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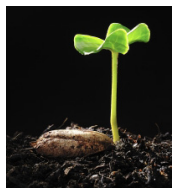
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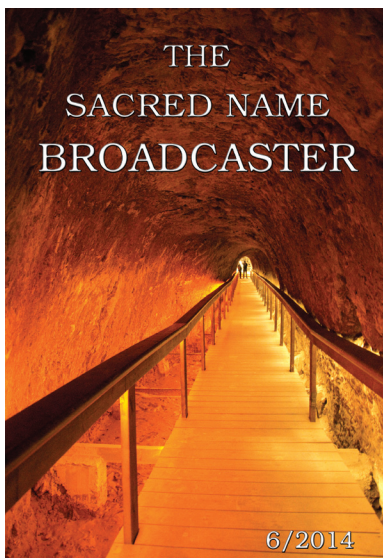
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### Our Cover:

*The cover this month depicts the watercourse tunnel at Megiddo. It was dug to supply a secure water supply for this strategic city that guarded the Jezreel Valley.*

*We live in a time when many people refuse to have Elohim in their knowledge. "Behold, the days come, says the Sovereign Yahweh, that I will send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of Yahweh." (Amos 8:11).*

*He that walks righteously, however, "... his bread shall be given to him; his waters shall be sure." (Isaiah 33:16b).*

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PART FOUR

## *The Word Becomes Flesh*

by Elder Jacob O. Meyer

By way of recapitulation before we begin the fourth and final segment of this series during which we have intensively investigated the subject of the Angel of Yahweh, we wish to remind each one again regarding the definition of the word *angel*. As defined in the **Lexicon**, it means variously *messenger, business agent, representative, ambassador, prophet, priest, pastor*. The term *angel* is a translation rendering into English the Hebrew term *mal'ak* and the Greek term *aggelos*.

The express duty of an angel is to represent the one for whom he labors, the one who has sent him on a mission. Since the Hebrew grammarians believe that the triliteral root of the word *mal'ak* derives from an unattested root meaning *work*, the *mal'ak* (angel or messenger) would be performing some kind of work, or service, for the one who

employs him, or sends him on a mission.

Additionally, we have found mention of a special angel in the sacred Scriptures, one who was called an arch-angel. He was the only one given the right to use the name Yahweh by the Almighty Father Himself. This conclusion is carried through from the context of Isaiah chapter 42 and the ellipsis of verse 8.

Let us remind ourselves regarding the plain explanation found in Exodus 23:20-23, ***“Behold, I send an angel before you, to keep you by the way, and to bring you into the place which I have prepared. Take heed before him, and listen to his voice; provoke him not; for he will not pardon your transgression: for my name is in him. But if you shall indeed listen to his voice, and do all that I speak; then I will be an enemy to your enemies, and an adversary to your adversaries. For my angel***

***shall go before you, and bring you in to the Amorite, the Hittite, the Perizzite, the Canaanite, the Hivite, and the Jebusite: and I will cut them off.”***

Notice again that this particular Angel has the right to use the Name Yahweh. He is to be the Judge of Israel, Yahweh’s peculiar nation. Recall that none of the other angels mentioned in Scripture have the Name Yahweh incorporated into their name, only the title El (for Elohim). The other angels do not make judicial decisions. They only carry out orders. This special Angel can pardon transgressions (sins), so he fulfills a judicial service, as well as serving in an expiatory capacity to atone for the sins of humankind.

Now turn to Isaiah 42 where we shall find this description very clearly emphasized. Isaiah 42:1 begins, ***“Behold, my servant...”*** [To explain here parenthetically, when we think about the meaning of the

word *servant*, we interpret this as *one who is a worshiper*. Perhaps here, in this instance, it would imply the Angel of Yahweh was a servant in obedience to Yahweh the Almighty. The Jews encounter difficulties from the True Worshipers when they try explaining away the servant of Yahweh as not being the Messiah. And yet the passages definitely refer to the Messiah, especially in these latter passages of the book that Isaiah wrote.]

