, assembly, official summons of worship. This means that on the days that Yahweh says are His Holy Convocations, Yahweh is present, in some way, at those Holy Consecrated <u>Gatherings</u>.

If a gathering is ordained only by man, it's not a Holy Convocation, it's just a gathering. But the Scriptures show that the Seventh Day Sabbath and the other Feast Days are <u>Yahweh's</u> <u>Gatherings with man</u>. This makes them Holy Convocations where Yahweh is present in some way. Notice what Yahweh said to Solomon concerning these Holy Sabbaths—Holy Convocations or Holy Gatherings— <u>with</u> Yahweh.

#### • I Kings 9:1-3—

1 When Solomon had finished building

The House of Yahweh, and the king's house, and had finished all he had desired to accomplish;

2 Yahweh appeared to Solomon the second time, as He had appeared to him at Gibeon.

3 Yahweh said to him: I have heard the prayer and the supplication that you have made before Me; I have sanctified and consecrated this House you have built to establish My Name there forever; and <u>My Eyes and My Heart will be there</u> <u>perpetually</u> (Kowl-Yom); at the required seasons; Yahweh's Ordained Weekly Sabbaths and Feast Days.

Now get this: Yahweh did not command that His People gather on just any day or change His Appointment days. Yahweh set these days apart as special days when He would gather together with His People at His House on earth. That's the reason Yahweh says to seek His House.

#### • Deuteronomy 12:5—

But you are to <u>seek the Habitation of</u> <u>your Father;</u> *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 <u>seek</u> you first <u>the Kingdom of</u> <u>Yahweh</u> and His Righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

# WHERE IS HIS HOUSE?

**B**efore Solomon, on the very first Seventh Day Sabbath Yahweh blessed the Seventh Day of each week. Yahweh established His House with Adam and taught Adam His Laws on the very first Sabbath.

Yahshua said:

• Yahchanan Mark 2:27-28—

27 Then He said to them: The <u>Sabbath</u> <u>was made for *the sake of man*</u>, and not man for the Sabbath; 28 Therefore, the Son of Man is also a Teacher of the Sabbath.

**R**emember Yahshua's Words or you won't understand the next Scriptures. Now back to the beginning. Yahweh made man.

#### • Genesis 1:26-28—

26 Then Yahweh said: I will <u>make man</u> in My Image, according to My Likeness; they will have <u>rulership</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.

27 So Yahweh created man in His *own* image. In the Image of Yahweh He created the man. Then He created the woman from the man.

28 Then <u>Yahweh blessed him</u>, and Yahweh said to him: Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it: have rulership over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth.

Get the words in verse 28, "then Yahweh blessed him (mankind)". Remember the Words of the Savior in Yahchanan Mark 2:27-28, the Seventh Day Sabbath was actually made for man, to <u>bless</u> man. We saw that in Genesis 1:28, Yahweh blessed man. How? Yahweh blessed the Seventh Day for man (Genesis 2:3). How?

#### • Genesis 1:28-29-

28 Then Yahweh blessed him, and



Yahweh said to him: Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it: have rulership over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth.

29 And Yahweh said: Behold, I have given you <u>every herb</u> *that* yields seed which *is* on the face of all the earth, and <u>every</u> <u>tree</u> whose fruit yields seed; to you it shall be for food.

## What herbs and what trees? • Genesis 2:9—

And out of the ground Yahweh made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight, and desirable for food. The <u>Tree of Life</u> *was* in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of Righteousness and evil *was in the midst also.* 

<u>The Tree of Life</u>? Yahweh blessed the Seventh Day Sabbath with His Presence and by teaching mankind True Righteousness, Perfect Righteousness, and gave them warning not to mix the Tree of Life with the tree of Righteousness and evil.

#### • Genesis 2:15-17—

15 Then Yahweh took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to work and care for it.

16 And <u>Vahweh commanded the man</u>, saying: Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat;

17 But of the <u>tree of the knowledge of</u> <u>Righteousness and evil you must not eat</u>, for in the day that you eat of it <u>you will</u> <u>surely die</u>. In one of His Sabbath Day sermons, the Savior followed the example of Father Yahweh. He showed there are two distinct trees that can be recognized by their fruits.

#### • Mattithyah 7:13-20-

13 Enter in through the narrow gate; for wide *is* the gate and broad *is* the way that leads to destruction, and many are those who go that way.

14 Because straight *is* the gate, and narrow *is* the way which leads to life, and few there are who find it.

15 Beware of false prophets who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves.

16 You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thorns, or figs from thistles?

17 Likewise, <u>every Righteous tree</u> <u>brings forth Righteous fruit</u>; but a <u>tree of</u> <u>evil brings forth fruit of iniquity</u>.

18 A <u>Righteous</u> tree cannot bring forth fruit of iniquity, nor *can* a tree of evil bring forth fruits of Righteousness.

19 Every tree which does not bring forth <u>Righteous</u> fruit is cut down, and cast into the fire.

20 Therefore, by their fruits you will know them.

Notice the word **Righteousness** (**Righteous**) in **verses 17-19**. So, what is this Righteousness? Remember, in Genesis 2:9 we saw the <u>Tree of Righteousness</u>.

The Savior was asked, "What Righteous acts must I do so that I may not

### die, but have Eternal Life?" The Savior's answer was:

#### • Mattithyah 19:16-17—

16 And behold, one came to Him, and said; Teacher, <u>what Righteous thing may I</u> <u>do, so that I may have Eternal Life</u>?

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 <u>if you would enter into life, keep the Laws of Yahweh</u>.

#### Mattithyah 19:17, KJV—

And he said unto him, Why callest thou me good? there is none good but one, that is, God: but <u>if thou wilt enter into life</u>, <u>keep the commandments</u>.

**S**o keeping the Commandments or Laws of Yahweh is Righteousness according to the Words of the Savior. That agrees with **Genesis** and the Original Plan of Salvation (Tree of Life/ Eternal Life). Now, you are warned not to partake of the other tree, the mixture of Righteousness and evil, otherwise "dying you will die".

#### • Genesis 2:17—

But of the tree of the knowledge of Righteousness and evil you must not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you will surely die.

**P**lease understand that the Tree of Life is Yahweh's House—Yahweh's Kingdom—the Habitation in which Yahweh keeps His Appointments on His set days.

#### • Deuteronomy 12:5—

But you are to <u>seek the Habitation of</u> <u>your Father</u>, *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 <u>seek</u> you first <u>the Kingdom of</u> <u>Yahweh</u> 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*, of <u>The</u> <u>House of Yahweh</u> will be established in the chief of the nations. 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 Abel; to the mountain; to promote/praise 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 and the Word of Yahweh will be restored to Abel by those who keep all His Laws and who are taught by the Priest who teaches Peace.

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 a sword against nation, nor will they learn war anymore.

#### Now read:

#### • Deuteronomy 6:1, 7, 25—

1 Now <u>these are the Laws</u>, the <u>Statutes</u>, and the Judgments which Yahweh your Father has commanded me to teach you: so that you may observe them in the land you are crossing over to possess;

7 And you must teach them diligently to your children, and talk about them when you sit in your house, and when you walk on the road, and when you lie down, and when you rise up.

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.

Yahshua said you are a fool if you don't believe all that the Prophets have spoken.

#### •Luke 24:25-

Then He said to them: O fools, and slow of heart to <u>believe all that the</u> <u>Prophets have spoken</u>!

**S**o what do the written words of the Prophets say?

• Yechetzqyah 18:4—

Behold, all souls are Mine. *Just* as the soul of the father, so also the soul of the son is Mine; the soul that sins, it will die.

#### **C**ompare:

#### Mattithyah 10:28-

And do not fear those who kill the body, but are not able to kill the spirit; but rather, fear Him Who is able to destroy both spirit and body in Gehenna.

#### Mattithyah 7:19–

Every tree which does not bring forth Righteous fruit is cut down, and cast into the fire.

#### • Yaaqob 2:4-12—

4 Have you not shown partiality among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts?

5 Listen, my beloved brothers: Has not Yahweh chosen the poor of the world, *to be* rich in faith, and heirs of the Kingdom which He has promised to those who love Him?

6 But you have despised the poor! Do not rich men oppress; *persecute*, you, and drag you into court?

7 Do they not blaspheme that worthy Name; *Yahzveh*, by which you are called?

8 If you fulfill the Royal Laws according to the Scripture: You must love your neighbor as yourself, you do Righteousness;

9 But if you show respect to persons, you commit sin, and are convicted by the Laws as transgressors.

10 For whoever keeps the whole Law,

and yet offends in one *point*, he is guilty of all.

11 For He Who said: <u>Do not commit</u> <u>adultery</u>, also said: <u>Do not murder</u>. Now if you do not commit adultery, yet you do murder, you have become a transgressor of the Laws.

12 So speak, and so do, as those who are being judged by the Laws of liberty—

These Laws are part of the Ten Commandments found in **Exodus 20:3-17**. The Savior said, blessed are those who keep them, they have right to the Tree of Life.

#### • 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 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.

#### Back to the Prophet Yechetzqyah. •Yechetzqyah 18:20-24—

20 The soul that sins, it will die. The son will not bear the iniquity of the father, nor will the father bear the iniquity of the son. The Righteousness of the Righteous will be upon himself, and the wickedness of the wicked will be upon himself.

21 But if the wicked will <u>turn from all</u> <u>his sins</u> that he has committed, and keep all My Statutes, and do that which is Lawful and right, *then* he will surely live; <u>he will not die</u>.

22 And his transgressions that he has committed will not be mentioned against him; in his Righteousness that he has done, he will live.

23 Do I have any pleasure at all that the wicked should die? says Father Yahweh: No, *but rather* that he would turn back from his *wicked* ways, and live.

24 But when the Righteous turns away from his Righteousness and commits iniquity, and does according to all the abominations that the wicked *man* does should he live? All his Righteousness that he has done will not be mentioned *in his behalf*. In his trespass that he has trespassed, and in his sin that he has sinned, in them he will die.

## From Beginning To The End, There Is Only ONE ROAD TO SALVATION Shown In Your Bible—Keep The Laws Of Yahweh



#### 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.

#### Acts 3:19-20-

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.

20 And that He may send Yahshua, the Messiah Who was preached to you,

#### Revelation 22:12-16-

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.

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 Messenger 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.

#### • Hebrews 10:16-27—

16 This is the Covenant that I will renew with them after those days, says Yahweh: I will put My Laws into their hearts, and in their minds I will write them; 17 Then *He says: Their* sins and

iniquities I will remember no more.

18 Now where there is remission of these, *there is* no longer an offering for sin.

19 Therefore, brothers, having boldness to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood

of Yahshua,

20 By a new and living way which He has consecrated for us, through the veil, that is to say, His flesh,

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.

23 Let us hold fast the confession of the Faith without wavering; *not bending*, *not giving way*, for He Who promised *is* faithful!

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.

**P**lease note what is said in **verse 25**, not forsaking the gathering of ourselves together, as the manner of some is. Yes! Many had already stopped gathering. They had stopped the Holy Convocations. They stopped keeping the Fourth Commandment, which is a Holy Convocation.

#### Exodus 20:8-11—

8 Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it Holy.

9 Šix days you shall labor and do all your work,

10 But the <u>Seventh Day is the Sabbath</u> of Yahweh your Heavenly Father. *In it* you shall not do your work: you, *nor your wife*, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your manservant, nor your maidservant, nor your cattle, nor the stranger who *dwells* within your gates.

11 For *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that are in them; and rested the Seventh Day. Therefore, Yahweh blessed the Sabbath Day, and hallowed it; *Yahweh made the Seventh Day Sabbath Holy*.

#### Leviticus 23:1-3—

1 And Yahweh spoke to Mosheh, saying:

2 Speak to the children of Israyl, and say to them; Concerning the Feasts of Yahweh, which you shall proclaim to be Holy Convocations; these are My Feasts:

3 Six days shall work be done, but the <u>Seventh Day is a Sabbath</u> of rest, a Holy Convocation. You shall not do just any work *on it*. It is the Sabbath of Yahweh in all your dwellings.

#### Genesis 2:1-3—

1 Thus the heavens and the earth, and all the host of them, were finished,

2 And on the Seventh Day Yahweh ended His work which He had done, and He rested on the Seventh Day from all His work which He had done.

3 Then Yahweh <u>blessed the Seventh</u> <u>Day</u> and set it apart to be holy, because in it He rested from all the work which Yahweh had created and made.

Yes! Many had already turned from keeping Yahweh's Appointments and had brought sin and death back into their lives.

• Hebrews 10:25-

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.

**T**hey turned in unbelief. They say they believe. They say "only believe". This goes on with all religions of the earth today, except the Prophesied House of Yahweh. If only they would believe all that the Prophets have spoken, as the <u>Savior truly</u> said.

#### • Luke 24:25-

Then He said to them: O fools, and slow of heart to believe all that the Prophets have spoken!

**B**ack to the **Book of Hebrews**. Remember **Hebrews 10:25**, not forsaking the gathering of ourselves together, as the manner of some. Compare the following verses and <u>see their unbelief</u>, which is the same you see in the trees or religions today.

#### • Hebrews 4:1-11—

1 Therefore, since a promise of entering His Rest remains, let us be faithful so that none of you should come short of it.

2 For this Message was preached to

us, as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not benefit them, because they did not share in the Faith of those who obeyed—

3 However, we who have <u>believed</u> do enter that Rest, as He has said: So I vowed in My Judgment; They will not enter into My Rest, although the works were finished from the foundation of the world,

4 For He spoke in a certain place of the Seventh *Day*, in this way: And Yahweh rested the <u>Seventh Day</u> from all His works.

5 And in this *place* again: If they will enter into My Rest. 6 Since therefore it remains that some

6 Since therefore it remains that some *must* enter it, and those to whom it was first preached did not enter <u>because of</u> <u>disobedience</u>,

7 Again, He designates a certain day, saying in David: "Today," after so long a time, as it has been said: Today, if you will hear His voice, do not harden your hearts.

8 Now Yahshua caused them to Rest

in obedience to the Law, spoken of by Yahweh in a day previously.

9 Therefore, there remains the keeping of the Sabbath to the people of Yahweh,

10 For he who has entered into His Rest has also ceased from his own works, as Yahweh *did* from His.

11 Therefore, let us be zealous to enter into that Rest, so that no one may fall after the same example of <u>unbelief</u>.

In verse 3 we see that only those who believe turn from the sin of breaking the Fourth Commandment. The popes do not believe. They greatly polluted Yahweh's Sabbaths with the Babylonian Talmud. They made their 'sabbath' so ridiculous that it was impossible to keep. Then the pope Constantine did away with the Seventh Day Sabbath altogether and chose sun God worship instead. He also made it a death penalty to keep the Seventh Day Sabbath according to the Commandment. Write, call or email us for the way the True Sabbath is to be kept.

Back to **Hebrews 4**.

#### Hebrews 4:4—

...Yahweh rested the Seventh Day... • Hebrews 4:10—

For he who has entered into His Rest has also ceased from his own works, as Yahweh *did* from His.

Any one who desires Eternal Life will rest the Seventh Day as Yahweh rested the Seventh Day and blessed the Seventh Day of each week forever.

## The Sabbaths Are A Most Joyous Time, Eating And Rejoicing In Front Of Yahweh

The Savior said to seek the Kingdom of Yahweh and His Righteousness first.

#### Mattithyah 6:33—

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

If you want Salvation, you will do what Yahshua says, seek first the Kingdom of Yahweh. The evil religions of the world are not of Yahweh. They are all deceived unbelievers; otherwise, they would be keeping Yahweh's Sabbaths at Yahweh's House.

#### • Mattithyah 7:13-26—

13 Enter in through the narrow gate; for wide *is* the gate and broad *is* the way that leads to destruction, and many are those who go that way.

14 Because straight *is* the gate, and narrow *is* the way which leads to life, and few there are who find it.

15 <u>Beware of false prophets</u> who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves.

16 You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thorns, or figs from thistles?

17 Likewise, every Righteous tree brings forth Righteous fruit; but a tree of evil brings forth fruit of iniquity.

18 A Righteous tree cannot bring forth fruit of iniquity, nor *can* a tree of evil bring forth fruits of Righteousness.

19 Every tree which does not bring forth Righteous fruit is cut down, and cast into the fire.

20 Therefore, by their fruits you will know them.

21 Not everyone who says to Me; Teacher! Teacher! will enter into the Kingdom of Yahweh, but only he who does the will of My Father Who is in heaven.

