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## **Matthew Chapter 26b The Passover Warrior!**

Last week as we examined Matthew chapter 26, we dove deeply into the Passover in order to test whether or not our Messiah actually ate the commanded Passover meal with his apostles. And when we examined both the book of Matthew and the book of John, we found that there were some major conflicts according to our English-translated Bibles. But when we went back to take a look at the original Greek language, we found that there were no contradictions between Matthew and John and that our God-breathed Scripture clearly tells us that our Messiah ate an early Passover meal with his disciples, but he did not eat the actual Passover meal that his disciples ate without him after his crucifixion.

And once again, all of this can be established according to our God-breathed Scripture if we will do our due diligence in studying out this matter properly according to Scripture. And if you are unaware of these biblical facts, I would strongly encourage you to go back and view the last study that we did just last week in order to better understand how and why it is that we can establish the biblical fact that our Messiah ate an early Passover meal with his disciples and did not eat the actual Passover meal with them.

Once again, our Messiah was, is, and always will be our Passover lamb. Everything that our Father in heaven established at the original Passover was fulfilled by our Passover lamb who was slaughtered at exactly the same time that the Passover lambs were being slaughtered for the

Passover meal.

Many have a hard time understanding the concept of our Messiah having an early Passover meal with his apostles. But when we study, and when we see what our Messiah did during this early Passover meal with his apostles, we can come to no other conclusion other than the biblical fact that this early Passover meal that our Messiah had with his apostles was a meal that was meant to teach them how to properly keep the original Passover commanded by his Father that they would share later that day without him.

Once again, we must understand that our Messiah came to be our example. And therefore, our Messiah needed to set an example before the apostles actually sat down to fulfill the Passover themselves.

Many will wrongly proclaim that there was no lamb at the meal that our Messiah had with his apostles. And they will proclaim that there were no bitter herbs. But what they fail to understand is that the apostles were sitting with the Passover lamb. And at that point in time, there was no need to have bitter herbs because their Passover lamb was still alive and sitting there with them at that time.

And therefore... the more important concepts of the Passover meal were being taught by our Passover lamb to his apostles so that they could celebrate the Passover properly and teach others how to do the same. The way that our Messiah humbled himself to wash the feet of his apostles explains the Passover meal and how humble our Passover lamb actually was. The betrayal of Judas being exposed at that early Passover meal also points to why there had to even be a Passover meal. It was because of the wickedness of men that our Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. And this betrayal would also show his Apostles how even the closest people to us can oftentimes return like a dog to its vomit. The disclosure of this betrayal along with the later betrayal of Peter who betrayed our Passover Lamb 3 different times before the cock crowed... was a wake-up call to show his Apostles how easy it is to be led astray

by a wonderfully wicked adversary. And how not to let this shake us when it happens to us during the spiritual warfare that was and is to come.

The instruction of the bread and the cup were clearly an example and a commandment that was being laid out before the apostles so that they would know how and why to take communion during the Passover meal in the future and that that communion signified the Passover Lamb's body and his blood. You see, this is why they did not need a physical lamb to eat at this early Passover meal. They were taking in the body of their Passover lamb through the bread. And they were acknowledging the new covenant that his blood would bring by writing the law of his Father on their hearts and in their minds.

Surely... what our Passover Lamb was about to suffer would write the laws of his Father not only across the hearts and minds of his Apostles... but billions if not trillions of apostles to come just as we are told in chapter 31 of the Old Testament and again in the 10<sup>th</sup> chapter of the book of Hebrews in the New Testament.

And therefore, it is imperative that we as true God-fearing, Messiah following, cross-bearing Christians know and understand what we are doing during the celebration of the Passover meal every Passover.

And there should be no doubt in our minds why it is that the Passover is the first event of the year every year according to God's calendar. It is indeed the first and foremost important appointment to remember because the Passover in and of itself is a literal trumpet that calls all of God's people back to Yehovah God.

Without the Passover lamb, there is no redemption, there is no forgiveness, there is no mercy and no grace, and therefore... there is no salvation and there certainly is no everlasting life. Without the Passover lamb, the whole of the Bible comes tumbling to the ground like a house of cards. And this is exactly why the devil has been hiding the Passover

from professing Christians for generations. Think about it.

Do you think the devil wants you to celebrate the anniversary of the death of your Messiah? Do you think the devil wants you to pay attention to the laws of God and to show your love for him by keeping his commandments? Do you think the devil wants you to obey God when Yehovah God told us that his feasts and his appointments were to be forever and throughout our generations? Do you think the devil wants you to know that the true Sabbath of Yehovah God your creator is on the seventh day and not on the first day of the week? Of course not!

