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Leviticus 19b and 20 **The Moral Law**

Once again, thank you for joining us this evening for our journey into Leviticus chapters 19 and 20 and thank you so very much for having the tenacity and the interest to dig in and to see, know, and understand as much as possible about our Father's spoken word. Today is once again not a day that we can sit idly by and watch the world go by. The day that we are now living in today is indeed a day of decision, and the decision that we make today will profoundly impact the future of tomorrow for not only ourselves but also for our children and our children's children, and our communities, and it will impact the welfare of those around us. I am always so very appreciative of those who come and want to test these things to see if they be true or not, and are asking, and seeking, and knocking on the door of Yehovah our Father in heaven because they want to know him and understand him and be close to him. And that's exactly what we're going to be doing this evening as we venture back into the root of the word of our Father in heaven as we attempt to ask, and to seek, and to knock on his door and on his door alone.

There is no doubt in my mind why you are here this evening, and why it is that you've been given the drive and the tenacity in your spirit to seek him out and to see, know, and understand as much about him as you possibly can. It is indeed the Spirit that dwells within us that causes us to be driven back to his spoken word, and back to the root of exactly who he is, and what he expects of us as his set apart people. And I just want you to know that I am indeed thankful and blessed by your attendance here this evening and I am once again honored by your presence and humbled to be of service here this evening.

With that being said... Leviticus chapters 19 and 20 are indeed tectonically important chapters of his spoken word because they truly do drive home the fact that our Father is indeed "holy", and we're once again going to examine the importance of being "holy" and what that means because without our being holy in the eyes of our Father in heaven we will not be able to partake of the fruit that his only begotten Son came to deliver to us. Without understanding what being "holy" is all about we will indeed miss the mark, and without understanding that we can indeed be "holy" we won't be able to hit a bullseye that we cannot see.

Being holy and loving our neighbor and keeping his statutes and staying away from what is unholy... is how we endure. It's how we conquer. It's how we walk, how we talk, how we make decisions, it's how we protect ourselves and our children and our communities from the wrath of Yehovah God our Elohim, and it's how we please him because he did love us first, and because he did choose us first, and because even today he continues to provide for us time and

time again once again proving that he is the one true Most High Elohim of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob that is the beginning and the end, the truth, the way and the life. Without him there would be no only begotten Son, there would be no holiness, there would be no righteousness, and there would be no salvation. In the absence of truth... there is only sin and darkness.

One of the most profound scriptures that leads me and guides me each and every day is found in the 30th chapter of Deuteronomy where our Father explains in great detail the difference between life and death and blessings and curses. Teaching as he always does... that his word is life. His instruction is life. His ways, his precepts, his appointments, his Sabbaths, and his holy spoken word is indeed the path to life. Man does not live by bread alone... but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of Yehovah God himself. His word is the Spiritual mana that sustains life and truly does cause us not only to live... but to live more abundantly! It is his spoken word that leads us back to the garden of Eden where we were first banished because of our disobedience. And it is indeed because of the second Adam that our Father in heaven has made it clear to us that it is time to return. It is time this very day... that we choose whom it is that we will serve, because just as we have said so many times before... the sand is indeed leaving the hourglass as we speak.

Knowing these things and having the eyes to see and the ears to hear these things I'd like to begin this evening by once again refreshing our minds with what we find in Leviticus chapter 19. And so, lets very quickly return to Leviticus chapter 19 and just re-read through it once again so that we can recall what it was that our Father in heaven is trying to convey to us here this evening. Leviticus chapter 19:

The Lord Is Holy

Lev 19:1 And the **LORD** spoke to Moses, saying,

Lev 19:2 "Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them, You shall be holy, for I the **LORD** your God am holy.

Lev 19:3 Every one of you shall revere his mother and his father, and you shall keep my Sabbaths: I am the **LORD** your God.

Lev 19:4 Do not turn to idols or make for yourselves any gods of cast metal: I am the **LORD** your God.

Lev 19:5 "When you offer a sacrifice of peace offerings to the **LORD**, you shall offer it so that you may be accepted.

