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The Book of Numbers Introduction

Welcome... to the book of Numbers. Today is the first day of our study into the book of Numbers and as we always do, we're gong to start with an introduction into the book of Numbers so that we can have a better idea of what we're going to be seeing over the next few months throughout our studies.

The book of Numbers is simply chalked full of information and situations concerning the lessons of life that we all face today in our time. We'll soon see that once again just as we've seen so many times throughout our Father's Torah... nothing has really changed within the nature of humanity for thousands of years. We still continue to make the same mistakes and to stumble over the same stumbling stones that those who have come before us have made and have stumbled over, and I believe that the reason that we do keep making these same mistakes... is because we once again do not know our history.

It is written that God's people are destroyed for lack of knowledge because they have rejected knowledge. What's important to understand about this verse is that people are not destroyed for lack of knowledge because they have not been given knowledge... but because they have rejected the knowledge that they have been given.

Today's modern day man-made denominational empires all to often teach and preach their congregations not to read the Bible from the beginning... but to read it from the middle of the book starting with the book of Matthew, and this is clearly one of the most dangerous ways to read the Bible that has ever been taught. And the reason that it's dangerous to read the Bible from the middle of the book without first reading the beginning of the book, is because when we do this... we leave ourselves wide open to an array of man-made teachings, that allow men and their denominational empires and charters of men to fill in the gaps and to answer the questions that we will ultimately run into when we have not read the book from the beginning.

The Pharisees and Scribes of our Messiah's time are alive and well today in our time... and they are all to ready to fill in those gaps and to answer those questions with their own man-made philosophies, theologies, doctrines and dogmas. And this is exactly why today's modern day denominational Christian Churches have fallen from their lofty places. They have fallen

because they have rejected the truth of Yehvoah God's word... and have returned like a dog to its vomit and like a pig to it's mire thus rejecting the knowledge that has been clearly given to them.

Today as we begin our study into the book of Numbers we're going to start from the beginning and the first thing that I'd like to do today is to ask our congregation here at Holy Impact Ministries to please be patent with me as I once again go back over what so many people do not know or understand about our God breathed Scripture. Often times we have people that have never heard any of our studies before nor have they ever really read the first half of the Bible for themselves, and so, they will often times come into a study like this one not knowing or understanding anything about the Bible. And we need to be very careful in bringing these lost and unstudied brothers and sisters up to speed with the truth of what the Bible says so that... they also can also understand what it is that we already understand because we have read the Bible from the beginning and not just from the middle.

And so, once again... I would like to begin here today by thanking our congregation for their patience in sitting through some of the things that we have already taught vigilantly time and time again so that others who may also be joining us for the first time might also have the same knowledge that we have for it is written that faith comes from hearing... and hearing by the word of our God; Romans 10:14-17. (scrn 1)

How Are They To Believe If They HaveNot Heard?

Rom 10:14 How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without preaching?

Rom 10:15 And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace and bring glad tidings of good things!"

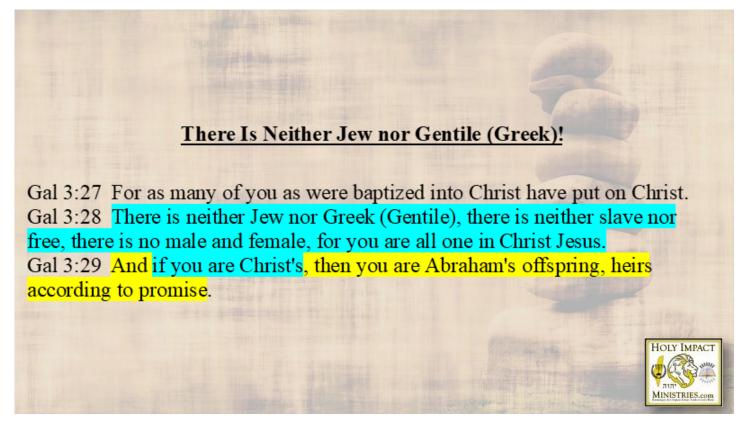
Rom 10:16 But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our report?"

Rom 10:17 Then faith is of hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.