And our adversary has done a wonderful job in building a denominational façade in order to obscure and to confuse and to lead astray if possible, even the very elect.

But what our adversary cannot do is to stop the pouring out of the spirit of Yehovah upon his people. What our adversary cannot do is hide these things from those who have the true Ruach Hakodesh of Yehovah and are seeking him diligently. And once again as we have said so many times before we now say again... only those who seek him will find him. If you are sitting in a denominational church pew listening to and trusting the words of a man just because he happens to be standing behind a church pulpit, and you are not testing the fruit of that man... you are putting yourself and your children in danger of being sifted just like everyone else.

The devil will sift you just as he sifts the rest of the world. Your vanity and your pride will grow, and your knowledge and your understanding will diminish. Instead of speaking boldly, you will begin to smile and whisper. And instead of being set apart, you will begin to assimilate yourself with the world who only knows a man-made god of love and nothing of a just God who demands justice. Instead of teaching both the love of God and the wrath of God, you will only gravitate to what your itching ears want to hear. And why? Because that's what the devil wants. He is the adversary of not only your Father in heaven but also of you and

your children and your children's children. And if you take your eyes off of him... he will sift you at the first chance you give him.

The apathetic apostate church today continuously teaches its congregants to assimilate themselves with the world and to yoke themselves together with those who claim to be disciples and are not. The apathetic apostate church today continuously teaches the doctrines of their mother church of Rome who invented a first day of the week Sunday Sabbath and who invented a Good Friday and who invented an Easter Sunday morning and who invented Christ mass all of which are nothing more than pagan man-made traditions and celebrations that have been created to shake our fist in the face of our Father in heaven and the Passover lamb that he has provided for us.

And yet... who is it that we listen to? Who is it that we trust? Who is it that we will die for? Is it our pastor? Is it our church? Is it our denominational dogma? Is it our man-made theologies and traditions that we will die for... and if so... who then is our god? Who is the God that we serve? Is it the God of heaven who created all things seen and unseen who has provided for us a Passover lamb to bring us back to the tree of life so that we are not destroyed by his wrath? Or is it the wretched and decrepit pagan god created by man and the Pope of Rome that has been established by the devil himself?

You see my friends this is not a game. This is not a touchy-feely emotionally driven easy to navigate road that we travel. This is a literal war that we are engaged in. And many have died in this war. Many have given their very lives in this war. The very reason we even have a Bible today is because many others have fought this spiritual warfare and have laid down their lives for what is written within the confines of the pages of this Bible which is the spoken word of Yehovah God the one true Elohim of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.

When we begin to buy into the idea that this is a touchy-feely emotionally driven tiptoe through the tulips war that we fight... we have

already been led into the great deception.

Many people have died in this war make no mistake about it, and many more will die in service of doing battle in this spiritual warfare. This is not a playground; this is a battlefield. And if we are not suited up and fitted with the full armor of Yehovah God, we will not survive it nor will our children or our children's children who are already under severe attack by our adversary and his minions.

This early Passover meal that our Messiah had with his apostles was a meal that explains the Passover event in great detail. A detail that was never seen or understood before. Just as the apostle Paul tells us... the law of God is spiritual and is not to always be kept by the letter. It is to be understood spiritually and kept by those who have the spiritual eyes to see and the spiritual ears to hear.

I tell you the truth, understanding the law spiritually far outweighs keeping the letter of the law. Why? Because it is this spiritual message of the law that our Father in heaven expects us to not only know and understand but to properly execute. And this is what we see our Messiah teaching all through the 5<sup>th</sup> chapter of the book of Matthew where he continually says "you have heard it said... but I tell you".

I once had someone who claimed to be a Torah keeper come to me and proclaim to me that they were going to sacrifice a Passover lamb in their backyard for the Passover. And although there was no doubt in my mind that what they thought they were doing was in remembrance of their Messiah... I felt compelled to once again remind them of the bread and the cup.

Our Messiah had already told us that the bread represents his body... and the cup represents the writing of his Father's law across our hearts through his blood. The Passover Lamb was simply a tool that God used to point to the more important meaning of the Passover. The slaughtering of an innocent unblemished animal cannot atone for your

transgressions the way that your Messiah's body and blood can. The animal lamb was simply a stand-in if you will for the real Passover Lamb who is our Messiah Yeshua. We must remember that our Messiah said, and I quote... "Do this... in remembrance of me".