22 Many will say to Me in that day; Teacher! Teacher! Have we not prophesied in Your Name,

and cast out demons in Your Name, and in Your Name performed many wonderful works?

23 But then I will declare to them; I never knew you. Get away from Me, you who <u>practice iniquity</u>.

24 Therefore, everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, is like a wise man who built his house on the rock;

25 And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat against that house; but it did not fall, for it was founded upon the rock.

26 But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, but does not do them, is like a foolish man who built his house upon the sand.

Seek Yahweh's Kingdom, go there and rejoice.

#### • Deuteronomy 12:5, 7-8, 11-13—

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



7 <u>There, in front of Yahweh</u> your Father, you and your families shall eat, and you shall rejoice in all that you have put your hand to do, because Yahweh your Father has blessed you.

8 You must not at all do as we are doing here this day—every man doing whatever is right in his own eyes—

11 Then there will be <u>a place Yahweh</u> will choose to establish <u>His Name</u>; and there you will bring all that I command you: your burnt offerings and sacrifices, your tithes and special gifts, and all the choice things you have vowed to Yahweh;

12 And you shall rejoice in front of Yahweh, you *and your wife (wives)*, your sons, your daughters, your menservants, your maidservants, and the Levite who lives within your gates, since he has no portion nor inheritance with you.

13 Be careful not to sacrifice your burnt offerings in every place you please.

**R**emember, these are Yahweh's set Appointments. He will be there at each appointed Sabbath. Those Who Keep Yahweh's Sabbaths At Yahweh's House Show They Belong To Yahweh Not To Satan

#### Notice again:

#### • Exodus 20:8-11-

8 Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it Holy.

9 Šix days you shall labor and do all your work,

10 But the <u>Seventh Day is the Sabbath</u> of Yahweh your Heavenly Father. *In it* you shall not do your work: you, *nor your wife*, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your manservant, nor your maidservant, nor your cattle, nor the stranger who *dwells* within your gates.

11 For *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that are in them; and rested the Seventh Day. Therefore, Yahweh blessed the Sabbath Day, and hallowed it; *Yahweh made the Seventh Day Sabbath Holy*.

#### • Exodus 31:13-

Speak also to the children of Israyl, saying; Surely <u>My Sabbaths</u> you shall keep, for *they* are <u>signs</u> between Me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I *am* Yahweh Who <u>sanctifies</u> you, *and makes you Holy*.

Notice, <u>sanctifies</u> you. Sanctifies means to set apart for a special use. That use is shown in:

#### • Genesis 1:26—

Then Yahweh said: I will make man in My Image, according to My Likeness; they will have rulership 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.

#### **C**ompare:

#### • Psalm 110:1-6—

1 Yahweh said to my Ruler and King: Sit at My Right Hand, until I make Your enemies Your footstool.



2 Yahweh will send the rod of Your Strength out of Zion. You will rule in the midst of Your enemies!

3 Your people will have proved themselves <u>obedient to the Laws</u> on the day You go forth in power. They will unite with You, arrayed in their Holy Garments. Like the morning dew, they will completely cover the earth, governing with You.

4 Yahweh has vowed an oath, and will not relent nor change His mind: You *are* a Priesthood forever after the order of Melchizedek.

5 The Rulers and Kings at Your Right Hand, O Yahweh, will strike through; *completely crush*, kings in the day of His Judgment.

6 They will execute judgment among the nations, they will fill up *the earth* with dead bodies, they will wound; *completely subdue and crush*, the heads; *governments*, of the whole earth.

#### **C**ompare:

#### Revelation 20:4-6—

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

You belong to whom you obey. You have two choices—obey either Yahweh or Satan.

#### • Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his servants you are whom you obey—whether of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to Righteousness?

**P**lease notice, sin leads to death. That's the second death, never to live again. Remember:

#### • Revelation 20:6—

Blessed and Holy *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.

We also saw in **Romans 6:16** that obedience leads to Life Eternal. Please believe and obey.

#### • Luke 24:25-

Then He said to them: O fools, and slow of heart to believe all that the Prophets have spoken!

Those who believe will keep their appointments—Yahweh's Sabbaths—in front of Yahweh.

# The Unbelieving

#### • Hebrews 4:6—

Since therefore it remains that some *must* enter it, and those to whom it was first preached did not enter because of <u>disobedience</u>.

#### The word **disobedience** is word #543 in the Greek dictionary of *Strong's Concordance* and is shown to <u>mean unbe-</u> *lief*.

543. ἀπείθεια apěithčia, ap-i'-thi-ah; from 545; disbelief (obstinate and rebellious):-disobedience, <u>unbelief</u>.

The unbelieving will all have their part in the lake of fire.

#### • Revelation 21:8—

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

# **K**eeping Yahweh's Appointments shows that you belong to Yahweh.

#### • Exodus 31:13—

Speak also to the children of Israyl, saying; Surely <u>My Sabbaths</u> you shall keep, for *they* are signs between Me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I *am* <u>Yahweh Who sanctifies</u> <u>you</u>, *and makes you Holy*.

**D**isobedience shows you belong to Satan.

#### • I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8—

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 <u>commits sin is of the 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.

**T**he Savior will say to all who reject Yahweh's Laws, "Get away from Me, you who practice iniquity."

#### • Mattithyah 7:23—

But then I will declare to them; I never knew you. Get away from Me, <u>you who</u> <u>practice iniquity</u>.

This includes the popes and those who choose to follow them in practic-

#### ing iniquity.

The Savior will say to all who keep Yahweh's Laws, "you have right to the Tree of Life".

#### • Revelation 22:12-16—

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.

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 Messenger 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.

Notice the word **dogs** in **verse 15**. This is word #3611 from the Hebrew dictionary of *Strong's Concordance*.

3611. אָלָב **keleb**, *keh'-leb;* from an unused root mean. to *yelp*, or else to *attack;* a *dog;* hence (by euphemism) <u>a male prostitute</u>;---dog.

#### Spanish Priest Spent \$23,000 On Porn, Advertised Himself As Prostitute

Samuel Martin Martin, a 27-yearold Spanish priest, has been thrown out of the Church after it emerged he spent up to \$23,000 of church money on a sex addiction and advertised himself as <u>a male</u> <u>prostitute.</u>

The priest spent the money, some of which had been collected in a drive for Haiti, on sex chat lines, internet porn sites and prostitutes over the year he was a priest at two parishes in the small towns <u>Totanes</u> and <u>Noez</u>. He apologized to parishioners during a recent mass and asked for forgiveness.

Martin had also posted adverts online offering himself as a prostitute.

The adverts were accompanied by a photo of Martin in grey

underpants. Martin was charging \$160-an-hour for his services. It is unclear if he had any customers.

The archbishop of Toledo has confirmed the crimes and told press that Martin will no longer be working as a priest after "<u>these lamentable</u> incidents".

Huffingtonpost.com

#### Papal Attendant received male prostitutes in Vatican

While police listened to wiretaps during a corruption investigation, they found phone calls by Angelo Balducci, an ex head of Italy's public works council, where he arranged meetings with male prostitutes. They had to be tall and virile.

The Vatican was rocked by a sex scandal reaching into Pope Benedict's household after a chorister was sacked for allegedly procuring male prostitutes for a papal gentleman-in-waiting.

One must know that a Gentleman of His Holiness, sometimes also called Papal Gentleman, is a lay attendant to the pope and his papal household. As such, he has a highly regarded position and can move about the Vatican freely.

An interesting addendum is the fact that Balducci is also a senior adviser of what is known as The Congregation for the Evangelisation of Peoples, a department that oversees all missionary activity for the Roman Catholic church throughout the world.

digitaljournal.com

#### Vatican Hit By Gay Sex Scandal

The Vatican has been thrown into chaos by reports that one of the Pope's ceremonial ushers, as well as a member of the elite Vatican choir, were involved in a homosexual prostitution ring.

The tapes appear to record Angelo Balducci, a Gentleman of His Holiness, negotiating with Thomas Chinedu Ehiem, a 29-year-old Nigerian Vatican chorister, about men he wanted brought to him for sexual purposes. Balducci was allegedly paying 2,000 euros for each man he met, according to the Irish Times.

Huggingtonpost.com

#### Pope Benedict endorses condom use—for male prostitutes only

Pope Benedict XVI says in a new book that condoms can be justified for male prostitutes...

Benedict said that condoms are not a moral solution. But he said in some cases, such as for <u>male</u> <u>prostitutes</u>, they could be justified "in the intention of reducing the risk of infection."

Benedict called it "a first step in a movement toward a different way, a more human way of living sexuality."

"There may be a basis in the case of some individuals, as perhaps when a male prostitute uses a condom, where this can be <u>a first</u> <u>step in the direction of a</u> <u>moralization</u>, a first assumption of responsibility," Benedict said.

rawstory.com

The pope can cause you to burn with him if you allow him to deceive you. He is teaching that you can't live without Sunday, the first day of the week, because he does not worship Yahweh. He does not belong to Yahweh. He worships and belongs to Satan, and sadly so do you if you're following the popes' way.

#### • I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8—

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.

**S**atan can't give Life Eternal. Only Yahweh can give life, and He will only give it to those who will practice His Laws of True love, peace, joy and health.

# Don't Let Man Deceive You And Cause You To Lose Your Great Reward

Keeping Sunday instead of Yahweh's Appointed Sabbaths will not get you anything except the lake of fire. Disobedience to Yahweh's Laws is what is causing all the troubles in the world today—sickness, disease, confusion, hatred, violence, murder, and now nuclear war.

The violent popes killed tens of thousands of people over the past 2,000 years trying to stop people from reading their inspired Scriptures that Yahweh gave as a guide to mankind to Righteousness. But Yahweh shows He will not allow the unbelievers to kill off His Last Days' Work. Yahweh shows a place of safety and He shows protection for His People. Yahweh's People are those who are obedient to Yahweh.

#### Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his servants you are whom you obey whether of sin, *which leads* to death, or *of* obedience, *which leads* to Righteousness?

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#### Mattithyah 7:21-24—

21 Not everyone who says to Me; Teacher! Teacher! will enter into the Kingdom of Yahweh, but *only* he who does the will of My Father Who is in heaven.

22 Many will say to Me in that day; Teacher! Teacher! Have we not prophesied in Your Name, and cast out demons in Your Name, and in Your Name performed many wonderful works?

23 But then I will declare to them; I never knew you. Get away from Me, you who practice iniquity.

24 Therefore, everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.

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love, yet practices breaking the Laws. 16 I, Yahshua, have sent My Messenger to testify to you these things in the congregations of The House of Yahweh. I am the Root and the Off-spring of David, and the Bright and Morning Star.

#### Remember the cause! 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 they have transgressed the Laws, changed the Ordinance, and broken the Everlasting Covenant.

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.

# THE PROTECTION COMES WITH YAHWEH'S SHADOW

#### Colossians 2:6-8—

6 Therefore, just as you have received Yahshua Messiah our Head, *so* walk as He*walked*,

7 Taking root to build The House of Yahweh through Him, and also being established in the Faith, as you have been taught, abounding in it with thanksgiving.

8 Beware that no one leads you away like a prize because of philosophy or empty, false statements, <u>according to the</u> <u>traditions of men</u>, after the elements of the world, and not after the Messiah!

The popes and leaders of other religions of the world do not teach Yahweh's Laws; they teach traditions of men. There is nothing in the Holy Scriptures that teaches us to keep Sunday or any of the other pagan days they celebrate. But we are told not to follow them and to come out from them.

#### • Revelation 18:1-5—

1 And after these things I saw another Malak come down from heaven, having Great Authority; and the earth was enlightened with His Glory.

2 And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying: Babylon the great 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.

3 For all nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth have grown rich through the abundance of her delicacies.

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

5 For her sins have reached unto heaven, and Yahweh has remembered her iniquities!

Notice, you must come out from among them and you must repent and convert; otherwise, your sins will not be blotted out.

#### • Acts 3:19-20—

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.

20 And that He may send Yahshua, the Messiah Who was preached to you.

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If you convert to practicing Yahweh's Laws, you will not receive of their plagues, caused by their sins.

#### • Revelation 18:4-5—

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5 For her sins have reached unto heaven, and Yahweh has remembered her iniquities!

This means you will have Yahweh's Protection. Protection? Yes! Check this out.

#### Colossians 2:16-17—

16 Therefore, let no man condemn you for *doing these things*: eating and drinking in the observance of a <u>Feast Day</u>, or of a New Moon, or of the <u>Sabbath Day</u>;

17 °Which are a <u>shadow</u> <sup>f</sup>from things to come <sup>g</sup>for the Body of Messiah.

**N**otice, these are Yahweh's Feasts. That means they are Yahweh's Shadow over you. Notice the mistranslations of **Colossians 2:17** in the *King James Version* and the corrections below starting with the word traditionally translated **of** (f), then the word **but** (g).

e. Deuteronomy 16:1-17, Leviticus 23:1, 4, 44

f. Hebrew **bua**. Traditionally translated **<u>of</u>**. *A Hebrew and Chaldee Lexicon to the Old Testament* by Julius Furst, page 185, shows this word is correctly translated *from*.

g. Hebrew waw. Traditionally translated <u>but</u>. The *Lexicon in Veteris Testamenti Libros* by Koehler and Baumgartner, page 245, shows this word is correctly translated *for*.

#### • I Corinthians 12:27-

Now you are the <u>Body of Messiah</u>, and the members in particular.

#### • Ephesians 4:8-16-

8 That is why He says: When He ascended on high, He led captivity captive, and gave gifts to men.

9 Now what can this *phrase*—He ascended—mean, except that He also first descended into the lower parts of the earth?

10 He Who descended is the One Who ascended far above all heavens, that He might fill; *fulfill*, all things.

11 And He gave some to be Apostles,

some Prophets, some Preachers of the Message of the Kingdom of Yahweh, and some Pastors and Teachers:

12 For the perfecting of the Saints, for the work of the ministry, for the building of <u>The House of Yahweh</u>, which is <u>the Body of Messiah</u>.

13 Until we all come to the *same* unity of the Faith, and of the *same* knowledge the Son of Yahweh has, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fullness; *perfection*, of Messiah.

14 No longer are we to be children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, *and* cunning craftiness, by which they lie in wait to deceive.

15 Instead, speaking the Truth in love, we may grow up in all things unto Him Who is our Head—Messiah—

16 From Whom the whole body, being fitly joined and brought together by that which every joint supplies; according to the effective working in the measure of every part, causes growth of the Body itself for the building of The House of Yahweh, in love.

**Colossians 2:16** shows the set Sabbath Appointments, which are set by Yahweh. We come before Yahweh during these set Appointments and rejoice in front of Him. These set Sabbaths show that we belong to Yahweh.

**Verse 17** shows that these set Appointments are also Yahweh's <u>Shadow</u>. They are Yahweh's Sabbaths because they are Yahweh's Feasts. They show you are sanctified by Yahweh and belong to Yahweh.

#### • Exodus 31:13—

Speak also to the children of Israyl, saying; Surely My Sabbaths you shall keep, for *they* are signs between Me and you throughout your generations, that <u>you may</u> <u>know that I *am* Yahweh Who sanctifies</u> you, *and makes you Holy*.

#### • Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his servants you are whom you obey—whether of sin, *which leads* to death, or *of* obedience, *which leads* to Righteousness?

In keeping them there is great reward. • Psalm 19:7, 11—

> 7 The Laws of Yahweh are Perfect, converting the whole person. The Testimony of Yahweh is sure, making the simple ones wise.

> <sup>1</sup> Moreover by them are Your Servants warned, and in keeping them there is great reward.

#### Reward! Remember Colossians 2. • Colossians 2:17-18—

17 Which are a <u>shadow</u> from things to come for the Body of Messiah.

18 Let no man deprive you of your reward...

**T**here is also protection for those who have Yahweh's Shadow. Remember, they are Yahweh's Feasts and Yahweh's Shadow. **Leviticus 23:2** says they are Feasts of Yahweh and **Colossians 2:17** says they are a <u>Shadow</u>. Compare shadow.

#### • Psalm 91:1—

He who dwells in the Secret Place of the Most High will abide under the <u>Shadow</u> of the Almighty.

The Secret Place refers to the Last Days' <u>Established</u> House of Yahweh. Call, write or email us for information.