Lev 19:6 It shall be eaten the same day you offer it or on the day after, and anything left over until the third day shall be burned up with fire.

Lev 19:7 If it is eaten at all on the third day, it is tainted; it will not be accepted,

Lev 19:8 and everyone who eats it shall bear his iniquity, because he has profaned what is holy to the **LORD**, and that person shall be cut off from his people.

Love Your Neighbor as Yourself

Lev 19:9 "When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, **neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest.**

Lev 19:10 And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God.

Lev 19:11 "You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another.

Lev 19:12 You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD.

Lev 19:13 "You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired worker shall not remain with you all night until the morning.

Lev 19:14 You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD.

Lev 19:15 "You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor.

Lev 19:16 You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD.

Lev 19:17 "You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him.

Lev 19:18 You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.

You Shall Keep My Statutes

Lev 19:19 "You shall keep my statutes. You shall not let your cattle breed with a different kind. You shall not sow your field with two kinds of seed, nor shall you wear a garment of cloth made of two kinds of material.

Lev 19:20 "If a man lies sexually with a woman who is a slave, assigned to another man and not yet ransomed or given her freedom, a distinction shall be made. They shall not be put to death, because she was not free;

Lev 19:21 but he shall bring his compensation to the LORD, to the entrance of the tent of meeting, a ram for a guilt offering.

Lev 19:22 And the priest shall make atonement for him with the ram of the guilt offering before the LORD for his sin that he has committed, and he shall be forgiven for the sin that he has committed.

Lev 19:23 "When you come into the land and plant any kind of tree for food, then you shall regard its fruit as forbidden. Three years it shall be forbidden to you; it must not be eaten.

Lev 19:24 And in the fourth year all its fruit shall be holy, an offering of praise to the LORD.

Lev 19:25 But in the fifth year you may eat of its fruit, to increase its yield for you: I am the LORD your God.

Lev 19:26 "You shall not eat any flesh with the blood in it. You shall not interpret omens or tell fortunes.

Lev 19:27 You shall not round off the hair on your temples or mar the edges of your beard.

Lev 19:28 You shall not make any cuts on your body for the dead or tattoo yourselves:

I am the LORD.

Lev 19:29 "Do not profane your daughter by making her a prostitute, lest the land fall into prostitution and the land become full of depravity.

Lev 19:30 You shall keep my Sabbaths and reverence my sanctuary: I am the LORD.

Lev 19:31 "Do not turn to mediums or necromancers; do not seek them out, and so make yourselves unclean by them: I am the LORD your God.

Lev 19:32 "You shall stand up before the gray head and honor the face of an old man, and you shall fear your God: I am the LORD.

Lev 19:33 "When a stranger sojourns with you in your land, you shall not do him wrong.

Lev 19:34 You shall treat the stranger who sojourns with you as the native among you, and you shall love him as yourself, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt: I am the LORD your God.

Lev 19:35 "You shall do no wrong in judgment, in measures of length or weight or quantity.

Lev 19:36 You shall have just balances, just weights, a just ephah, and a just hin: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt.

Lev 19:37 And you shall observe all my statutes and all my rules, and do them: I am the LORD."

(scrn 1)

Be Holy (Perfect) Even As Your Father In Heaven!

OLD TESTAMENT (Moses):

Lev 19:1 And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying,

Lev 19:2 "Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them, You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy.

NEW TESTAMENT (Yehshua):

Mat 5:48 You therefore must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.



During our last study session as we ventured into the 19th chapter of the book of Leviticus we went into some depth concerning immoral depravity, and the fact that Yehovah is holy and just

what that means, and we spoke about how both Moses and our Messiah both command us to be holy and to be perfect even as our heavenly Father is perfect, and we spoke about how there is no difference between what is commanded in the Old Testament and what is commanded in the new Testament. (scrn 2)

Love Your Neighbor As Yourself!

Mat 22:37 And he said to him, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.

Mat 22:38 This is the great and first commandment.

Mat 22:39 And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

Mat 22:40 On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.”