If the bread is the body of the Lamb and the blood is the new covenant that the Lamb brings... then what need do we have of an animal? The secret of the Passover Lamb has been revealed to us, and therefore what purpose would be slaughtering a stand-in accomplish? Once again listen closely to what is written in **Hebrews chapter 10: (scrn 1)**

**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."

**Heb 10:18** Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.



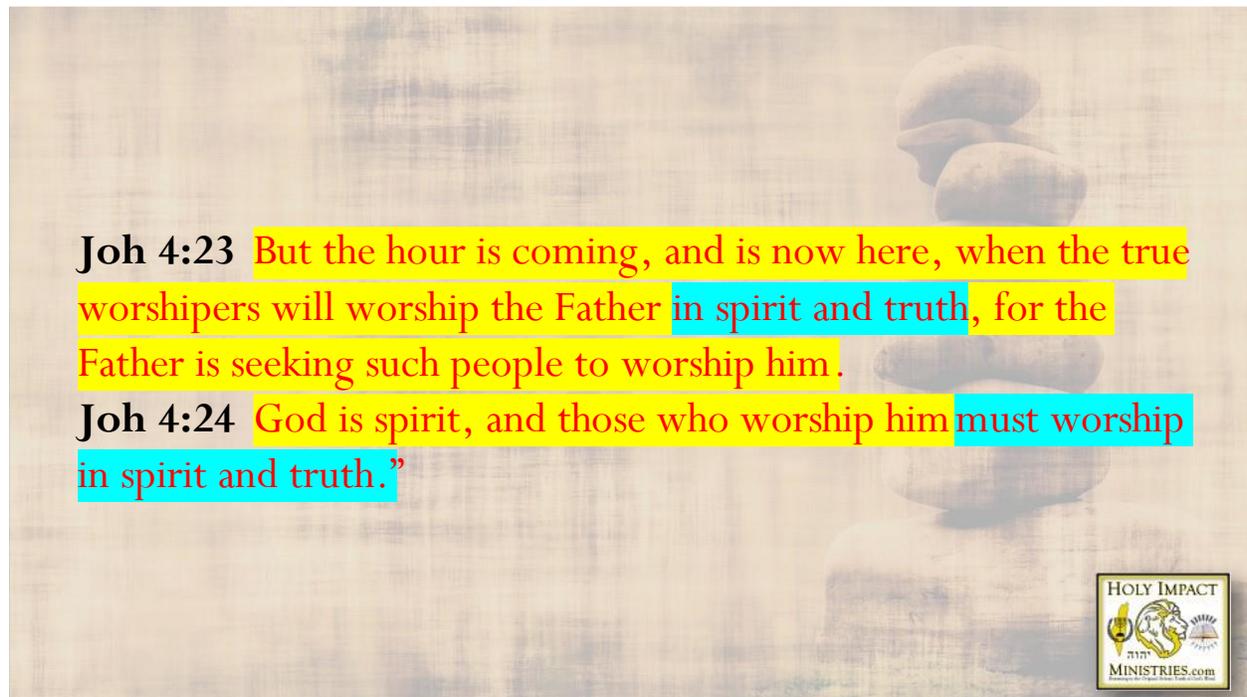
Hebrews tells us very clearly that where there is forgiveness of these transgressions there is no longer any offering for sin. So clearly according to our God-breathed Scripture, there is no longer any offering needed so why kill an innocent animal for nothing?

Some will say in remembrance... but is that not what the bread and the cup are for according to our Passover Lamb?

Once again... the proper spiritual understanding of the law far outweighs keeping the letter of the law.

Once again, what is more important, I ask you plainly... the letter of the law or the spiritual understanding of the law? And if we are keeping the commandment of our Messiah by taking communion in remembrance of him... are we not keeping the law of God?

When we take the bread and the cup during Passover, do we need to slaughter another perfect unblemished lamb? **John 4:23-24 (scrn 2)**



It is important to understand that the law is spiritual? Is it important to understand the difference between the letter of the law and the spiritual meaning of what was commanded?

Many people believe that the apostle Paul spoke out against the law as being a curse. But the truth of the matter is, you simply will not find that in your Bible anywhere. The curse of the law that the apostle Paul was speaking about was the penalty of the law which clearly states that the

wages of sin is death. That was the curse of the law. But the apostle Paul in no way removed or belittled or spoke against the law of God.

