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Exodus 39 and 40 Another End of Another Beginning

Today we'll look at the last couple of chapters of the book of Exodus, and by the time we're done here this evening, we'll be ready to move on into a new study into the book of Leviticus next week. The timing of the ending of this particular study could not be more perfect because what we are seeing here in these last two chapters of the book of Exodus is the wilderness tabernacle being completed and consecrated so that it would be put into service on the Passover.

As most of you already know, as of today, March the 11th of 2020, our Passover celebration begins in about four weeks from now on April the 6th. And so, as we see the wilderness tabernacle being completed, according to Exodus chapter 40, we will soon see that this is the exact same time of the year that the wilderness tabernacle would have been completed in Moses time so that it could be put into service for the Passover. And we'll look more closely at this as we move forward a little bit later on in our study here this evening.

But what always astounds me is the way in which Yahovah works. None of what we have studied here in the book of Exodus was planned to end at this time of the year. In other words, we didn't plan it this way, but Yah obviously did. And so today, we can look outside and know and understand that it was about this time of year that the wilderness tabernacle would have been completed and within the next few weeks would have actually been put into service just in time to celebrate and to honor the Passover.

And while we're on the subject of the Passover, I want everyone within the sound of my voice to know and to understand that the Passover is bar none one of the most important feast days that a modern-day Christian can observe. And for those of our brothers and sisters who are out there who have been sitting in any one of today's modern-day denominational church pews for any amount of time... I want you to know that we are putting together a detailed study into the Passover that is going to begin this next coming Saturday, March 14th of 2020.

This detailed study into the Passover is going to be entitled "***Why Passover Trumps Easter According to the Bible***". (scrn 1)

Why Passover Trumps Easter Part 1

- Why Good Friday And Easter Are Demonic in Nature
- The Genealogy and Purpose of Yeshua
- Why the Word “Easter” In the KJV Is Wrong
- The Pattern of God’s Feastdays Forever and Throughout Your Generations
- The Timeline of The Death, Burial and Resurrection of Yeshua
- Who Yeshua Left with Us to Teach Us All Things?
- The Law of God Yeshua Came to Preach
- Who the Promise of Salvation Is Given To?
- Communion Service



And within this four-part study we will explain in detail why the Roman Catholic created Good Friday, and Easter, are demonic in nature according to the Bible. We’ll also be going through the genealogy and the purpose of Yeshua Jesus according to the Bible. We’ll also be going through why the word “*Easter*” in the early King James version of the Bible was indeed a blooper according to the Bible. We’ll also be talking about the pattern of God’s feast days that do indeed belong to Yahovah, and why it is that he commanded us to keep them “*forever and throughout our generations*” according to the Bible.

We’ll also be talking about the timeline of the death, burial and resurrection of Yeshua Jesus according to the Bible. And we’ll also be talking about who it was that Yeshua Jesus left with us to teach us all things according to the Bible. We’ll also be talking about the law of God that Yeshua Jesus came to teach and preach according to the Bible. And we’ll also be talking about who the promise of salvation is actually given to according to the Bible. And when this information has been digested, and the truth has been heard by those who have the eyes to see and the ears to hear, we will then have communion service on the exact same day that our Messiah asked us to remember him on.

And so, before we even get started into our study tonight in the closing of the book of Exodus, where we will soon see the construction of the wilderness tabernacle being completed for the service of Passover... I would like to invite you to join us this coming Saturday, March 14th for this particular study because if you have been sitting in a church pew in any one of over 50,000 different modern-day denominational charters for the past several years, I daresay, you have not heard the truth of what the Bible has to say concerning the death, burial, and resurrection of your Messiah, or when the true anniversary of the death of your Messiah truly is. What you most have most likely heard, is nothing short of the philosophies and the theologies

of man's institutional charters of men, who have made themselves the daughters of Catholicism.

And so, before we even begin our study here this evening into the closing of the book of Exodus, I want to challenge those who have the eyes to see and the ears to hear to join us this next coming Saturday morning at 11 AM Eastern standard time for our teaching entitled, "***Why Passover Trumps Easter According to the Bible***".

And I would also like to let all of our family at Holy Impact Ministries know that we are now launching an offensive against the Roman Catholic Festival of Easter. And you can join this offensive by going to our website at HolyImpactMinistries.com, and you can download our Passover trifold that you can print out and hand to friends and family. We will also be posting several different short video clips that will be used to point people back to our website so that they can view these instructional videos entitled "***Why Passover Trumps Easter According to the Bible***".