We spoke in some detail about the fact that both the Old Testament and the New Testament agree that we should indeed love our neighbors as ourselves and that loving the Lord your God, your Elohim with all of your heart, soul, and mind is indeed the greatest commandment but I would like to ask you here this evening why it is the greatest commandment. Why is loving our Father in heaven with all of our hearts and our souls and our minds the greatest commandment... and what does it mean to love our Father in heaven with all of our hearts and with all of our souls and with all of our minds? Do we know?

This is indeed the greatest commandment in the Bible according to both the Old and the New Testaments and according to both our Father in heaven and his only begotten Son and yet I would submit to you that most modern-day professing Christians today have no concept of what it means to love our Father with all of their hearts, souls, and minds.

Does loving our Father in heaven with all of our hearts, souls and minds mean that we should be looking for ways to ignore his law... to do away with his law... to whitewash his law from his God breathed scripture? Or does loving our Father in heaven with all of our hearts, souls, and minds have to do with being obedient to the spoken word of our Father in heaven who tells us very clearly that it is his spoken word that leads us back to life and away from

sin and curses?

Understanding the biblical definition of the love of God is monumental in understanding what it means to love God with all of your heart, soul, and mind. The greatest commandment in the bible is to love God is it not? And if the greatest commandment in the Bible is that we love Yehovah God with all of our hearts, souls, and minds... don't you think it would be important to understand the biblical definition of loving God and how to love him according to his spoken word?

And let me ask you this my friends... if you were to stand outside of any modern-day church today outside in their parking lot... and you were to ask the first 10 people coming out of that church what the biblical definition of the love of God is... how many people do you think could give you a true and accurate biblical answer to that question?

The most important commandment in all of the Bible... and how many modern-day professing Christians do you think could answer the question... what is the biblical definition of the love of God? I tell you the truth my friends... you would be hard pressed to find even one out of ten.

Most of them couldn't even tell you what they learned from the sermon that day let alone something as important as the biblical definition of the love of God. And herein lies the problem. Herein lies the inept lack of duty that so often times encapsulates today's modern day "Church" and her thousands of different denominational empires.

Many who are of our congregation here at Holy Impact Ministries sitting in the audience here this evening already know what the biblical definition of the love of God is for that very reason. Because it is... the greatest commandment in the Bible, and we teach it profusely. It is the pinnacle of commandments, and it points us directly to something that today's modern day country club "Church" has long ago done away with. And that my friends... is obedience.

Obedience to his commandment and not man's commandments... obedience to his appointments and not man's appointments... obedience to his precepts and his feast days, and his festivals... and not man's precepts, feast days, and festivals.

Our Messiah did not come to celebrate his own birthday, or to change his Father's Sabbaths, or to do away with his Father's law. He tells us all throughout his ministry that not the crossing of a "t" or the dotting of an "i" will pass from his Father's law until both heaven and earth pass away and all things are accomplished in Matthew chapter 5. Neither of which happens until the end of the age clear at the back of the book in Revelation chapter 21, and he tells us again that it would be easier for both heaven and earth to pass away than even one dot of his Father's law to become void in Luke chapter 16.

Obedience... has become a thing of the past in the eyes of today's modern day gentile country club Church. Obedience has been abolished, it has been nailed to the cross, it is even a curse according to the lost. Obedience to the word of Yehovah God that brings life and is the light of the world and even who our Messiah became in the flesh has been thrown to the ground by today's modern day gentile country club Church. They wonder in the dark like the blind always studying but never understanding, never being able to come to the truth because they have thrown out the greatest commandment of the Bible which is to love your Father in heaven with all of your heart, soul, and mind. **1st John 5:3-5 (scrn 3)**

The Biblical Definition of The Love of God...

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

1Jn 5:4 For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.

1Jn 5:5 Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?



According to the Apostle John... the biblical definition of the love of God is not only that we keep his commandments... but that his commandments are not burdensome to us. John also continues on to mention the fact that everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world! Let me ask you my friends... have you overcome the world? What is the “victory” according to John? The “victory” is our “faith”, and what does “faith” do? True “faith” fuels our good works! True “faith” is obedience to the commandment of Yehovah God! “Faith” is not a babbling of words. True “faith” is not honoring him with your lips while your heart is far from him. True “faith” is completed by our works! Not says I... but says the Apostle James who was the brother of our Messiah and the head of the Jerusalem council! **(scrn 4)**

Our Faith Is Completed By Our Works!

