

## Matthew Chapter 28 The Resurrection Commission

Once again before we get started here this morning, I would like to welcome everyone and say thank you for sharing your time with us here this morning as we examine the last chapter of the book of Matthew which has everything to do with the resurrection of our Messiah along with the commission of his disciples which is also much more important than some believe.

Although the resurrection event in of itself was not witnessed by any of the apostles or the women that followed along with him, the explanation of the resurrection was once again given by two angels that were at the tomb when Mary Magdalene and the other Mary who was the wife of Clopas, and the sister of the mother of Yeshua arrived.

And what's interesting about this account is that Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John all wrote about this resurrection event and how it unfolded. But we must remember that Matthew neither Mark neither Luke or John were among the first to reach the tomb that Sunday morning. It was the women that were the first ones to realize what had happened and it was the women that the two angels of Yehovah God had spoken to and given specific instructions to.

And therefore, as we read the accounts of the resurrection according to Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, we are going to find that there are going to be what seem to be some small differences between these four accounts of these four very different men.

We must remember that these were four different men who had gathered information from the women who were there. And it makes absolutely perfect sense that some of these men would have asked different questions than the other men would have asked. And it makes perfect sense that in all of the excitement some of the more important details may have been left out according to each one of these four different men who were trying to piece together what had just happened and what they perceived to be important aspects of that event.

And so, the resurrection details concerning exactly what took place early that Sunday morning before the sun had actually fully risen needs to be pieced together by all four of these apostles who were told what happened by the women who were there.

It's important to remember that we are not reading the book of Mary here in the New Testament. In fact, we are not reading the book of either one of the two Mary's who were there to witness these angels and who carried out the very specific instructions of these two angels.

Keeping all of this in mind, what we are reading about in the gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John are all second hand accounts of what took place when the women first went to the tomb that Sunday morning on the first day of the week. With that being said... I would like for us to now turn to Matthew chapter 28, and I would like to read through verses one through 10. And so, let's begin our study this morning by reading **Matthew chapter 28 verses one through 10 E1** 

## The Resurrection

Mat 28:1 Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb.

Mat 28:2 And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it.

Mat 28:3 His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow.

Mat 28:4 And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men.

Mat 28:5 But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified.

Mat 28:6 He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay.

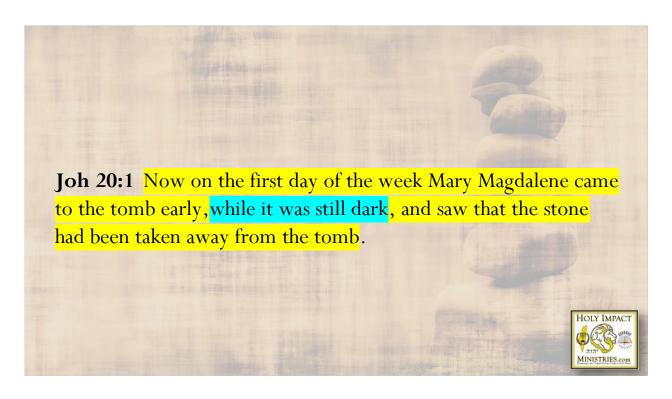
Mat 28:7 Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you."

Mat 28:8 So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples.

Mat 28:9 And behold, Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him.

Mat 28:10 Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me."

The very first thing that we see Matthew making mention of here is the fact that it was now after the Sabbath which would have been Saturday. It was Sunday the first day of the week and it would have still been dark at that point in time. How do we know that? We know that according to John's account of this exact same event found in **John chapter 20 verse one (scrn 1)** 

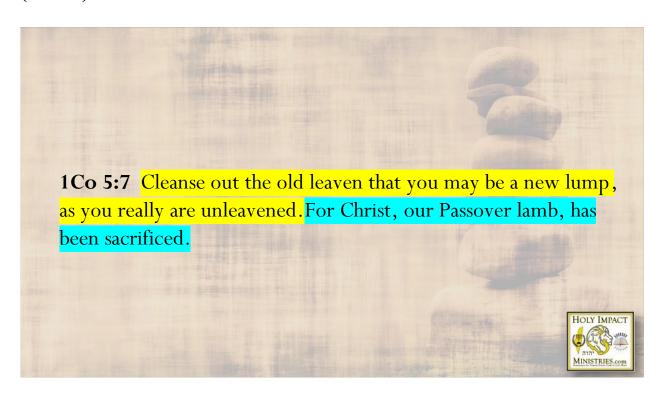


Another point that needs to be made is that our Messiah had originally prophesied that he would be in the heart of the earth for three days and for three nights according to Matthew chapter 12 verse 40 (scrn 2)



And therefore, because our Messiah gave us a very exact timeline by splitting up the days and the nights into categories of 3 separate time frames... we should be wise enough to know that it is impossible for our Messiah to have been crucified on a Roman Catholic created Good Friday. For if he had been crucified on a Friday, he would not have been resurrected after three days and three nights.