Now notice the protection from the destruction.

#### • 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:

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

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.

#### Psalm 91:1-16—

1 He who dwells in the <u>Secret Place</u> of the Most High will abide under the <u>Shadow</u> of the Almighty.

2 We say to Yahweh: You are our refuge and our fortress! *You are* our Father in You we will trust!

3 Surely He will <u>deliver you</u> from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome; *deadly*, pestilence.

4 He will <u>cover you</u> with His Feathers, and under His Wings will you trust. His Truth will be <u>your shield</u> and buckler.

5 You will not be afraid of the terror of night, nor of the arrow that flies by day.

6 Nor of the pestilence that walks in darkness, nor of the destruction that wastes at noonday.

7 A thousand will fall at your side, and ten thousand at your right hand; but it <u>will</u> not come near you.

8 Only with your eyes you will look and you will see the reward of the wicked;

9 Because you have made <u>Yahweh your</u>

refuge. Because you have made the Most High your House; The House of Yahweh;

10 No evil will befall you, <u>nor will any</u> plague come near your dwelling.

11 For He will give His Malakim charge concerning you, to keep; *protect*, you in all your ways.

12 They will bear You up in their hands, so You will not strike Your foot against a stone.

13 You will tread upon the lion and adder. The young lion and the dragon you will trample under feet.

14 Yahweh says: Because you have set your love upon Me, I will deliver you; cause you to escape. I will set you on high, because you know My Name.

15 You will call Me, and I will answer you. I will be with you in trouble; I will <u>deliver you</u>, and honor you.

16 With long life I will satisfy you, and I will show you My Salvation; *Yahshua Messiah*!

Y ou really should read that chapter again. There is no protection from what is coming upon this world except Yahweh. Yahweh keeps His Appointments. He will be expecting you to keep yours with Him, and He asks that you remember His Laws.

#### Malakyah 4:1-4—

1 For, behold, the day comes that will burn like an oven; and all the proud, yes, and all who do wickedly, will be stubble the day that comes will burn them up, says Yahweh our Father; and it will leave them neither root nor branch.

2 But for you who reverence My Name, the light of Righteousness will arise with

healing in its wings; and you will go out, leaping like calves *released* from the stall.

3 And the wicked will be trodden down; for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet in the day that *this* will be done, says Yahweh of hosts.

4 <u>Remember the Laws</u> of Mosheh My Servant, which I commanded through him in Horeb for all Israyl, *with* the Statutes and Judgments.

#### • 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.

We are here to help you achieve your reward. Call soon. Time is quickly running out.

Love, True Love Yahweh's Way

Yisrayl Hawkins Pastor and Overseer The House of Yahweh



# The most important day of my life

#### By Dr. Nika Nikea Maryland

It is challenging to condense and summarize how much Pastor Yisrayl Hawkins and The House of Yahweh have benefited my life, so I will only share two ways of how my life has been positively influenced.

My dearest friend, who had come to learn the truth of the Name of Yahweh through The House of Yahweh, taught me that Yahweh is not a God and that God is not our Creator's Name. At the time she presented me with this information, I thought she was overreacting, making a big deal out of nothing. However, when I would talk with her, she never refrained from acknowledging Yahweh as the Only Source of Power in the universe. Hearing this respect for Yahweh in our conversations led me to find an interest in Yahweh and ten years after she first shared this information with me, I was called to search for Yahweh's Truth.

I understood that I had to worship Yahweh, but I did not understand all that being called signified. I was trying to figure out whether The House of Yahweh was truly the only place to worship Yahweh. I was not wholeheartedly convinced and I prayed to Father Yahweh to guide me and make things clear for me.

I decided to go to the Feast of Tabernacles 2010, but wasn't sure about getting baptized. "Maybe I'll do it at Passover 2011," I thought to myself. Then it seemed that during the Feast of Tabernacles 2010, many of the sermons were purposed to share some background information about Pastor Yisrayl so that we could see how he fulfilled the Prophecies pertaining to the Last Days' Witnesses. There was also so much proof brought about The House of Yahweh being the only place on earth in these Last Days that truly worshiped Father Yahweh. The evidence was overwhelming, yet clear, and I began to see that Pastor Yisrayl was the one whom Yahweh had sent to teach us in these Last Days and that The House of Yahweh at Abel was the only place Yahweh recognized as His House and His Work. Things started to make sense.

One day during the Feast of Tabernacles, an announcement was made that if anyone wanted to meet Pastor Yisrayl to come to the office. I did so and a few days later I was able to meet with him. I told him I accepted him as the Last Days' Witness but wasn't sure what to do next. He asked me if I was going to say 'no' to Yahweh and not get baptized. Of course not! I



Dr. Nikea has had many new experiences since coming to The House of Yahweh including being interviewed by IBN News correspondent Charity Heimerman (top) and learning to make fresh homemade bread.

answered. He led me to **Acts 8**, which contains the story of the Apostle Philip and the Ethiopian. It was funny because I had just been reading that chapter a day or two before I met with him but I failed to see that immediately after accepting Yahshua as the One Sent, the Ethiopian was baptized. Pastor Yisrayl was able to point that out to me and I knew right then and there it was my time to be baptized! I was baptized on October 2nd, 2010, the day I currently proclaim as the most important day of my life!

If it had not been for Pastor Yisrayl's courage, commitment, determination and hunger to love Father Yahweh, my friend would never have learned Yahweh's Name and been able to share it with me. Because my friend accepted Yisrayl as her teacher, she was able to learn and communicate to me the significance of Yahweh's Name. Although I did not readily accept it when she first shared it, and in fact it took me ten years to understand why I needed to call upon Yahweh's Name and keep His Laws by going to His House and learning from His great Teacher, I know now it was all to prepare me for the time when Yahweh would extend to me an invitation to be part of His Eternal Family. It is all truly amazing! I still pinch myself sometimes because I live in constant joy and amazement that I am able to know the Creator and truly call upon His Name.

Pastor Yisrayl has truly touched my life with his True Love and commitment to Peace. I praise Father Yahweh for His House and the love He has for us, as evidenced by sending us an extraordinary teacher.

# What Yahweh's Feasts Mean To YOU

**T** here is a way that all this world could have peace. Yes, this world could even have perfect health, joy, and abundant living. But this way to peace has been hidden from mankind for almost 6,000 years, except for very short periods of time.

World leaders today do not know this way to peace. Church leaders are blinded to it. Even the government and religious leaders now reigning in the land of Israyl are far removed from the knowledge that will one day bring peace to all this world. Praise Yahweh, the days of peace are not too far off in our futures.

However, before peace on Earth reigns in this world, there will be a time of trouble, such as has never come upon mankind since the beginning.

#### The Day Of Yahweh

The Day of Yahweh is the time in the history of man when Yahweh steps into the affairs of mankind, sending His Son to take over the kingdoms (governments) of this world, effectually putting down all rebellion against the Kingdom (government) of Yahweh. The Day of Yahweh comes immediately after the Great Tribulation.

However, keep this firmly in mind: before the Day of Yahweh, this world will become involved in a series of events in the time period known as the great tribulation, a time when the detonation of this world's nuclear arsenal will cause tons of debris to be suspended in the atmosphere, causing a **blackout** of the rays of the sun and the moon.

#### • Yahyl 2:31-32—

31 <u>The sun will be turned into darkness</u>, and the moon into blood, before the Great and the Wonderful day of Yahweh comes. 32 And whoever will call with the Name of Yahweh will be delivered; for in Mount Zion in Yerusalem there will be deliverance, as Yahweh has said, among the remnant *who has escaped of those* whom Yahweh calls.

There will also be deliverance during the Great Tribulation, just as the Prophet Yahyl has proclaimed. The time period referred to in Yahyl 2:31-32 is the Last Days and the end of the age; that is: the end of Satan's rulership over the Earth. Yahshua Messiah described the Last Days as a time when mankind would have the capability of destroying all life from the face of this planet.

#### • Mattithyah 24:21-22—

21 For <u>then will be Great Tribulation</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 <u>those days were</u> <u>shortened</u>, there would no flesh be saved but for the elect's sake, those days will be shortened.

**P**lease notice: This Scripture plainly shows that mankind will become capable of destroying all life. This time has now come to pass. This world is capable of completely destroying itself. These are the Last Days. Only in the last 50 years has technology developed to the point where mankind has the capability and means, via nuclear power, to destroy all life.

It will be nuclear wars during the great tribulation, that will block out the sunlight and moonbeams. This is what is being spoken of in **Yahyl 2:31-32**. It is this debris in the skies, caused by these nuclear wars, that the Apostle Yahchanan saw, the debris which was rolled back like a scroll.

#### • Revelation 6:14—

And <u>the heaven departed like a scroll</u> when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.

**T**he word translated **departed** in this Scripture is word #673, **apochorizo** in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, which means: *to rend apart*, *to separate*. **R**olling back debris that blocks out the light of the sun, will in fact, mean the difference between the total extinction of the mankind, or life to the few who survive. Now, notice the rest of the picture the Apostle Yahchanan paints for us in:

#### • Revelation 6:12-17—

12 And I looked when He had opened the sixth seal, and behold, there was a great earthquake; and <u>the sun became</u> <u>black as sackcloth</u> of hair, and the moon became as blood.

13 And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, as a fig tree drops its untimely figs when it is shaken by a mighty wind.

14 And the heaven departed like a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.

15 And the kings of the earth, and the great men, and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every free man, sought protection for themselves in their governments and in the assemblies and the houses of their gods (elohim);

16 And said to the houses of their gods (elohim) and the assemblies: Fall on us, and protect us from the face of Him Who sits on the throne, and from the Judgment of the Lamb.

17 For <u>the Great Day of His Judgment</u> <u>has come</u>, and who will be able to stand?

#### Mattithyah 24:29-31—

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

30 And <u>then will appear the sign of</u> <u>the Son of Man in heaven</u>; and then will all the tribes of the earth mourn, and <u>they</u> <u>will see the Son of Man coming in the</u> <u>clouds of heaven with Power and Great</u> <u>Glory</u>.

31 And He will send His Malakim with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His Elect from the four winds, from one end of earth to the other.

**M**ankind is bringing this destruction upon themselves. Yahweh is allowing this destruction in order to teach mankind that they simply cannot live in peace while breaking the Laws of Yahweh.

However, Yahweh does promise protection for the Elect, those who will obey every Word that proceeds from His Mouth.

#### **Escape All These Things**

Yahshua Messiah said in: •Luke 21:34-36—

34 So <u>be on your guard-see</u> to it that your minds are never clouded with carousing, drunkenness, or anxieties and worries of this life–so that day will not come upon you unexpectedly,

35 For it will come, like a trap, on all those who dwell on the face of the whole earth.

36 Because of this—watch, and <u>pray</u> <u>always that you may be accounted</u> <u>worthy to escape all these things that</u> <u>will come to pass</u>, and to stand before the Son of Man.

When Yahshua spoke these words of inspiration, He was contemplating and expounding the Plan of protection which is offered to all of Yahweh's Called Out Ones: the Body of Messiah. He was also meditating on the horrible things that are coming on this world. Yahshua knew the devastation that would come upon mankind, because of mankind's own government.

However, Yahweh does promise a way of escape. This way is in Yahweh's Plan of Salvation. This way of escape from the things to come is revealed in this article. Please, read it and may Yahweh bless your understanding.

# Escape—Before The Day Of Yahweh

We read the words Yahweh inspired His Prophet to write for our understanding in:

#### •Yahyl 2:31-32—

31 <u>The sun will be turned into</u> darkness, and the moon into blood, before the Great and the Wonderful Day of Yahweh comes.

32 And whoever will call with the Name of Yahweh will be delivered; for in Mount Zion in Yerusalem there will be deliverance, as Yahweh has said, among the remnant *who has escaped of those* whom Yahweh calls.

**B**efore the Day of Yahweh comes the Earth will be shrouded in darkness. Before the Day of Yahweh, the Great Tribulation, will have been accomplished upon all the Earth. The sun, moon, and stars will no longer give their light after the Great Tribulation.

According to Yahweh's timetable of events, immediately after the Great Tribulation, the Day of Yahweh comes, just as Yahshua Messiah prophesied:

#### •Mattithyah 24:29-31—

29 Immediately, but after the Great

<u>Tribulation of those days will the sun be</u> <u>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.

30 And then will appear the sign of the Son of Man in heaven; and then will all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

31 And He will send His Malakim with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His Elect from the four winds, from one end of earth to the other.

 $\mathbf{T}$ he Prophet Yahyl and Yahshua Messiah were both speaking of this same time span in Yahweh's Plan: the Great Tribulation and the Day of Yahweh.

Yahweh has allotted mankind 6,000 years to go their own way, and has told rebellious mankind what will befall them in the Last Days of this 6,000 year period. **Yahyl 2:31-32** is a Prophecy of this Last Days' time period, when the light of the sun and moon will be blotted out. In the last 100 years, technology has developed to the point that global destruction is possible, through the use of nuclear devastation.

Scientists from several nations have made studies in order to determine what will take place when we have a nuclear war. They have determined that the light of the sun, moon, and stars will be blotted out at such a time.

Will these bombs be used? Prophecy shows that these weapons will be used. Send for our free booklet, *Nuclear War*, *Is It Really Coming*? for Scriptural proof that these wars will soon take place.

When nuclear war has begun to devastate this planet, the debris from the explosions will darken the sun and turn the moon into a shade of blood red.

Whoever will call with the Name of Yahweh will be delivered. When the sun, moon, and stars are darkened by these massive detonations, then there is escape. Yahshua Messiah spoke of this time period in:

#### • Mattithyah 24:20-22—

20 But pray that your flight will not

be in the winter, nor on the Sabbath Day,

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 <u>the elect's sake</u>, those days will <u>be shortened</u>.

In the Prophecies of the **Book of Revelation**, it is revealed that Yahweh's Called Out Ones will be taken to the place of safety, which means that they are gathered together, just as **Yahyl 2:32** has proclaimed.

For a full understanding of this prophecy, you need our Books: *The Mark Of The Beast, Volume One & Volume Two.* These books take you through the Prophecies written in your own bible. These books show you what you are required to do, and where you are required to be. These are fascinating Prophecies, and they are all in your very own bible. These books will show you where to look for these prophecies in your bible.

#### •Luke 21:36—

Watch, and pray always that you may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass and to stand before the Son of Man.

When Yahshua tells us to watch, we are to watch world events to see the Prophecies taking place, in order to know what the next destructive event will be.

#### Yahweh's Instructions

There are direct promises made to all of Yahweh's Called Out Ones in these Last Days; promises that have never been made to any other group in the history of Yahweh's People. These are precious promises, made only to those who stay in contact with Yahweh by following Yahweh's Instructions and being involved in Yahweh's Work for these Last Days.

#### • Revelation 3:10-

Because you have kept the Word of My Patience, I also will keep you from the hour of temptation, which will come upon all the world, to test those who dwell upon the earth

**B**ecause you have kept the Word of My Patience: the word translated

**patience** is word #5281, **hupomone** in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, which means: *cheerful (hopeful) endurance*. Yahshua Messiah said in:

#### •Mattithyah 24:13—

But he who endures until The End, the same will be saved

Keeping the Word of Yahweh's Patience means that one endures living by every Word that proceeds out of Yahweh's Mouth, just as Mattithyah 4:4 and Deuteronomy 8:3 state emphatically.

Yahweh tries us also by setting His Laws in front of us, in order to see if we will do what He commands.

#### •Exodus 16:4-

Then Yahweh said to Mosheh: I will rain bread from heaven for you. The people are to go out and gather enough for each day, *in order* that I may test them, *to see* whether they will walk in My Laws, or not

#### •Exodus 20:20—

Mosheh said to the people; <u>Do not</u> fear, for Yahweh has come to test and prove you so that the reverence for Yahweh will be with you, so that you do not *commit* sin.

**C**ontrary to what worldly preachers may tell you today, it is obedience to Yahweh's Laws that keeps us in contact with Yahweh, and it is the breaking of Yahweh's Laws that cuts us off from Yahweh. This is clearly written for our instruction in:

#### •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</u> iniquities have separated you from your Father; and your own sins have caused Him to hide <u>His Face from you</u>, so He will not listen.

The Apostle Yahchanan said the same thing, only in a different way, in:

#### ●I Yahchanan 3:22—

And whatever we ask, we receive from Him, because we keep His Laws and do those things that are pleasing in His sight.

