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Exodus Chapter 12 The Passover

The 12th chapter of the book of Exodus is one of the most captivating chapters in all of the Bible. The 12th chapter of the book of Exodus lays out the unfolding plan of redemption for mankind in patterns and in shadow pictures that the largest population of today's modern-day Christianity completely misses.

Here in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus will be introduced to the perfect unblemished Passover Lamb who is our Messiah Yeshua Hamashiach (also known as Jesus in the Greek). We will be introduced to the Passover itself for the first time right here in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus. And as we study the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus and what took place during the original Exodus from Egypt... We will literally be able to see the New Testament, come alive before our very eyes.

The 12th chapter of the book of Exodus will help us to understand, and make connections that those who do not read the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus will never understand, and will never see, or perceive. I would submit to you that the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus is so profoundly important for a Christian to properly understand... That to not understand the book of Exodus could make all of the difference between those who are found worthy and given the crown of salvation... And those who are found unworthy who will not receive the crown of salvation. And just as a quick reminder to us all, before we even read the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus I want us to understand that not everyone who calls on our Messiah is going to have a get into heaven free ticket. **(scrn 1)**

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.'



Make no mistake about it my friends, not everyone who calls on our Messiah is going to enter the kingdom of heaven. Not says I... But says the red-letter words of our very own Messiah. So, who is going to get into the kingdom of heaven? The one who does the will of his Father who is in heaven, that's who. If you are not doing the will of his Father... Then you are not getting in to the Gates of heaven.

Make no mistake about it my friends they will come to him in droves at the end of the age and they will boast about how they prophesied in his name and about how they cast out demons in his name and about how they did many mighty works in his name only to find out... That they never even knew him... And worse yet... That he never knew them.

What a horrible way to live your life. To think that you know who the Messiah is only to find out that not only do you not know him... But that he does not know you. The live your life thinking that your once saved always saved only to find out that there is no such thing as once saved always saved.

Doing the will of our Father in heaven is not works to us. It's not a burden to us if... we truly love him. **(scrn 2)**

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.



This my friends, is the biblical definition of the love of God. The very biblical definition of the love of God is that we keep his commandments, and his commandments are not burdensome to us. And by the way... This is not Old Testament Scripture.

I could go on, and on, and on concerning the fact that the laws and the commandments, and the precepts, and the appointments of our Father in heaven still stand to this very day according to our God breathed Scripture... but I think that instead of going back and read teaching the milk of God's word all over again... which we have done many many times... and can be found at our website at HolyImpactMinistries.com for anybody to study completely free of charge... I think we're going to just go ahead and start by reading the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus and let the Scripture speak for itself as we move forward.

And with that... I'd like us to now turn to the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus, and read verses one through 28. That's Exodus chapter 12 verses one through 28:

Exo 12:1 *The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt,*

Exo 12:2 *"This month shall be for you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year for you.*

Exo 12:3 *Tell all the congregation of Israel that on the tenth day of this month every man shall take a lamb according to their fathers' houses, a lamb for a household.*

Exo 12:4 *And if the household is too small for a lamb, then he and his nearest neighbor shall take according to the number of persons; according to what each can eat you shall make your count for the lamb.*

Exo 12:5 *Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male a year old. You may take it from the sheep or from the goats,*

Exo 12:6 and you shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month, when the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill their lambs at twilight.

Exo 12:7 “Then they shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it.

Exo 12:8 They shall eat the flesh that night, roasted on the fire; with unleavened bread and bitter herbs they shall eat it.

Exo 12:9 Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted, its head with its legs and its inner parts.

Exo 12:10 And you shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn.

Exo 12:11 In this manner you shall eat it: with your belt fastened, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. And you shall eat it in haste. It is the LORD's Passover.

Exo 12:12 For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the LORD.

Exo 12:13 The blood shall be a sign for you, on the houses where you are. And when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague will befall you to destroy you, when I strike the land of Egypt.

Exo 12:14 “This day shall be for you a memorial day, and you shall keep it as a feast to the LORD; throughout your generations, as a statute forever, you shall keep it as a feast.