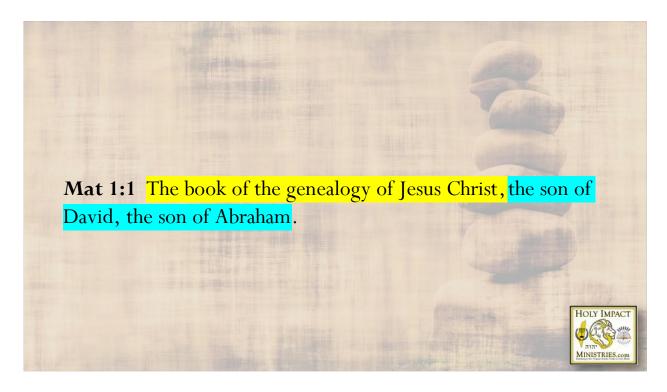
If he had been crucified on Friday that's one day, Saturday is two days, and you do not have a third day. And you have Friday night, and you have Saturday night, but you do not have a third night. And therefore, the Roman Catholic created spectacle of Good Friday is found weighed and wanting according to our God breathed Scripture. But of this we are already sure... because we have already made mention of the fact that our Messiah did not die on a Roman Catholic created Good Friday, but rather on Passover day. And this is exactly why our Messiah is referred to as our Passover lamb in **first Corinthians chapter 5 verse seven** (scrn 3)



And therefore, let it be known throughout the whole world that our

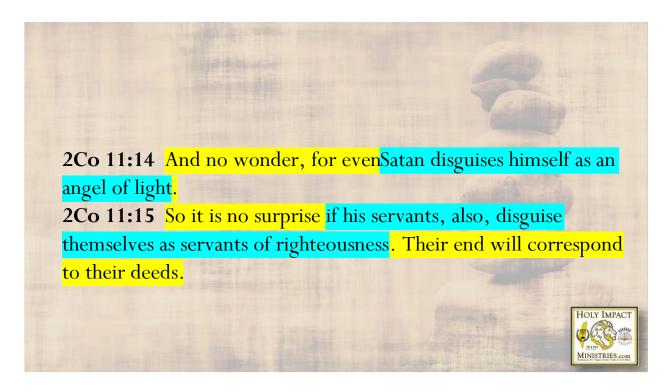
Messiah the only begotten Son of Yehovah God Son of David Son of Abraham was not crucified on a Friday. And let it be known throughout the whole world that Roman Catholicism is not, and I repeat not Christianity. Roman Catholicism is exactly that... it is Roman Catholicism. And those who teach the doctrines of Roman Catholicism are also of their mother church of Rome. It is indeed another religion that is a false religion that many of today's modern day so-called protestant churches and denominations now hail from.

We cannot say it enough. There are indeed two very different religions that are being called "Christianity" today. One is true Christianity which just as the title is defines... are the true followers of our Messiah Yeshua who is the only begotten Son of God, Son of David, Son of Abraham just as Matthew tells us in Matthew chapter 1 verse one the very first sentence of the New Testament. (scrn 4)

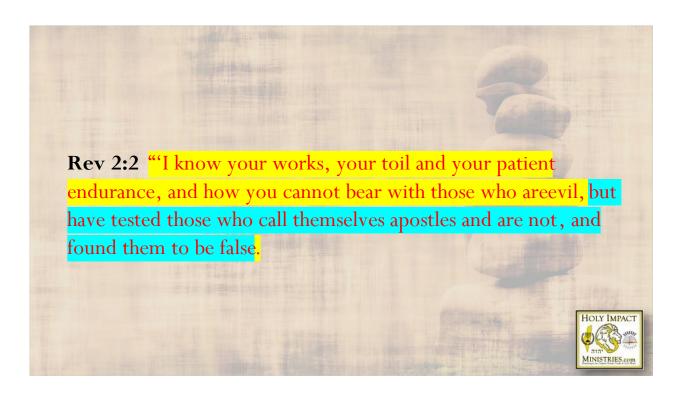


And the other religion that calls itself "Christianity" is a false religion that clearly does not follow our Messiah but follows after the doctrines and dogmas of the Church of Rome and her Pagan Pope who is indeed a man of lawlessness who opposes and exalts himself above every socalled god or object of worship so that he takes his seat in the hearts of God's people proclaiming himself to be... God.