***“Behold, my servant, whom I uphold; my chosen, in whom my soul delights: I have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the Gentiles.”*** [Now this last statement cannot describe the Jewish people, as the Jewish commentators want us to believe, because as a united, singular people they do not bring forth justice to the Gentiles. The Jews are very divided on how much of Yahweh’s Law they should observe—from none of it to the extent of observing the oral or added Law—while none of them trusts His revealed personal Name.] ***“He will not cry, nor lift up his voice, nor cause it to be heard in the street. A bruised reed will he not break, and a dimly burning wick will he not quench: he will bring forth justice in truth.”*** [Those who have been persecuted for righteousness’ sake, even though they are badly bruised and dimly burning, those who are striving for righteousness, He will not destroy. Bringing forth justice in truth means that they fulfill Deuteronomy 8:3 and Matthew 4:4, along with John 17:17.] ***“He will not fail nor be discouraged, till he has set justice in the earth; and the isles shall wait for his law.”*** [Consequently, the servant of Yahweh (Hebrew—*Obadiah*) will regulate human conduct in harmony with Yahweh’s Law throughout the

earth].

***“In this manner says El Yahweh, he that created the heavens, and stretched them forth; he that spreads abroad the earth and that which comes out of it; he that gives breath to the people upon it, and spirit to them that walk in it: I Yahweh have called you in righteousness, and will hold your hand, and will keep you, and give you for a covenant of the people, for a light of the Gentiles*** [The servant of Yahweh is the Messiah. In this passage, a person (singular) is described who serves as Yahweh’s representative, while all people will be required to obey His directives]; ***to open the blind eyes, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, and them that sit in darkness out of the prison-house. I am Yahweh, that is my name; and my glory will I not give to another; neither my praise to carved images*** [...but to my servant I’ll give it, the context leads us to understand in ellipsis.].” (Isaiah 42:1-8).

There are a number of commentators who have noted this above ellipsis, that the servant of Yahweh receives the Name of the Most High as the sign of His authority. The people that obey the Messiah also receive that Name Yahweh because they become a part of His Body. That is why we are in the Assemblies of Yahweh today. We are called by the Name of Yahweh, when we have been baptized into the spiritual family of the Most High. Please see Ephesians 3:14-15.

Now drop down to verse 12, ***“Let them give glory to Yahweh, and declare his praise in the islands. Yahweh will go forth as a mighty man; he will stir up his zeal like a man of war: he will cry, yes, he will shout aloud; he will do mightily against his enemies.”*** Who is this particular Yahweh who will perform this? See verse 4: ***“He will not fail nor be discouraged, till he has set justice in the earth;***

***and the isles shall wait for his law.”*** That’s a prophecy of the Messiah Himself.

The Name of Yahweh represents the family Name for a specific group of enlightened Beings. That is what the term *Elohim* means—a group or family of eternal, self-existing Beings. *Elohim*, as a title, is a masculine plural noun, but it can also be viewed as a collective noun, and, therefore, most of the time, the word *Elohim* takes a singular verb. We might illustrate the plural collective noun with the English words—school, class, herd, flock, group, assembly, family, and tribe.

However, there are several occasions in the Scriptures where a plural verb is used. This is illustrated by the plural pronoun associated with the word *Elohim* in Genesis 1:26, where we find, ***“And Elohim said, Let us make man in our image....”*** The plural pronoun is very clearly recognized in the Hebrew text. Also, we find similar terminology in Genesis 11:7, where it says, ***“...let us go down, and there confound their language....”***

Let us look at further scriptural confirmation.

In the Hebrew text, the word for *stone* is *’eben*, and the author is convinced that prophetically we can view it as a combination of two separate Hebrew words: *ab*—*father*, and *ben*—*son*. This is, undoubtedly, the intended meaning of Daniel 2:44-45.

At one time in the biblical record, there appeared a Yahweh on earth, while a Yahweh remained in heaven, as we have previously learned. In Genesis 18, Yahweh appeared to Abraham. Abraham stood before this great personage and conversed with the One who is also called the Angel of Yahweh. Then, in Genesis 19:24, a Yahweh on earth rained down fire and brimstone from a Yahweh in heaven. In Exodus 13:21, Yahweh appeared in the pillar of cloud and fire, while in Exodus 14:19, the Being who appeared in the cloud is called the Angel of Elohim. Stephen

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(in Acts 7:38) also called the Being in the cloudy pillar who was going before the Assembly in the wilderness an angel, as well as does Hosea—chapter 12, verses 3-4.