**Romans 7:12-25 (scrn 3 show only)**

**Paul Lived In Observance of The Law:**

**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 also live in observance of the law.

**Paul Served The Law:**

**Rom 7:25** Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself serve the law of God with my mind, but with my flesh I serve the law of sin.



In fact, we know that the apostle Paul always lived in observance of the law because James tells us so in Acts chapter 21 verse 24. And we also know that Paul himself openly proclaimed that he served the law of God with his mind but that it was his flesh that got in the way in Romans chapter 7 verse 25. And I would like us to also be aware of what the apostle Paul said in **Romans chapter 7 verses 12 through 25 E1**

**Rom 7:12** So the law is holy, and the commandment is holy and righteous and good.

**Rom 7:13** Did that which is good, then, bring death to me? By no means! It was sin, producing death in me through what is good, in order that sin might be shown to be sin, and through the commandment might become sinful beyond measure.

**Rom 7:14** For we know that the law is spiritual, but I am of the flesh, sold under sin.

**Rom 7:15** For I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate.

Rom 7:16 Now if I do what I do not want, I agree with the law, that it is good.

Rom 7:17 So now it is no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within me.

Rom 7:18 For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh. For I have the desire to do what is right, but not the ability to carry it out.

Rom 7:19 For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I keep on doing.

Rom 7:20 Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within me.

Rom 7:21 So I find it to be a law that when I want to do right, evil lies close at hand.

Rom 7:22 For I delight in the law of God, in my inner being,

Rom 7:23 but I see in my members another law waging war against the law of my mind and making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members.

Rom 7:24 Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death?

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

Clearly once again, we see the apostle Paul proclaiming that the law is not a curse but that the law is holy and the commandment is holy and righteous and good in Romans chapter 7 verse 12. And Paul goes on to explain that we know that the law is spiritual in Romans chapter 7 verse 14. And in Romans chapter 7 verse 16 Paul readily admits that he agrees with the law that it is good. And in Romans chapter 7 verse 22 Paul goes on to explain that he delights in the law of God in his inner being just as he repeats in Romans chapter 7 verse 25.

The proper context of Romans chapter 7 clearly explains that the apostle Paul knew full well that the law was holy, and that the commandment was holy and righteous and good. But the apostle Paul also understood that the law was spiritual. And even though Paul agreed that the law was good and even though he delighted in the law of God and his inner being and he served the law of God with his mind, the apostle Paul also knew that the law of God needed to be spiritually understood.

We must remember why our Father in heaven commanded the house of Israel to do all of these things concerning the Passover in the book of Exodus. Even Yehovah's rescue of his people out of Egypt through Moses pointed directly to the rescue of his people through his Passover Lamb that was to come. Everything that happened during the Exodus by Moses and during the Passover pointed directly to our human Passover lamb who is Yeshua Hamashiach Jesus in the Greek who is likened unto Moses in Deuteronomy chapter 18.

Today we live in a fallen Babylonian world that I would submit to you is becoming more and more each day worse than Egypt. The pagan gods that we have today are just as numerous as the pagan gods of Egypt. But we don't see them because we're not looking for them spiritually.

Take Sukkot for example which is also known as the feast of Tabernacles. Many so-called Torah keepers will self-righteously proclaim that you must gather together in a foreign land to keep the feast of Sukkot which is also known as the feast of Tabernacles. But is this true?

Is the feast of Sukkot not commanded to be kept where God has put his name? And did God not put his name in Jerusalem? And does his name not still reside in Jerusalem? I tell you the truth... the world will soon see that Yehovah's name is indeed in Jerusalem and Jerusalem is indeed the throne of Yehovah and it is clearly written in Zechariah chapter 14 that when our Passover lamb returns to the earth all the nations that do not come to Jerusalem to celebrate the feast of Sukkot will receive no rain. **Zechariah 14:16-19 (scrn 4)**

**Zec 14:16** Then everyone who survives of all the nations that have come against Jerusalem shall go up year after year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Booths

**Zec 14:17** And if any of the families of the earth do not go up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, there will be no rain on them.

**Zec 14:18** And if the family of Egypt does not go up and present themselves, then on them there shall be no rain; there shall be the plague with which the LORD afflicts the nations that do not go up to keep the Feast of Booths.

**Zec 14:19** This shall be the punishment to Egypt and the punishment to all the nations that do not go up to keep the Feast of Booths



I ask you plainly... where do the nations have to go to celebrate the feast of booths also known as Sukkot and Tabernacles? The clear and unadulterated answer to that question is Jerusalem.