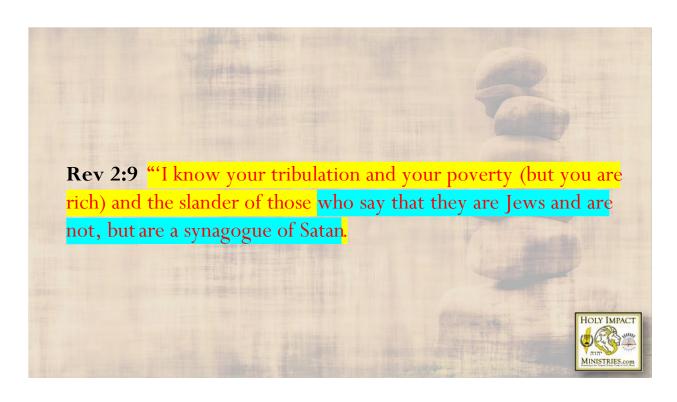
You see, as we have said from the very beginning, the devil has his own army of Christians. During the dark ages this army of false Christians literally murdered whole societies of people like the Albigenses and the Waldenses and the Hussites because that they believed in sola Scripture which means Scripture only. And these true Christians were at that time rebelling against the devil's false church of Catholicism and her pagan Pope. (scrn 5) show only



It is written, that Satan disguises himself as an angel of light and so to do his servants who also dress themselves up as angels of light. And this is exactly why our Messiah praised the assembly at Ephesus (scrn 6)



Our Messiah praised the assembly at Ephesus for testing those who call themselves disciples (in other words Christians)... and found them to be false. And just as he praised the assembly and Ephesus for weeding out these false Christians... he also praised the assembly in Smyrna for weeding out false Jews as well (scrn 7)

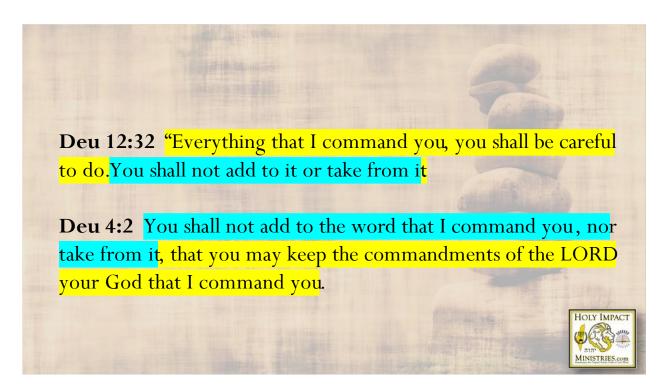


Just because someone walks around with the Bible in their hand... just because someone is standing behind a pulpit... just because someone has graduated seminary school... just because someone has years of philosophy training in the works of Plato and Aristotle and Socrates... this does not mean that this person is a of Yehovah God. And this is something that we as modern-day Christians need to sit up and take note of today in our time because I tell you the truth... many professing Christians today have no idea what is written in their Bibles. They have no idea that their Messiah died on Passover day and was always considered by the true apostles to be our Passover lamb. And the very reason that they have no idea about any of these things is because they have willfully and intentionally sat unknowingly in the devil's church some of them for years upon years and even for generations have thought and believed that what they have been told from the pulpit is true and just... all the while being led down into the pit by the devil and his servants who all love to dress themselves up like Angels of light.

And therefore, knowing that our Messiah personally prophesied that he would be in the heart of the earth for three days and for three nights...

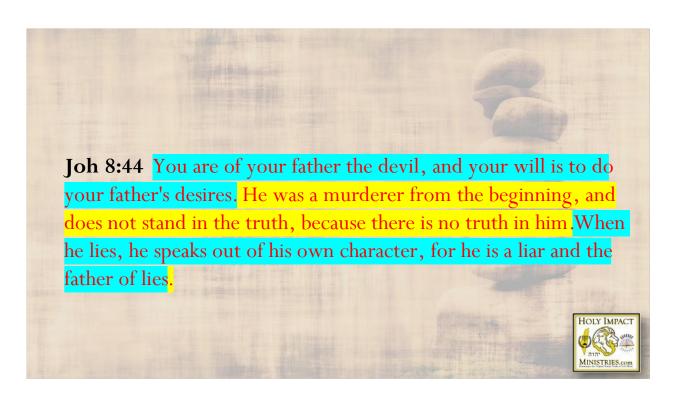
we are left with no other conclusion other than the fact that those who teach against the red-letter words of our Messiah are indeed apostate. They are indeed flat-out liars and there is nothing else that can be said about these heresies.

To hide the anniversary of the death of our Messiah is a shame. It is a heresy. It is adding to the word of God and it is taking away from the word of God which God himself says is a sin. (scrn 8)



When you lie to people flat out... and when you willfully and intentionally, and deliberately start preaching the exact opposite of what our God breathed Scripture says... you make yourself a child of the devil. You literally become a son of Satan. How do we know that?

Once again, we know this from the red-letter teachings of our Messiah who told the pastors and the priests and the bishops and the rabbis and the popish leaders of his time that they were indeed children of the devil because they were liars. John chapter 8 verse 44 (scrn 9)



And it is extremely important that we understand today in our time, that nothing has changed. When a man dresses himself up as an angel of light and calls himself a man of God and then blatantly chooses to refute the spoken word of God... he becomes a son of Satan. Not says I... but says the very red-letter words of our Messiah who told the pastors and the priests and the rabbis of his time this very same exact thing.