We have seen mention of the Angel who represented the face (presence) of Yahweh, Isaiah 63:9. This special Angel is called Michael the archangel, a name that constitutes an interrogatory term, asking, *Who is like El?* (Who is like El, but His near relative—His Son?) We saw in the last installment that the Jewish commentators also called Him *Metatron*, a Greek term which probably means *One who serves behind the throne, or the mediator*.

The Jewish commentators furthermore called this Angel, or heavenly representative from the Most High, *Memra*. The term is the participle of the Hebrew word *'amar*, which means *to speak*. Therefore, it means *the speaker, or the spokesman*.

If you would like to have more information on this subject, the **Jewish Encyclopedia**, and the **Encyclopedia Judaica** each contain articles on the subject *Memra*. They explain that the meaning *the speaker or spokesman who is the Word of Yahweh*, is related to the Greek term *logos*.

Now let's turn back to John chapter 1. ***"In the beginning was the Word, [Logos or Memra] and the Word was with Yahweh, and the Word was Elohim."*** [Now remember, *Elohim* is a plural word, and the family Name Yahweh is often associated with it. The Name Yahweh is derived from the verb of existence. I want you to retain this concept in your memory. Self-existent, eternal, Mighty Being is what the Name Yahweh Elohim means.]

***"The same was in the beginning with Yahweh. All things were made through him; [He was the actual Creator] and without him was not anything made that has been made."*** (John 1:1-3).

Consequently, we must understand that in His pre-existent life, this Being, also known as the Angel of

Yahweh and Elohim, did the actual creating for the Master Planner or Engineer, Yahweh the Father. He also served as the Spokesman, or the Speaker, for Yahweh, the Most High.

Verses 10-12 tell us: ***"He was in the world, and the world was made through him, and***

***A right to become the children of Yahweh, through the specific name that He bore, comes by belief upon the Messiah's name—Yahshua—which means Yahweh is salvation.***

***the world knew him not. He came to his own, and they that were his own received him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he the right to become children of Yahweh, even to them that believe on his name...."***

When was the Word in the world, if He did not begin His existence until He was born as a human being? He was in the world, John tells us. Who was He then when He was in the world? Sadly, most of Christianity and Judaism today will not recognize Him for who He was. But the author has shown you the answers to these questions very clearly throughout this series of messages from both Old and New Testaments. It is necessary to bring them out now, as the age nears its end, because of this important relationship, or interrelationship, with other sound doctrines of the sacred Scriptures.

He was in the world. Who? The Word was in the world, and the world was made through Him. He did the actual creating, but the world did not know Him. He came to His own. Who were His own? His own were the Israelite/Jewish people. They that were His own received Him not. They rejected Him, denied Him, betrayed Him, and they're still doing it today. But to as many as received Him, He

gave to them the right to become adopted children of Yahweh, even to them that believe on His Name. A right to become the children of Yahweh, through the specific name that He bore, comes by belief upon the Messiah's Name—Yahshua—which means *Yahweh is salvation*.

In verse 14 we read, ***"And the Word became flesh*** [Now I want you to remember this, because when we turn to the book of Hebrews, it becomes vital to see how closely these two passages are interrelated. What is the Word, except a Spirit Being? Yet this Spirit Being was with Yahweh. This Word was Elohim. This Word, or Logos, was in the world. This Word, or Spokesman, for the Almighty Creator did the actual work of creating. But the world did not know Him. The people that He created rejected Him and did not receive Him.], ***and tabernacled among us*** [or lived temporarily with the human race] ***(and we beheld his glory, glory as of the only begotten from the father), full of grace and truth."***

When we learn what the Jewish commentators perceived about Metatron and Michael, and that they believed He was the teacher of Moses, when they believed that He was the Author of grace and love, we may observe why, as He walked this earth, when He came upon sinners, He would say to them, *"Go, and sin no more."* People wonder why He forgave sinners so readily, but this was His very essence—His very character—mercy or lovingkindness.