Exo 12:15 Seven days you shall eat unleavened bread. On the first day you shall remove leaven out of your houses, for if anyone eats what is leavened, from the first day until the seventh day, that person shall be cut off from Israel.

Exo 12:16 On the first day you shall hold a holy assembly, and on the seventh day a holy assembly. No work shall be done on those days. But what everyone needs to eat, that alone may be prepared by you.

Exo 12:17 And you shall observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread, for on this very day I brought your hosts out of the land of Egypt. Therefore you shall observe this day, throughout your generations, as a statute forever.

Exo 12:18 In the first month, from the fourteenth day of the month at evening, you shall eat unleavened bread until the twenty-first day of the month at evening.

Exo 12:19 For seven days no leaven is to be found in your houses. If anyone eats what is leavened, that person will be cut off from the congregation of Israel, whether he is a sojourner or a native of the land.

Exo 12:20 You shall eat nothing leavened; in all your dwelling places you shall eat unleavened bread.”

Exo 12:21 Then Moses called all the elders of Israel and said to them, “Go and select lambs for yourselves according to your clans, and kill the Passover lamb.

Exo 12:22 Take a bunch of hyssop and dip it in the blood that is in the basin, and touch the lintel and the two doorposts with the blood that is in the basin. None of you shall go out of the door of his house until the morning.

Exo 12:23 For the LORD will pass through to strike the Egyptians, and when he sees the blood on the lintel and on the two doorposts, the LORD will pass over the door and will not allow the destroyer to enter your houses to strike you.

Exo 12:24 You shall observe this rite as a statute for you and for your sons forever.

Exo 12:25 And when you come to the land that the LORD will give you, as he has promised, you shall keep this service.

Exo 12:26 And when your children say to you, 'What do you mean by this service?'

Exo 12:27 you shall say, 'It is the sacrifice of the LORD's Passover, for he passed over the houses of the people of Israel in Egypt, when he struck the Egyptians but spared our houses.'" And the people bowed their heads and worshiped.

Exo 12:28 Then the people of Israel went and did so; as the LORD had commanded Moses and Aaron, so they did.

The very first thing that I would like to do is turn your attention to the first two Scriptures of Exodus chapter 12.

Exo 12:1 The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt,

Exo 12:2 "This month shall be for you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year for you.

The first thing that I want us to recognize according to our God breathed Scripture is when the first month of the Hebrew year is according to Scripture.

Here we are in the book of Exodus chapter 12, and according to our God breathed Scripture the first month of the year according to our Father in heaven is the month of Passover. How do we know it's the month of Passover? Because the verses right under versus one and two explain the Passover. Exodus chapter 12 is the first place that the Scripture introduces the Passover to us. What time of the year is it? All we have to do is go back a couple of chapters to chapter 9 of the book of Exodus. And for those of you who were with us during our study into the book of Exodus over the past couple of weeks, you might remember that I asked you to highlight Exodus chapter 9 verses 31 and 32 because we were going to come back to it. Exodus chapter 9 verses 31 and 32:

Exo 9:31 (The flax and the barley were struck down, for the barley was in the ear and the flax was in bud.

Exo 9:32 But the wheat and the emmer were not struck down, for they are late in coming up.)

We know that the Passover took place in the spring because the barley was still in the ear. We also know that according to Scripture each one of our Fathers months starts with a new moon. Therefore... we can always know that the Passover which is the beginning of the year (according to our Father in heaven)... begins when the barley is ripe, and the new moon is in the sky. This generally occurs in April or May according to our modern-day Gregorian calendar. (scrn 3)

Number	Babylonian Name	Gregorian Months
1	Nissan	March - April
2	Iyar	April - May
3	Sivan	May - June
4	Tammuz	June - July
5	Av	July - August
6	Elul	August - September
7	Tishri	September - October
8	Cheshvan	October - November
9	Kislev	November - December
10	Tevet	December - January
11	Shevat	January - February
12	Adar	February - March

This is a list of the months according to the Hebrew calendar given to us by our Father in heaven. The names of the Hebrew month that you are unfortunately most likely familiar with are in the center of this chart. Unfortunately, the names that you see in the center of this chart are not Hebrew names. In fact, some of these names are even the names of pagan little “g” gods.