And this is why we do what we do. We teach over and over again diligently the things that we have been sent to teach so that... faith can come from hearing and hearing through the word of

God. And I would like to point out that it does not say that faith comes from hearing and hearing by the word of men. It is not man's theologies and denominational doctrines and dogmas that we must hear and obey... but the word of God himself and the word of God alone, "sola scriptura" Scripture and Scripture alone... because this my friends... is the only place on earth that the truth can be found. And it is also important to understand that today's modern-day Christian who truly is a true God fearing, cross bearing, Messiah following Christian... is indeed grafted into the Olive Tree that is the body of our Messiah who is the root of... the house of Israel. Not says I... but says our God breathed Scripture; (scrn 2)



Clearly... if we have faith, and if we truly do believe... which means that our faith is completed by our works just as James tells us that it must be... then we have become one with our Messiah and if that be the case... then we are indeed Abraham's offspring and heirs according to the promise that Yehvoah God made to Abraham and his descendants.

This is critical for today's modern-day Christian to understand. The grafting into the Olive Tree that is the house of Israel... the very body of our Messiah who was a Jewish man that had come from the seed of Abraham, and the very body of David according to 2nd Samuel chapter seven and again in Jeremiah chapter 33, and again in 1st Chronicles chapter 17, and again in 2nd Chronicles chapter 6, and again in Revelation chapter 22 is... what we have been grafted into if... that is if... we truly do believe and truly do have faith in him. And this grafting in of the Gentiles is an extremely important part of salvation that every modern-day Christian today must grasp and fully understand.

The Apostle Paul makes it extremely clear and evident in the 11th chapter of the book of Romans that you cannot enter into the kingdom without first being grafted into the olive tree that is the house of Israel who our Messiah is the root of. If you are not grafted in... then you are not part of his set apart people, it's just that simple. And yes my friends... even the Apostle Paul himself kept the law. Because it is the love of God and his spoken word which is his law that marks us as his chosen set apart people. Not says I... but says our God breathed Scripture; (scrn 3)

Paul Always Observed The Law Of God...

Rom 7:25 I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then with the mind I myself serve the Law of God, but with the flesh the law of sin.

Act 21:23 Do therefore what we tell you (Paul). We have four men who are under a vow.

Act 21:24 take these men and purify yourself along with them and pay their expenses, so that they may shave their heads. Thus all will know that there is nothing in what they have been told about you, but that you yourself (Paul) also live in observance of the law.

You see Paul knew very well the difference between being lawful and being sinful. According to 1st John chapter three verse four... "sin" is the transgression of the law. That's what "sin" is. And so Paul always knew that the law is what identifies "sin". And this is why he always kept the law in his mind... but just like all of us... it was his flesh that railed against the law and caused him to transgress the law which is the biblical definition of... "sin".

Clearly... the Apostle Paul tells us right here in Romans chapter 7 that he serves the law of God with his mind but... with his flesh he served the law of sin. And in Acts chapter 21 verse 24... we also hear James and the Elders in Jerusalem giving Paul instructions because of the false report that the Jews in Jerusalem had heard about him teaching against the law and against circumcsion. And James and the Elders there in Jerusalem told Paul to take these four men who were under a Nazarite vow to the Temple and to pay their expenses for the offerings that they needed to make at the Temple, and once again my friends this is after the death, burial, and resurrection of our Messiah and they were still required to make these offerings at the Temple mind you. And Paul does just as James tells him to do and Paul himself takes these four men to

the Temple, and he pays for their expenses so that they can offer up these sacrifices to Yehvoah God and he does this so that the Jews there in Jerusalem would know that just as James and the Elders in Jerusalem have already said... that Paul also lived in observance of the law. Not says I... but says our God breathed Scripture.

Today the church points directly to the Apostle Paul as being the culprit that did away with the law just as the Jews were told in Jerusalem. And why? Because once again... they did not understand what law the Apostle Paul was talking about half the time. The Apostle Paul spoke of many different laws throughout his writings. (scrn 4)