Now... with that being said and with this information under our belts as the truth of God's word, let me ask you something else. Is it wrong for God's people to gather together in a foreign land during the feast of booths also known as Sukkot or tabernacles?

The honest answer to that question is a resounding no. There is nothing wrong with gathering together during Sukkot. Most of us do not have enough money or enough resources to even get to Jerusalem in order to celebrate Sukkot where God has put his name. And even though we can clearly see that this law will be re-established after the return of our Messiah, we should be doing all that we can to practice what we know will be re-established and taking place in the very near future.

Those who gather together in booths around the world during the feast of Sukkot are simply practicing what we all know will soon be re-

established for all the nations of the world who survive after coming against Jerusalem.

Today the world could in no way converge upon Jerusalem to keep the feast of booths in the fall. Because of man-made laws and military intervention, it has been made impossible. But when our Messiah returns, all of this will change and just as it is written he will smash these nations like clay pots and will rule over them with a rod of iron and at that point in time, there will be plenty of room and even a beckoning for the nations of the world to return to Jerusalem to celebrate the Feast of Unleavened Bread, Pentecost, and Sukkot before the throne of Yehovah our Elohim and his Passover lamb who sits on the throne of David at his right hand just as Yehovah had promised David.

But in the meantime, we as his selected and elected, and divided set apart people do all that we can to honor him even in this fallen Babylonian world because we love him, and we are always looking for ways to honor him and to worship him in every way that we possibly can bring honor and glory to him.

Is it wrong to gather for Sukkot today in our time? The answer to that question is a resounding no it is not wrong. But... at the same time know this... for those of you who are stuck in place and have no resources and no way to gather or have no group of people around you to gather with... fear not! For it is written, that you are the temple of God and that the spirit of Yehovah lives within you. Shelter in place, build a Sukkot, pitch a tent, and celebrate. Worship him and give thanks for all that he has done for you throughout the year. You are not alone. And therefore let no one bully you or chastise you into thinking that you are a sinner because you do not attend their gathering. There will always be those who love to point their finger at those whose shoes that they do not walk in.

When our Messiah returns there will be no more pour. When our Messiah returns there will be no more destitution. When our Messiah

returns, he will make a way for us all to get to Jerusalem for his appointments, and the laws of men and man's military power will no longer be a hindrance to us. When our Messiah returns to rule the nations with a rod of iron, he will see to it that the poor are taken care of and all of us will once again have that opportunity to gather in that one place where Yehovah our Father has put his name forever.

It is written that our Father in heaven searches the hearts and the minds of men. And although there will always be those who love to point finger in order to wrongly judge a brother or a sister, there will always be those who know the truth. And in the end, all that matters is that we do the truth that we know. And the truth of the matter is that no one who is unable to make it to a man-made Sukkot gathering will be chastised by our Father in heaven or his only begotten Son. But... by the same token... there is no doubt in my mind that those who do gather together in his name will also be blessed for their efforts.

And explain all of this so that you do not feel left out at this time of year. And do not feel alone because you are not alone. And this not only applies to the gatherings of Passover, Pentecost or Sukkot, but it also applies to our daily lives. We are never alone. There is nowhere deep enough that you can go where he is not there. There is nowhere high enough that you can go where he is not there. And we who know and love him are indeed one with him and with each other no matter where in the world that we are. Do not allow our adversary to trick you into thinking that you are all alone. You are not.

When our Messiah returns and when he once again sits upon the throne of his Father in Jerusalem, and once he smashes these nations like clay pot and begins to rule over them with a rod of iron, things will change, laws will change, the world... will change. But until that time, we are indeed slaves to a pagan world just as much as the house of Israel were slaves to pagan Egypt.

Today because of the disobedience of mankind we are now forced to do

what we can when we can. We are forced to practice what we know is good and right and just in the eyes of our Father in heaven when we can and how we can. But I tell you the truth, the day is soon coming when this fallen Babylonian world will no longer be in charge. The day is soon coming when our Messiah, our Passover lamb, the one true mediator between God and man will return to the earth as the lion of Judah. And when he does, he will come to rescue us out from under the bondage of this fallen Babylonian world just like his Father rescued his people out from under the bondage of Egypt. **E2**

Getting back to the institution of the communion that was established by our Messiah in Matthew chapter 26 verses 26 through 29, it's once again important to understand the example that our Messiah was showing his apostles during this early Passover meal that he had with them.