We cannot understand the New Testament in its proper perspective unless we simultaneously under-

stand this doctrine. Then many other factors of the New Testament open up to our understanding. This is why I have been so strongly insisting that unless we fully comprehend this doctrine on the nature of the Messiah from eternity to eternity and understand it properly from the Old Testament, we cannot understand the teaching of the New. Christians who would divide between the Old and New Testament have lost the basis of their Faith, because they reject the Old Testament foundation of their salvation. That is how supremely vital this subject becomes. That's why the author has spent so much time on it.

***"John bears witness of him, and cries, saying, This was he of whom I said, He that comes after me has become before me: for he was before me."*** [John the immerser (baptizer) makes the statement, 'He was before me, but he has become greater than I am.' How can we explain it?

Let us compare another passage of Scripture. The writer of Hebrews does a good job of explaining the Messiah's antecedents. But you can't twist what the writer of Hebrews has said; furthermore, you cannot interpret the book of Hebrews synchronically. We must interpret the book of Hebrews through the teachings of the Old Testament and the other scriptural writers who must fill in the blank spaces, as you are going to see momentarily. The Word, the Spirit Creature who created all things, evidently existed before John, but He was younger in terms of time; yet, John had to take an inferior position to Him because the Word was greater]. ***For of his fullness we all received, and grace for grace."*** (John 1:15-16).

Don't you think that is a veiled reference to Metatron?

***"For the law was given through***

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***Moses;*** [Why didn't it say BY MOSES? BECAUSE MOSES DID NOT GIVE THE LAW. The Law was given THROUGH Moses, by some supernatural Being who spoke audibly to Moses.] ***grace and truth came through Yahshua the Messiah. No man has seen Yahweh at any time;*** [then who did the patriarchs and the Israelites see in the Old Testament?] ***the only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the Father, he has declared him."*** (John 1:17-18). They saw the Being who was known as the Angel, or Messenger, of Yahweh, the Spokesman of the Most High, the One who was called Michael, the Being who later came as a human being and is called Yahshua the Messiah.

The word *exegeomai*, #1834, means *to consider out, to rehearse, to tell about, to unfold*. The word is similar somewhat to the *Apocalypse—the unfolding, the unveiling*. This is the word translated here in John 1:18 as *declared*.

John continues in his first epistle, ***"That which was from the beginning, that which we have heard, [Logos or Spokesman] that which we have seen with our eyes, that which we beheld, and our hands handled, concerning the Word of life (and the life was manifested, and we have seen, and bear witness, and declare to you the life, the eternal life, which was with the Father, and was manifested to us)...."*** (1 John 1:1-2).

That eternal life, that eternal Being, once Elohim, the Memra or Logos, the Word with the Father, was later manifested to the Jewish people and the human race as their Messiah. They handled Him; they touched Him; they embraced Him. He was formerly the Angel of Yahweh, His representative, and Yahweh's face or presence with His people, but now is our Savior, Yahshua the Messiah.

Turn to John 16:28. ***"I came out from the Father, and have come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the Father."***

There's a basic rule discussed in jurisprudence (legal process) that says, *"Read out of the evidence it's basic meaning—it's basic, intended, simple, clear meaning."* What should we read out of that previously quoted passage? It should be the simple, straightforward Truth.