Paul's List of Laws

The law of God. Rom 3:31, 7:22-25, 8:7

The law of sin. Rom. 7:23-25

The law of sin and death. Rom. 8:2

The law of the Spirit of life. Rom. 8:2

The law of faith. Rom. 3:27

The law of righteousness. Rom. 9:31

The law of Christ. 1st Cor. 9:21

The law of the Pharisees. Mar. 7:13, Mat. 15:6,

Mat. 23, Joh. 8:43-47



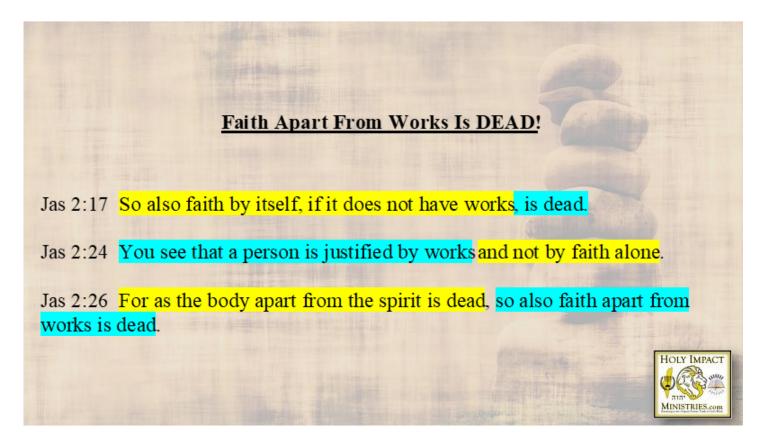
And for more information on whether or not the law of God which is also known as his Torah or his word... is done away with or a curse... we would like to invite you to view our study entitled "Why Must God's Law Still Stand Today" which you can also find by visiting our website at HolyImpactMinistries.com and navigating to our "Bible Topics" page and simply selecting the video series entitled "Why Must God's Law Still Stand Today". There you will find a more in-depth study into why God's law does still stand today in our time according to out God breathed Scripture. But for for times sake, we must continue on.

And so... when we read the Torah... the first five books of our Bibles which we must not only read and understand... but also hear and obey if we love God... we must understand... that if we truly do have faith and we truly do believe in our Messiah, then we must understand what our Messiah told us in his own red-letter words. And once again, it was our Messiah himself that clearly told us with his own tongue and his own breath and from his very own lips, that not

one dot of his Father's law could become void in both Matthew chapter 23 and again in Luke chapter 16.

The church today much like the Pharisees and the Scribes of our Messiah's time has gone off the rails concerning the true and proper concept of obedience because they have once again rejected the knowledge that they have been given by their very own Messiah. And these Pharisees... also known as Rabbi's, and Pastors, and Priests, and Bishops and popes are today once again teaching and preaching a mixing and mingling of God's word in order to hold onto their own traditions. And for more information on mixing and mingling the word of God... we would like to once again invite you to visit us at HolyImpactMinistries.com and to navigate to our "Bible Topics Page" and to simply click on our video teaching along with its downloadable PDF file entitled "The Dangers of Mixing & Mingling". But for times sake... we must continue to move forward.

The Church today preaches and teaches that we are saved by the grace of God through faith and with this we fully agree... but this does not exclude in any way shape or form our good works and the love that our Father expects us to show him in return through our obedience to his word. (scrn 5)



We study the law of God so that we can keep our Father's law properly because it is written that not one dot of the law can become void according to our Messiah. And it is written in 1st John chapter five verse three... that the biblical definition of the love of God is that we keep his commandments and that his commandments are not burdensome to us. And even the Apostle

Paul himself whom the church today proudly points to as the one who has done away with the law and has turned it into a curse... has readily agreed that he himself served the law of God. Not to mention that James and the Elders in Jerusalem who were witnesses at that time also agreed that Paul always lived in observance of the law according to Acts chapter 21 verse 24.

Understanding and properly observing the law today in our time is crucial to showing our love to our Father in heaven. (scrn 6)

The Biblical Definition of The Love of God...

1Jn 5:2 By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments.

1Jn 5:3 For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome.



And this is why we are commanded to keep his law which is his commandment. Yes, we are saved by grace through faith... but this does not extinguish or nullify our erase our obligation to show our love for our Father in heaven who has so graciously shown his mercy and his grace upon his children. We keep his law... his commandment... his word... his feast days and his Sabbaths not to be saved... but because we love him, and we appreciate... and are grateful for the unfolding plan of salvation that he has so graciously blessed us with so that... we can return to the tree of life that we were banished from in the garden of Eden.

Even our Messiah tells us that you can call him "Lord" all day every day... but if you are not doing the will of his Father in haven... then he does not even know who you are! (scrn 7)

Only The One Who Does The Will of My Father!

Mat 7:21 "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.

Mat 7:22 On that day many will say to me, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and cast out demons in your name, and do many mighty works in your name?'

Mat 7:23 And then will I declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from me, you workers of lawlessness.'