Once again, we see that the bread is a representation of the body of our Passover lamb being eaten at this early Passover meal. And although the bitter herbs are not present at the meal, once again... there was no reason for there to be bitter herbs because our Passover lamb was still sitting there with them giving them the hope of freedom!

And just as a side note... please do not be fooled by eggs and other things that the Babylonian Rabbis' have incorporated into the Passover meal as they are not commanded anywhere in the Torah. They may or may not be used as a teaching tool but they are not commanded so please don't think that these things needed to be seen at the meal of our Messiah and his Apostles.

And once again the cup of wine itself represented the blood of our Messiah, our Passover lamb that would be spilled in order to write the laws of God across our hearts and in our minds. That cup represented the cruelty and the anguish that would take place because of our wickedness. Once again... if what our Passover lamb has done for us does not write the law of God across our hearts and in our minds nothing will. **(scrn 5 show only)**

**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 within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

**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.”

**Heb 10:18** Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.



Once again, it is important for us to mention Jeremiah chapter 31 of the Old Testament and Hebrews chapter 10 of the New Testament because once again the New Testament is indeed a fulfillment of the Old Testament. But it's important that we know what this means.

In Jeremiah chapter 31 verse 33 our Father in heaven promised us that he would put his law within our hearts and that he would be our God and we would be his people. That promise is repeated verbatim in Hebrews chapter 10 in the New Testament where we are once again told that this new covenant that he will make with his people will be that he will put his law in the hearts and in the minds of his people just as he commanded clear back in Deuteronomy chapter 6 of the Old Testament back in the beginning. **(scrn 6 show only)**

**Deu 6:4** “Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one.

**Deu 6:5** You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.

**Deu 6:6** And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart.

**Deu 6:7** You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.

**Deu 6:8** You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes.

**Deu 6:9** You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.



Once again, we see here in Deuteronomy chapter 6 what is known as the “Shema” which in the Hebrew language means “to hear”. And Moses tells us here in Deuteronomy chapter 6 and I quote, “hear O Israel” which is to “Shema” O Israel... And Moses goes on to tell God’s children once again that God is not three but that he is one and always has been one and always will be one and that we are to love that one, God, with all of our hearts with all of our souls and with all of our might.

But I want us to pay close attention to Deuteronomy chapter 6 verse six once again where it is written that these words that Yehovah God commands us shall be on our hearts! He says that we should teach them diligently to our children and talk of them when we sit in our houses and when we walk by the way and when we lie down and when we rise. We are to bind them as a sign on our hands and they are to be as frontlets between our eyes and we are to write them on the doorposts of our houses and on our gates. Why?

Because this was always the intention of our Father in heaven from the

very beginning. You see the New Testament is really not a New Testament. This new covenant promised by Yehovah God that we read about here in Deuteronomy chapter 6 and again in Jeremiah chapter 31 and again in the New Testament in Hebrews chapter 10 and again in Luke chapter 22 is simply a re-establishment of the old covenant. As it is written, the word of Yehovah God does not return to him empty. When Yehovah God speaks something, it becomes universal law, and the universe bows down. It is also written that God proclaims the end from the beginning in Isaiah chapter 46.

So, what is there that is actually new in what we call “the New Testament”? What is actually new in this new covenant? I would submit to you that the only thing new is that the Passover lamb that our Father in heaven had planned for thousands of years had finally come to fulfill everything that he was already showing his children back in the days of Moses!

We are simply coming full circle back to God the Father. You see our Father in heaven in his ultimate wisdom already knew that because we were a fallen race, we would need a Passover lamb. He already knew because we were a fallen race born into sinful flesh... that we were going to need a Passover lamb. And this is exactly why our Father in heaven has shown us his mercy and his grace from the beginning of the existence of mankind.

You see all of this was planned out long before the serpent tricked Adam and Eve into disobeying our Father in heaven.

Did our Father in heaven know what the serpent was going to do? Did our Father in heaven know that man was going to fall? Did our Father in heaven want man to ultimately know the difference between good and evil? What was the serpent after? The serpent was after the throne of God! And the serpent hated man because the serpent knew that Yehovah God had created man to also be part of his heavenly family and his divine counsel just the way that the Angels of heaven were created to be

part of his family and his divine counsel. The same divine council that we read about in Psalms chapter 82 which we won't get into here today because we only have so much time.