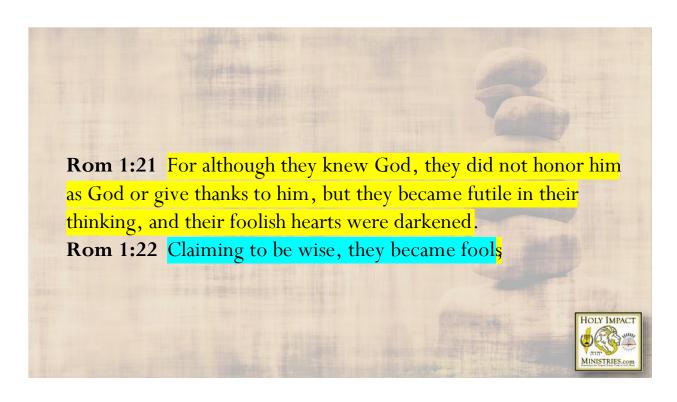
This is not something new that I am teaching here this morning. These are things that were taught by our Messiah himself along with his Apostles who all warned us about these kinds of people who would be and already were... entering into the flock. This is not something that has been made up or concocted by some man or the charter of some group of men. This is something that all men and all charters of men should be taking to heart. But you see... just the opposite is happening. And why? Because just as our Messiah has already told us... by adding to his Father's word and taking away from his Father's word they have become liars who serve the father of all lies who is the devil, Satan himself. First Corinthians chapter 3 verses 18 through 20 (scrn 10)

1Co 3:18 Let no one deceive himself. If anyone among you thinks that he is wise in this age, let him become a fool that he may become wise.

1Co 3:19 For the wisdom of this world is folly with God For it is written, "He catches the wise in their craftiness,"

1Co 3:20 and again, "The Lord knows the thoughts of the wise, that they are futile."

Those who become wise in their own eyes through the philosophy of Plato and Aristotle and Socrates and men who gather together within charters of men who also think that they are wise are the exact men standing behind our pulpits today preaching and teaching that our Messiah died on a Roman Catholic created Good Friday instead of honoring the anniversary of the death of our Messiah who was crucified on Passover day in order to be our Passover lamb according to our God breathed Scripture. And many things like these they do. **Romans chapter 1 verses 21 and 22 (scrn 11)** 



I tell you the truth... there are people out there who absolutely hate me pointing these things out because they just love their pastor, and they just think that he is God's gift to humanity. But I tell you the truth God would not give you a lie and he certainly would not give you a liar to lead you and your children down into the pit.

These men who dress themselves up like Angels of light in order to be servants of Satan himself even unbeknownst to themselves are the exact same people who will argue until they are blue in the face against what is written right here within the confines of our God breathed Scripture. And this is not something new my friends. This has been going on clear back in the days of Jeremiah. Jeremiah chapter 8 verses eight and nine (scrn 12)

Jer 8:8 "How can you say, 'We are wise, and the law of the LORD is with us'? But behold, the lying pen of the scribes has made it into a lie.

Jer 8:9; they shall be dismayed and taken; The wise men shall be put to shame behold, they have rejected the word of the LORD, so what wisdom is in them?

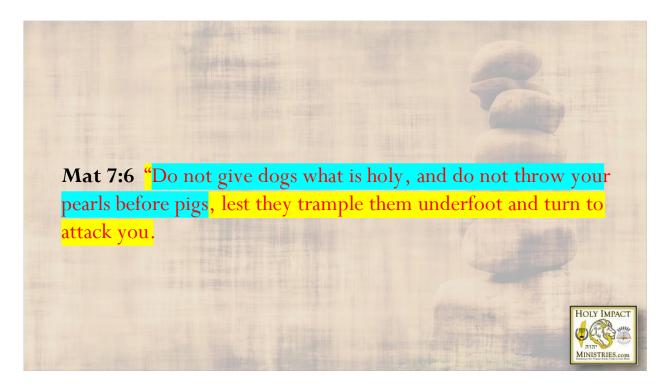


How can these men say that they are wise? Most of them today believe that the law of Yehovah God is dead and even a curse if you even attempt to understand it. But I tell you the truth... these so-called wise men will indeed be put to shame because they have rejected the word of Yehovah God. And I also tell you the truth... when I tell you that there is no wisdom in them.

And what upsets me the most about what is going on within Christianity today is that often times we will be able to show a would be Christian the truth according to Scripture and they will immediately understand it... but... will then go running right back into the arms of the wolf in sheep's clothing that deceived them in the first place in order to be reprogrammed and you never hear from that person again. Why? Because instead of accepting the truth of God's word that they just read within the word of God... they willfully and intentionally chose to turn around and go right back into the devil's den and to return like a dog to its vomit and like a pig to its mire.