When the house of Israel was taken into captivity into Babylonia, a lot of the pagan names and holidays and traditions came out of Babylon along with the Jews. In the names of the Hebrew months became better known by their Babylonian names then they did with the names that our Father in heaven gave them. As we read through the Torah, and the writings of the prophets, and the Psalms you will find that most of the Hebrew months were given numbers and not names.

The first month of the year however was given the Hebrew name “Abib”, which means “Young barley ears”. And we can see an example of this in the very next chapter of the book of **Exodus** in **chapter 13 verses three and four: E2**

Exo 13:3 Then Moses said to the people, “Remember this day in which you came out from Egypt, out of the house of slavery, for by a strong hand the LORD brought you out from this place. No leavened bread shall be eaten.

Exo 13:4 Today, in the month of Abib, you are going out.

Before we move forward here, I want us to understand that this is the first month of the new year according to our Father in heaven... (Referred to in the Scripture as the month of Abib). The Jewish new year is not... and I repeat not... Rosh Hashanah (which comes towards the end of the year on the seventh month of our Fathers Hebrew calendar. (scrn 3 again)

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Once again all we have to do is look at this chart to know and to understand that the seventh month that many of the Jews referred to as “*Tishri*”... Is indeed the seventh month. And I want us to understand this because this has much to do with Judaism as a stand-alone religion... And absolutely nothing to do with Christianity in the Torah.

Rosh Hashanah is a Babylonian name that means “*new year*”. The original Hebrew word for this particular appointment that we have been commanded to keep, is “*Yom Teruah*” which means “*day of shouting*” not... and I repeat not... “*new year*”. And in order to properly understand this both scripturally, and historically... I would like to introduce you to a gentleman by the name of Nehemiah Gordon who is what is known as a “*Karaite Jew*”. Karaite Jews do not believe in the Talmud and the writings of the rabbis as many modern-day Jews often times do. Karaite Jews hold firmly to the Torah and the Torah alone. Although they do not believe in Yeshua, Jesus as the Messiah... oddly enough... they do hold firmly to the Torah as it is written without the influence of the Talmud, and the man-made wisdom of Judaism (which our Messiah absolutely detested by the way). And if you don’t believe that... all you have to do is go read Matthew chapter 23 and you’ll get some very quick insight on what our Messiah thought about the false religion of “*Judaism*”.

The only reason that I point to Nehemiah Gordon as a Karaite Jew... is because he is not influenced by Judaism or the Talmud, and he is very knowledgeable and educated concerning the historical background of the original house of Israel.

Nehemiah Gordon holds a Masters Degree in Biblical Studies and a Bachelors Degree in Archaeology from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. He's also worked as a translator on the Dead Sea Scrolls and a researcher deciphering ancient Hebrew manuscripts. And so, coming from a true scholar with a bachelors degree in archaeology... this is what Nehemiah Gordon has to tell us historically about Rosh Hashanah:

Today, few people remember the biblical name of Yom Teruah and instead it is widely known as "Rosh Hashanah" which literally means "head of the year" and hence also "New Years". The transformation of Yom Teruah (Day of Shouting) into Rosh Hashanah (New Years) is the result of pagan Babylonian influence upon the Jewish nation. The first stage in the transformation was the adoption of the Babylonian month names. In the Torah, the months are numbered as First Month, Second Month, Third Month, etc (Leviticus 23; Numbers 28). During their sojourn in Babylonia our ancestors began to use the pagan Babylonian month names, a fact readily admitted in the Talmud:

"The names of the months came up with them from Babylonia."
(Jerusalem Talmud, Rosh Hashanah 1:2 56d)



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And I could go on here, but I don't want to make this a study just about which day the biblical new year actually is. But... I do want us to make a very clear distinction between the first month of the year found right here in Exodus chapter 12... And the seventh month of the year that many of today's modern-day Jewish people wrongfully, (and shamefully I might add) proclaimed to be their new year.