Jas 2:21 Was not Abraham our father **justified by works** when he offered up his son Isaac on the altar?

Jas 2:22 You see that **faith was active along with his works**, and **faith was completed by his works**;

Jas 2:23 and the Scripture was fulfilled that says, “**Abraham believed God**, and it was counted to him as righteousness”—and he was called a friend of God.



Today's modern day gentile country club Church proud fully and yet shamefully proclaims that works are dead, and the law... the spoken word of Yehvoah God has been turned into ashes good for nothing other than to be blown into the wind. But the spoken word of Yehovah God tells us otherwise. Why was Abraham even chosen to be the father of all nations in the first place? It was not because he ran around honoring God with his lips while his heart was far from him. It was because he honored Yehovah God his Father with his lips... AND... his hands.

Why Was Abraham Chosen? Through Word, or Deed?

Gen 26:4 I will multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven and will give to your offspring all these lands. And in your offspring all the nations of the earth shall be blessed,

Gen 26:5 because Abraham obeyed my voice and kept my charge, my commandments, my statutes, and my laws.”



Abraham was not chosen to be the father of all nations because he said that he loved God. Abraham was chosen because he showed God that he loved him by his good works. Abraham did what Yehovah God our Elohim said BECAUSE... he truly loved him. Abraham did not keep Yehovah's commandments in order to be saved... he kept Yehovah's commandments because he knew that he was indeed the creator of the heavens and the earth, and because he wanted to please him. Abraham obeyed God because he knew who he was! Yehovah's commandments were not burdensome to Abraham... they were life to Abraham. And not only to Abraham... but to all who are of the seed of Abraham!

Let's move forward by reading Leviticus chapter 20 so that we can know exactly what it says and just as importantly... what it does not say. **Leviticus chapter 20 E2**

Punishment for Child Sacrifice

Lev 20:1 The LORD spoke to Moses, saying,

Lev 20:2 "Say to the people of Israel, Any one of the people of Israel or of the strangers who sojourn in Israel who gives any of his children to Molech shall surely be put to death. The people of the land shall stone him with stones.

Lev 20:3 I myself will set my face against that man and will cut him off from among his people, because he has given one of his children to Molech, to make my sanctuary unclean and to profane my holy name.

Lev 20:4 And if the people of the land do at all close their eyes to that man when he gives one of his children to Molech, and do not put him to death,

Lev 20:5 then I will set my face against that man and against his clan and will cut them

off from among their people, him and all who follow him in whoring after Molech.

Lev 20:6 "If a person turns to mediums and necromancers, whoring after them, I will set my face against that person and will cut him off from among his people.

Lev 20:7 Consecrate yourselves, therefore, and be holy, for I am the LORD your God.

Lev 20:8 Keep my statutes and do them; I am the LORD who sanctifies you.

Lev 20:9 For anyone who curses his father or his mother shall surely be put to death; he has cursed his father or his mother; his blood is upon him.

Punishments for Sexual Immorality

Lev 20:10 "If a man commits adultery with the wife of his neighbor, both the adulterer and the adulteress shall surely be put to death.

Lev 20:11 If a man lies with his father's wife, he has uncovered his father's nakedness; both of them shall surely be put to death; their blood is upon them.

Lev 20:12 If a man lies with his daughter-in-law, both of them shall surely be put to death; they have committed perversion; their blood is upon them.

Lev 20:13 If a man lies with a male as with a woman, both of them have committed an abomination; they shall surely be put to death; their blood is upon them.

Lev 20:14 If a man takes a woman and her mother also, it is depravity; he and they shall be burned with fire, that there may be no depravity among you.

Lev 20:15 If a man lies with an animal, he shall surely be put to death, and you shall kill the animal.

Lev 20:16 If a woman approaches any animal and lies with it, you shall kill the woman and the animal; they shall surely be put to death; their blood is upon them.