And so, the question is not "do we keep the law?"... the question is "how do we keep the law properly according to the Spirit of law today in our time?"

And so... let there be no doubt in our minds that if we have indeed been grafted into the house of Israel which has now become the very body of our Messiah... what we are reading in the book of Numbers as well as the rest of the Torah, the prophets, and the Psalms does indeed include us today in our time, and it is tectonically important for us to understand that if we truly do accept who our creator is and what he has so graciously done for us... we will show our love for him by keeping his commandments and not allowing his commandments to be a burden to us.

These same principles and teachings and promises and shortcomings and lessons learned during the journey of the house of Israel through the wilderness in the book of Numbers does indeed include each and every one of us today in our time. Why do we think that these things are included in our Bibles today? If they are not relevant for the believer today... then why are they written for us to even see? Why are they presented to us as the very word of Yehovah God? Are these things not written so that we will not make the same mistakes? Are these things not written so that we will know how to express our love for our Father in heaven? Are these things not written so that we will properly understand his word and that his word is truth, and that his word is indeed as David tells us... perfect? Of course, they are.

The problem is that today's modern-day Pharisees and Scribes have completely overthrown the history of our People and replaced that history and that story with their own man-made

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traditions and festivals and appointments and sabbaths. Just as it is written by the prophet Daniel in Daniel chapter seven... they who are part of the beast and the beast's system will indeed think to change the times and the law and this... they have done by the power of the beast and his blasphemous church who is the harlot of Catholicism.

There is much, more more that we could say about these things and have said over and over again throughout many of our studies and teachings over the years... but for time's sake we need to concentrate on the matter at hand which today is the book of Numbers. But before we can do that, we need to make it known to all those who hear these Scriptures... that these Scriptures written in the book of Numbers do indeed have great significance and relevance for us today in our lives in this very generation here today.

The book of Numbers is of course the fourth book of the five books of the Torah also known as the Pentateuch, which is also known as the law of God and his spoken word. And as we have already mentioned, this fourth book of the Bible is vitally important for every modern-day Christian today in our time to be not only familiar with, but to be well studied in... because it demonstrates just what it takes to be included into the Olive Tree that is the house of Israel and the Body of our Messiah that the Apostle Paul writes about in the 11th chapter of the book of Romans.

I would submit to you my friend that if today's modern day professing Christian were indeed well studied and familiar with the book of Numbers and the rest of the Torah the writings of the prophets and the Psalms... far more modern-day churches today would not be able to pull the wool over the eyes of their unsuspecting congregations.

For generations today's modern day man-made denominational empires have forsaken the truth of God's word and have traded it for their own traditions and the book of Numbers along with the rest of our Father's Torah points directly at them as being weighed and wanting when it comes to the truth of our Father's word. The very same word that our very own Messiah became in the flesh because of his obedience to... his Father's word. **Hebrews 5:5-8 (scrn 8)**

Yeshua (Jesus) Learned Obedience!

Heb 5:5 So also Christ did not exalt himself to be made a high priest, but was appointed by him who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you";

Heb 5:6 as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, after the order of Melchizedek."

Heb 5:7 In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to him who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence.

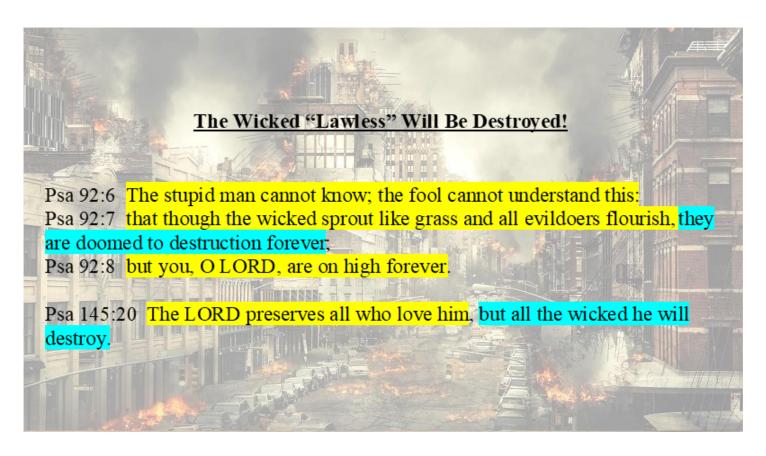
Heb 5:8 Although he was a son, he learned obedience through what he suffered.