**T**herefore, it is a Scriptural fact that we remain in contact with Yahweh by obeying Him.

#### •I Yahchanan 3:7-8—

7 Little children, let no man deceive you; <u>he who practices Righteousness is</u> <u>Righteous</u>, just as He is Righteous. 8 <u>He who commits sin is of the 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.

●I Yahchanan 2:4—

<u>He who says: I know Him, but does</u> not keep His Laws, is a liar and the Truth is not in him.

The religious leaders of today's world rebel against Yahweh's Laws. They preach that His Laws, "were nailed to a cross or done away with by the Messiah."

#### Yahweh's Righteousness Revealed

**M**any people today believe that Yahweh is a cruel Being because He allows man to suffer now, and has allowed mankind's suffering for almost 6,000 years. However, when one understands the whole Plan of Yahweh for man, one then understands why Yahweh has allowed mankind to go their own way for this period of time.

I cannot impress upon you enough the importance of reading our books: The Mark Of The Beast, Volume One & Volume Two; Deceptions Concerning Yahweh's Calendar Of Events; and Did Yahshua Messiah Pre-Exist? which discuss the entire Plan for mankind in these Last Days.

By understanding Yahweh's entire Plan, we also see His Righteousness revealed. Yahweh's Message in these Last Days is to reveal His Righteousness. Shaul was inspired to write in:

#### •Romans 1:17-20—

17 For in *this Message* is the Righteousness of Yahweh revealed *originating* from the Faith *and leading* to the Faith; as it is written: the just will live by the Faith.

18 For the Judgment of Yahweh is revealed from heaven against all unholiness and unrighteousness of men, who suppress the truth in unrighteousness.

19 For that which is known about Yahweh is manifest to them, because Yahweh has shown *it* to them.

20 For since the creation of the world, the invisible things of Him are clearly seen—<u>His Eternal Power and Holiness</u>—<u>being understood by the things that are written</u>; so that they are without excuse.

 $\mathbf{Y}$ es, by the very things which have been written, through Yahweh's Holy Scriptures, we know what His Truth is, and we also find what a liar is.

Yahweh has not allowed His People to guess about what His Righteousness is either. This is clearly written for our understanding in:

#### • Deuteronomy 6:25—

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

The Scriptural definition of Truth is found in:

#### •Psalm 119:142,151—

142 Your Righteousness is an Everlasting Righteousness, because <u>Your Laws are the Truth</u>.

151 You are near, O Yahweh, and <u>all</u> Your Commandments (613 Laws) are <u>Truth</u>.

Therefore, those who say they know Yahweh, but do not practice keeping the Laws of Yahweh are liars, just as **I Yahchanan 2:4** says. Yahshua Messiah says that these liars will be cast out of His sight, as we find in:

#### •Mattithyah 7:21-23—

21 Not everyone who says to Me; Teacher. Teacher. will enter into the Kingdom of Yahweh, but *only* he who does the will of My Father Who \*is in heaven.

22 Many will say to Me in that day; Teacher. Teacher. Have we not prophesied in Your Name, and cast out demons in Your Name, and in Your Name performed many wonderful works?

23 But then I will declare to them; I never knew you. <u>Get away from Me, you</u> who practice iniquity; *you who break the Laws of Yahweh*.

The word which has been translated **iniquity** in this Scripture is word #458, from word #459, in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, the word **anomia**, and means *doing away with the Laws of Yahweh and teaching others to transgress the Laws*.

So those who practice iniquity, the breaking of Yahweh's Laws, are Scriptural liars. As the Apostle Yahchanan was inspired to write in **I Yahchanan 3:7-8**, and **I Yahchanan 2:4**, in effect saying: "Don't let these men deceive you by telling you that the Messiah did away with Yahweh's Laws." It is they who rebel against Yahweh.

#### Yahweh's Sabbaths— Yahweh's Mark

The Scriptures speak of more than one Sabbath, which must be observed by those who want to know Yahweh. Let us first read of Yahweh's Weekly Seventh Day Sabbath in:

#### • Exodus 31:13-17—

13 Speak also to the children of Israyl, saying; <u>Surely My Sabbaths you shall keep</u>, for *it* is a sign between Me and you <u>throughout your generations</u>, that you may know that I *am* Yahweh Who sanctifies you, *and makes you Holy* 

14 You shall keep the Sabbath, therefore, for *it* is Holy to you Everyone who profanes it shall surely be put to death; for whoever does any work on that day, that person shall be cut off from among his people.

15 For six days work shall be done, but the Seventh Day is the Sabbath of rest, holy to Yahweh. Whoever does any of his own work on the Sabbath Day, he shall surely be put to death.

16 Therefore the children of Israyl shall keep the Sabbath, to observe the Sabbath throughout their generations as a perpetual Covenant.

17 It is a sign between Me and the children of Israyl forever, for *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, and <u>on the Seventh day He rested</u> and was refreshed.

#### Shabbat-Sabbath

The first thing I want you to be absolutely aware of is that keeping Yahweh's Sabbaths (plural) is a sign between You and Yahweh. Keeping Yahweh's Sabbaths is the Mark of Yahweh, the sign that you belong to Him. The second thing I want you to be aware of is that when you keep all of Yahweh's Sabbaths, which includes Yahweh's Feast Day Sabbaths, then you have the understanding to know the Will of Yahweh. Remember the words of the Apostle Yahchanan in:

•I Yahchanan 2:4—

<u>He who says: I know Him, but does</u> <u>not keep His Laws, is a liar, and the Truth</u> <u>is not in him</u>.

The Feast of Passover and Unleavened Bread is spoken of in Leviticus 23:6-8. We are shown that we are to celebrate the First day and the Seventh Day of the Feast as

Sabbaths in: • Leviticus 23:6-8—

> 6 And on the Fifteenth Day of the same Moon is the Feast of Unleavened Bread to Yahweh; seven days you must eat unleavened bread.

> 7 On the first day you shall have a <u>Holy</u> <u>Convocation;</u> you shall do no regular work on it,

> 8 But you shall offer an offering made by fire to Yahweh for seven days. The <u>Seventh Day *shall be* a Holy Convocation;</u> you shall do no regular work *on it*.

Not only are we to keep Yahweh's Seventh Day Sabbath, we are also to keep His Feast Day Sabbaths.

Satan has a very special reason for hating the Feasts of Yahweh so very much: Yahweh's Holy Days during His Ordained Feasts are called Sabbath Days, and if you observe Yahweh's Sabbaths, then that is a sign that you belong to Yahweh, and not to Satan.

Satan's influence has caused this whole deceived world to reject Yahweh's Sabbaths in order to observe the pagan celebrations of this world, therefore this whole deceived world belongs to Satan.

The following Scriptures are from the *King James Version*:

#### •Exodus 13:9, KJV-

And shall <u>be for a sign unto thee upon</u> <u>thine hand, and for a memorial</u> between thine eyes, that the Lord's Law may be in thy mouth; for with a strong hand hath the Lord brought thee out of Egypt.

#### • Ezekiel 20:12-13,16,20, KJV-

12 Moreover also <u>I gave them my</u> <u>Sabbaths; to be a sign between me and</u> <u>them that</u> they might know that I *am* the Lord that sanctify them.

13 But the house of Israel rebelled against me in the wilderness: they walked not in my statutes, and they despised my judgments, which *if* a man do, he shall even live in them; and <u>my Sabbaths they greatly polluted</u>: then I said, I would pour out my fury upon them in the wilderness, to consume them.

16 Because <u>they despised my</u> judgments, and walked not in my statutes, but polluted my Sabbaths: for their heart went after their idols.

20 And <u>hallow my Sabbaths; and they</u> <u>shall be a sign between me and you</u>, that ye may know that I *am* the Lord your God.

The Hebrew word translated **sign** is **owth**, and means *mark*. When one obeys Yahweh's Laws, and observes His Ordinances which govern His Feasts, doing every Word that

proceeds from Yahweh's Mouth, this person is marked by Yahweh as belonging to Him. Yahweh's Mark is in this person's forehead because this person's mind is upon Yahweh and His every Word. Yahweh's Mark is also in this person's hands because this person's hands cease from doing his own work on Yahweh's Sabbaths. Yahweh's mark is the sign upon one's hands and a remembrance between one's eyes.

When a person obeys Satan, that person is also marked in the hand and in the forehead—those who obey Satan definitely do not have Yahweh and His Laws on their minds, nor do they stop doing their own work on Yahweh's Sabbaths.

#### Yahweh's Rest

It is very plain to see that the only way to Life is by doing the Will of the Father, Yahweh; by living by His every Word.

Many people today have rejected the Way of Yahweh simply because of what they have heard some preacher say about it. These deceived people fight against the Laws of Yahweh, not because of the Holy Scriptures, but because some blind preachers said that the Laws of Yahweh were done away with.

Those who preach against obedience to Yahweh's Laws, as well as those who listen to these lies, do not even consider the Perfection and Righteousness of these Laws. They do not consider the peace and joy that obedience to Yahweh's Laws would bring to all in this world, if only these Laws were kept today. Because of the propaganda against the Laws of Yahweh, many will not even consider what perfect, liberating Laws they really are, or the blessings they would bring to mankind, if only mankind obeyed them.

From childhood most of us have been told that the Laws of Yahweh were a burden to those who kept them; that they were impossible to keep; that the Messiah did away with them, nailing them to a cross. I challenge each of you reading this article, to read these Laws for yourselves, then write to me and let me know which Law would be a burden, or impossible to obey. Yahweh's Ten Commandment Laws (which are a general outline for all 613 of Yahweh's Laws) are found in Exodus 20:2-17. The first four of the ten commandments teach love for Yahweh; the last six of the ten commandments teach love for mankind.

If you will just read these Laws for yourself, you will begin to see that Yahweh's Laws are exactly opposite to the picture the deceived preachers have painted in your mind.

The Rest of Yahweh still remains for the People of Yahweh today, as we find in:

#### • Hebrews 4:9-11—

9 Therefore, there remains the keeping of the Sabbath to the people of Yahweh 10 For he who has entered into His Rest has also ceased from his own works, as Yahweh did from His.

11 Therefore, let us be zealous to enter into that rest, so that no one may fall after the same example of unbelief.

The 613 Laws of Yahweh, which teach True Justice, Salvation, and True Love, are the central theme in

the Holy Scriptures. These are the Thoughts and Ways of Yahweh. The Prophet Isayah was inspired to write in:

#### ●Isayah 56:1-7—

1 This is what Yahweh says: Keep the Judgments, and do justly; for My Salvation is near, to come, and My Righteousness to be revealed

2 Blessed is the man who does this, and the son of man *who* lays hold on it; who keeps the Sabbaths without polluting; defiling, them; and keeps his hand from doing any evil.

3 Do not let the son of the gentile, who has joined himself to Yahweh, speak, saying; Yahweh has utterly separated me from His people. Nor let the eunuch say; Behold, I am a dry tree.

4 For this is what Yahweh says: To the eunuchs who keep My Sabbaths, and choose those things which please Me, and hold fast to My Covenant:

5 I will give to them, in My House, even within My walls, a place; ministering position with power, and a Name equal to that of sons and of daughters; I will give them the Name of the Everlasting: YAHWEH; which will not be cut off.

6 Also the sons of the gentile who join themselves to Yahweh, to serve Him, and to love the Name of Yahweh, to be His servants everyone who keeps the Sabbaths without polluting; defiling, them and who holds fast to My Covenant

7 I will bring them to My Holy

Mountain, and make them joyful in My House of Prayer. Their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted upon My altar; for My House will be called a House of prayer for all people.

This is the Rest that Yahweh has spoken of-the Rest of His Ordained Sabbaths. I say Sabbaths (plural), for there are more than one Sabbath spoken of in the Scriptures. Leviticus **Chapter 23** lists the Sabbaths (plural) of Yahweh. There is the Seventh Day Sabbath, which is the weekly Sabbath. Yahweh's Feast days, which Yahweh commands His Children to observe, will also be celebrated forever, just as we are told in Zecharyah 14:1-21 and Isayah 66:1-24. The Holy Convocations during Yahweh's Ordained Feasts are also called Sabbaths.

If we observe Yahweh's weekly Sabbath, if we keep Yahweh's Feasts, and if we obey every Word that proceeds from Yahweh's Mouth, then we have the Mark of Yahweh, and we will be protected by Him. When we keep Yahweh's Holy Days, we are set apart as belonging to Yahweh. Yes, Yahweh will protect those who obey Him.



# WAS THE RESURRECTION ON SUNDAY

 $\mathbf{T}$  he Christian religions want to keep secret the Gods they worship and from where they originated. They say the Savior's birth date was December 25th and that's why they celebrate that day. That's one lie.

They say the Savior rose from the dead on Sunday morning. That's lie #2. The proof is in this article. Your Salvation is at stake, but Yahweh, the Creator, gives you the right to choose life by Righteousness or the way the religions are going today, death by destruction.

#### • Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his servants you are whom you obey—whether of sin, *which leads* to death, or *of* obedience, *which leads* to Righteousness?

#### • Deuteronomy 30:15-20-

15 See, I have set before you this day life by Righteousness, and death by destruction—

16 In that I command you this day to love Yahweh your Father, by walking in *all* His Ways, by keeping His Laws, His Statutes, and His Judgments, so that you may live and multiply, and so Yahweh your Father may bless you in the land which you go in to possess.

17 But if your heart turns away, and you are not obedient, and you are drawn away to submit to gods (elohim), to worship them by serving them—

18 I declare to you this day that you will surely perish; you will not prolong your days in the land which you cross over the Yardan to possess.

19 I call heaven and earth as witnesses against you this day, *that I* have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Therefore choose life, so both you and your children may live.

20 So you may love Yahweh your Father, by listening to Him, and *then* obeying Him. Hold fast to Him, for He is your life. He will *also* give you many years in the land He vowed to give to your fathers; to Abraham, Isaac, and Yaaqob.

#### Was The Resurrection On Sunday?

 ${f T}$ he whole Christian world religiously celebrates festivals which had their origins in pagan antiquity. They celebrate a day they call Christmas, and they celebrate a day they call Easter. Christmas falls during the time of the winter solstice: and Easter falls in the spring of the year, after the vernal equinox. These celebrated days, originated hundreds of years before the birth of Yahshua Messiah! This fact is no secret. One need only search through the pages of a reliable encyclopedia, finding the subjects Christmas or Easter, to find this basic information. The very prestigious Reader's Digest, in their book, Strange Stories, Amazing Facts, 1980, pages 283-284, confirms this information. These pages are displayed, so you may read about the origin of these religious celebrations for vourself.

Christmas and Easter, although the greatest festivals in the Christian calendar, are celebrated with customs that originated in superstition and heathen rites hundreds of 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.

And Easter, still a movable feast despite much pressure to allot it a specific date, falls according to the phase of the moon that the pagans long ago decided was the appropriate time to venerate their gods.

> 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 were reluctant</u> 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 took the pagan festivals as they were and gradually grafted the observances of the new faith onto these festivals and the rites and customs surrounding them.

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

#### Weeklong feast

The seven days of Roman feasting were an occasion for exchanging presents-one of the pagan customs that was gladly incorporated into Christmas.

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

Wearing paper hats and using firecrackers are throwbacks to the wilder excesses of ancient Rome. Yule logs and candles 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, as Christianity

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

These teachings come from Rome, history says. But before the Roman Catholic church moved to Rome, they were called the Pharisees, Sadducees, and Essenes, and they controlled Jerusalem, Israyl, Babylon and Rome. Before they were called the Pharisees, Sadducees, and Essenes, they were called the prophets and priests of the lord, and are identified by the Prophets of Yahweh as the rebellious priests in the Book of **Yeremyah Chapter 23**. Please call, write, or email us for proof on this subject.

This definition of the word Nick comes from Webster's Dictionary:

**Nick**, (nik) *n*. the Devil; Satan: usually *Old Nick*.

**Q**uickly compare this with:

#### • Revelation 12:9—

And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the devil, and Satan, who deceives the whole world. She was cast out into the earth, and her angels were cast out with her.

• I Yahchanan 3:4, 7-8—

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.

Now proceed with Strange Stories, Amazing Facts:

#### The mistletoe

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

The custom of kissing under the mistletoe has been traced to the Roman Saturnalia. It has also been associated with certain primitive marriage rites.