Lev 20:17 "If a man takes his sister, a daughter of his father or a daughter of his mother, and sees her nakedness, and she sees his nakedness, it is a disgrace, and they shall be cut off in the sight of the children of their people. He has uncovered his sister's nakedness, and he shall bear his iniquity.

Lev 20:18 If a man lies with a woman during her menstrual period and uncovers her nakedness, he has made naked her fountain, and she has uncovered the fountain of her blood. Both of them shall be cut off from among their people.

Lev 20:19 You shall not uncover the nakedness of your mother's sister or of your father's sister, for that is to make naked one's relative; they shall bear their iniquity.

Lev 20:20 If a man lies with his uncle's wife, he has uncovered his uncle's nakedness; they shall bear their sin; they shall die childless.

Lev 20:21 If a man takes his brother's wife, it is impurity. He has uncovered his brother's nakedness; they shall be childless.

You Shall Be Holy

Lev 20:22 "You shall therefore keep all my statutes and all my rules and do them, that the land where I am bringing you to live may not vomit you out.

Lev 20:23 And you shall not walk in the customs of the nation that I am driving out before you, for they did all these things, and therefore I detested them.

Lev 20:24 But I have said to you, 'You shall inherit their land, and I will give it to you to possess, a land flowing with milk and honey.' I am the LORD your God, who has

separated you from the peoples.

Lev 20:25 You shall therefore separate the clean beast from the unclean, and the unclean bird from the clean. You shall not make yourselves detestable by beast or by bird or by anything with which the ground crawls, which I have set apart for you to hold unclean.

Lev 20:26 You shall be holy to me, for I the LORD am holy and have separated you from the peoples, that you should be mine.

Lev 20:27 "A man or a woman who is a medium or a necromancer shall surely be put to death. They shall be stoned with stones; their blood shall be upon them."

Once again, just as we see all throughout the Bible, we once again see the commandment to keep our Father's statutes and his rules and to do them so that... the land does not vomit us out. We are not to do as the nations of the world are doing because these things are detestable to our Father in Heaven, and what exactly were the nations before the Israelites doing? They were practicing the commandments and festivals and Sabbaths **of men**. (scrn 6)

What Man Exalts God Detests!

Luk 16:14 The Pharisees, who were lovers of money, heard all these things, and they ridiculed him.

Luk 16:15 And he said to them, "You are those who justify yourselves before men, but God knows your hearts. For what is exalted among men is an abomination in the sight of God.

Luk 16:16 "The Law and the Prophets were until John; since then the good news of the kingdom of God is preached, and everyone forces his way into it.

Luk 16:17 But it is easier for heaven and earth to pass away than for one dot of the Law to become void.



This teaching brought to us by our Messiah in the New Testament is a teaching that has been trampled upon, desecrated, and even turned into a curse, and literally torn out of the pages of the Bible by many denominational empires today. And why? Because they willfully and intentionally choose not to have the eyes to see, nor the ears to hear. They willfully and intentionally choose to serve their so called "early church fathers" and their own Bible commentators, and their own denominational charters of men, their rabbinical sages, and their own brick and mortar institutions of men rather than getting down on their knees before the one true Most High Elohim of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob and asking for his discernment. They

willfully and intentionally choose the vanity filled pomp and pageantry of men and mans illustrious wisdom over Yehovah Gods wisdom. But there should be no mistake made when understanding that the very red-letter words of our Messiah proclaim to us that what is exalted among men is indeed and abomination in the sight of Yehovah God our Elohim. And it is indeed easier for both heaven and earth to pass away than for even one dot of his Father's law to become void.

As we turn through the pages of the book of Leviticus today in our time, we can see why it is that the world that we live in has indeed become a fallen Babylonian world that has returned to the throws of Egypt. Just think about what the world could learn from doing no injustice in court, or righteously judging your neighbor, not slandering people or hating your brother in your heart, or taking vengeance, or bearing a grudge against the sons of your own people.

Look at our political landscape today. Just look at it! Look at what they are doing. Listen to what they are saying and know and understand... that it is because lawlessness has increased in the land... that the love of many has grown cold just as our Messiah said would happen in Matthew chapter 24, as he once again explains the signs of the end of the age.