Exodus chapter 12 is no doubt which day New Year's Day is according to our Father in heaven and our Father in heaven alone.

E1. Getting back to the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus, we are told in Exodus chapter 3 that the congregation of Israel is to take a Lamb on the 10th day of that month. A Lamb for each household. And I want us to notice in verse five, that the Lamb that is chosen for each household shall be without blemish. It also had to be a male a year old, and they could take it from either the sheep or the goats. But... once again, it had to be a male, and... It had to be

without blemish just as our Messiah was a male who was without blemish.

Now... I want to stop right here and I want us to understand that according to our God breathed Scripture, our Messiah is also known as our “Passover Lamb”. Here’s what the apostle Paul told the assembly at Corinth about keeping the Passover and our Passover Lamb. We can find that in **first Corinthians chapter 5 verses seven and eight: (scrn 9)**

1Co 5:7 Cleanse out the old leaven that you may be a new lump, as you really are unleavened. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed.

1Co 5:8 Let us therefore celebrate the festival, not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.



Here we have the apostle Paul, in the New Testament referring to our Messiah as the, and I quote, “*Passover Lamb*” and he also makes reference to him being sacrificed just as the Passover Lamb was sacrificed for each household during the first Passover.

Once again, the lamb had to be without blemish, just as our Messiah was without sin. And Paul goes on to tell us to therefore celebrate the Festival. What Festival? The Festival of Passover and the Feast of Unleavened Bread that we are commanded to keep throughout our generations as a statute and I quote, “*forever*” according to **Exodus chapter 12 verse 17. E1:**

Exo 12:17 And you shall observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread, for on this very day I brought your hosts out of the land of Egypt. Therefore you shall observe this day, throughout your generations, as a statute forever.

I want us to notice a couple of things about the Passover and the feast of unleavened bread. The first thing that I want us to notice is that we are commanded to keep them throughout our generations as a statute forever. It does not say, “*until my son comes*” it says and I quote, “*throughout your generations as a statute forever*”. I would submit to you that that is a far cry from “*until I change my mind*” or “*until further notice*”, or “*until my son arrives on the scene*”.

“Throughout your generations as a statute forever” means exactly that. It means “throughout your generations as a statute forever.”

E1. Let’s go back and examine **Exodus chapter 12 verses 26 and 27: E1**

Exo 12:26 And when your children say to you, ‘What do you mean by this service?’

Exo 12:27 you shall say, ‘It is the sacrifice of the LORD's Passover, for he passed over the houses of the people of Israel in Egypt, when he struck the Egyptians but spared our houses.’” And the people bowed their heads and worshiped.

Once again, this event is to be kept throughout our generations as a statute forever. Not just until our Messiah comes to reinforce it (which is exactly what our Messiah did by the way). Once again, our Messiah was our Passover Lamb... not... and I repeat not... our Easter ham. Everything that we see here happening here in the historical record during the first Passover points directly to our Messiah, and this is exactly why our Messiah kept the Passover himself, and commanded us to keep it just like he kept it (and we’ll get to that in just a moment).

The next thing that I would like us to make note of is the fact that the Passover does not belong to the Jews. I cannot tell you how many times that I have heard modern-day Christians ignorantly and wrongfully, (and shamefully I might add)... proclaiming that the Passover and all of the feast days belong to the Jews. That’s not what our Scripture says. **E1**

Let’s go back and look at **Exodus chapter 12 verse 11:**

Exo 12:11 In this manner you shall eat it: with your belt fastened, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. And you shall eat it in haste. It is the LORD's Passover.

Clearly, our Father does not stutter. Clearly, the Passover is Yahovah’s Passover. Now, before we go any farther, I want us to understand that the word “*Lord*” here (and in most other places in what we know today as the Old Testament) is capitalized. Why Is the word “*Lord*” capitalized? It’s capitalized because it’s a blooper in your English translated Bible. Where you see the word “*Lord*” capitalized in your Bible... you are actually looking at the very name of the Most High God of Israel.