But the point that I'm trying to expound upon here is that from the very establishment of the Passover our Father in heaven was literally rolling out a red carpet for the arrival of our Passover lamb who would become through David his faithful servant... God's only begotten Son. All of this was preplanned. And who is it that ultimately wound up sitting on the throne of God himself? Was it the serpent?... No! The very throne that the serpent was seeking was given to man. A man by the name of Yeshua Hamashiach the Son of David the Son of Abraham. (scrn 7)

**Rev 3:21** The one who conquers, I will grant him to sit with me on my throne, as I also conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne.

**Rev 3:22** He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'"



Once again it is imperative to understand the importance of the anniversary of the death of our Messiah and exactly what was being fulfilled and what was taking place so that the scriptures might be fulfilled.

And it is also equally important for us to understand that just because the

scriptures were fulfilled in the New Testament... this does not mean that the scriptures have been erased or abolished in any way as the apostate church foolishly teaches! I ask you plainly... did our Messiah come to abolish the Law or the Prophets or to fulfill the law and the prophets? Because both cannot be true according to our **Matthew 20 E2**

### **Christ Came to Fulfill the Law**

**Mat 5:17** "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them.

**Mat 5:18** For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished.

**Mat 5:19** Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven.

**Mat 5:20** For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

Our Messiah explains very clearly here in Matthew chapter 5 that he did not come to abolish the Law or the Prophets but that he came to do them as an example for us to also... do them. And therefore, just because the law has been fulfilled does not mean that it has been abolished. (**scrn 8 show only**)

**DID OUR MESSIAH SAY:**

Mat 5:17 “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to **ABOLISH** them.

**OR DID HE SAY:**

Mat 5:17 “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to **FULFILL** them.



Did our Messiah say “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets I have not come to abolish them but to abolish them”? Or... did he say “Do not think that I have come to **abolish** the Law or the Prophets, I have not come to abolish them but to **fulfill** them”?

Because the apostate church today will blatantly lie to you and to your children and tell them that the first is correct and that the second is a lie. And exactly what was **the original Greek word for “fulfill”**? (scrn 9)

G4137

πληρόω

**Fulfill = plēroō**

play-ro'-o

From G4134; to make replete, that is, (literally) to cram (a net), level up (a hollow), or (figuratively) **to furnish** (or imbue, diffuse, influence), satisfy, **execute (an office)**, finish (a period or task), verify (or coincide with a prediction), etc.:- **accomplish**, X after, (be) complete, end, expire, fill (up), fulfil, (be, make) full (come), **fully preach**, perfect, supply.

Total KJV occurrences: 90



The original Greek word for the English word “fulfill” is the Greek word “pleroo” which as we can see here according to Strong’s Greek definitions does not mean nor has it ever meant “abolished”. The Greek word “pleroo” simply means to furnish or to execute an office or to accomplish or to fully preach. It does not mean “abolished” and our Messiah tells us very clearly that it does not mean abolished right here in Matthew chapter 5 when he tells us that he did not come to abolish the Law or the Prophets! And therefore... with all of these biblical truths laid out before us... it should be evidently clear that the apostate church has once again been found to be weighed and wanting.

And who is preaching against these abominations? Who is it that is shouting from the rooftops that the devil himself has taken control of the church? Who is it that is willing to stand? Who is it that is willing to put on the full armor of God and to get into the fight and to slay this, Dragon? Who is it that is willing to save people from following the Judas goat into the slaughterhouse? Who is it that is willing to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world?

My hope and my prayer is that I now have you on your feet excitedly raising your hand and shouting me! Me! Me! I will do it, I will stand, I will endure, I will conquer, I want some of the hidden manna and a white stone with a new name written on it, I want the Morning Star, I want my name in the Lamb's book of life, I want to be a pillar in the temple of Yehovah my Elohim, I want a new name, I want the salvation that has been promised to me by my Messiah! I will stand and I will fight, and I will speak boldly for his namesake!

Once again, my friends, this is a spiritual warfare that we are engaged in, this is not a kindergarten class. We are not tiptoeing through the tulips my friends, we are dredging through the trenches of deception and deceit and the snares of the evil one. And I tell you the truth, those who do not understand that this is a spiritual war that we are engaged in will not make it through this spiritual warfare.

This is a war between the truth and a lie. It's a war between what is sweet and what is bitter. It's a war between the light and the darkness. It's not a game and should not be treated as a game. And once again it must be made evidently clear that people have died and given their lives for the truth is that we have within these God-breathed Scriptures. And those troublesome days are not only going to return... but according to our Messiah, they're going to be worse than we have ever seen and the days ahead will be so bad that they will never be seen again.