Those who sit in lofty places of power can't even keep their own laws that have been written by those who came before them. They vote to ignore the law of their own land that has been handed down by those who gave their very lives to give them the freedoms that they have. There is no shame in them, there is no consciousness, there is no understanding, no forgiveness, no mercy, and certainly no grace. They point their fingers at others while being guilty 7-fold of the things that they accuse others of. Just like the Pharisees of our Messiahs time... hypocrites, a brood of vipers, whitewashed tombs beautiful on the outside but full of dead men's bones on the inside. Lawless vanity filled hypocrites who wash the outside of the cup while leaving the inside filthy, they do injustice in court, they un-righteously judge their neighbors and they slander others while standing in a cesspool of filth and degradation themselves. And if the leaders of a nation are such hypocrites who do not know righteousness, or holiness, or obedience to the things of Yehovah God... then how can the nation that they rule over be found to be holy when they willfully and intentionally stand by and allow such things to happen in the land in which they live.

I want us to pay close attention to **Leviticus chapter 20 verses 4 and 5 (scrn 7)**

Those Who Close Their Eyes To Sin!

Lev 20:4 And if the people of the land do at all close their eyes to that man when he gives one of his children to Molech, and do not put him to death,

Lev 20:5 then I will set my face against that man and against his clan and will cut them off from among their people, him and all who follow him in whoring after Molech.



If it is a sin to close your eyes to the sins of those who murder their children to the god Molech... then it is also a sin to close your eyes to the sins of those who murder their children to the god of convenience. I tell you the truth my friends... there are people today around the world who profess to be Christians that are indeed guilty of closing their eyes to those who murder their children by offering them up to the god of convenience who is the little “g” god of this world. Abortion is the Devils resurrection of the God Molech make no mistake about it.

And I tell you the truth my friends... if the Elohim of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob sets his face against those who worship Molech and offer their children up to him... he will also set his face against those who worship the god of their own vanity and convenience who offer up their children to him. There is no difference. That wicked sprit of Molech is alive and well in the earth today, and we’d better wake up and realize it before it’s to late.

To those who choose not to see... to those who choose not to proclaim abortion as lawlessness, and to those who choose not to get involved... you are already involved as far as our Father in heaven is concerned. To those who close their eyes to those who sacrifice their children and the demonic institutions of men who willfully and intentionally murder children for a living so that they can sell their human cells and organs on the open market... you will indeed be cut off from among your people, and you will indeed be counted as whoring after the little “g” god of this world and his resurrected god Molech.

Once again... there is no difference between what we see in the Old Testament and what we see today in our time. And even as egregious and murderous an abomination as abortion is

against Yehovah God our Elohim... he still offers a way to return. Where sin abounds... grace abounds more. But know this... for those who have known the way of righteousness and to turn back from the holy commandment delivered to them... it would have been better for them to have never known the truth. (scrn 8)

Returning Like A Dog To It's Vomit!

2Pe 2:21 For it would have been better for them never to have known the way of righteousness than after knowing it to turn back from the holy commandment delivered to them.

2Pe 2:22 What the true proverb says has happened to them: "The dog returns to its own vomit, and the sow, after washing herself, returns to wallow in the mire."



The things that we are now seeing across the land that we now live in, and the atrocities that are being done in the name of man's righteousness knows no bounds. It is not man's version of righteousness that we should be seeking, but the righteousness of Yehovah God our Elohim. The Apostle James tells us in James chapter one verse five... that if any of us lacks wisdom we are to ask God who gives generously to all without reproach and it will be given him. But who is it that we ask for wisdom from today? Man turns to man for wisdom not God. Man has become his own god just like the serpent told Eve in the garden. The serpent told Eve that if she ate of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil that man would indeed become like God. And man has from that day forward always searched for a way to become his own god. And to this very day man seems to believe that he is indeed... his own god. Writing his own laws that proclaim the murder of children as lawful... writing his own laws proclaiming that marrying one man with another is lawful... writing his own laws that do injustice in court, and that slander one another calling these things... "lawful".