Right now is the time of the year that we are being called to launch this offensive, and we are being called to sound the alarm and to make straight the paths of the righteous so that they can hear this historical and biblical truth and make a judgment for themselves this day... whom it is that they will serve.

My friends the stock markets around the world are wavering back and forth. Pandemics are coming upon the face of the earth as we speak. Earthquakes and volcanoes, and asteroids, and signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars have all been ramping up over the last several years, and are indeed only the birth pains of what's to come. It is now that we need to move. It is now that we need to stand. And it is now that we need to sound our shofar's in the celebration of the new moon of Passover month and to let the world know who their true Messiah truly is according to their own God breathed Scripture.

We've already warned our assembly, that there would come a time when Yahovah our Father in heaven would call us to move. That there would come a time, that our personal relationship with him would become more important than ever. That there would come a time when he would call us to stand and to speak his truth. And my friends... that time is come. And we will be judged for what we have... and have not done during this critical time. Today we still have time to expand his coming kingdom. But tomorrow is going to be a different story. The opportunity that we have to speak freely is a window that is already beginning to close. The sand is right now today as we speak leaving the hourglass, and just as the apostle Paul has already warned us in the book of Ephesians... we need to be putting on the full armor of God so that we can stand in the evil day.

This my friends is a call to suit up. This my friends is a call to stand. Our Messiah stood for us... and its high time that we stand for him. And it's not about whether or not God is with us... it's about whether or not we are with God.

With that being said, everyone within the sound of my voice is invited to this four-part teaching concerning the Passover and why it trumps Easter according to our God breathed Scripture. This four-part series will also have a downloadable PDF file for each and every one of these different sessions, and they will be as always... free to the public. All that it will cost anyone, is the time that it takes to sit down and to either view the teachings, or to read the PDF files for themselves and to test them through the fire of prayer, and their own God breathed Scripture.

Once again my friends, this is a major initiative that we are launching this coming Saturday, and if you have anyone in your family who might be teetering between what modern-day Christianity is teaching today, and the truth... you need to invite them to this four-part study concerning the Passover so that we can introduce them to their true Messiah.

And with that being said, we are also commissioned to not only know what our God breathed Scripture says... but just as importantly, what it does not say. And so, we will begin this evening by reading Exodus chapter 39 so that we can know exactly what it does say, and just as importantly, what it does not say. Let's begin this evening with **Exodus chapter 39 E1**

Exo 39:1 From the blue and purple and scarlet yarns they made finely woven garments, for ministering in the Holy Place. They made the holy garments for Aaron, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:2 He made the ephod of gold, blue and purple and scarlet yarns, and fine twined linen.

Exo 39:3 And they hammered out gold leaf, and he cut it into threads to work into the blue and purple and the scarlet yarns, and into the fine twined linen, in skilled design.

Exo 39:4 They made for the ephod attaching shoulder pieces, joined to it at its two edges.

Exo 39:5 And the skillfully woven band on it was of one piece with it and made like it, of gold, blue and purple and scarlet yarns, and fine twined linen, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:6 They made the onyx stones, enclosed in settings of gold filigree, and engraved like the engravings of a signet, according to the names of the sons of Israel.

Exo 39:7 And he set them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod to be stones of remembrance for the sons of Israel, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:8 He made the breastpiece, in skilled work, in the style of the ephod, of gold, blue and purple and scarlet yarns, and fine twined linen.

Exo 39:9 It was square. They made the breastpiece doubled, a span its length and a span its breadth when doubled.

Exo 39:10 And they set in it four rows of stones. A row of sardius, topaz, and carbuncle was the first row;

Exo 39:11 and the second row, an emerald, a sapphire, and a diamond;

Exo 39:12 and the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and an amethyst;

Exo 39:13 and the fourth row, a beryl, an onyx, and a jasper. They were enclosed in settings of gold filigree.

Exo 39:14 There were twelve stones with their names according to the names of the sons of Israel. They were like signets, each engraved with its name, for the twelve tribes.

Exo 39:15 And they made on the breastpiece twisted chains like cords, of pure gold.

Exo 39:16 And they made two settings of gold filigree and two gold rings, and put the two rings on the two edges of the breastpiece.