Even in relatively modern times, Christmas has not always been celebrated with unmixed enthusiasm. Under the 17th-century Puritan regime in England it was attacked because of its heathen associations, and Cromwell's soldiers were ordered to tear down seasonal decorations.

The prohibition spread to North America, where it remained in force until 1836 when the straitlaced descendants of the Pilgrim Fathers finally overcame their distaste, and December 25 was proclaimed a national public holiday.

Easter, like Christmas, was set by the early Christians to fit smoothly into the pagan time-table. In this case they chose the spring festival of Eastre, the Germanic Goddess of Dawn, held around the vernal equinox-the date when day and night are of equal length.

#### "One a penny, two a penny..."

Hot-cross buns, eaten nowadays by many people during Lent, are also a survival from pagan festivals. Both Greek and Roman women used to bake little "magic" wheat cakes. Two such buns, each with a cross on it, were found in the ruins of <u>Herculaneum</u> (Named after Hercules, offspring of Zeus), destroyed when Vesuvius erupted in A.D. 79.

The origins of the Easter-egg go back even further in history. Most of the ancient civilizations regarded the egg as the seed of life and fertility or a symbol of reincarnation. So it is not surprising that <u>it was adopted along with the spring</u> festival as a reminder of Jesus Christ's resurrection.

#### Egg rolling

The egg rollings of today are leftovers from the days when farmers hopefully rolled eggs across their fields to ensure good crops.

The religious customs accepted now by Christianity were the same rituals practiced by the Pharisees, Sadducees, and Essenes before the temple days in Israel. They built their religious temples all around in Jerusalem in the days of Solomon and celebrated the same customs as today. They were the original rituals of worship to pagan Gods, or to be right to the point to Satan. The Apostle Shaul was inspired by Yahweh to write:

#### I Corinthians 10:20—

But *I say* that the things which the gentiles sacrifice, <u>they sacrifice to demons</u> and not to Yahweh; and I do not want you to have fellowship with demons.

The word which has been translated **demons** in *The Book of Yahweh*, *The Holy Scriptures*, was translated **devils** in the *King James Version*. The word, **devils**, is word #1140, from word #1142 in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, and means *devil*, god.

#### **Devil Or God!**

These religious customs, the same customs which are currently practiced throughout the whole Christian world at this time, were the very ceremonies actually conducted in the worship of Satan the Devil in ancient times. The Apostle Shaul was inspired to write: • Romans 1:18-25—

18 For the Judgment of Yahweh is

revealed from heaven against all unholiness and unrighteousness of men, who suppress the Truth in unrighteousness.

19 For that which is known about Yahweh is manifest to them, because Yahweh has shown *it* to them.

20 For since the creation of the world, the invisible things of Him are clearly seen—His Eternal Power and Holiness being understood by the things that are written; so that they are without excuse.

21 Because that, when they knew Yahweh, they did not glorify *Him* as <u>Father</u>, nor were thankful, <u>but became</u> <u>idolatrous; godworshipers</u> (worshippers of elohim), in their reasoning, and their senseless minds were darkened.

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, fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

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

25 Who exchanged the Truth of Yahweh for the lie; *Lords (Baalim) Gods, and Goddesses (Elohim)*, and worshipped and served the creation, rather than the Creator, Who is blessed forever. *Praise Yahweh!* HalleluYahweh!

#### The Truth Of Yahweh

 $\mathbf{Y}$ es, Christianity has grafted these religious customs into their own faith just as the facts show. They rejected Yahweh and His Truth, turning to lies.

In order to understand the Scriptural definition of a lie, one must understand the Scriptural definition of Truth. Yahweh has not left us groping around in the dark about what Scriptural truth is. It is written in black and white for anyone to read, telling us exactly what Yahweh's Truth is in:

#### •Psalm 119:142,151—

142 Your righteousness is an everlasting righteousness, because <u>Your Laws are the Truth</u>!

151 You are near, O Yahweh, and <u>all</u> <u>Your Laws are Truth</u>!

**W**ill you believe what is written for your benefit, or not? As the Apostle Shaul said in:

#### •Romans 1:19-20-

19 For that which is known about Yahweh is manifest to them, because Yahweh has shown *it* to them.

20 For since the creation of the world, the invisible things of Him are clearly seen—<u>His Eternal Power and Holiness</u> being understood by the things that are written; so that they are without excuse. Yahweh inspired Shaul to write that those who suppressed His truth, did so in unrighteousness, saying in:

#### •Romans 1:18-

For the Judgment of Yahweh is revealed from heaven against all unholiness and unrighteousness of men, who <u>suppress the</u> <u>Truth in unrighteousness</u>.

#### The Righteousness Of Yahweh

Yahweh has not left anyone wondering what His Righteousness is. We are positively told in:

#### •Deuteronomy 6:25—

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

**D**o not allow anyone to deceive you. Yahweh has said in no uncertain terms that it is our own righteousness that is as filthy rags, as we find in:

#### Isayah 64:6—

But we are all like one who is unclean, and <u>all our righteousnesses are as filthy</u> <u>rags</u>; we all fade as a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, will take us away.

Yes, it is their own righteousness which is being taught throughout Christianity today. The preachers in the Christian churches and assemblies will tell you "don't dance," "don't drink," "don't keep the Sabbath Holy," "don't keep those old Feasts," "we can't keep those old Laws, the Laws have been done away with, they were nailed to the cross," "don't do Yahweh's Righteousness!" "Do keep all these pagan holidays" (Sunday worship, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Roman New Year, Valentine's Day, Easter, May Day, etc.).

I urge you to write for each of our booklets on these particular holidays, which will prove beyond any doubt where they originated.

In other words, the preachers throughout Christianity suppress Yahweh's Truth and exchange Yahweh's Truth for Godworship.

Because Christianity has suppressed Yahweh's Truth, His Laws, Statutes, and Judgments, in unrighteousness, Yahweh in turn gave them up to uncleanness (**Romans 1:24-25**), because they served the creation, rather than Him.

#### Yahweh Condemns Unrighteousness!

It seems shocking to most people to learn that our Creator Yahweh, Who is the only giver of life, actually condemns the grafting of customs into the Faith. Yahweh inspired this warning to be written for our benefit.

Deuteronomy 12:30-32—

30 Be careful not to be ensnared into

following them by asking about their gods (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 their way, for every abomination to Yahweh, which He hates, 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 observe and do it, you shall not add to it, nor take away from it.

The Apostle Shaul went on to say that you cannot worship Yahweh and worship Satan at the same time. This grafting of customs—this adding to His Word—cuts one off from Yahweh.

#### •I Corinthians 10:20-21—

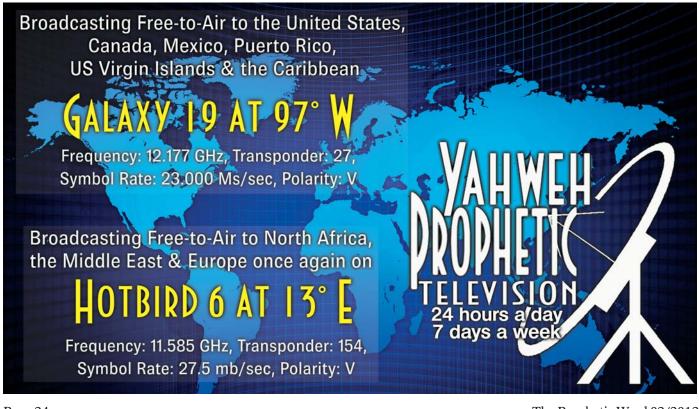
20 But *I say* that the things which the Gentiles sacrifice, they sacrifice to demons and not to Yahweh; and I do not want you to have fellowship with demons.

21 <u>You cannot drink the cup of Yahweh</u> and the cup of demons; you cannot partake of Yahweh's table and of the table of demons.

#### Sunday Worship?

The majority of the churches and assemblies in Christianity observe Sunday as their day of rest, although there is no Scriptural authority for resting on Sunday.

Yahweh, in the Holy Scriptures commands us to rest on His Sabbath, just as He does.



#### Genesis 2:1-3—

1 Thus the heavens and the earth, and all the host of them, were finished,

2 And on the Seventh Day Yahweh ended His Work which He had done, and <u>He rested on the Seventh Day</u> from all His work which He had done.

3 Then <u>Yahweh blessed the Seventh Day</u> and set it apart to be holy, because in it He rested from all the work which Yahweh had created and made.

**I** have heard more than one deceived person tell me: "It doesn't matter which day you worship on, I can keep any day holy."

Well, it may not matter to them, but it certainly does matter if you want Salvation, for Salvation only comes from Yahweh. Yahweh is the One Who set the Sabbath Day apart as Holy and He most certainly did not authorize any changes of His holy Sabbath Day. In fact, when the Ten Commandments were given to Mosheh, the Fourth Commandment stated that we were to keep the Seventh Day of the week Holy, as we see in:

•Exodus 20:8-11—

8 <u>Remember The Sabbath Day, to keep</u> <u>it Holy.</u>9 Six days you shall labor and do all

your work,

10 But the Seventh Day is the Sabbath of Yahweh your Heavenly Father. In it you shall do none of your work: you, nor your wife, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your manservant, nor your maidservant, nor your cattle, nor the stranger who dwells within your gates.

11 For *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them; and rested the Seventh Day. Therefore, <u>Yahweh blessed the Sabbath Day</u>, and hallowed it; *Yahweh made the Sabbath Day Holy*.

It seems to me that Yahweh's command to keep the seventh day holy is as plain as it can get. The definition of **Saturday**, from *Webster's Complete Unabridged Dictionary*, Second Edition, 1979, Simon and Schuster, New York, NY, tells us that **Saturday** is the seventh day.

**Sat'ur-day** *n*. [AS. *Sæterdæg*, or *Sæternes-dæg*, *Sætern*, from L. *Saturnus*, Saturn.] <u>the seventh or last day of the week; the day of the Jewish Sabbath</u>.

However, the definition of the word **Sunday** shows that it is the **first day** of the week.

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**Sun'day**, *n*. [AS. sunnon dæg, day of the sun; used as transl. of L.L. dies solis, day of the sun.] the first day of the week; it is observed as the Sabbath by most Christian denominations.

Y ou may call Sunday the seventh day, but you bring forth a lie in doing so. Lying will only qualify you for the lake of fire.

#### • 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 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.

#### Servants To Whom You Obey

The Apostle Shaul was inspired to write that we are servants to whom we obey, showing the rewards or consequences of our obedience, saying in:

#### Romans 6:16—

Do you not know that to whom you yield yourselves as servants to obey, his servants you are whom you obey—whether of sin, *which leads* to death, or *of* obedience, *which leads* to Righteousness?

#### What Is Sin?

The Scriptural definition of sin is written for our understanding in:

#### ●I Yahchanan 3:4—

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

Y ahweh's Commandment to keep His Seventh Day Sabbath Holy is found in the Law and if we do not keep Yahweh's Seventh Day Sabbath Holy, then we have committed a sin. The Apostle Shaul said that sin leads to death; the Apostle Yahchanan said that breaking any of Yahweh's Laws is sin. The Apostle Yaaqob was inspired to write, telling us that if we break any one of Yahweh's Laws, then we are guilty of having broken **all** of His Laws.

#### Yaaqob 2:10-11—

10 For whoever keeps the whole Law, and yet offends in one point, he is guilty of all.

11 For He Who said: Do not commit adultery, also said: Do not murder. Now if you do not commit adultery, yet you do murder, you have become a transgressor of the Law.

The two Commandments which Yaaqob directly quoted in the previous verse, are Commandment #7 (Exodus 20:14) and Commandment #6 (Exodus 20:13) of the Ten Commandments.

By the same example, if you were to go to church on Sunday, you would be just as guilty of breaking Yahweh's Laws as a murderer or an adulterer. The Law to keep the Seventh Day Sabbath holy is Commandment #4 of the Ten Commandments.

The Apostle Yahchanan was inspired by Yahweh to tell us that anyone who does not keep Yahweh's Laws, does not know Yahweh and they belong to <u>Nick</u>—Satan, the devil.

#### • I Yahchanan 2:3-4, 7-8-

3 Now by this <u>we do know that we</u> <u>know Him: If we keep His Laws</u>.

4 <u>He who says: I know Him, but does</u> <u>not keep His Laws, is a liar</u>, and the truth is not in him.

7 Brothers, I write <u>no new Laws</u> to you, <u>but the old Laws which you had from the</u> <u>beginning</u>: The old Laws are the Law which you had from the beginning.

8 On the other hand, the Laws I write are new to you, which are true to Him and true to you, because the darkness is passing away *from you*, and the True Light now shines *to you*.

Y ahshua Messiah showed Yahchanan, through the Revelation that Yahweh had given to Him, that only those who keep Yahweh's Laws would be given the right to the Tree of Life, which is Eternal Life, saying in:

#### Revelation 22:14—

<u>Blessed are those who keep His Laws,</u> that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.

Yahshua Messiah Himself was doing the talking in **Revelation 22:12-16**, as we read in:

#### Revelation 22:16—

<u>I</u>, 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.

Yes, Yahshua Messiah sent His Malak (messenger) to Yahchanan, telling Yahchanan to testify of His Words to Yahweh's Called Out Ones, and say to them (**Revelation 22:14**) blessed are those who practice Yahweh's Laws.

Yahshua also wrote about those who refuse to obey Yahweh; who do not practice keeping Yahweh's Laws, saying in:

• Revelation 22:15 K/V—

For without are dogs, and sorcerers, and whoremongers, and murders, and idolaters, and whosoever <u>loveth and maketh a lie</u>.

The word translated **loveth** is word #5368, from word #5384, in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, and means to be a *friend to; a friend, associate, neighbor*. In other words, one who professes to love Yahweh and love the brothers. The first point I want you to understand is the fact that we love Yahweh and we love the children of Yahweh by keeping Yahweh's Laws. That is the Scriptural definition of **love,** for that is exactly what the Scriptures say:

#### •I Yahchanan 5:2-3—

2 By this we know that we love the children of Yahweh: When we love Yahweh by keeping His Commandments.

3 For this is the Love of Yahweh: That we keep His Laws, and His Laws are not grievous.

The word translated **maketh** is word #4160 in *Strong's Greek Dictionary* and means, among other things, *transgress the Law*.

The word translated **lie** is word #5579, from word #5574, and means *utter an untruth, attempt to deceive by falsehood.* 

The second point I would like to bring to your attention, is the fact that a lie is the exact opposite of truth. We have already read the Scriptural definition of truth in **Psalm 119:142, 151.** Yahweh's Laws are the Truth.

Therefore, to **maketh a lie**, as is translated in the *King James Version*, Scripturally means to practice a *lie-practice breaking Yahweh's Laws*. In other words, to not practice Yahweh's Truth, which are His Laws and Commandments.

You may be well assured that those who do not love and who do not

practice Yahweh's Truth, who maketh a lie, will be among those who are outside.

#### Sunday Or Sabbath?

The whole Christian world fights against the Laws of Yahweh, especially the Fourth Commandment to keep Yahweh's Seventh Day Sabbath Holy. If one fights against Yahweh's Laws, where does that place them? If you will believe what the Bible says, you will believe that they are among the ones whom Satan deceives and whom Satan controls.

#### • Revelation 12:9—

And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and <u>Satan</u>, <u>who deceives the whole world</u>. She was cast out into the earth, and her angels were cast out with her.

#### I Yahchanan 5:19—

We know that we belong to Yahweh, and that <u>the whole world is under the</u> <u>control of the evil one</u>.

If one goes to church on Sunday, rather than obeying Yahweh by Keeping His Seventh Day Sabbath Holy, that one is under the control of Satan. That one is deceived, just like the rest of this world, and is committing a sin.

The Apostle Shaul tells us in no uncertain terms that the wages we will be paid for having practiced sin is death.

#### Romans 6:23—

For <u>the wages of sin is death</u>; but the gift of Yahweh *is* Eternal Life through Yahshua Messiah, our Savior.

The Scriptures have already told us that only those who keep Yahweh's Laws will be given Eternal Life; those who refuse, will be outside. Only those who keep Yahweh's Laws will be justified, as we read in:

#### •Romans 2:13—

For not the hearers of the Laws *are* the Righteous in the sight of Yahweh, but <u>the</u> <u>doers of the Laws will be justified</u>.

The word which has been translated **justified** is word #1344 in *Strong's Greek Dictionary*, and means to show or regard as just or innocent; be righteous.