Technically speaking this is called the “*tetragrammaton*”, and it is actually the Hebrew name of God which is “*Yahovah*”. And you can very clearly know this by looking at any Hebrew lexicon or dictionary like Brown driver Briggs Hebrew definitions, in fact... let me show this to you so that you will know how to do it yourself. **(Demonstrate on Esword for them Exod 12:11)**

And so, what we have here in Exodus chapter 12 verse 11, is all the verification that we need concerning who the Passover truthfully belongs to. Right here in Exodus chapter 12 verse 11 we are clearly told that it is “*Yahovah’s Passover*”, not... and I repeat not... the Jews Passover.

Something else that I want us to make note of is the fact that the Passover, and the feast of unleavened bread were often times seen, and understood as one Festival. And so, today we often times separate the Passover from the Feast of Unleavened Bread, but... both the Passover and the Feast of Unleavened Bread were generally seen as one event during the time of the apostles. A couple of examples of this can be found in both the books of Ezekiel, and in the book of Luke. **(scrn 10)**

Eze 45:21 "In the first month, on the fourteenth day of the month, you shall celebrate the Feast of the Passover, and for seven days unleavened bread shall be eaten.

Luk 22:1 Now the Feast of Unleavened Bread drew near, which is called the Passover.



And so, once again, both the Passover and the feast of unleavened bread were often times seen as the same event and this will become more important to understand as we progress through our study of the Passover little bit later on. **(scrn 11)**

5 Myths Not Found In Our Bibles Anywhere

- 1.) The Passover Is a Jewish Holiday.
- 2.) The New Testament Believers Did Not Keep The Passover Or The Feast Days.
- 3.) The Passover Has Been “Fulfilled” So We Don't Have To Keep It Anymore.
- 4.) Jesus Died On Good Friday.
- 5.) Jesus Rose On Easter Sunday.

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Today's modern-day version of Christianity has created for itself several different myths concerning the scriptural truth of the Passover and I'd like to address a few of these right here in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus because I believe that it is extremely important to understand that none of these myths is true.

Number one, again, the Passover is not a Jewish holiday. The Passover belongs to Yahovah the one true God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, and I think that we've already established that through the Scripture.

Number two, the idea that New Testament believers did not keep the Passover or the feast days is laughable on its face concerning the fact that we see our Messiah keeping the Passover with the apostles in the New Testament. **(scrn 12) and (scrn 13)**

Mat 26:17 Now on the first day of Unleavened Bread the disciples came to Jesus, saying, "Where will you have us prepare for you to eat **the Passover?**"

Mat 26:18 He said, "Go into the city to a certain man and say to him, 'The Teacher says, My time is at hand. I will keep the Passover at your house with my disciples.'"

Mat 26:19 And the disciples did as Jesus had directed them, and they prepared **the Passover.**



Mar 14:12 And on the first day of Unleavened Bread, when they sacrificed the Passover lamb, his disciples said to him, "Where will you have us go and prepare for you to eat **the Passover?**"

Mar 14:13 And he sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the city, and a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him,

Mar 14:14 and wherever he enters, say to the master of the house, 'The Teacher says, Where is my guest room, where I may eat **the Passover** with my disciples?'

Mar 14:15 And he will show you a large upper room furnished and ready; there prepare for us."

Mar 14:16 And the disciples set out and went to the city and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared **the Passover.**



There need be no doubt in our minds that the Passover is indeed to be kept to this very day. And it was on this very day... "*Passover day*" that our Messiah reminded us as he took the cup and broke the bread... to do this in remembrance of him.(**scrn 14**)

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."



Once again, the very act of what most Christians know as "*communion service*" was done on Passover day. We must remember that a scriptural day begins at sundown according to our Scripture, not at midnight as we think in our Western thinking. According to our Scripture the day begins at sundown and ends at the next sundown.

It was on this evening (which would have been Wednesday evening after twilight) that our Messiah sat with his apostles telling them to "*do this in remembrance of me*". He would be arrested that very night, he would be tried, beaten, flogged, and crucified by 3 o'clock that afternoon. And we will get more into the actual timeline of the death, burial, and resurrection of our Messiah a little bit later on in our study. But before we leave the 22nd chapter of the book of Luke, I want us to also noticed something very important that our Messiah said in Luke chapter 22 verse 20 (**scrn 14 again**)

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."