Exo 39:17 And they put the two cords of gold in the two rings at the edges of the breastpiece.

Exo 39:18 They attached the two ends of the two cords to the two settings of filigree. Thus they attached it in front to the shoulder pieces of the ephod.

Exo 39:19 Then they made two rings of gold, and put them at the two ends of the breastpiece, on its inside edge next to the ephod.

Exo 39:20 And they made two rings of gold, and attached them in front to the lower part of the two shoulder pieces of the ephod, at its seam above the skillfully woven band of the ephod.

Exo 39:21 And they bound the breastpiece by its rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, so that it should lie on the skillfully woven band of the ephod, and that the breastpiece should not come loose from the ephod, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:22 He also made the robe of the ephod woven **all of blue**,

Exo 39:23 and the opening of the robe in it was like the opening in a garment, with a binding around the opening, so that it might not tear.

Exo 39:24 On the hem of the robe they made pomegranates of blue and purple and scarlet yarns and fine twined linen.

Exo 39:25 They also made **bells of pure gold**, and put the bells **between the pomegranates** all around the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates—

Exo 39:26 **a bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate** around the hem of the robe for ministering, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:27 They also made the coats, woven of fine linen, for Aaron and his sons,

Exo 39:28 and the turban of fine linen, and the caps of fine linen, and the linen undergarments of fine twined linen,

Exo 39:29 and the sash of fine twined linen and of blue and purple and scarlet yarns, embroidered with needlework, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:30 They made the plate of the holy crown of pure gold, and wrote on it an inscription, like the engraving of a signet, **“Holy to the LORD.”**

Exo 39:31 And they tied to it **a cord of blue** to fasten it on the turban above, as the

LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 39:32 Thus all the work of the tabernacle of the tent of meeting was finished, and the people of Israel did according to all that the LORD had commanded Moses; so they did.

Exo 39:33 Then they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent and all its utensils, its hooks, its frames, its bars, its pillars, and its bases;

Exo 39:34 the covering of tanned rams' skins and goatskins, and the veil of the screen;

Exo 39:35 the ark of the testimony with its poles and the mercy seat;

Exo 39:36 the table with all its utensils, and the bread of the Presence;

Exo 39:37 the lampstand of pure gold and its lamps with the lamps set and all its utensils, and the oil for the light;

Exo 39:38 the golden altar, the anointing oil and the fragrant incense, and the screen for the entrance of the tent;

Exo 39:39 the bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils; the basin and its stand;

Exo 39:40 the hangings of the court, its pillars, and its bases, and the screen for the gate of the court, its cords, and its pegs; and all the utensils for the service of the tabernacle, for the tent of meeting;

Exo 39:41 the finely worked garments for ministering in the Holy Place, the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and the garments of his sons for their service as priests.

Exo 39:42 According to all that the LORD had commanded Moses, so the people of Israel had done all the work.

Exo 39:43 And Moses saw all the work, and behold, they had done it; as the LORD had commanded, so had they done it. Then Moses blessed them.

(scrn 2)



One of the first things that I like to talk about is the uniform of the High Priest. And I know that we've already studied this during our study into the book of Exodus back when Yahovah was giving Moses the instruction to put this uniform together... but I'd like to take the time to once again go back over just a few of the things that are mentioned during the actual manufacturing of this uniform and why it is that the high priest of Israel stands apart from the rest of the Levitical priesthood.

The high priest himself along with every piece of this uniform has everything to do with who our Messiah is, and who we are as a people, as God's people, a set apart people, as a nation of priests ourselves. **1st Peter 2:9 (scrn 3)**

1Pe 2:9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.



Once again, everything that we see here in the Old Testament is revealed to us in the New Testament. The patterns of Yahovah begin to roll out here in the beginning of the book, and this is exactly why it is so important for a modern-day Christian to begin by reading the beginning of the book and not to begin reading the Bible from the middle of the book.

Peter tells us here very clearly that we are a chosen race that have been chosen by Yahovah to be a Royal priesthood, and a holy nation, a people for his own possession. Why? So that... we can proclaim the excellencies of him who called us out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once again, we see the pattern of darkness, and then light. Man being born into darkness, and then being called into the light. The phrase "*Many are called and yet few are chosen*" is not just a cliché.