Yes, only the doers of Yahweh's Laws will be innocent and only they will be Righteous in Yahweh's Eyes.

#### The Beastly System

Yahweh inspired the Prophet Daniyl to write that the beast would think to change His Laws and His Feast Days—the Seventh Day Sabbath of Yahweh is one of His Feasts (Leviticus 23:2-3). Yahweh also inspired Daniyl to write that His Laws and His Feast Days would be given into his hand until a certain time.

#### 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 <u>think to change times</u>; <u>Yahweh's Feast Days</u>, and Laws; and they will be given into his hand until a time, and times, and the dividing of time.

Just as **Daniyl 7:22** shows, the whole deceived world will go in their deception, not keeping Yahweh's Feast Days, including His Seventh Day Sabbath, and breaking Yahweh's Laws, up until the very time that Yahshua Messiah returns.

To cover this sin of worshipping on Sunday, Christianity has devised a means of veneering the dies solis invictus, The day of the invincible sun, with respectability. Christianity teaches that the Messiah rose from His grave on Sunday morning and because of this, they say, they are worshipping on the day of His resurrection. Those who make this statement are most certainly deceived. They call Sunday "the Lord's day" and the whole world follows in this deception.

Since the whole world is deceived, just as **Revelation 12:9** says, and the Scriptures Yahweh inspired to be written do not lie; and since the whole world is under the control of Satan. just a I Yahchanan 5:19 states; and since the whole deceived world has accepted the pagan practices that our Creator, Yahweh, plainly condemns, should we accept this world's doctrine that the Messiah rose on Sunday morning without searching Yahweh's Scriptures, and proving this doctrine from these same Scriptures? Yahweh's inspired Scriptures tell us in no uncertain terms in:

●I Thessalonians 5:21—

<u>Prove all things;</u> hold fast that which is Righteous.

Let us now search the Scriptures for proof and see when Yahshua Messiah actually was resurrected from His grave.

#### The Resurrection Day

The words coming from Yahshua's own mouth about His resurrection, were that He would be in the grave three days and three nights, saying in:

#### •Mattithyah 12:40—

For as Yahnah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, <u>so will</u> the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

**H**owever, the teaching of the majority of Sunday keeping Christianity, is: the Messiah was put in the grave on Good Friday at sunset and that He was resurrected at sunrise on Easter Sunday morning.

I would like to ask you to add this for yourself. Can you get three days and three nights from this time sequence?

- •Friday **NIGHT**—One Night
- •Saturday **DAY**—One Day
- Saturday **NIGHT**—One Night • Resurrected Sunday At **DAWN**—
- No Day

There are two nights and one day in this time sequence. But our Messiah said that the only sign He would give that He was the true Messiah, was the sign of the Prophet Yahnah—the sign that He would be in the grave three days and three nights.

#### •Mattithyah 12:38-40—

38 Then some of the scribes and Pharisees answered, and said to Him; We desire to see a sign from You.

39 So He answered, and said to them: An evil and adulterous generation seeks after a sign, and no sign will be given to it except the sign of the prophet Yahnah:

40 For as Yahnah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

It is absolutely necessary that Yahshua Messiah fulfill this Prophecy, or He would not prove to be the true Messiah! The true Messiah must have remained in the grave three days and three nights.

In effect, Christianity calls Him a liar and not the true Messiah. By their count, He only remained in the grave two nights and one day.

Yahweh has instructed us to prove all things. The Pharisees demanded proof; Yahshua Messiah offered only one proof. That proof was the length of time that He would be in the grave before He was resurrected.

Do you understand what this means? Yahshua stated that His claim to being the True Messiah sent by Yahweh would be verified only by His remaining in the grave for exactly three days and three nights! If Yahshua remained three days and three nights in the grave, He would prove that He was the Messiah sent by Yahweh; if Yahshua failed to fulfill this sign, then He must be rejected as an imposter.

No wonder Satan has caused unbelievers to scoff at the story of Yahnah and the great fish. No wonder that Satan has set up a lying tradition that actually denies Yahshua as the true Messiah.

Even a child can figure that there are not three days and three nights from Friday sunset to Sunday sunrise, yet Satan has caused most of the people in this world to accept this lie.

Commentators and critics alike have tried to explain away this sign, in order that they might hold onto the pagan practice of Good Friday and Easter Sunday worship.

Some have tried to justify their rejection of Yahweh's Scriptures, by making the following statements:

• We know that our Savior was actually in the tomb only half as long as He thought He would be.

• Three days and three nights only mean three periods, either of day or of night.

#### Three Days And Three Nights

**H**owever, the proof that Yahshua was in the grave three days and three nights is in your own Bible. And, by letting Scripture interpret Scripture, we see that Yahnah was three days and three nights in the fish's belly:

•Yahnah 1:17—

Now Yahweh had prepared a great fish to swallow up Yahnah. And <u>Yahnah was</u> in the belly of the fish three days and three <u>nights</u>.

Even the critics admit that the phrase in Yahnah 1:17, three days and three nights, means a period of 72 hours. They admit that there were three 12 hour days, and three 12 hour nights in which Yahnah was in the belly of the fish.

Just as distinctly Yahshua Messiah said that He would be in the grave for the same length of time. He said three days and three nights, just as Yahnah (**Mattithyah 12:40**). Yahshua Himself gives us the length of time in a day, saying in:

#### •Yahchanan 11:8-10-

8 *His* Disciples said to Him; Teacher, the Yahdaim just recently tried to stone You, and You go there again?

9 Yahshua answered: <u>Are there not</u> <u>twelve hours in the day</u>? If any man walks in the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world.

10 But if a man walks in the night, he stumbles, because there is no light in him.

Yahshua knew how long He would be in the grave. There was no guessing nor speculation. He testified to the fact that He would be killed, and then He would be resurrected the third day—a fact that Yahshua repeated to His Disciples, in order that they might believe when it came to pass.

#### A Day—Yahweh's Way

To know the time sequence in a day, we will let the Creator of the day, Yahweh our Heavenly Father, tell us: •Genesis 1:4-5—

4 And Yahweh saw the light, that it was beneficial; and Yahweh divided between the light and between the darkness.

5 And Yahweh called the light Day, and the darkness He called Night. And the evening and *then* the morning were the First Day.

Yahweh created a day to be an evening (darkness) first, and then the morning (light). And, this same principle applies to the time span in which Yahshua was in the grave.

**Genesis 1:4-13** gives the story of the creation of the seven days in a week; each day was one night, then one day, which is one day, Yahweh's way. The first three days of creation was a time sequence of 72 hours, spanning one night—one day; one night—one day; one night—one day.

Yahshua Messiah, as well, was buried for three days, Yahweh's Way: one night—one day; one night—one day; one night—one day!

#### **No Proof!**

The Word of Yahweh is so simple that even a child is able to understand it; yet, it seems, the wise and prudent are just unable to do so. What proof do these wise and prudent have for their Good Friday-Easter Sunday tradition? The simple truth is they have no proof at all!

They follow a tradition which has its foundation in pagan antiquity, which is taught to deceived Christianity as Scripture. By their following tradition rather than the Word of Yahweh, they have made the Word of Yahweh of no effect.

#### •Yahchanan Mark 7:13—

<u>Making the Laws of Yahweh of no effect</u> <u>through your tradition</u> you have handed down! And many other similar things you do.

**T**o make the Word of Yahweh of no effect means that Yahweh's Word is kept from guiding you to Salvation. This is exactly the effect Satan wants.

#### The Third Day

Yahshua Messiah was telling His Disciples of His death and resurrection, saying in:

#### •Yahchanan Mark 8:31—

Then He began to teach them that <u>the</u> <u>son of Man must suffer</u> many things, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and <u>be killed; and after</u> <u>three days, raised up</u>.

**T**his Scripture plainly states Yahshua Messiah Himself said that He would be killed, and then after three days rise from the dead.

Anyone reading this Scripture should have enough sense to know that if Yahshua was placed in the grave on "Good Friday" evening at sunset (as most of Christianity teaches), and the Scriptures also plainly state that He must be in the grave three days and three nights in order to fulfill the only sign of the True Messiah, then His resurrection should not even have taken place until Monday evening at sunset.

Yet, most of Christianity teaches that the Savior was placed in the grave on Good Friday at sunset and rose Sunday morning at sunrise. However, it should not be too difficult for anyone to understand that this was only a period of about **36 hours**, encompassing only **two nights and one day**. But the Scriptures plainly say:

#### •Yahchanan Mark 9:31—

Because He was teaching His Disciples, and telling them: The Son of Man is being delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill Him; and after He is killed, <u>He</u> will be raised up the third day.

#### •Yahchanan Mark 8:31-

Then He began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and <u>be killed; and after</u> <u>three days, raised up</u>.

#### Mattithyah 27:63—

Saying; Ruler, we remember how that deceiver, while He was still alive, said: <u>After three days I will be raised up</u>.

#### Yahchanan 2:18-22-

18 Then the Yahdaim answered, and said to Him; <u>What sign can You show us that you have authority to do these things</u>?

19 Yahshua answered, and said to them: <u>Destroy this House, and in three days</u> it will be raised up.

20 The Yahdaim then said, It took fortysix years to build this House, and You will raise it up in three days?

21 But He spoke of the House of His body.

22 Now when He was raised from the dead, His Disciples remembered that He had said this to them; and they believed the Scripture and the Plan *of Yahweh*, which Yahshua had spoken.

Yes, Yahshua Messiah did fulfill the only sign of the True Messiah, for just as the Inspired Scriptures say: He was in the grave three days and three nights, and He did rise the third day, regardless of what Christianity may teach.

#### In The Grave

**F**or Yahshua Messiah to be in the grave for exactly three days and three nights, as He said He would be, He would have to be resurrected exactly 72 hours after He was buried. What this also means is that He would have to be resurrected at exactly the same hour of the day in which He was placed in the grave.

Therefore, all one has to do to find the exact time of His resurrection is to find the exact time of His burial. The Scriptures are not silent about these facts. All one has to do is search the Word of Yahweh, to find Yahweh's Truth about the events of Yahshua's death and resurrection.

#### Yahshua Cried Out About 3:00 P.M. Then He Died Just After That

The Scriptures show that Yahshua cried out to Yahweh about the Ninth Hour, which is around 3:00 in the afternoon, and He died after that. •Mattithyah 27:46, 50—

46 And <u>about the ninth hour Yahshua</u> <u>cried out with a loud voice</u>, saying: Yli! Yli! lamah ozabatniy?! which means: My Strength! My Strength! Why have You forsaken Me?

50 <u>Yahshua, when He had cried out</u> again with a loud voice, yielded up His <u>Spirit</u>.

#### •Yahchanan Mark 15:34-37—

34 And <u>at the ninth hour Yahshua cried</u> <u>with a loud voice</u>, saying: Yli! Yli! lamah ozabatniy?! which is, being translated: My Strength! My Strength! Why have You forsaken Me?!

35 Then some of those who stood by, when they heard *this*, said; Behold, He calls Yliyah!

36 And one ran and filled a sponge full

of vinegar; *sour wine*, put *it* on a reed, and gave *it for* Him to drink, saying; Leave Him alone! Let us see whether Yliyah will come to take Him down.

37 Then <u>Yahshua cried with a loud</u> voice, and died.

#### •Luke 23:44-46-

44 Now this was about the sixth hour; *around 12:00 noon*, and there was a darkness over all the earth until <u>the ninth</u> <u>hour</u>; *around 3:00 in the afternoon*,

45 And the sun was darkened, and the veil of the Most Holy Place was torn in two.

46 And when <u>Yahshua had cried with a</u> <u>loud voice</u>, He said: Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit. And having said this, <u>He expired</u>; breathed His last.

#### Yahshua Messiah Died And Was Placed In The Grave On The Preparation Day Before The Feast

The day on which Yahshua Messiah was sacrificed, was the day before the First Holy Day Sabbath of the Feast of Unleavened Bread. The day before the First Holy Day is called the preparation day.

#### • Mattithyah 27:62—

Now the next day that followed <u>the Day</u> <u>of Preparation</u>, the chief priests and Pharisees came together to Pilate.

#### •Yahchanan Mark 15:42—

By now, the first evening had come, *and* because <u>it was the Preparation</u>, that is, the day <u>before the Passover High Holy</u> <u>Day Sabbath</u>.

#### Luke 23:54—

And that day was the Preparation, and the Sabbath was drawing near.

#### •Yahchanan 19:31—

Now because it was the Preparation Day, and since the Yahdaim did not want to have the bodies left on the stake during the Sabbath: for <u>that Sabbath was a High</u> <u>Feast Day</u>; they asked Pilate to have their legs broken, so they might be taken away.

**T**he world has lost sight of the way Yahweh sets the days. Because Yahweh's Way is lost to the world, the world can read these previous Scriptures and never comprehend the time span that the preparation day, the day on which Yahshua Messiah was sacrificed, encompasses.

To those who do not understand how Yahweh begins and ends His days, the preparation day always means Friday. Their minds immediately think of Friday, because when the Sabbath is mentioned, most people in this world think only of the weekly Seventh Day Sabbath, which is on Saturday. So it is no wonder that they are deceived into thinking that Yahshua was placed in the grave on Friday.

#### Yahweh's Sabbaths

The Scriptures speak of more than one Sabbath, which must be observed by those who want to know Yahweh. Let us first read of Yahweh's weekly Seventh Day Sabbath in:

#### •Exodus 31:13-17—

13 Speak also to the children of Israyl, saying; Surely <u>My Sabbaths you shall keep</u>, for they are a Sign between Me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I *am* Yahweh Who sanctifies you, *and makes you Holy*.

14 You shall <u>keep the Sabbath</u>, therefore, for <u>it is Holy to you</u>. Everyone who profanes it shall surely be put to death; for whoever does any of his own work on that day, that person shall be cut off from among his people.

15 For six days work shall be done, but the Seventh Day is the Sabbath of Rest, Holy to Yahweh. Whoever does any of his own work on the Sabbath Day, he shall surely be put to death.

16 Therefore the children of Israyl shall keep the Sabbath, to observe the Sabbath throughout their generations as a perpetual Covenant.

17 It is a Sign between Me and the children of Israyl forever, for *in* six days Yahweh made the heavens and the earth, and on the Seventh Day He rested and was refreshed.

The first thing I want you to be absolutely aware of is the fact that keeping Yahweh's Sabbaths is a Sign between you and Yahweh. It is the Mark of Yahweh, the Sign that you belong to Him. The second thing I want you to be aware of is that, when you keep all of Yahweh's Sabbaths, which include Yahweh's Feast Day Sabbaths, then you have the understanding to know that Yahweh's Feast Day Sabbaths can fall on any day of the week, not just Saturday.

We see the Feast of Trumpets is called a Sabbath in:

•Leviticus 23:24—

Speak to the children of Israyl, saying; In the Seventh Moon, on the First of the Moon, you shall have <u>a Sabbath, a</u> <u>Memorial of Blowing of Trumpets;</u> *The* <u>Feast of Trumpets</u>, a Holy Convocation.

In Leviticus 23:27-31, we find the Day of Atonement is to be kept Holy. None of your own work is to be done and you are to afflict your soul. You are to fast on that day. We find that the Day of Atonement is a Sabbath.

#### •Leviticus 23:32—

It is to you <u>a Sabbath of Rest, and you</u> <u>shall afflict yourselves</u>. On the Ninth of the Moon at evening; *at the setting of the sun*, through the Tenth of the Moon at evening; *at the setting of the sun*, from evening until evening, you shall celebrate your Sabbath.

**Leviticus 23:34-36** speaks of the Feast of Tabernacles. We are shown that we are to celebrate the first day and the eighth day of the Feast of Tabernacles as Sabbaths.

#### •Leviticus 23:39—

So on the Fifteenth Day of the Seventh Moon, when you have gathered in the fruit of the land, you must keep the Feast of Yahweh for seven days. On <u>the first day</u> <u>there shall be a Sabbath, and on the eighth</u> <u>day a Sabbath</u>.

We must keep Yahweh's Sabbaths, and Yahweh's Sabbaths include His Feast Day Sabbaths, which may fall on any day of the week; therefore, the preparation days for Yahweh's Feast Day Sabbaths may fall on any day of the week, as well.