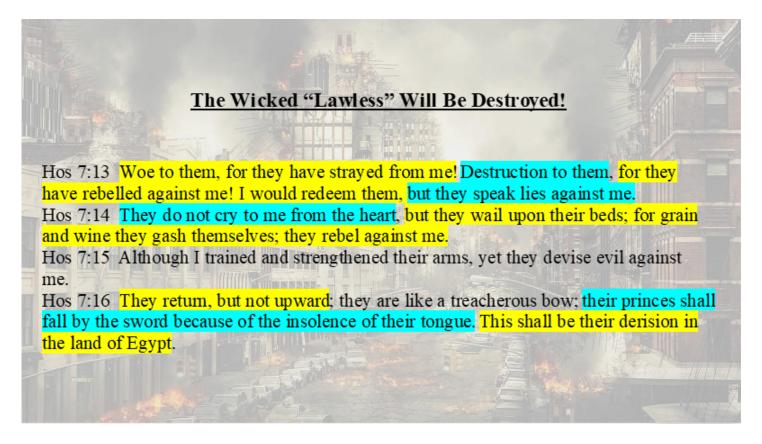
According to our God breathed Scripture and our God breathed Scriptures alone... our Messiah's prayers of supplication and loud cries and tears were heard because of his reverence. Not because he demanded things, not because he thought that he deserved things, not because he was even the Son of God... but his prayers were answered because of his and I quote... "reverence". And although he was a Son... it is clearly written that our Messiah learned obedience through what he had suffered just as we all learn through what we suffer in this fallen Babylonian world. Even today in our time in our weakness our Fathers word is what makes us strong!

The church today by in large does not teach reverence. It teaches that once you confess with your lips that you believe... that you have the right to lay claim to salvation as though it were some kind of man-made right to take from God what belongs only to God... just as Adam and Eve had taken from God what did not belong to them.

The book of Numbers will clearly remind us over and over again... not once but several times through the hardships of the house of Israel that salvation does not belong to man. Salvation belongs to Yehvoah God and no other, and it is only those who have given him their hearts and truly show their love for him... that he will extend his gift of salvation to. It is clearly written that the wicked who have not been given his salvation... will be destroyed. (scrn 9)



(scrn 10)



You see the church today wrongfully and shamefully preaches their right to honor him with

their lips while their hearts are far from him... something that the prophet Isaiah warned against in Isaiah chapter 29 of the Old Testament... and our Messiah reminds us of and quotes from in Matthew chapter 15 of the New Testament. Which should not surprise us once we understand that as much as two thirds of the New Testament is nothing more than quotes from the Old Testament. And yet... isn't it odd... that so many lost and misguided Pastors, Priests, Bishops, and Popish leaders today will encourage their flocks to begin reading their Bibles from the middle of the book instead of reading their Bibles from the beginning of the book? The very reason that they tell us not to begin reading the Bible from the beginning is because once again... they themselves want to be the ones who will be there to fill in the blank for us... and there will be many blanks for those who have not read the book from the beginning.

The Torah of course is also known as the "law of God". In fact... the very word "law" in our English translated Bibles today found in the Old Testament is actually the Hebrew word "Torah" and interestingly enough... the first time that we actually see the word "law" or "Torah" in the Bible is in Exodus chapter 12 verse 49 which is an extremely important place due to what it proclaims to us. Let's go read where it is that we first find the word "law" or "Torah" in the Bible starting with **Exodus 12:48-49 (scn 11)**

One Law For Both Jew And Gentile...

Exo 12:48 If a stranger (Gentile) shall sojourn with you and would keep the Passover to the LORD, let all his males be circumcised. Then he may come near and keep it; he shall be as a native of the land. But no uncircumcised person shall eat of it.

Exo 12:49 There shall be one law for the native and for the stranger (Gentile) who sojourns among you."