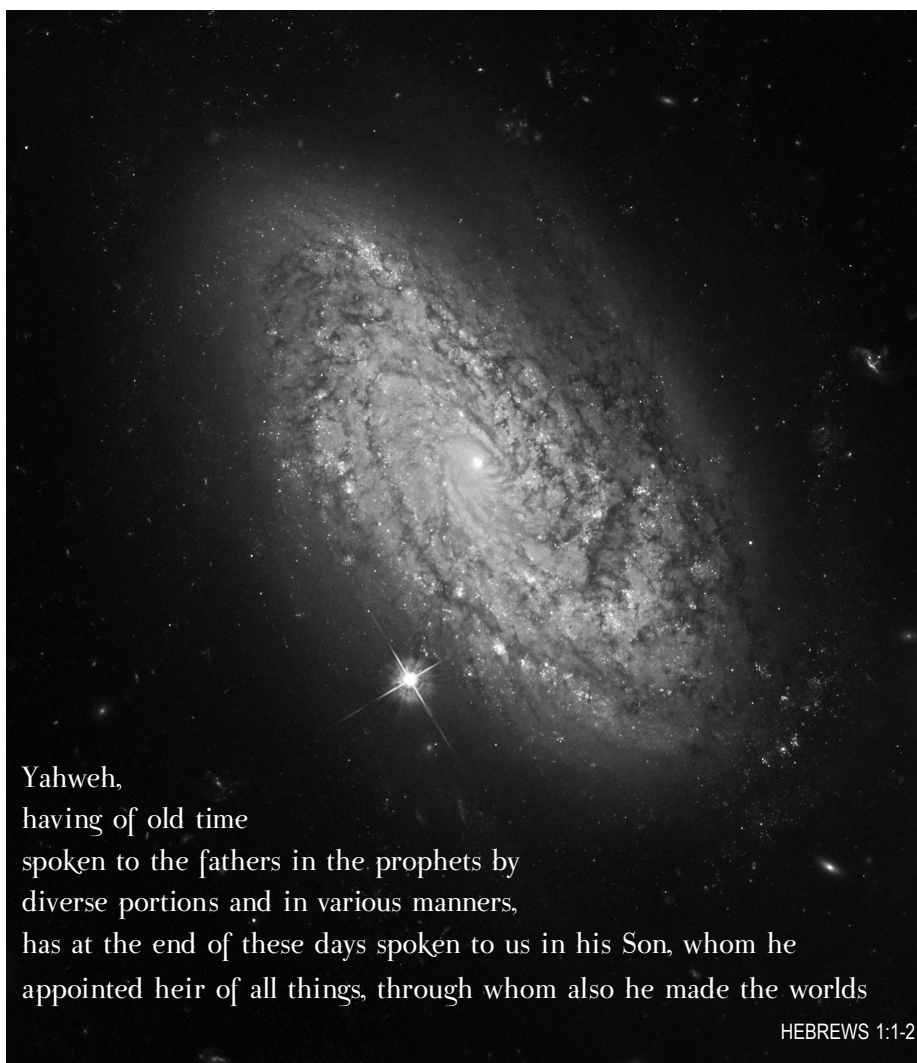
***"I came out from the Father, and have come into the world ...and go to the Father."*** What father? The Father in Heaven whose Name is Yahweh. The Messiah now sits at the right hand of Yahweh, according to Psalm 110. That is where He was before His earthly sojourn, if we believe the straightforward statement in the passage under consideration.

***"His disciples say, Lo, now speak you plainly, and speak no dark saying. Now we know that you know all things, and need not that any man should ask you: by this we believe that you came forth from Yahweh."*** (John 16:29-30). He has plainly told His disciples the origin of His existence. His was a great wisdom, because He had been with the Father. He was the only One who came from heaven to this earth, becoming a human being, but the One who was beforehand with the Father.

Now notice Revelation 1:13, which contains a description of Yahshua the Messiah. ***"...and in the middle of the lampstands one like to a son of man, clothed with a garment down to the foot, and girded about at the breasts with a golden girdle."*** We're told that this description is of the glorified Messiah.

In verse 17 we read, ***"And when I saw him, I fell at his feet, as one dead. And he laid his right hand upon me, saying, Fear not; I am the first and the last, and the Living one [the self-existent One, Yahweh, not the Father, but the Son, because someone saw this particular Being, but they never saw the Father. The Father is invisible to human sight, 1 Timothy 6:16.], and I was dead [Yahweh the***





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Father never died!] **and behold, I am alive forevermore** [Yahshua the Son died and was resurrected] **and I have the keys of death and of the grave.**" [Yahshua, when He returns, will judge the living and dead, Revelation 20:47 and 1 Corinthians 15:20-23.]