#### Passover Sacrificed Before The Feast

Then we read about Yahweh's Feast of Unleavened Bread, and about the Passover sacrifice to Yahweh before this Feast even began:

#### •Leviticus 23:5-8–

5 <u>On the Fourteenth of the First Moon</u>, between the two evenings, Yahweh's Passover Sacrifice is to be killed.

6 And <u>on the Fifteenth Day of the same</u> <u>Moon is the Feast of Unleavened Bread to</u> <u>Yahweh</u>; seven days you must eat unleavened bread.

7 On the first day you shall have a Holy Convocation; you shall do none of your own work on it,

8 But you shall offer an offering made by fire to Yahweh for seven days. The Seventh Day *shall be* a Holy Convocation; you shall do none of your own work *on it*.

The Holy Scriptures plainly show that the Passover sacrificial lambs were merely a representation, or a shadow, of the true sacrifice to come: Yahshua Messiah, our Passover Sacrifice. The Apostle Shaul plainly said in:

#### •I Corinthians 5:7—

Therefore, purge out the old leaven, that you may be a new batch, since you are unleavened. For truly <u>Yahshua our</u> <u>Passover was sacrificed for us</u>.

In order for Yahshua to be our Passover Sacrifice, He had to have been sacrificed at the exact same time that the lambs were being sacrificed for Passover on the temple mount, on the preparation day, which He was.

Yahshua died around the ninth hour: around 3:00 in the afternoon, between the two evenings. I urge you to read our book: *Deceptions Concerning Yahweh's Calendar of Events*, for an in-depth study about the day of Yahshua's death. This one book addresses all of the doctrines which have been misunderstood throughout the centuries and proves the truth from the Holy Scriptures.

#### Yahshua Put In The Grave Before Sunset

I would like for you to remember at this point that the Scriptural day, Yahweh's day, begins and ends at sunset, not at 12:00 midnight according to the Roman tradition. I want you to also remember that Yahshua was put in the grave before sunset. We find in:

#### •Luke 23:50-54—

50 Now behold, *there was* a man named Yahseph, a member of the council, a virtuous and just man.

51 (The same had not consented to their decision nor their action.) *He was* from Arimathea, a city of the Yahdaim, who himself was also waiting for the Kingdom of Yahweh.

52 This *man* went to Pilate and asked him for <u>the Body of Yahshua</u>.

53 Then he <u>took it down, wrapped it in</u> <u>linen, and laid it in a sepulcher that was</u> <u>cut out of the rock</u>; in which no one had ever lain before.

54 And <u>that day was the Preparation</u>, and the Sabbath was drawing near.

 $\mathbf{Y}$ es, Yahshua was buried on the preparation day before the first Holy Day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, which is a Sabbath-being buried before that Sabbath even began.

By the time Yahshua was finally prepared for burial and buried, the Sabbath was almost ready to start.

• Luke 23:54, *KJV*—

And that day was The Preparation, and the <u>Sabbath drew on</u>.

•Luke 23:54, *NKJV*—

And that day was The Preparation, and the <u>Sabbath drew near</u>.

•Luke 23:54, NASV—

And that day was The Preparation, and the <u>Sabbath was about to begin</u>.

Another vital fact which is completely overlooked in Christianity is that there is a Scripture which emphatically states that this particular Sabbath Day was a High Day, not the weekly Sabbath, which is the Sabbath according to the Laws. This Scripture is found in:

#### •Yahchanan 19:31—

Now because it was the Preparation *Day*, and since the Yahdaim did not want to have the bodies left on the stake during the Sabbath: for <u>that Sabbath was a High</u> <u>Feast Day</u>; they asked Pilate to have their legs broken, so they might be taken away.

You may read this Scripture for yourself in the popular *King James Version*, and you will read the same thing. Therefore, this Scripture has been overlooked or ignored by those who teach Christian doctrine.

According to the Law, bodies could not remain hanging on any Sabbath Day, and that is why the Yahdaim asked Pilate to have their legs broken so they would slump down, which would cut off their breath and they would die of suffocation.

However, when the Romans came to break Yahshua's legs, they found that He was already dead. The Romans did break the legs of the other two men who were hanged alongside of Yahshua; they did slump down, their breathing was shut off, and they did die quickly thereafter so their bodies could be removed before the Sabbath arrived.

As we have proven from the Scriptures, Yahshua Messiah died around 3:00 in the afternoon on the preparation day. Then Yahshua was buried after 3:00 in the afternoon, but before sunset, before the Sabbath began, just as the Scriptures also plainly show:

• Yahseph of Arimathea asked Pilate for Yahshua's body (Luke 23:50-54)

•Yahseph of Arimathea claimed Yahshua's lifeless body from the Romans (Mattithyah 27:57-60, Yahchanan Mark 15:42-46)

• Yahseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus wrapped Yahshua's body in linen, with myrrh and aloes (Yahchanan 19:38-42)

• They laid Yahshua in a new sepulcher and rolled a stone over the door.

•All of these burial preparations were completed, then Yahshua was officially buried.

At the very moment that Yahshua was buried, His resurrection had to take place exactly three days and three nights later.

We know that Yahweh's days begin and end at sunset, and we know that Yahshua was buried sometime just before sunset, we also know that Yahshua Messiah was resurrected very late in the afternoon on the third day before sunset, not at sunrise.

If Yahshua had risen from the dead at any other time of day, without being in the grave three days and three nights, He would not have fulfilled the only sign of the true Messiah, which He gave as proof.

#### The Day Of The Resurrection And The Mistranslated Scriptures

**S**ince the Scriptures prove that Yahshua Messiah was not resurrected on a Sunday, can we locate this day through the Holy Scriptures? Yes, we can! The confusion abounds about the day on which Yahshua was resurrected, because the very Scriptures on which Christianity bases its doctrine concerning the Sunday sunrise resurrection have been mistranslated and misunderstood. An example of mistranslation is found in:

#### • Mark 16:2, K/V—

And very early <u>in the morning</u> the first *day* of the week, they came unto the sepulchre at the <u>rising of the sun</u>.

• The Zondervan Parallel New Testament in Greek and English, by Alfred Marshall, 1975, then shows us the word for word translation of this Scripture:

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As you can read for yourself the words, "in the morning," were added by the translators of the *King James Version*. These words are not written. These words were added to bolster the pagan Christian doctrine of a sunrise resurrection.

The words translated, "rising of the sun," should have been translated, "setting of the sun."

The Greek phrase that is circled in the copy of the Interlinear, **anateilantos tou heliou**, all translators have translated it as "at the rising of the sun." The Greek word **anateilantos** is the genitive singular masculine particle form of the Greek word **anatello**. This word is a combination of the preposition **ana**, which means *after*, and the ancient Greek root **tello**, and its later form **telos**, a derivative of the Hebrew word **qets**, which means *end*, *cutting off of a period of time*.

The period of time which is coming to its end is shown in the last two Greek words of this phrase, **tou** (the) **heliou** (sun). The phrase **anateilantos tou heliou**, properly translated, says After the setting (end) of the sun. This Scripture is properly translated in *The Book of Yahweh*:

#### •Yahchanan Mark 16:2—

And <u>very early on the first of the week</u>, they came to the sepulcher *just* after the <u>setting of the sun</u>.

**S**ince Yahweh's days begin at sunset, the fact is that when they came to the grave very early on the first day of the week (which is Sunday), they would have come to the grave immediately after sunset on Saturday.

Another Scripture which has been mistranslated, as well as being misunderstood, is:

•Luke 24:1, KJV—

Now upon the first *day* of the week, <u>very early in the morning</u>, they came unto the sepulchre, bringing the spices which they had prepared, and certain *others* with them.

The word for word Greek, from *The Zondervan Parallel New Testament in Greek and English*, by Alfred Marshall, 1975, is displayed:

The phrase which has been translated in the King James Version as very early in the morning is circled for your convenience. We will let A Critical Lexicon And Concordance To The English And Greek New Testament, by Ethelbert W. Bullinger, page 507, show us how this should have been translated:

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#### MORNING.

- πρωt, early, early in the day, at morn; gen., betimes, early, in good time: (from πρό, before, Germ., früh, early; Sanser., pråhua, forenoon.)
- πρωτos, early, early in the day, morning; also, early in the year.
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- δρθρινόs, at daybreak, in the morning early, (non occ.)

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As you may read for yourself from this Lexicon, this should have been translated "deep twilight" or "earliest dawn." The Greek words which meant "very early in the morning" were not the Greek words which were used in this Scripture.

Again, I remind you that Yahweh's days begin and end at sunset. Therefore, when a day dawns Yahweh's Way, that means that the sun has just set, which marks the beginning of a new day. Correctly translated in *The Book of Yahweh*, this Scripture reads:

#### •Luke 24:1-

Now <u>on the First Day of the week, at</u> <u>the earliest dawn</u>, they came to the sepulcher bringing the spices which they had prepared, with certain *other women* with them.

Therefore, when these women came at the earliest (Scriptural) dawn, they came just after sunset, not just before sunrise.

The third Scripture which has been mistranslated and misunderstood is found in:

• John 20:1, KJV-

The first day of the week cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark, unto the sepulchre, and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre.

The word for word Greek translation of this Scripture, from *The Zondervan Parallel New Testament in Greek and English*, by Alfred Marshall, 1975, is shown:

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The Greek phrase which has been underlined reads skotias eti ousas. The Greek word skotias means dimness, darkness. Eti means further, yet, after that. Ousas is a form of the Greek verb eimi, which means to exist. In other words, what this is saying is darkness yet to exist. Darkness did not yet exist. Therefore, correctly translated in The Book of Yahweh, this Scripture reads: •Yahchanan 20:1—

Early on the First of the week, before <u>darkness arrived</u>, Miriam Magdalene went to the sepulcher, and saw the stone taken away from the sepulcher.

The whole Christian world, under the influence of Satan the devil, has taken these three mistranslated, and misunderstood, Scriptures to prove that the resurrection took place at sunrise on Sunday morning. However, as we have proven, these Scriptures simply do not say that.

This misunderstanding stems from their misunderstanding of how a day Yahweh's Way begins and ends. I would like for you to think about the following point for one moment. If Miriam Magdalene arrived at the sepulcher while it was yet dark, which the Christians maintain, as being before sunrise, why did she not give us an eye-witness account of Yahshua's resurrection? She was supposed to have been there before sunrise and the Savior was resurrected at sunrise on Sunday morning, so the Christians claim. As so many of Christianity's doctrines, this just does not make any sense.

#### The Resurrection Day

**T**he Scriptures positively show that Yahshua was put in the grave in the late afternoon. Therefore, three days and three nights later, a 72-hour period having elapsed—late in the afternoon of the third day, Yahshua would have been resurrected.

Let us review the events that took place from the time of burial until the time of resurrection.

•Yahshua Messiah was placed in the grave just before the First Holy Day Sabbath of the Feast of Unleavened Bread was beginning to start, and the Feast began at sunset.

•Yahshua Messiah was in the grave for three days and three nights.

• The women came to Yahshua's grave the first day of the week, which began directly after sunset, and <u>Yahshua was already gone</u> from the area, as you may read for yourself in **Yahchanan Mark 16:6, Luke 24:3**, and **Yahchanan 20:2**.

•Therefore, Yahshua Messiah was resurrected by Yahweh on the seventh day (Saturday) Sabbath afternoon, not on Sunday morning at sunrise.

#### As He Said

Yahshua Messiah stated that He would be in the grave for three days and three nights, but only the Malakim of Yahweh were witnesses to the actual minute in which He was resurrected. However, Yahshua said that He would be resurrected according to a certain time span, and He was resurrected, just as He said.

#### Mattithyah 28:6—

But He is not here. <u>He has been raised</u> <u>up, as He said</u>. Come, see the place where Yahshua lay.

If Yahshua had not been in the grave for exactly three days and three nights, then He would not have risen just as he said. If He had been in the grave for a shorter length of time, as Christianity proclaims, then He was not resurrected just as He said.

The Malak of Yahweh, who gave the joyous news to the women who came to Yahshua's grave that He was risen also said that Yahshua was resurrected. Yahshua Messiah said three days and three nights He would be in the grave.

Yahshua was resurrected on the weekly Sabbath (Saturday) afternoon, exactly 72 hours—three nights and three days, after He was put in the grave. The Apostle Shaul was inspired to write of Yahshua's resurrection, saying in:

#### •I Corinthians 15:3-4—

3 Now first of all, I delivered to you that which I also received: how that the <u>Messiah died for our sins</u> in accordance with *what* the Scriptures *foretold*;

4 That <u>He was buried</u>, and that <u>He rose</u> again the third day, in accordance with *what* the Scripture foretold.

#### When Was Yahshua Placed In The Grave?

**B**y rising from His grave on Saturday afternoon, according to the Scriptures, it is evident that Yahshua was placed in the grave on a Wednesday afternoon, three days and three nights before.

Count this for yourself: From Wednesday afternoon, very shortly before sunset, to Saturday afternoon, very shortly before sunset, you will find that Yahshua was in the heart of the earth for exactly three days and three nights, just as Yahnah was in the belly of the fish for exactly this length of time.

- •Wednesday NIGHT—one night
- •Thursday **DAY**—one day
- •Thursday **NIGHT**—two nights
- •Friday **DAY**—two days
- •Friday NIGHT—three nights
- Saturday DAY—three days

**Y**ahshua was not resurrected at sunrise on Sunday morning because He had already been resurrected just before sunset on Saturday afternoon.

#### What Sabbath?

In the following Scriptures, using the

*King James Version*, we will see that Yahshua was sacrificed and placed in His sepulcher on the Preparation Day for the Sabbath. But which Sabbath is meant here?

As I have said previously, many have mistaken this Sabbath to be the Friday preparation day for the weekly seventh day (Saturday) Sabbath, which is the mistake that the majority of the world makes.

This Sabbath was the First Holy Day Sabbath of the Great Feast of the Passover (Feast of Unleavened Bread), that is exactly what the Apostle Yahchanan (John) was inspired to write, saying in:

#### • John (Yahchanan) 19:14, KJV—

And it was the preparation of the passover, and about the sixth hour (around 12:00 noon): and he saith unto the Jews, Behold your King!

•John (Yahchanan) 19:31, *KJV*— The Jews therefore, because <u>it was the</u> <u>preparation</u>, that the bodies should not remain upon the cross on the Sabbath day, (for <u>that Sabbath was a high day</u>)...

#### A High Day

**A** High Day is one of the Holy Days celebrated during Yahweh's Feasts. There are seven High Days in Yahweh's sacred year, and each of Yahweh's High Days are called Sabbaths.

Yahweh's High Day Sabbaths can fall upon any day of the week, because they are not set days according to a man-made calendar.

#### The Night He Was Betrayed

In Yahchanan 13 we find undeniable Scriptural proof that Yahshua was betrayed and killed before Passover. •Yahchanan 13:1—

Now <u>before the Feast of the Passover</u>, when Yahshua knew His hour had come that He should depart out of this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

Yes, this was before the Passover. In fact, this was the very night before the Passover night. It was on this night, the night before the Passover night, that Yahshua symbolically gave His Disciples the bread and wine which represented His body and blood because He knew that He was to be sacrificed as the Passover Lamb, to die the very following afternoon.

This night in which He was betrayed, and all the following day was the preparation day of the

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Passover. This night in which He was betrayed was the night in which He washed His Disciples' feet.

#### •Yahchanan 13:5-

After that, <u>He poured water into a basin</u>, then began to wash the Disciples' feet, and to wipe *them* with the towel that He had tied around Himself.

Yahshua knew that He would be betrayed that night, as we find in: •Yahchanan 13:21,27—

21 When Yahshua had said these things, He was troubled in spirit, and testified, and said: Truly, truly, I say to you: <u>One of you will betray Me</u>.

27 And after the piece of bread, Satan entered him. Then Yahshua said to him: What you are going to do, do quickly!

Yahshua was betrayed by Yahdah Iscariot, as we read in:

#### •Yahchanan 13:26—

Yahshua answered: <u>It is he to whom I</u> <u>will give a piece of bread</u> after I have dipped *it in the dish.* Then having dipped the bread, <u>He gave it to Yahdah Iscariot</u>, *the son* of Simon.

All of this had taken place, and it was still before the Passover. The Scriptural proof of this fact is evident if one merely knows where to look to find it. We read in:

•Yahchanan 13:1—

Now <u>before the Feast of the Passover</u>, when Yahshua knew His hour had come <u>that He should depart out of this world</u> to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

The first proof we find is the fact that the Scripture says that this was before the Feast of the Passover. The next proof that this was before the Feast is found in:

#### Yahchanan 13:29—

For some thought, since Yahdah had the moneybag, that Yahshua had said to him: <u>Buy those things that we have need of for</u> <u>the Feast</u>; or that he should give something to the poor.