Our Messiah gives us some astounding information right here in the

book of Matthew concerning arguing with people who simply refuse the truth of the word of Yehovah God that he became in the flesh. And I think that it's important to know and to understand that not everyone is going to accept the truth as written in the Bible. There will always be those who think that they know better than what the Bible which is the word of Yehvoah God actually says. **Matthew chapter 7 verse six** (scrn 13)



Here in Matthew chapter 7 our Messiah tells us not to give dogs what is holy and not to throw our pearls before pigs. And this is something that we must all be attentive to because they will trample us underfoot and turn and attack us make no mistake about it and this is exactly why our Messiah commanded his Apostles that if they did not own a sword, that they should sell their cloaks and go buy one. And we see this each and every day. Those who think in their small minds that they know better than what our God breathed Scripture says... those who think in their small minds that we should shut up and go along with the system. Those who think in their small minds that we should hold hands with all denominations and sing Kumbaya. Those who think in their small minds

that they have the authority to usurp the word of Yehovah God and turn it into lasciviousness.

I tell you the truth my friends, the day that we succumb to such wisdom of men is the day that we just lake Adam succumb to the serpent and become his children.

And therefore, as we read down through this last chapter of the book of Matthew, we begin to see the apostasy that is the church has by in large become today. We begin to see the heresy that was already in play clear back in Jeremiah's time. And this is exactly why we must, and I repeat "must" read these God breathed Scriptures for ourselves and know and understand exactly what they do say and just as importantly know and understand exactly what they do not say. And for this very reason we must meticulously search through these scriptures by renewing our minds daily in order to stay focused on exactly what the word of God says and just as importantly what the word of God does not say. And we cannot say it enough.

Getting back to Matthew chapter 28 verse one... we know that it was indeed still dark when our Messiah was resurrected. How do we know this? We know this because of the timeline that our Messiah gave to us. Our Messiah did not say that he would be in the heart of the earth for three days and two nights. He said that he would be in the heart of the earth for three days and three nights and in that specific order. And therefore, if we trust our Messiah and his words over the words of men and their words... we already know that our Messiah had to have been resurrected before sunrise that Sunday morning on the first day of the week according to our Messiah who had already told us that he would be in the heart of the earth for three days and for three nights in that order.

Moving down through Matthew chapter 28 verses five through seven we find some very specific instructions that were given to the women by the Angels who were at the tomb that morning. (scrn 14) show only

Mat 28:5 But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified.

Mat 28:6 He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay.

Mat 28:7 Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you"

The Angels tell the women to go quickly and to tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead. And I also find it extremely interesting that it was indeed the women who were the first to know about this resurrection. It was the women not the men who were given this privilege to be the messengers of Yeshua personally. And who better fitting than his own mother and his mother's sister to deliver this resurrection message to the world?

And according to Matthew chapter 28 verse nine Yeshua even meets with the women and they fell at his feet and began to worship him as he tells them not to be afraid but to go tell his brothers to go to Galilee where he will also meet with them. And there are a couple of other things here in Matthew chapter 28 verses nine and 10 that we need to make note of as well.

The first one is that our Messiah calls his disciples his brothers. He doesn't call them his servants; he doesn't call them his disciples. (scrn 15) show only

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Brothers = adelphos ad-el-fos'

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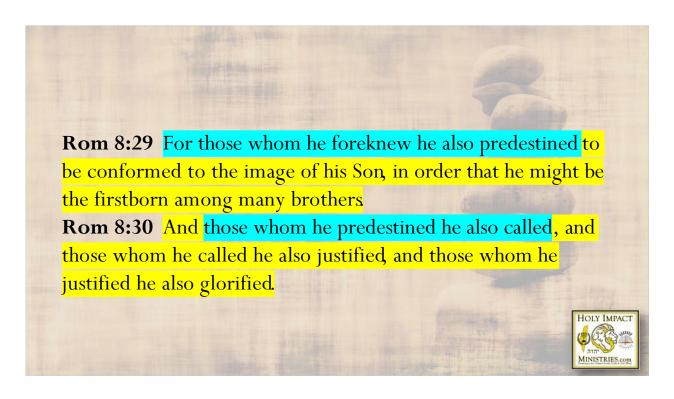
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He calls them "adelphos" in the Greek... which means... brothers. And this is no small matter. The biblical fact that our Messiah was created by his Father in order to be used as a vessel to further his Father's kingdom is something else that the church today has long ago traded for a Roman Catholic deception.