Yahshua is the First and the Last, the Living One. He died, but now is alive forevermore. Yahshua has the keys of death and the grave, which means that He can pronounce judgment for sin, or He can reward righteousness. When these passages of Scripture are firmly fixed in our minds, we will learn a great deal of sound doctrine. We must harmonize all other passages of the sacred text dealing with the subject under consideration. We cannot let them slip from our memory. The human

memory appears very limited and weak. Man easily forgets. Too frequently, false doctrines emerge from, or are built on, a faulty memory.

### ***Hebrews' Epistle Clarifies Yahshua's Position***

This study will now concentrate on the first two chapters of the book of Hebrews. Some false doctrines are built upon misinformation and misinterpretations of the first two chapters of the book of Hebrews. It is our intention to demolish these false doctrines. The first segment of the study was committed to replying to such false conclusions.

I have intended to cement more firmly the doctrines taught here in the Assemblies of Yahweh. But I

want us all to remember and never forget the statement that I have previously made, that an incorrect application of Scripture, or one erroneous conclusion, will cause numerous other peripheral sound doctrines to be affected. Ultimately, it will lead astray those who persist in believing error. Those who do not allow themselves to be corrected by the Word will be lost in the wilderness of confusion.

Turn with me to the epistle of Hebrews, and let's get a correct interpretation of Hebrews chapters 1 and 2. Incidentally, we do not know with certainty that the writer was Paul, because he says in 2 Thessalonians 3:17 that he signs all his epistles. Hebrews is an unsigned letter.

**The Sacred Scriptures, Bethel Edition**, will provide a superior translation to the **King James** version. It greatly clarifies this text. I personally know that comparing versions will point up differences in translations. The **King James** version presents a very faulty rendering in some of its translations.

At the outset, let us recognize that this book, or epistle, was written to the Hebrew-speaking people and would hardly have been written in a language other than a Semitic tongue—either Hebrew or Aramaic. Let us then regulate our conclusions from an Old Testament viewpoint, rather than allowing our studies to be tainted by Greek mythology.

**"Yahweh, having of old time spoken** [undoubtedly from the Hebrew verb *'amar*, which means *speaking*. Who was the Spokesman? It was always the Son, the One we have known as the Angel of Yahweh. Yahweh is speaking to the human beings, to our fathers in the Faith; therefore, He speaks through someone] **to the fathers** [How was He speaking? We must acknowledge from the Scriptures we have already seen that no man has ever heard the voice of Yahweh or seen Him. We have already conclusively proven that fact from the

Word.] *in the prophets by diverse portions and in various manners, has at the end of these days spoken to us in his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom also he made the worlds....*" (Hebrews 1:1-2). There it is! The Son MADE the worlds. He was the actual Creator. He is the heir of all things. This passage harmonizes perfectly with the other quotes we have studied.

Now, just for a moment, turn to Galatians 3:19, where we find: ***"What then is the law? It was added because of transgressions, until the seed should come to whom the promise has been made; and it was ordained through angels by the hand of a mediator."*** It was ordained through angels. Now who actually spoke to the Israelites from Mount Sinai? Yahweh spoke, we are told.

Turn to the 19th chapter of Exodus, where we are told in verses 3-8 that Yahweh spoke to Israel. But here Paul is saying it was ordained through angels, by the hand of a Mediator. We can see that confirmed in Exodus 19:19, where it says that Elohim answered in a voice. Who was the Mediator? ***"Now a mediator is not a mediator of one; but Yahweh is one"*** [Undoubtedly this is a reference to the Shema' of Deuteronomy 6:41.] (Galatians 3:20). Yahweh is a unity, and Yahweh did the speaking. But it was the Angel who set forth the Law that Paul referred to here, because an audible voice was heard. Moses served as the human mediator, or agent. You cannot say that angels didn't speak to Israel, because they did. You cannot say angels didn't speak to the prophets, because they did. The Law was ordained by angels, and particularly one special Angel, and given also through a human mediator, Moses.