The word which has been translated for in *The Book of Yahweh*, *The Holy Scriptures*, is translated **against** in *The King James Version*. These words come from the Greek word **eis**, which in *Strong's Greek Dictionary* means *into*, to, unto, toward, in regard to.

Yahshua's Disciples thought that Yahshua had instructed Yahdah Iscariot to purchase something that they had need of in regard to the Feast. However, if this night in which He was betrayed was the Passover night, it would have been a high day and there would be no buying taking place whatsoever. Yet, the Disciples thought purchases were going to be made. If you will remember, the Passover night is a Sabbath and a Feast and Yahweh commands us is to keep His Sabbath Days Holy. Therefore, one is not to buy or sell on His Sabbaths. Had this been the night of the Passover, as some teach, then Yahdah could not have been expected to buy something. Scripture proves the night in which He was betrayed was not a Sabbath, it was the preparation day. The night in which He was betrayed was also the night in which He was arrested.

#### •Yahchanan 18:12—

Then the band and their captain, with the officers of <u>the Yahdaim</u>, <u>arrested</u> <u>Yahshua</u>, bound Him.

After a mockery of a trial, and after enduring the remainder of that night suffering humiliating torture, Pilate then handed Yahshua over to be sacrificed on the stake.

#### •Yahchanan 19:16-18-

16 So then he <u>handed Him over to them</u> to be nailed to a stake. And they took Yahshua, and led *Him* away.

17 And He, carrying His stake, went out to a place called *The Place of* a Skull (which is Golgotha in Hebrew),

18 Where they nailed Him to a stake, and with Him two others: one on either side, and Yahshua in the middle.

Yahshua Messiah died at the very same time in which the passover lambs were being slaughtered on the temple mount, between the time of approximately 3:00 in the afternoon and sunset on the preparation day.

The day that Yahshua died was the preparation day for Passover: and He died in the very afternoon, before the Passover began that night, as we see in:

#### •Yahchanan 19:30-31—

30 And when Yahshua had received the vinegar, He said: It is finished; then <u>He bowed His head, and expired; breathed</u> *His last.* 

31 Now because it was the <u>Preparation Day</u>, and since the Yahdaim did not want to have the bodies left on the stake during the Sabbath: for <u>that</u> <u>Sabbath was a High Feast Day</u>; they asked Pilate to have their legs broken, so they might be taken away.

#### •Yahchanan 19:42—

So <u>they laid Yahshua there, because of</u> <u>the Preparation *Day* of the Yahdaim, for the sepulcher was nearby.</u>

**Y**ahshua Messiah was buried before the Passover, the Scriptures plainly show that He was buried on the preparation day, shortly before sunset.

#### The Passover Service

The joyous Passover service today commemorates the ancient day when Israyl was delivered from Egypt. Egypt symbolically pictures sin, Passover pictures the deliverance from sin.

This joyous Passover Feast, when unleavened bread is first eaten, which begins the Feast of Unleavened Bread, is recorded in **Exodus 12** and **Numbers 28**.

#### •Exodus 12:5-6—

5 Your lamb must be without blemish, a male of the first year. You may take *it* from the sheep or from the goats:

6 And you must keep it until the Fourteenth Day of the same Moon: then the whole multitude of the congregation of Israyl shall kill it between the two evenings.

#### •Exodus 12:18—

In the First Moon, on the Fourteenth Day of the Moon at evening, <u>you must eat</u> <u>unleavened bread</u> until the Twenty-First day of the Moon at evening.

#### Numbers 28:16-17—

16 On the Fourteenth Day of the First Moon, between the two evenings, Yahweh's Passover lamb is to be sacrificed; 17 And on <u>the Fifteenth day of this</u> <u>Moon is the Feast; unleavened bread must</u> <u>be eaten for seven days</u>.

This Passover offering was a lamb. This Passover offering was killed on the fourteenth day of the First Moon of Yahweh's sacred year in the afternoon. After this lamb was sacrificed, its blood was shed into a basin, and then was poured out against the sides of the altar of burnt sacrifice. Thereafter, its carcass was roasted with fire, and eaten that very following night.

The night in which this lamb was eaten was Passover night. I must remind you that Yahweh's days, Yahweh's Way, begin and end at sunset. Therefore, the beginning of the fifteenth day started on the fourteenth day at sunset.

#### Yahshua Our Passover

The Holy Scriptures plainly show that the Passover sacrifices were merely a representation, or a shadow, of the true sacrifice to come: Yahshua Messiah, our Passover sacrifice. The Apostle Shaul said plainly in:

#### •I Corinthians 5:7—

...for truly <u>Yahshua our Passover was</u> sacrificed for us.

As our Passover sacrifice, Yahshua Messiah was killed on the fourteenth day of the Moon of Green Ears of Barley, in the afternoon.

Yahshua our Passover sacrifice was killed at the same time that the lambs were being killed on the temple mount, on the very same day.

Yahshua our Passover sacrifice was killed for the remission, the passing over, of our sins.

#### •Hebrews 9:22,28—

22 For to bind anything by the Law it must be purged with blood; so without shedding of blood *there* is no remission; *forgiveness of sins*.

28 So also the <u>Messiah was once</u> offered to bear the sins of many; and unto those who look for Him will He appear the second time, apart from sin, unto Salvation.

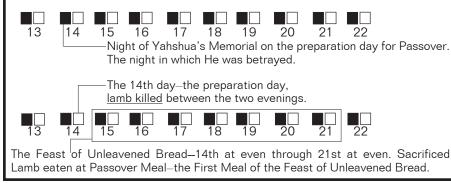
 $\mathbf{Y}$ es, Yahshua was killed as a sacrifice in order that the past sins of those who turn to Yahweh with all of their hearts might be forgiven, as we find in:

#### •Hebrews 9:13-15—

13 For if the blood of bulls and goats, and the ashes of a red heifer sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh,

14 How much more will the blood of the Messiah, Who, through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to

The following diagram shows the night in which He was betrayed, as well as the following Passover Night, and the exact days in which unleavened bread must be eaten.



<u>Yahweh</u>, purge your conscience from dead works to serve the Living Father?

15 And for this reason <u>He is the</u> <u>Mediator of the renewed Covenant</u>, under which, through the means of death <u>to bring</u> <u>redemption from transgressions committed</u> under the Covenant, the first who are called may receive the Promise of the Eternal Inheritance.

**Y** ahshua our Passover was killed as a sacrificial Passover offering, as a Lamb without blemish or spot:

#### I Kepha 1:19—

But with the precious blood of <u>Messiah</u>, as of a lamb without blemish and without <u>spot</u>.

Just as the joyous Passover celebration symbolically pictures coming out of Egypt, sin, so Yahshua's death as our sacrifice pictures our deliverance from sin, because Yahshua our Passover died for us.

#### **Two Sabbaths**

The Passover sacrificial offering had to be killed in the afternoon on the fourteenth day, so that it could be eaten after sundown, which officially began the fifteenth day—the Passover Feast—Yahweh's Way.

The fifteenth day of the Moon of Green Ears of Barley is the first Holy day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, which is a Sabbath Day. This High Day Sabbath, unlike the weekly Seventh Day Sabbath, can and does fall on any day of the week.

During the time of Yahshua's sacrifice, the fourteenth day of the Moon of Green Ears of Barley was on a Tuesday night and Wednesday day, the very day upon which the Passover lambs and Yahshua Messiah were killed.

Then, the fifteenth day, the high day Sabbath, fell on a Wednesday night and Thursday day that year.

Therefore, there were two Sabbaths in that one week: the High Day Sabbath, which fell on Wednesday night/Thursday day, and the weekly Sabbath, which fell on Friday night/ Saturday day.

#### **Other Proof**

**D**o other Scriptures show that there were more than one Sabbath in that week? Yes, there most assuredly are. We find in:

#### •Yahchanan Mark 16:1—

And when the *Passover* Sabbath was past, Miriam Magdalene, and Miriam the *mother* of Yaaqob and Salome, bought sweet spices, that they might go and anoint Him.

Notice that the Sabbath was past when they bought the spices. This Sabbath was not the weekly Seventh Day Sabbath.

These women could not prepare the spices until after they had bought them, and they did not buy them until after the Sabbath had passed. After preparing the spices, these ladies rested on the weekly Seventh Day Sabbath as we find in:

#### •Luke 23:56—

Then they returned. Then <u>they prepared</u> <u>spices and ointments. Then they rested the</u> <u>Sabbath Day</u> according to the Commandment.

After the first High Day Sabbath of the Feast of Unleavened Bread had passed, these women bought the spices.

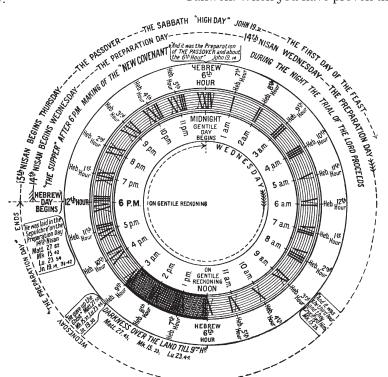
These two Sabbaths had one day in between them on which to prepare spices. The High Day Sabbath was on Wednesday night/Thursday daythey rested and observed Yahweh's Feast Day. The very next day was Friday, the day on which these women bought and prepared spices-Friday day. Knowing the customs of the observant Yahdaim, we also know that these women prepared for the weekly Seventh Day Sabbath on that same day-Friday. Then, these women rested on the Sabbath Day according to Yahweh's Laws-they rested on Saturday.

When the sun had set on Saturday afternoon, which marks the beginning of the first day of the week Yahweh's Way, these women went to Yahshua's grave and were informed that Yahshua Messiah had already risen, just as He had said. Yahshua Messiah had already risen late Saturday afternoon, so naturally, when these women came to the sepulcher as it began to dawn toward the first day of the week Yahweh's Way, He had already left the area.

Thousands of people all over the world are now coming to the truth about the sacrifice and resurrection of Yahshua, the True Messiah sent by Yahweh.

Unsuspecting, innocent people throughout this world have been deceived by Satan. Pagan practices and customs have been engrafted into the Pure Word of Yahweh. Superstition and counterfeit doctrines have taken the place of the True Teachings of the Prophets and Apostles.

Although the Truth of Yahweh's Word has been twisted throughout the generations, Yahweh's Truth has always been preserved in the pages of the Holy Scriptures. All one has to do is prove all things, thereby showing themselves approved to Yahweh, just as He commands. Therefore, prove all things, and show yourself to be a faithful servant to Yahweh. When you have proven these



things to be the Truth, then you are also commanded to hold fast to it.

The Companion Bible, 1964, Samuel Bagster and Sons, LTD, London, England, page 188, in the Appendixes, shows **The Hours of Yahshua's Last Day**, and the events of His sacrifice and resurrection as they came to pass. Please notice this chart on the page below.

The information that you have just read, concerning the Truth about the day on which Yahshua Messiah was resurrected, is only one of the Truths that have been brought to light by the Work which was prophesied to be established in these Last Days. Yes, many of the Prophets, under the Inspiration of Yahweh's Spirit Holy, prophesied of a Last Days' Work, so we who now live in the Last Days could know of this Work that Yahweh would establish. This Work would bring forth Yahweh's Truths, Truths that Satan has managed to keep hidden from this world for almost 2,000 years.

There are many deceptions rampant in this world. The more you study your bible for yourself, the more you will see that churches and assemblies all over this world are teaching a mixture of Righteousness and evil. This mixture is exactly what Satan presented to Mother Eve, which Adam accepted. This mixture has been accepted by all the world without question.

I encourage you to read every article and book published by Yahweh's Only Prophesied Established Work, The House of Yahweh, Abilene, Texas.

Through His Inspired Scriptures, Yahweh shows you where His Work is, pinpointing the exact location, when His Prophesied Work would begin and whom Yahweh would send to begin His Work in these Last Days, even naming these two men.

The above named book and booklet will show you where to look in your own bible to discover these precious Truths. You will then start to learn the many wonderful Truths of Yahweh, which Satan has hidden from this world.

#### •Yahchanan 8:32—

And <u>you will know the Truth, and the</u> <u>Truth will make you free</u>.

**Y**es, the Truth will make you free from deception. Praise Yahweh! May Yahweh be glorified!

## A child who is diligently taught Yahweh's Laws knows how to recognize problems in society today and how to offer solutions.

#### Problem: Texting While Driving Is Solution: A Real Killer

Legislators agonize over banning texting while driving and, even more so, barring the use by drivers of hand-held cell phones and other electronic devices.

The National Transportation Safety Board, which investigates the toofrequent results of distracted driving, has no such qualms. It recently called for all states to ban texting while driving and the use of hand-held cell phones by drivers.

#### Solution:

People die from texting and driving. Texting and driving do not only affect the driver but affects the passengers in that car as well as the ones who may get hit by a distracted driver. Other consequences could include the driver going to jail or causing an accident and killing someone else or even themself. There will also be lifelong guilt feelings if a distracted driver were to hurt or kill someone else.

Consider the following quote from the Peaceful Solution Character Education Program, Respect Unit, page 11, "Showing respect is to recognize the gualities and worth of others and to treat them the way you would want to be treated."

When you are driving and get a text, use self-control and choose not to check it or reply to it while driving. When you do so, you are showing respect to yourself and to others.

—Azanyah, age 15

#### Problem: Trial OK'd for Gary Schultz, Tim Curley

Two Penn State officials can be tried on charges of lying to a grand jury about an allegation of child sex abuse against former Nittany Lions defensive coordinator Jerry Sandusky, a judge ruled Friday.

The Peaceful Solution Character Education Program teaches all children, from a very young age, the difference between a wrong touch and a right touch. In the Peaceful Solution Character Education Program, Grade 1, Unit 1, Ownership, we see the difference between a wrong touch and a right touch. A right touch is a touch that does not make us feel uncomfortable in any way. It may come from our parents, grandparents or other trusted adults or family members. It may be an adult holding their hand to guide them across the street, giving them a big hug or in the case of needing medical care. A wrong touch is one that is unwanted, can be harmful or violent and makes the child feel uncomfortable or confused. A wrong touch may come from anyone, someone the child knows or someone he doesn't know and any touch where a child is told to keep it a secret is a wrong touch.

In the Peaceful Solution Character Education Program the children are taught to tell a parent or other trusted adult about any touch that makes them uncomfortable or confuses them and to never keep it a secret. If children all around the world were taught this concept and it was reinforced by teachers and parents, no child would ever suffer abuse again nor would children grow up to become predators themselves.

The men, who this act at Penn State was witnessed by or reported to, should have done everything within their power to make sure that this was reported to authorities so that the proper steps could have been taken to prevent any more children from being hurt.

What all those who have a problem with hurting children need is to be taught the Peaceful Solution Character

Education Program. In the Intermediate Series, Respect Unit page 94 we learn that to use physical force against someone else is one of the worst and most dangerous forms of disrespect. On page 64 of this same book it shows you how to show respect to people of the opposite or same sex. Just a few of these points include: Each person's body is private and must be treated with respect, avoid any comments about someone's physical development or appearance, always regard another's body as private (off limits), and be mindful of your own gestures and body language so they are not misunderstood.

Everyone on earth can be taught these basic principles found in the Peaceful Solution Character Education Program. All would learn that life is valuable and must be respected. Through time, all characters can be remolded and through time all can learn to become better people. We cannot change the past, but we can change the future so that we never have to hear such stories as children being abused ever again!

-Keilah, age 16

#### Problem: Hospital fined for mistake Sutter Solano to pay \$50,000 for errant sponge

Vallejo's Sutter Solano Medical Center was among 14 hospitals statewide slapped with administrative fines for potentially fatal mistakes, state officials announced Thursday.

#### Solution:

The quality of work you do says a lot about your character. I would like to talk to you about 2 main topics: responsibility and respect. Everyone involved should be focused on helping the patient and following all procedures and instructions. Consequences occur when we make mistakes with our duties. Anything worth doing is worth doing right. That is a quote from the Peaceful Solution Character Education Program, Intermediate Series, Responsibility book, page 3. I encourage you to always follow instructions.

-Katorah, age 11

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