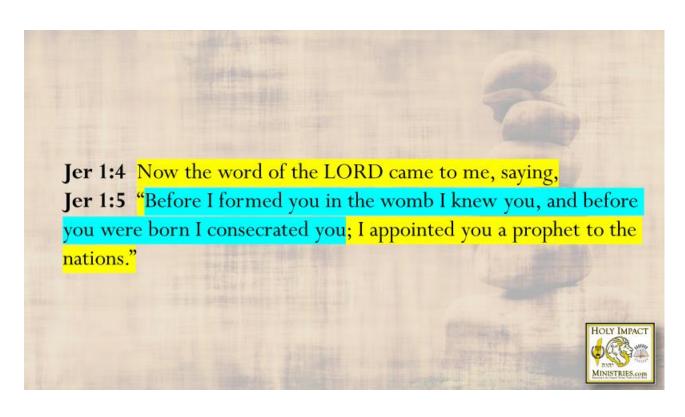
Was our Messiah a creation of Yehovah God his Father? The church today by and large teaches no... that he was always preexistent and therefore could not have been created by God. But once again, when we look to our God breathed Scriptures, we find a much different truth than the false truth that the apostate church is now propagating.

Pre-existence certainly does not prove that Yeshua Jesus was not created by God. In order to hold the title "Son of God" in of itself implies without question that you are indeed a product created by God. According to the Bible we were all predestined. **Romans 8:29 (scrn 16)** 

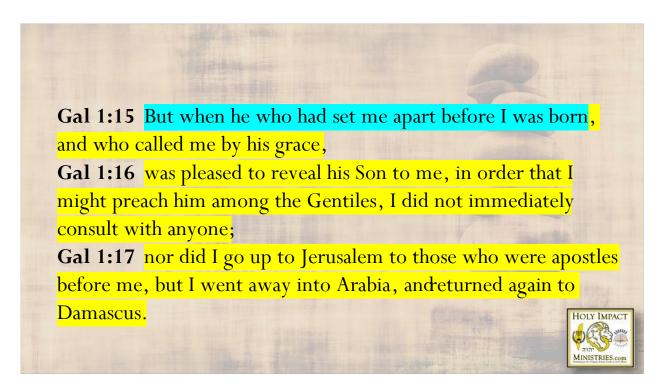


And yet when we hear that our Messiah was predestined or foreknew... today's denominational charters of men jump to the wildest conclusions possible that have nothing to do with Scripture and everything to do with a man-made doctrine of demons that does nothing but add to God's word and take away from God's word.

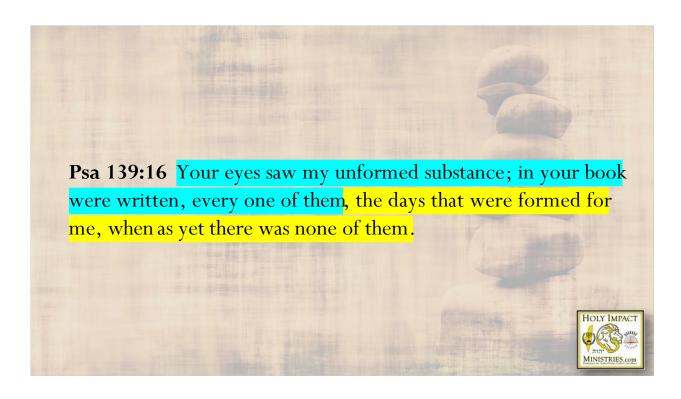
Even the prophet Jeremiah was predestined according to Scripture. **Jeremiah 1:4-5 (scrn 17)** 



Even the Apostle Paul tell us that he was set apart before he was born in Galatians chapter 1 verse 15 (scrn 18)



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Even in the book of Psalms we see that each and every one of us came from an unformed substance before we were born and that we were known by our Father in heaven, and therefore do not let them lie to you concerning the mysterious origins of your Messiah. But rather be educated and informed and level headed concerning his word not easily shaken or moved from the truth. Who is it that will worship the beast according to the book of Revelation? **Revelation 13:7-8 (scrn 20)** 

Rev 13:7 Also it was allowed to make war on the saints and to conquer them. And authority was given it over every tribe and people and language and nation,

Rev 13:8 and all who dwell on earth will worship it, everyone whose name has not been written before the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who was slain.



According to God's word if you are not predestined and your name was not written in the book of life before the foundation of the world you will be the one that will worship the beast!

And therefore... let us put this petty argument behind us and be mature in the word enough to not be tossed to and fro and carried about by every wind of doctrine and by human cunning and craftiness and deceitful scheme.

Who was it that our Father in heaven said would crush the head of the serpent? Was it not the offspring of a human woman that would crush the head of the serpent according to Scripture? (scrn 21)

Gen 3:15 I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."