And I also want us to understand that although there was always one High Priest, there were many Levitical priests that served during the days of Moses. As we've already seen only the High Priest is dressed with this particular uniform, but the Levitical priesthood always wore the white linen garment that the High Priest wore underneath his uniform. The Levitical priesthood were indeed priests that served Yahovah. And this is a representation of a true God-fearing, Messiah following, cross bearing Christian who understands the truth about who their Messiah truly is.

And so, if the Levitical priesthood was indeed a representation of a modern-day Christian, then who is our High Priest today? For a modern-day Christian to understand who their Messiah truly is, we need to go back into the Old Testament and first read **Psalms 110 E2**

Psa 110:1 A Psalm of David. The LORD says to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand,

until I make your enemies your footstool.”

Psa 110:2 The LORD sends forth from Zion your mighty scepter. Rule in the midst of your enemies!

Psa 110:3 Your people will offer themselves freely on the day of your power, in holy garments; from the womb of the morning, the dew of your youth will be yours.

Psa 110:4 The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind, “You are a priest forever after the order of Melchizedek.”

Psa 110:5 The Lord is at your right hand; he will shatter kings on the day of his wrath.

Psa 110:6 He will execute judgment among the nations, filling them with corpses; he will shatter chiefs over the wide earth.

Psa 110:7 He will drink from the brook by the way; therefore he will lift up his head.

Who is Psalms 110 about? Who do you see in Psalms 110? Because I would submit to you my friends that if you see your Messiah in Psalms 110... it has been given to you by God to see your Messiah in Psalms 110. Believe it or not, there are many scholars who do not have the eyes to see nor the ears to hear our Messiah here in Psalms 110. This my friends, is who Yeshua Hamashiach Jesus the Messiah truly is. Our Messiah Yeshua Hamashiach Jesus the Messiah is our high priest after the order of Melchizedek. And we can also find evidence of this in the New Testament in **Hebrews chapter 5 E3**

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

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

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

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

Heb 5:9 And being made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation to all who obey him,

Heb 5:10 being designated by God a high priest after the order of Melchizedek.

Heb 5:11 About this we have much to say, and it is hard to explain, since you have become dull of hearing.

Heb 5:12 For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the basic principles of the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food,

Heb 5:13 for everyone who lives on milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, since he is a child.

Heb 5:14 But solid food is for the mature, for those who have their powers of discernment trained by constant practice to distinguish good from evil.

My friends we don't have to be a rocket scientist to understand the Scripture, but what we do have to do is to study to show ourselves approved and ask for the discernment that comes from heaven above so that we can understand the Scripture. It's really not rocket science. It just takes a heart and a mind that loves God enough to want to get to know him better. Ask, seek, and knock on his door... and you will find... and his door... will be opened to you.

The problem with today's modern-day professing Christian is that they knock on the wrong door, and they fill themselves with anything and everything except what it is that their God breathed Scripture tells them. Claiming to be wise they have become fools because they have exchanged the truth about God for a lie, and have worshiped and served the creature of Catholicism rather than the creator of heaven. And today's modern-day protestant churches who no longer protest against anything have indeed become nothing more than the daughters of Catholicism herself, who is... the prostitute... that rides the beast.

And because we have already touched on these things in our previous studies, we won't go any farther into them here this evening, other than to say that there is much, much, much more for today's modern-day Christian to know and to understand that they will never understand... unless.... you and I can get them to read the book from the beginning and not from the middle.

With that being said let's continue to see the construction of this wilderness tabernacle being completed in the very last chapter of the book of **Exodus, chapter 40 E4**

Exo 40:1 *The LORD spoke to Moses, saying,*

Exo 40:2 *“On the first day of the first month you shall erect the tabernacle of the tent of meeting.*

Exo 40:3 *And you shall put in it the ark of the testimony, and you shall screen the ark with the veil.*

Exo 40:4 *And you shall bring in the table and arrange it, and you shall bring in the lampstand and set up its lamps.*

Exo 40:5 *And you shall put the golden altar for incense before the ark of the testimony, and set up the screen for the door of the tabernacle.*

Exo 40:6 *You shall set the altar of burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the tent of meeting,*

Exo 40:7 *and place the basin between the tent of meeting and the altar, and put water in it.*

Exo 40:8 *And you shall set up the court all around, and hang up the screen for the gate of the court.*

Exo 40:9 *“Then you shall take the anointing oil and anoint the tabernacle and all that is in it, and consecrate it and all its furniture, so that it may become holy.*

Exo 40:10 *You shall also anoint the altar of burnt offering and all its utensils, and consecrate the altar, so that the altar may become most holy.*

Exo 40:11 You shall also **anoint** the basin and its stand, and **consecrate** it.