The very first place that we see the word "law" or "Torah" in the Bible is where it clearly explains to us that both Jew and Gentile are required to keep one "law" or one "Torah". The "stranger" that sojourns or travels with the house of Israel would have been seen in the Greek New Testament as a "Gentile" which is someone who is not born by blood as a native Israelite hence the title "stranger". And the very first place that we see the word "law" or "Torah" in the

Hebrew Bible... is where it tells us very clearly... that there is one law for both the Jew and the Gentile... not two laws mind you... not one law for the Jew and another law for the Gentile... but one law for all of the assembly. It's always been that way from the very beginning! And we can also see here in Exodus chapter 12 that the Gentile was also always commanded and required by law to be circumcised from the very beginning! And it was this very thing that the Apostle Paul got into trouble for when he came to Jerusalem in Acts chapter 21 because the Jews there in Jerusalem had been told that Paul was teaching against the law and against "circumcision". But as we read through Acts chapter 21, we find out that this was indeed a false report! And clear back in Acts chapter 16 we clearly see Paul himself circumcising Timothy whose mother was a Jew but whose father was a Greek Gentile. Paul himself pays for the sacrifices of four different men so that they could make their sacrifices at the Temple. Paul clearly was a prime example of someone who kept the law of God just as he himself and James and the Elders in Jerusalem tell us that he did.

But the point that needs to be made here... is that this one law covered all of the 12 tribes of Israel including the Jew and including the Gentile stranger who if he was circumcised... was seen as a native of the land according to Exodus chapter 12 verse 48. And we can see this very same one law for all given in the book of **Numbers chapter 15 (scrn 12)**

Jew And Gentile Shall Be Alike Before Yehovah!

Num 15:14 And if a stranger (Gentile) is sojourning with you, or anyone is living permanently among you, and he wishes to offer a food offering, with a pleasing aroma to the LORD, he shall do as you do.

Num 15:15 For the assembly, there shall be one statute for you and for the stranger (Gentile) who sojourns with you, a statute forever throughout your generations. You and the sojourner (Gentile) shall be alike before the LORD.

Num 15:16 One law and one rule shall be for you and for the stranger (Gentile) who sojourns with you."

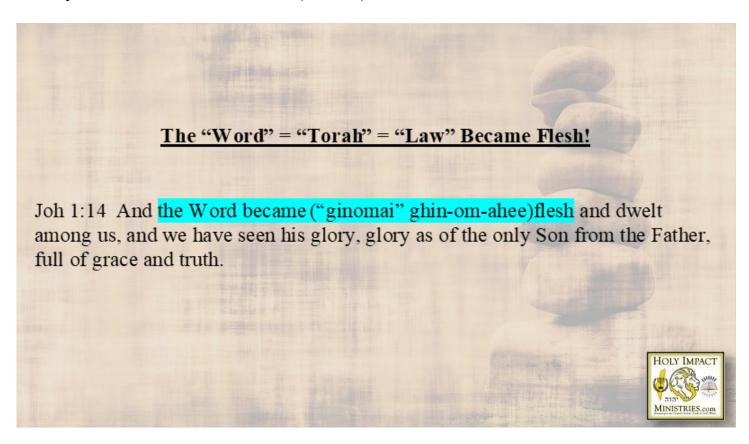


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The Hebrew word "Torah" simply means "direction, instruction" or "law". And it is the Hebrew Torah that has always been called "the word of God". And this is the very same law and word of

God that David calls perfect all throughout the Psalms including but not limited to Psalms chapter 19 which is entitled "The Law of Yehvoah Is Perfect"! And if you do not believe that the law of Yehovah God is perfect you need to go read Psalms chapter 19 verses 7 through 9 in particular.

The Torah itself which is the first five books of the Bible is "God's word" which is extremely important when understanding that according to the Apostle John in the New Testament... our Messiah Yeshua (Jesus in the Greek) "became"... the word of God made flesh. Our Messiah actually became... the Torah of God. (scrn 13)



Once again... our Messiah Yeshua who was the seed of Abraham, and the descendent of David was not the word of God made flesh in the beginning at his birth... our Messiah "became" (ghin-om-ahee) the word of God. And how did he "become" the word of God made flesh? Our God breathed Scriptures tell us very clearly how he became the word of God... it was through his reverence and the obedience that he had learned from his suffering that had made him become the word of God. Not says I... but says our God breathed Scriptures. (scrn 14)

Yeshua (Jesus) Was Called And Appointed!

Heb 5:4 And no one takes this honor for himself, but only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

Heb 5:5 So also Christ did not exalt himself to be made a high priest, but was appointed by him who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you";

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Heb 5:8 Although he was a son, he learned obedience through what he suffered.