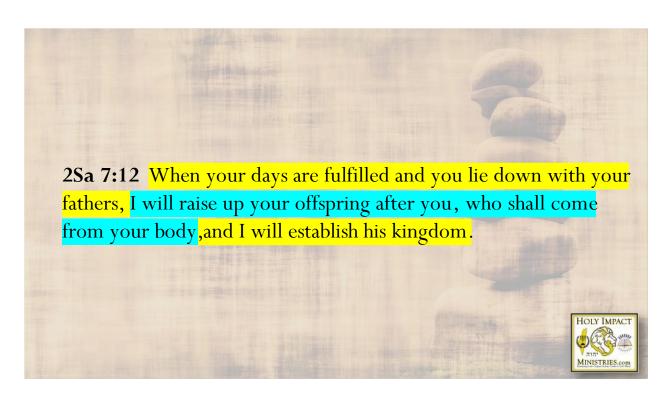
Deu 18:18 I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers. And I will put my words in his mouth, and he shall speak to them all that I command him.

2Sa 7:12 When your days are fulfilled and you lie down with your fathers, I will raise up your offspring after you, who shall come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom.

## Revelation chapter 22 verse 16 (scrn 22)



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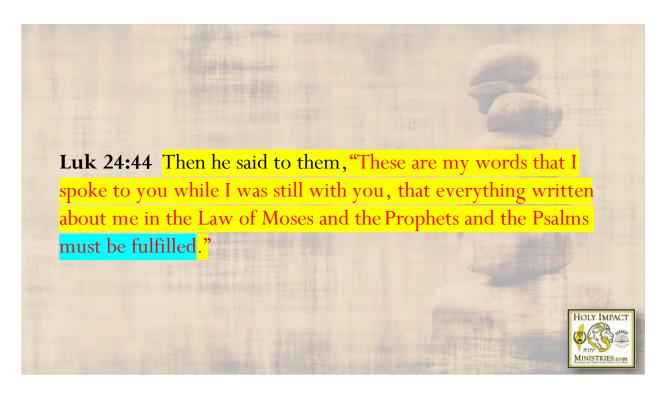
Clearly in second Samuel chapter 7 verse 12 our Father in heaven says and I quote, "I will raise up your offspring after you" (speaking to David).

Our Father in heaven does not say that he is going to raise up a preexistent heaven-sent Angel according to the church, or some pagan trinity god. Our Father in heaven says and I quote, "I will raise up your offspring after you David". And this offspring was promised by Yehvoah God to be raised up from among the brothers of the house of Israel according to Deuteronomy chapter 18.

Now my friends, let me add this... if Jesus is not the offspring of David... if Jesus was not raised up by Yehovah God from among the brothers of the house of Israel according to Deuteronomy chapter 18... if Jesus is not the offspring of a human woman according to Genesis chapter 3 verse 15... then this Jesus that the church today falls down and worships is not our Messiah according to Yehovah God and his prophets.

For what we are reading about here in the Old Testament are indeed the

qualifications of the Messiah to come. And according to these qualifications spoken of by our Father in heaven, in order for Jesus to be the anointed one of Yehovah God he must, and I repeat "must" meet all of these qualifications written about in the Old Testament. Not says I... But says our very own Messiah himself in Luke chapter 24 verse 44 (scrn 24)

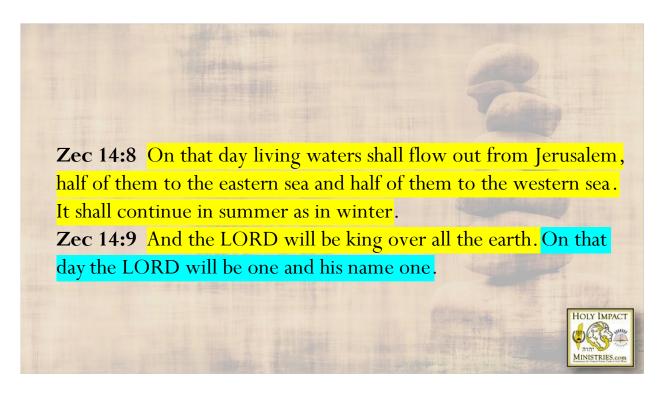


And therefore, in order for me as a man of God to believe in a Roman Catholic pagan Trinity God who is likened unto an egg... would indeed be for me to worship another pagan God. For it is written that our God is one God and that there is no other like him. (scrn 25) show only

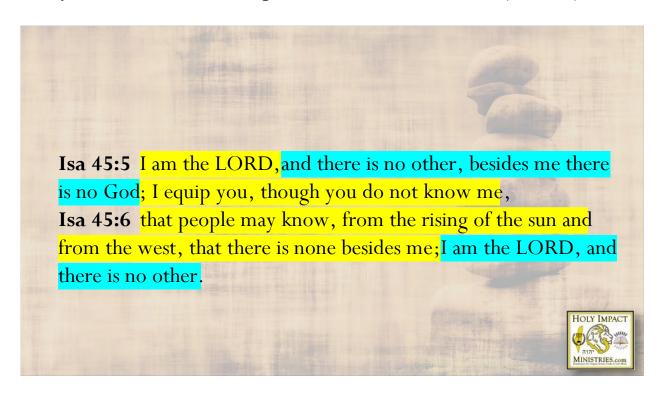
Zec 14:16 Then everyone who survives of all the nations that have come against Jerusalem shall go up year after year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Booths.