Exo 40:12 Then you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the entrance of the tent of meeting and shall wash them with water

Exo 40:13 and put on Aaron the holy garments. And you shall **anoint him** and **consecrate him**, that he may **serve me** as priest.

Exo 40:14 You shall bring his sons also and put coats on them,

Exo 40:15 and **anoint them**, as you **anointed their father**, that they may **serve me** as priests. And their **anointing shall admit them to a perpetual priesthood throughout their generations.**”

Exo 40:16 This Moses did; according to all that the LORD commanded him, so he did.

Exo 40:17 **In the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, the tabernacle was erected.**

Exo 40:18 Moses erected the tabernacle. He laid its bases, and set up its frames, and put in its poles, and raised up its pillars.

Exo 40:19 And he spread the tent over the tabernacle and put the covering of the tent over it, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:20 He took **the testimony** and put it **into the ark**, and put the poles on the ark and set the mercy seat above on the ark.

Exo 40:21 And he brought the ark into the tabernacle and set up the veil of the screen, and screened the **ark of the testimony**, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:22 He put **the table** in the tent of meeting, **on the north side of the tabernacle**, outside the veil,

Exo 40:23 and arranged the bread on it before the LORD, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:24 He put **the lampstand** in the tent of meeting, opposite the table on **the south side** of the tabernacle,

Exo 40:25 and set up the lamps before the LORD, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:26 He put **the golden altar** in the tent of meeting **before the veil**,

Exo 40:27 and burned fragrant incense on it, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:28 He put in place the screen for the door of the tabernacle.

Exo 40:29 And he set **the altar of burnt offering at the entrance of the tabernacle** of the tent of meeting, and offered on it the burnt offering and the grain offering, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

Exo 40:30 He set the basin between the tent of meeting and the altar, and put water in it for washing,

Exo 40:31 with which Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet.

Exo 40:32 When they went into the tent of meeting, and when they approached the

altar, they washed, as the LORD commanded Moses.

Exo 40:33 And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the gate of the court. So Moses finished the work.

Exo 40:34 Then the cloud covered the tent of meeting, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle.

Exo 40:35 And Moses was not able to enter the tent of meeting because the cloud settled on it, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle.

Exo 40:36 Throughout all their journeys, whenever the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the people of Israel would set out.

Exo 40:37 But if the cloud was not taken up, then they did not set out till the day that it was taken up.

Exo 40:38 For the cloud of the LORD was on the tabernacle by day, and fire was in it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel throughout all their journeys.

One of the first things that we need to remember is that at this point in time, the house of Israel had been gone from Egypt for just a few days shy of a year. All of what we have seen in the book of Exodus has transpired over about one year's time. And so, we should be impressed with everything that has been taking place over these last 12 months.

It took a little over two months for the house of Israel to reach mount Sinai after leaving Egypt. And then after getting settled, Moses spent 40 days up on mount Sinai before he came back down the mountain to find the house of Israel worshipping a Golden calf. Upon which time Moses smashes the two stones of the testimony and condemns Israel for doing such a wretched thing. After Moses straightens all of this nonsense out, he then goes back up the mountain again for another 40 days where he is given another two stone tablets of Yah's testimony. And so, we can clearly see that the house of Israel was at mount Sinai for about 5 to 6 months before they even began to work on the construction of the wilderness tabernacle. And I want us to pay very close attention to what we are told in **Exodus chapter 40 verse 17 E5**

Exo 40:17 In the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, the tabernacle was erected.

And so, because of the information that we are given here in Exodus chapter 40 verse 17, we can know that the tabernacle was erected two weeks before the Passover. The new moon was the signal that the house of Israel was given to mark the first day of each one of our Fathers new months. Remember the biblical pattern that we've already spoken about... "Darkness first, and then light"; each month started with a new moon hanging dark in the sky. And with each new moon, began a new month according to Yahovah's calendar.