And this my friends is no insignificant coincidence. What John is telling us is that our Messiah became the Torah... the instruction... the law... the word of God made flesh through his reverence and his obedience. He did not come to do away with the law of his Father... he came to bring us back to the law of his Father by fully teaching and preaching the law of his Father so that... we could once again be free from the bondage of sin and transgression so that we could once again finally return to the Father who was calling us back through the door that no man can shut which is our beloved Messiah the seed of Abraham, the descendant of David the Son of Yehvoah God. Once again... **Hebrews 5:4-8 (scrn 14)**

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Our Messiah Yeshua Jesus became... the word of God because of his reverence and the obedience that he had learned through what he suffered. Yeshua (Jesus in the Greek) is called in both the Old Testament and the New Testament... "the Son of God", and yet the church today calls him anything and everything but... "the Son of God". And it has even gotten to the point today because of their false man-made doctrines of demons that if you call our Messiah the "Son of God"... they will often times call you a heretic and a blasphemer even though... our Father in heaven has many times over called his Son... his "only begotten Son with whom he is well pleased". The very same one and only seed of Abraham, and descendant of David who the church today... no longer teaches. And for more information on the true identity of our Messiah you can simply visit our website at HolyImpactMinistries.com, navigate to our "Bible Topics" page and select the video study entitled "Is Yeshua (Jesus) God or The Son of God?". And you can test this study through not only the Scriptures themselves... but through the fire of prayer as well which we strongly encourage that you do.

Is Yeshua (Jesus) God or The Son of God? https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLsUiLnK13-hV88hmv2QN-NH0Lmm_zX5by

We will once again see through the book of Numbers just as we have already seen through the books of Genesis, Exodus, and Leviticus, that our Messiah can be found on every page. Everything that was done in the beginning was to proclaim what was to come in the end. The Torah in of itself is a red carpet that our Father in heaven has laid out before our Messiah to come and to be the King that Yehvoah God himself would sit upon the throne of David forever fulfilling the prophecy of Jacob who was called Israel, who prophesied that the scepter shall not

depart from Judah, nor the rulers staff from between his feet until tribute comes to him; and to him shall be the obedience... get that my friends... "the obedience" of the people. And you can find that prophecy in Genesis chapter 49 verses 9 through 11 if you would like to read that prophecy for yourself but for times sake we must push on and move forward.

Our Messiah was introduced to us first in the Torah... the beginning of the Bible not in the New Testament. The New Testament simply reveals him on earth in the flesh. But it is in the Old Testament that we find his introduction, and it is from the Old Testament that our Messiah and his apostles continuously quote from. And therefore, as we study the book of Numbers we will once again see why it is so very vitally important not to put the horse before the cart.

In order to fully understand who our Messiah is and what he came to bring to us... we must first understand the Torah... the law... the instructions of Yehvoah God our Father in heaven. Because it is this Torah... this law that sets the parameters and the qualification for our Messiah to be our Messiah. It is our Father in heaven who has devised and ordained and sanctified his unfolding plan of salvation for mankind that he would bring forth from the seed of Abraham, and the descendent of David that we need to be able to rightfully identify and claim as the Son of God. You simply cannot qualify Yeshua Jesus as the Messiah unless you understand the parameters and the qualifications that our Father in heaven has handed down for us in the beginning of the Bible in order for us to properly identify him. And these qualifications and identifiers can only be found in the Torah the writings of the prophets and the Psalms back in the beginning of the book!

This gift of salvation belongs to Yehvoah our Elohim and to Yehvoah our Elohim alone, and it is he and his anointed one (which is what "Christ" or "Messiah" means) that will judge who will partake in his unfolding plan of salvation... and... who will not. And I tell you the truth my friends... his gift of salvation is not free. There is a cost, a commitment, an obedience, a call to endure to the end and to conquer... and a perpetual agreement and commitment that needs to be made by each and every Christian who wishes to enter into this new covenant that has been extended to mankind. It is written that our Messiah told us in his own red-letter words that he who is not with me... is against me. And it is this commitment... this perpetual agreement... this endurance and this obedience that is... the new covenant; Jeremiah 31:31-33 (scrn 15)

The New Covenant

Jer 31:31 "Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. Jer 31:32 not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, my covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, declares the LORD. Jer 31:33 For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the LORD: I will put my law (Torah) within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

If his law... his Torah... his word... his instructions... his commandments... his feast days... his will... and his Sabbaths are not written in your heart and in your mind... then you are not part of the New Covenant that our Messiah came to bring. Not says I... but say the very words of God in the Old Testament and again in our New Testament found in the book of Hebrews chapter 10! (scrn 16)

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This Is The New Covenant!