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.

In the fourteenth chapter of the book of Zechariah we read about a time to come during the 1000-year millennial reign of our Messiah. And in the fourteenth chapter of the book of Zechariah we are told that all of the nations of the world will be commanded to come to the mountain of Jerusalem on the feast of booths also known as Sukkot to worship Yehovah the Elohim of Israel. And those nations who do not come to Jerusalem to worship Yehovah the Elohim of Israel will receive no rain. A plague of drought will be cast upon them. But there's more! (scrn 26)



According to Zechariah chapter 14 verse nine, during the 1000-year millennial reign of our Messiah Yehovah will be one and his name one. Not three, not seven, not any other multiple... but one... just as he always has been. Isaiah chapter 45 verses five and six (scrn 27)



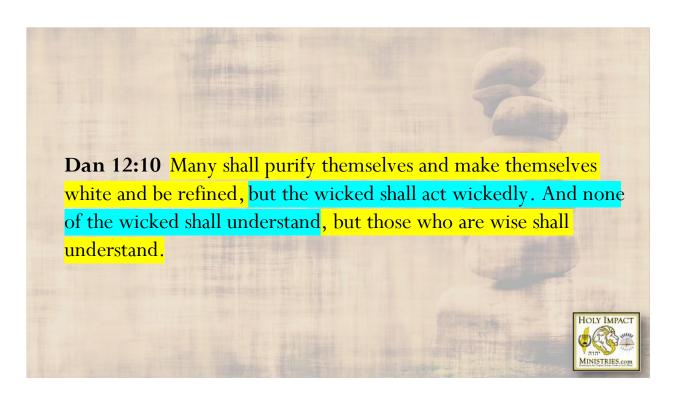
I tell you the truth my friends... we are at war. And we have been at war for many generations. In fact, I would contend that we have been at war since the day that Adam and Eve bowed their knee to the serpent. And the coming of our Messiah and his resurrection was by no means the end of this war but rather an escalation of this war.

Because this human man, this prophet, created from the very body of David was sent into the world to crush the head of the serpent, the serpent is now more angry than he has ever been because he knows his time is short. And we also as God's people should know that our time is also short as well.

Today in our time we can return like a dog to its vomit and like a pig to its mire and we can go along with the apostate church who calls itself Christian and is not. We can follow after the rabbi who says that he is a Jew and is not. We can hold hands with the devil's apostate church and look the other way concerning the abominations that it has drug into what it calls the house of God... or... we can stand for his holy name and the truth that he has given us within the confines of his God breathed Scripture.

We can be slothfully comfortable and be happy and kind to others by boldly lying to their face and dragging them and their posterity down in to the pit of hell all the while patting them on the back... or we can tell them the truth and save their very lives.

The time is short, and the sand is now leaving the hourglass as we speak. We are indeed closer now than when we first believed. And there is no time to toss our pearls to pigs and to give what is holy to the dogs. (scrn 28) show only



It is written that many shall purify themselves and make themselves white and be refined in the last days but the wicked shall act wickedly and that none of the wicked shall understand but that those who are wise will understand.

I call you today to be amongst the wise. I call you today to pick up that dusty old Bible and to dust it off and read it for yourself and judge for yourself what is true and what is just and what is right not according to the wisdom of men... but according to the wisdom of Yehovah God and his only begotten Son, Son of David Son of Abraham.

Do not be afraid to speak the truth to them. Our Messiah spoke boldly to them. Our Messiah told them the truth in the hopes that they would turn. Our Messiah did not tiptoe through the tulips with the pastors and the priests and the rabbis of his time and nor should we... for I tell you the truth, these men who willfully and intentionally add to the word of God and take away from the word of God are no men of God at all but are indeed children of the devil. And they are ultimately leading people away from God not to God.

Let us be as the assemblies of Ephesus and Smyrna who were praised by our Messiah for testing those who say that they are apostles and are not and for testing those who say that they are Jews and are not. Let us follow in the goodness of the assemblies that were praised by him for doing these things. And let us follow his example that he has set before us in speaking boldly so that we may be able to fulfill the commission given to us in Matthew chapter 28 that we expound more upon next seventh day Sabbath at 11 AM Eastern standard Time.

My hope and my prayer is that this study has been a blessing to you and your family. And my hope and my prayer is that you and I together will meet the challenge of the devil's army of Christians in combat ready and willing to follow the example of our Messiah and his apostles who spoke boldly the truth that had been given to them.

And my hope and my prayer is that the hand of Yehovah and his only begotten Son the Son of David Son of Abraham would lead us in this battle in order to expand his soon coming kingdom to its full width and breadth.

And as we close the books for this morning, I will do as I always do, and I will ask everyone within the sound of my voice to please 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 morning be true or not.

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