And so, according to Moses, this was New Year's Day that the tabernacle was erected. Let's turn back to Exodus chapter 12 and once again read through versus one through 11. **Exodus 12:1-11 E6:**

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.***

Once again, the Passover that we read about early on in our study in the 12th chapter of the book of Exodus is about to recur again... and this time Yahovah, along with the Ark of his testimony would be tabernacling (dwelling) with the house of Israel for this very first Passover that will be in remembrance of the day that they left Egypt.

Most modern-day Christians today still think that January 1st is the day that they are to celebrate the new year. Once again, the truth according to our God breathed Scripture is that the new year does not begin until Yahovah says it begins, which is not in the month of January (as man calls it)... but is when the barley is ripe (which in the Hebrew is known as “Aviv”) and a new moon is hanging dark in the sky. These are the two witnesses that witness to us that the new year of Yahovah has begun, and the Passover begins 14 days later.

And so, all of this comes together in the spring time right around what we know today as the end of March or the beginning of April according to our man-made Gregorian calendars, which is indeed the time that we are in right now in 2020. When Moses says in Exodus chapter 40 verse 17, *“In the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, the tabernacle was*

erected” he’s talking about the second year that they had left Egypt. This was going to be the beginning of year two of their freedom from the bondage of Egypt.

What’s important to understand here is that it took a whole year for the house of Israel to prepare in order to make the journey to the promise land that Yahovah had promised Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. In order to make this journey across the wilderness, the house of Israel had to be equipped to make that journey and because of all of the obstacles and enemies along the way, the only way that the house of Israel was going to be able to make this journey was **with God**.

And I want us to notice the similarities between the house of Israel becoming equipped to make this journey by having the God of Israel dwelling within their midst... and a modern-day Christian who is now God’s temple dwelling on earth... who also needs God dwelling within them... in order to complete their journey to the promise land. It’s important to see this pattern. It’s important to know why we are called the temple of God. It’s important to know why his Ruach Hokadesh (his Holy Spirit) needs to be dwelling within us, and in our midst in order for us to make this journey into the promise land.

As we have said so many times before my friends there is no such thing as “*once saved always saved*”. “*Once saved always saved*” is nothing more than a repackaged doctrine of “*do as thou wilt is now the whole of the law*”. If Yahovah’s laws are not written in your heart and in your mind, because his Ruach Hokadesh dwells deeply within you... then you have no hope of salvation. And if you return like a dog to its vomit, and a pig to its mire, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins. Not says I, but says our God breathed Scripture. **Hebrews 6:4-6 E7**

Heb 6:4 For it is impossible, in the case of those who have once been enlightened, who have tasted the heavenly gift, and have shared in the Holy Spirit,

Heb 6:5 and have tasted the goodness of the word of God and the powers of the age to come,

Heb 6:6 and then have fallen away, to restore them again to repentance, since they are crucifying once again the Son of God to their own harm and holding him up to contempt.

And again in **Hebrews 10:26-31 E8**

Heb 10:26 For if we go on sinning deliberately after receiving the knowledge of the truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins,

Heb 10:27 but a fearful expectation of judgment, and a fury of fire that will consume the adversaries.

Heb 10:28 Anyone who has set aside the law of Moses dies without mercy on the evidence of two or three witnesses.

Heb 10:29 How much worse punishment, do you think, will be deserved by the one who has trampled underfoot the Son of God, and has profaned the blood of the

covenant by which he was sanctified, and has outraged the Spirit of grace?

Heb 10:30 For we know him who said, "Vengeance is mine; I will repay." And again, "The Lord will judge his people."

Heb 10:31 It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God.

If the Ruach Hokadesh of Yahovah dwells within us, then his laws will be written in our hearts and in our minds. **Hebrews 10:15-17 (scroll up)**

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."

Notice here my friends that it is written in Hebrews chapter 10 verse 16, that this is the covenant that he will make with them after those days declares Yahovah. And this is the exact same covenant that we see written in the Old Testament in Jeremiah chapter 31 verse 33. He will put his laws in our hearts and write them on our minds. And notice the word "*then*" in Hebrews chapter 10 verse 17. "*Then*"... after he's written his laws in our hearts and in our minds "*then*"... he will remember our sins and are lawless deeds no more. My friends if his laws are not written in your heart and on your mind then your sins and your lawless deeds are not forgotten according to your God breathed Scripture. This my friends is what believing in his only begotten son does for us and to us. And for those of our ignorant and unstudied brethren out there who claim that the apostle Paul did away with the law of God, I would simply encourage them to go back and read the book from the beginning, and ask Yahovah for the discernment to understand what it was that the apostle Paul actually said concerning his law. **(scrn 4)**