Peace and safety peace and safety is for those who will experience sudden destruction that will come upon them like the pains of pregnant women, and they will not escape. Not says I... but says our God-breathed Scripture.

The question is not how big you can smile. The question is not how quietly you can speak. The question is not how friendly you can be with the enemy. The question is will you be so bold as to speak the truth to your enemy so that you may win him as your brother? It's not about smiling it's about weeping. It's not about speaking softly it's about

speaking boldly. It's not about assimilating ourselves with the world and holding hands with the enemy and singing Kumbaya... it's about being elected, separated, and divided from the world, and being a set apart chosen people who are willing to stand up and go through the deception of the wicked one to the ground! Do not let them lie to you. Do not think that this is going to be a walk in the park because it's not. It wasn't a walk in the park for the prophets it wasn't a walk in the park for the apostles it wasn't a walk in the park for our Messiah and it's not going to be a walk in the park for us either!

If you don't know the truth, you're not going to make it. If your children don't know the truth, they're not going to make it. And if your children's children don't know the truth, they're not going to make it. And if you don't proclaim the truth, you're not going to make it.

My friends the truth of the Passover is worth more than all the gold in Texas and California or anywhere else on earth. It is written that in the last days the wicked will be tossing their gold and their silver into the streets because it won't be able to fill their bellies or save them from the destruction that's to come. You can buy all the gold you want. But I tell you the truth... if you are not setting up your treasure in the kingdom to come, you will not make it. And if you've never heard these truths anywhere else before... you've it here today.

There is no such thing as a Roman Catholic created Good Friday or a Roman Catholic created Easter Sunday morning. There is only the Passover the feast of unleavened bread and first fruits and the feast of weeks. And I tell you the truth, the seventh day Sabbath of Yehovah God is a sign between him and his people. And when our Messiah comes his people will be marked with that sign from keeping that seventh-day Sabbath that our Father in heaven is commanded from the very beginning. And those who are keeping a first day of the week Sunday Sabbath in honor of the Pope of Rome who created that first day of the week Sunday Sabbath... will have to give an answer as to why they worshiped the pope of Rome instead of the Elohim of Abraham, Isaac,

and Jacob. And I don't want to be standing next to you while your trying to explain that one!

We must be careful to do our Father's will. We must be careful who it is that we honor and give credence to. We must be careful whose word it is that we are obedient to and whose word is that we worship. It is written, you shall have no other the Elohim, no other gods before me. I would submit to you my friends that this fallen Babylonian world is full... Jam packed full to the brim... with other gods and so too is the apostate church and the abominations that she has drug into the house of Yehovah God.

And therefore, the question begs... where do you stand? On which side of the fence will you be found? Because if you are lukewarm, he will spit you out of his mouth. Will you engage, or will you disengage? Will you stand or will you sit? Will you take the gold that he has given you and multiply it, or will you dig a hole in the ground and hide it? Will you let your light shine, or will you put it under a bowl?

There is much more to be said about the Passover and we will pick up where we left off next Saturday at 11 AM Eastern Standard Time to cover even more biblical truth concerning this most important event of the year, but if we have taught anything today on her Father's seventh-day Sabbath, let it be this... we do not wrestle against flesh and blood but against the rulers of high places, against the authorities, against cosmic powers over this present darkness, against spiritual forces of evil in heavenly places. The belt of truth, the breastplate of righteousness, the gospel of peace, the shield of faith, the helmet of salvation and the sword of the spirit which is the word of God are more than capable of winning this war. The question is... who will put on the armor? Who will get into the fight? Who will even recognize the war that we are in as a war? Who will stand... and who will shrink back?

Knowing the truth of Yehovah God's word and his Passover and sharing that truth with others and refuting the lies of the wicked and rejecting the

doctrines of men and the traditions of men is putting on the full armor of God. And I challenge you this day... to suit up because this very day there are people that are dying on the battlefield of truth. And there are literally hundreds of thousands of people who need us to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world fully fitted with... the full armor of Yehovah God.

Next week we will take a look at who is suited to partake of the bread and the cup and who is not suited to partake of the bread and the cup. And we'll also talk about the commandment of circumcision for the Gentile which also is tied into the commandment of the Passover.

That's next Saturday morning 11 AM Eastern Standard Time on her father's seventh-day Sabbath.

But as for today as we close the books, I will once again ask you to please take what you have heard here today 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 today be true or not.

Ask, seek, and knock on his door and on his door alone so that the proper door can 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.