Heb 10:16 "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds,"

Heb 10:17 then he adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more."



Once again... here in the New Testament is another quote from the Old Testament that verifies the legitimacy and factual evidence that Yehovah God's word is indeed true, and righteous, and perfect just as David told us that it was! And this is the one in the same "New Covenant" that our Messiah tells us that his blood brought us in Luke chapter 22 verse 20 that causes us to become his set apart people. (scrn 17)

The New Covenant That Writes The Law Upon The Heart...

Luk 22:19 And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Luk 22:20 And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.



It is this writing of his Father's law in our hearts and on our minds that causes us to be convicted when we stray away from him. It is this writing of his law in our hearts and in our minds that protects us from our adversary who is like a prowling lion lurking in the shadows to see whom it is that he can destroy. It is this writing of his law in our hearts and in our minds that re-creates us as new creatures that no longer seek the things of the world... but the things of Yehovah God almighty in the world to come.

And it is the book of Numbers that will once again point to what caused the house of Israel to stumble and to fall so that we will learn how not to fall! It is this book of Numbers that will show us what to do and just as importantly... what not to do. It is this book of Numbers that will demonstrate not only the patience and love of our Father in heaven... but also his wrath and his justice, and his promise to destroy the wicked from the earth. It is the book of Numbers that will literally lead us to the promised land if... we take it seriously. Whether or not we are able to enter into the promised land depends upon our understanding of the book of Numbers which reveals to us the very nature and understanding of God who is looking for those to worship him in both Spirit and in truth!

Make no mistake about it my friends... the book of Numbers will once again reveal to us that just as our Messiah tells us in both Matthew chapter 23 and again in Luke chapter 16, that it is easier for both heaven and earth to pass away than for one dot of his Father's law to become void.

The problem that the church today has with the law of our Father in heaven is first and foremost

it is not written in their hearts and in their minds and secondly... they do not understand the law and how to properly execute the law today in our time or what it means to offer up sacrifices to our Father in heaven today in our time. Just as the Apostle Paul tells us... the law is Spiritual which means that there is a proper and an improper way to understand the law. The proper way to understand the law is to first understand that just as our Messiah has already told us... not one dot of the law has passed away from his Father's law. Heaven and earth are still here and will be until clear at the back of the book in Revelation chapter 22! The improper way to understand the law is to say that the law is dead and done away with and a curse. A self-taught doctrine of demons that points to our very own Messiah as a liar and a fraud.

The book of Numbers is a book chalked full of instruction that clearly demonstrates to today's modern-day Christian how to properly understand the spiritual meaning of the law if... that is if... we will take the time to sit down... slow down... and study it for ourselves so that we can show ourselves approved.

The name of the book of Numbers ironically comes from the Septuagint which is the Greek translation of the Old Testament which is over a thousand years older than the King James version of the Bible by the way, and it was originally called "Bemidbar" which means "in the desert" and it is of course the fourth book of the Hebrew Torah which is extremely important for us to understand as well.

The book of Numbers begins our people on a journey from Mount Siani where Moses had given the house of Israel the Torah... the law... his instructions (also known as his word), and the book of Numbers ends at the plains of Moab just outside of the Promised land.

And so, the book of Numbers is literally what will bring us through the desert wilderness... to the promised land. And by doing so, the book of Numbers will reveal to us as modern-day Christians a truth that has long ago been hidden from our sight by the little "g" god of this world who has done all that he can to think to change the times and the law of the one true Most High Elohim of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.

And this is why the book of Numbers is so tectonically important for every single solitary modern day Christian today to know and to understand. And this great journey from Mount Siani to the planes of Moab just outside of the promised land begins... this next Thursday evening at 7pm Eastern Standard Time. And we invite you and your family to join us next Thursday evening as we travel through the wilderness with the house of Israel on into the planes of Moab.

But until that time I will do as I always do and ask that everyone within the sound of my voice would please take what you have heard here this evening to your own prayer closet. Bow your head and bend your knee and face the holy promised land of Jerusalem and ask in the name of Yeshua Hamashiach if what you have heard here this evening be true or not.

Ask, seek, and knock on his door and on his door alone, and the proper door will be opened to you. And if you will do that... and if you will stay the course to the end... you and I will surely walk through the gates of his soon coming kingdom together.