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.**

And along with this biblical truth we need to also understand that the wilderness tabernacle was a physical earthly model of Yahovah's spiritual dwelling place in heaven. And so is his seventh day Sabbath a spiritual concept with a physical counterpart. The Israelites were to physically rest after six days of work. And believers in his only begotten Son are to spiritually rest in their Messiah, as well as... to physically rest on the seventh day and I quote, "*forever and throughout their generations*". **Exodus 31:12-18 E8:**

Exo 31:12 And the LORD said to Moses,

Exo 31:13 "You are to speak to the people of Israel and say, 'Above all you shall keep my Sabbaths, for this is a sign between me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I, the LORD, sanctify you.'

Exo 31:14 You shall keep the Sabbath, because it is holy for you. Everyone who profanes it shall be put to death. Whoever does any work on it, that soul shall be cut off from among his people.

Exo 31:15 Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the LORD. Whoever does any work on the Sabbath day shall be put to death.

Exo 31:16 Therefore the people of Israel shall keep the Sabbath, observing the Sabbath throughout their generations, as a covenant forever.

Exo 31:17 It is a sign forever between me and the people of Israel that in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day he rested and was refreshed."

Exo 31:18 And he gave to Moses, when he had finished speaking with him on Mount Sinai, the two tablets of the testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God.

Just as the wilderness tabernacle was a copy of the true tabernacle in heaven, we must always understand that there is always a physical side to our belief and a spiritual side to our belief. We cannot believe in the spirit alone and not believe in the physical, and we cannot believe in the physical alone and not believe in the spiritual. Our spiritual faith fuels our physical good works here on earth. And our faith is completed by our works. Not says I, but says James who was the brother of our Messiah and the head of the Jerusalem Council.

This my friends is the only seventh day Sabbath that is commanded by anyone anywhere within the confines of the 66 books of our Bible. No one at any time has ever commanded anyone to keep holy the first day of the week Sunday, and call it the Sabbath. And I want us to notice here that we are told twice not only that this seventh day Sabbath is a sign between God and us, but that it is to be and I quote, "*forever*".

And of course, a lot of our unstudied brethren will try to mock us because those who do not keep the Sabbath are no longer put to death. But what they fail to understand is that we no longer have a physical temple here on earth, nor do we have the God ordained Levitical judicial system needed for carrying out such penalties. However... it is clearly written within our God breathed Scripture that these things will indeed be reinstated upon the return of our Messiah when he comes to set up his soon coming kingdom. And it will be at that point in time that the world will be in for a rude awakening.

Once again my friends, just as our Messiah has already told us in the book of Matthew chapter 5, he did not come to abolish the law or the prophets. He came to do them. And just as our Messiah tells us in the book of Matthew chapter 5, not one crossing of a "t" or the dotting of an "i" will pass from his Father's law until two very important things happen. Number one; heaven and earth must both pass away, and number two; all things must be accomplished. And my friends neither one of those two things happen until clear at the back of the book at the end of the age in Revelation chapter 21.

And this at least for now... concludes our study into the book of Exodus, and we will begin a brand-new study into the book of Leviticus next Wednesday evening at 7 PM Eastern standard time right here on Holy Impact Ministries Bible study night.

Once again my friends the beginning of the book that we know as our Bible, is a living breathing document. It is the living breathing word of Yahovah himself. And this living breathing word continues to teach us even when we think in our small human minds that we know it all. And with that being said I will once again leave you with one of the most important statements ever proclaimed within any of the 66 books of our Bibles that came from one of the wisest men who had ever lived. **Ecclesiastes 12:12-14 (scrn 5)**

Ecc 12:12 My son, beware of anything beyond these. Of making many books there is no end, and much study is a weariness of the flesh.

Ecc 12:13 The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man.

Ecc 12:14 For God will bring every deed into judgment, with every secret thing, whether good or evil.



And now that we know what the whole duty of man actually is according to our God breathed Scripture... I would like to once again ask everyone within the sound of my voice 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 promise 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 his door alone... and the door will be opened to you. And if you will do that, and if you will stay the course to the end, you and I will surely walk through the Gates of his soon coming kingdom together.