He says and I quote, "*this cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.*" Most modern-day Christians have no idea what the new covenant that our Messiah was talking about even is. If you walked up to a modern-day Christian in the street today after coming out of their Sunday service... and you asked them what the new covenant was, and where we could find the new covenant in the Bible... I would submit to you that one out of 50 might even have a clue. And this is a shame for us as modern-day Christians. This is exactly what separates the professing Christian who will come before our Messiah claiming to have done many mighty things in his name, and claiming to have cast out demons in his name, and claiming to have prophesied in his name, only to find out that they never knew him, and that our Messiah never knew them either... from a true Christian who has conquered over evil and has studied to show themselves approved, and has been found worthy to receive the crown of salvation.

So where is this new covenant found within the confines of our Scripture? It's found in Jeremiah chapter 31 verses 31 through 33: **(scrn 15)**

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



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It should be clear to us who it was that our Father made the new covenant with. It should be clear to us that our Father in heaven did not make the new covenant with a newfound Gentile Roman rooted church. Our Father in heaven made this new covenant with and I quote, "*the house of Israel and the house of Judah.*"

Now I know what many of you may already be thinking. How does that affect me as a modern-day Christian? If the new covenant was made for the house of Israel how does that affect me today?

If this is the question that you are now asking yourself, your very salvation may be in jeopardy. Allow me to put the truth in your hearing.

Let's move you out of the ignorant and the unstudied class... and move you into the body of the Messiah where you belong.

You see, most ignorant and unstudied modern-day professing Christians who still have a denominational value stamped across their foreheads believe that Gentiles only began being saved when Peter saw the sheet full of unclean animals in the book of Acts. This my friends, is nothing short of another deception.

Our Father in heaven was grafting Gentiles into the house of Israel clear back in the book of Exodus. Today's ignorant and unstudied modern-day professing Christian has no concept of when Gentiles were first being grafted into the house of Israel because they have been conveniently pre-programmed not to read the beginning of the book because they have been wrongfully, and shamefully told that the whole first half of their Bible has all been done away

with and nailed to some tree somewhere. Which is again... another deception that we will get into a little bit later on.

The truth of the matter is, that even the Egyptians of Egypt (who were considered Gentiles) were being grafted into the house of Israel clear back in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus.

The first thing that I want you to see, is what is historically recorded in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus. I want us to skip down to the bottom of Exodus chapter 12 verses 48 and 49:
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Exo 12:48 If a stranger 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 who sojourns among you."

Here in Exodus chapter 12 verse 48, the stranger noted here is a Gentile. A stranger who was traveling with the Israelites was someone who was not an Israelite by blood. They were not born into the house of Israel. What does Yahovah say to do with the Gentile that is traveling with the Israelite?

He says to let all his males be circumcised. Then... and only then... may he come near and keep the Passover. Furthermore... we are told that this Gentile stranger will then be as a "native of the land." Furthermore... we are also told that this converted Gentile who is now seen as a native all the land... shall be under the same law as the Israelite. What law was the Israelite under? The law of Yahovah... which is very soon going to be reintroduced to the Israelites by Moses himself at mount Sinai, and we'll see that as we venture farther into our study into the book of Exodus.

But my point in all of this is to show you that the Gentiles were always being grafted into the house of Israel from the very beginning. All you had to do as a Gentile, was to follow the same laws, commandments, precepts, and appointments of the one true God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob... and if you agreed to that, then you were considered to be an Israelite just as a native of the land. We can also find this again in **Numbers chapter 15 versus 14 through 16: E4**

Num 15:14 And if a stranger 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 who sojourns with you, a statute forever throughout your generations. You and the sojourner shall be alike before the LORD.

Num 15:16 One law and one rule shall be for you and for the stranger who sojourns

with you.”