Man, continuously makes up his own laws, writes his own word, and proclaims things that are an abomination in the eyes of God our Father in heaven. And let there be no doubt in our minds that because lawlessness will indeed increase in the land even more than it already has... that the love of many will indeed continue to grow cold. There is indeed a way that seems right

to man... but in the end it leads to death. For the wisdom of the world is folly with God for it is written... “He catches them in their craftiness”. **Jeremiah 9:23-24 (scrn 9)**

God’s Wisdom, Love, and Justice;

Jer 9:23 Thus says the LORD: “Let not the wise man boast in his wisdom, let not the mighty man boast in his might, let not the rich man boast in his riches,

Jer 9:24 but let him who boasts boast in this, that he understands and knows me, that I am the LORD who practices steadfast love, justice, and righteousness in the earth. For in these things I delight, declares the LORD.”



Those who boast in their own wisdom and in their own might and in their own riches will be brought low. If we boast about anything it should be that we know and understand our Father in heaven who invented wisdom, might, and riches and is the very essence of love, justice, and righteousness! **1st Corinthians 1:19-20 (scrn 10)**

God Made Foolish The Wisdom of The World!

1Co 1:18 For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

1Co 1:19 For it is written, “I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.”

1Co 1:20 Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?



We are not to be conformed to this world... but to be transformed by the renewal of our minds so that... by testing we may discern what the will of God is, and what is truly good and acceptable and perfect. And by the way... who says what is good and acceptable and perfect? Men?... and their charters of men and the institutions of men? Or is it Yehovah God our Elohim that invented... what is good, and acceptable and perfect? Who invented righteousness? Men?... or Yehovah God our Elohim? Who has the right to say what is holy and what is not? Who has the right to declare what is good and what is acceptable and what is perfect? Man? Or the inventor of... righteousness, holiness, goodness, and that which is perfect?

It is written that God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise. God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong. God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not... to bring to nothing things that are so that... no human being might boast in the presence of God.

Boasting in the presence of Yehovah God our Elohim in our own self-righteous wisdom is in of itself not wise... but foolish. And I tell you the truth my friends... the day is soon coming when those who sit in lofty places of authority over others will soon learn just how foolish that they truly are and how absolutely worthless their own man-made wisdom is. **(E1)**

I want us to notice in Leviticus chapter 19 how many times our Father in heaven uses his personal name. Once again, the word “LORD” when in capital letters is a blooper in your Bible. The English word “LORD” has been used to cover up the very name of God himself that he wrote in his God breathed scripture over 6519 times. Let’s turn very quickly to **Exodus 3:15 E3**

This is My Name FOREVER!

Exo 3:15 God also said to Moses, “Say this to the people of Israel: ‘The **LORD (Yehovah)**, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you.’ **This is my name forever, and thus I am to be remembered throughout all generations.**



In Leviticus chapter 19 alone... our Father in heaven writes his name over 22 times. 22 Times our Father reminds us that it is he that is giving these commandments to Moses, and that it is HE that is holy, and that it is HE that is your God, and that it is HE that chooses what is acceptable, and that it is HE that cuts people off from their people, and that it is HE that we are to bring our compensation to at the Tent of Meeting, and that it is HE that we are to offer our guilt offerings, and our burnt offerings, and our grain offerings, and our fellowship offerings, and our sin offerings to.... not man.

What the world could learn. What the world has missed. The answers to all of mans problems are indeed in this one book, this one Torah, this one set of instructions that man refuses to acknowledge and to see for what it is.

22 Times our Father in heaven uses his personal name just in Leviticus chapter 19 alone to get our attention and to let us know that it is he that sets the standard for what is good, righteous, and holy and not men. But are we listening?

What the world could learn.

I will let you ponder that question until next Wednesday at 7pm Eastern standard time when we return to examine the rest of Leviticus chapter 20 and move into Leviticus chapter 21.

Until that point in time... I will as I always do ask that everyone within the sound of my voice here today would please... take what you have heard here today to your own prayer

closet. Bow your head, and bend your knee, and ask in the name of Yehsua Hamashiach if what you have heard here today be true... or not.

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