If you were born a Gentile, and you believed in the one true God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob... and you served the one true God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, then you were automatically grafted into the house of Israel. And so too, is today's modern-day Christian. If you believe in his only begotten Son, that he sent to be the sacrificial Passover Lamb for the atonement of the sins of the whole world... and if you keep his commandments because you love him... then you are automatically grafted into the house of Israel. You... are an Israelite just as much as the native of the land was an Israelite. For more information on this, you need to read Romans chapter 11 and understand what the apostle Paul clearly tells today's modern-day Christian about being grafted into the house of Israel just like the Gentile Egyptians had been grafted into the house of Israel. And you also need to understand that not all Jews are part of the house of Israel as far as God is concerned. Let's turn very quickly to **Romans chapter 9 verses six through eight: E5**

Rom 9:6 But it is not as though the word of God has failed. For not all who are descended from Israel belong to Israel,

Rom 9:7 and not all are children of Abraham because they are his offspring, but “Through Isaac shall your offspring be named.”

Rom 9:8 This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring.

If you are a Jew by blood, and you do not believe in, or except Yeshua Hamashiach as the only begotten Son of the one true God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob... then you have been cut out of the house of Israel. There are going to be many naturally born Gentiles who are going to enter his soon coming kingdom while watching many of the naturally born Jews being rejected and turned away on that day. Not says I... But says our God breathed Scripture.

You see it's not about your bloodline, or your flesh, or the color of your skin, or what part of the world that you were born in. It's about the heart. What were we told in **Jeremiah chapter 31 verse 33? E3**

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.

Does our Father in heaven say that he's going to nail his laws to a tree somewhere? Does our Father in heaven tell us that he is going to abolish his laws and his commandments and his precepts and his appointments when his Son arrives on the scene? No! In fact,... he says that he is going to write his law upon our hearts and within our minds. And we find that scriptural truth both here in the Old Testament, as well as in the New Testament. Hebrews chapter 10 verses 15 through 17. **(scrn 16)**

Heb 10:15 And the Holy Spirit also bears witness to us;
for after saying,
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."



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You see, it's all about our Father writing his laws in our hearts and in our minds... it's not about abolishing them, or nailing them to a tree somewhere. And I want us to notice what it says here in Hebrews chapter 10 verse 16. We are told that after he puts his laws in our hearts and in our minds, that then... and only then... will he remember our sins and are lawless deeds no more.

Those who believe that the law of Yahovah has all been nailed to a cross and done away with have been found weighed and wanting because they have not read the book from the beginning to the end. They have wrongfully, and shamefully been listening to men standing behind today's modern-day pulpits preaching a Roman rooted version of Christianity not truly found anywhere within the confines of their Scripture.

Most modern-day denominational empires based their theology and their understanding around the writings of the apostle Paul who they do not understand, because they do not have the eyes to see nor the ears to hear. Why? Because they have a store-bought education that comes out of any one of over 50,000 different denominational charters of men who preach and teach over 50,000 different versions of the Bible, and they do not understand that the only way to properly understand the Scripture is to pray for the discernment that can only come from the Ruach Hokadesh of the Most High God of Israel. The truth does not belong to a brick-and-mortar institution. The truth does not belong to any charter of men. The truth does not belong to any so-called "early church father". The truth of Yah is a living breathing word that permeates the universe and the cosmos itself. The sun, moon, and the stars obey his every commandment. They stay in their stations because he has commanded them to stay in their stations. The sun rises in the moon goes down because Yah commands the sun to rise in the moon to go down.

Today's mostly Jesuit run brick-and-mortar colleges and seminary schools manufacture these pastors like cars that come out of the factory. They teach them, and they mold them, and they deceive them, and they program them, and then when they come off of the production line, they are sent out into the world to teach and preach what they have been pre-programmed to teach and preach.

The problem with this is that the people who have programed them didn't have the eyes to see, or the ears to hear either. What we're left with is the blind leading the blind much like the Pharisees and the scribes of our Messiah's time. There is nothing new under the sun. What is has already been done. There is no difference between yesterday's Pharisees and scribes, and today's pastors, priests, bishops, popes and rabbis. **(scrn 17)**

Mat 23:13 "But woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you shut the kingdom of heaven in people's faces. For you neither enter yourselves nor allow those who would enter to go in.

Mat 23:15 Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you travel across sea and land to make a single proselyte, and when he becomes a proselyte, you make him twice as much a child of hell as yourselves.



I would submit to you my friends that there is no difference between the scribes and the Pharisees of our Messiah's time and the pastors and the priests of our time. Our adversary is brilliant, and by the way... what did the apostle Paul teach about the law of God in the first place? **(scrn 18)**

Rom 2:13 For it is not the hearers of the law who are righteous before God, **but the doers of the law who will be justified.**

Rom 3:31 Do we then overthrow the law by this faith? By no means! On the contrary, **we uphold the law.**

Rom 6:1 What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound?

Rom 6:2 **By no means!** How can we who died to sin still live in it?

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

Rom 8:7 For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God, **for it does not submit to God's law;** indeed, it cannot.

Rom 8:8 Those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

Rom 8:2 For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from **the law of sin and death.**

This is what the apostle Paul taught about the law of Yahovah when properly understood. And this is another whole teaching in itself that we won't get into here today because we have many different teachings at our website concerning the fact that the law of the Most High God of Israel has most assuredly not been done away with, and nailed to a cross according to our God breathed Scripture.

If you would like to know more about what our God breathed Scripture actually does say about the law of God, I would invite you to visit us at HolyImpactMinistries.com, where you will find plenty of teachings that will assist you in understanding the truth of our Fathers word according to our Fathers God breathed scripture.

Our Messiah and the apostles always kept the feast days of our Father in heaven because they knew that their Messiah had commanded them to pick up their cross and to follow him. Today's modern-day professing Christian has conveniently forgotten that commandment. Today's modern-day professing Christian has conveniently forgotten that they are commanded not to call any man Rabbi, or father, or master. Today's modern-day professing Christian has conveniently forgotten that our Messiah said that not the crossing of a "t" or the dotting of an "I" would pass from his Father's law until heaven and earth pass away and all things are completed.

Heaven and earth do not pass away, and all things are not completed until Revelation chapter 21, and you can read that for yourself. Today's twisted version of our Father's Scripture has been engineered to hide his seventh day Sabbath, and to hide his appointments, and to hide his feast days, and to hide his precepts, and his commandments, and his laws by those wolves dressed in sheep's clothing that we were warned about all throughout our Scripture.

There is such a wealth of information here in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus about not only the Passover... and our Passover Lamb... but also about the truth of our Fathers word and the deceptions that we have bought into over the generations that have kept us away from the blessings of our Father in heaven that we could not possibly teach the Passover properly in one setting.

If you're interested in the true anniversary of the death of our Messiah... if you're interested in how the killing and the preparing of the Passover Lamb points to our Messiah... and if you're interested in why the blood was to be captured in a basin... and if you're interested in why the blood was to be smeared on the 2 sides of the door posts of the door and on the lentil... and if you're interested in why the Hyksos branch was to be used to dip into the basin of blood and then painted onto the doorway... and if you're interested in the timing of the death of all of the firstborn in Egypt, and how that relates to us today... and if you're interested in why none of the Passover Lamb was allowed to be left until morning and had to be burned and destroyed... If you're interested in knowing why the unleavened bread had to be unleavened and without levin... If you're interested in why bitter herbs were to be eaten... if you're interested in why we are commanded to eat the Passover meal with shoes on our feet, and to be ready for action... Then join us next Wednesday evening at 7 PM Eastern standard time as we continue our study into the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus. And before I let you go, I will leave you with this last Scripture is a lead-in to our study next week. Galatians chapter 3 versus 27 through 29: **(scrn 19)**

Gal 3:27 For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

Gal 3:28 There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

Gal 3:29 And **if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.**



As I always do my friends, I would like to ask that you take what you've heard here this evening to your 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've heard here today be true... or not.

Ask, seek, and knock and the door will be opened to you. And if you will do that... and if you will stay the course... you and I will indeed walk hand in hand through the Gates of his soon coming kingdom.

I'm pastor Scott Velain with holy impact ministries and I'd like to thank each and every one within the sound of my voice for sharing your time with me here this evening.