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What then does it mean when the author of Hebrews states that in the last days Yahweh has spoken to us in His Son? In Ephesians 3:9 we find: ***"...and to make all men see what is the dispensation of the mystery which for ages has been hid in Elohim who created all things...."*** Who created all things, even the world? Was it not Yahshua the Messiah who created the cosmos (as the Greek text has it)? Was it not Yahshua the Son of Yahweh? In Ephesians 3:9, Paul is saying that this is a mystery. Elohim created all things, and this mystery (Greek—*sacred secret*) is of the Messiah. ***"...to preach to the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of the Messiah; 9 and to make all men see what is the dispensation of the mystery which for ages has been hid in Elohim*** [a masculine, plural, collective noun] ***who created all things; to the intent that now to the principalities and the powers in the heavens might be made known through the assembly the manifold wisdom of Elohim...."*** (Ephesians 3:8-10).

Elohim was the One who created all things (Genesis chapter 1), and we have previously read that it was the Son who created all things. This Son of Yahweh became the Messiah (Yahweh's anointed King). What did we read in John 1:14? ***"And the Word became flesh...."*** The Word was spirit; the Word spoke to Israel, to the prophets, to the fathers in the Old Testament, and then the Word (*Logos*) became flesh. The Son who created the world was originally the Word, a Being in eternity, but He became flesh so He could be the Savior of men.

***"Who being the effulgence* [The term *effulgence* means *the very essence*] ***of his glory, and the very image of his substance, and upholding all things by the word of his power, when he had made purification of sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on High; having become by so much better than the angels, as he has*****

***inherited a more excellent name than they."*** (Hebrews 1:3-4). What is the more excellent Name that the Son has inherited? The Name Yahweh and the right to use and possess the family Name Yahweh. This is actually the Name of a super-Angel, the One whose Name in the New Testament became Yahshua.

I want you to notice the verb *having become*. What have we previously seen? Who had been named as an Angel in the Old Testament and in the New Testament? What was He? What is He now? He became a human being—the first one to be raised up from the dead, because of His obedience. Having once been an Angel, although a special Angel who exclusively of all others was allowed to use the Name Yahweh, He has been elevated to a superior position above those created angelic beings.

The angels always carry the term *El* in their names. Their names relate to whatever position they occupy and the work they do—a healing angel (*Raphael*), a fighting angel (*Gabriel*), Uriel (*light of El*), etc. Previously, we have seen that all of these angels receive the name *El*, but never Yahweh.

***"For to which of the angels said he at any time, You are my Son, this day I have begotten you? And again, I will be to him a Father, and he shall be to me a Son?"*** (Hebrews 1:5) Turn to Job 38:4-7, where we learn that the angels are called sons of Elohim. Is the writer of Hebrews contradicting the Old Testament? Of course not!

Let us see more clearly.

***"Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Declare, if you have understanding. Who determined the measures of it, if you know? Or who stretched the line upon it? Upon what were the foundations of it fastened? Or who laid the corner-stone of it, When the morning stars sang together*** [or shrieked together, a better rendering of the Hebrew word *Ramon*. Nowhere in the Bible do angels ever sing!], ***and all the***



**sons of Elohim shouted for joy?**" (Job 38:4-7). The angels shrieked, shouted, and rejoiced with gladness when they saw the marvelous creation taking shape. The angels are called sons of Elohim. But which of the angels did He call His only begotten Son (singular)? That's a good question.

In Psalm 2:7 we read, **"... You are my son; this day have I begotten you."** The last part of Hebrews 1:5 says, **"...I will be to him a Father, and he shall be to me a Son."** Now we may answer the question regarding which of the angels He designated—**"You are my begotten [not created] Son?"** He said that to only one: to the arch-angel—Michael. Yahweh conferred this special favor upon the One who was sent to this earth and took upon Himself the human carnal nature. He lived a righteous life for an example that a human being could indeed live a sinless life, if he so desires. Yahshua proved that a human can follow the leadership and guidance of Yahweh's Holy Spirit to perfection. Then He died for the sins of humankind.

You may notice that many scriptural doctrines are interrelated to this teaching concerning the Angel of Yahweh. Let us turn again to Philipians 2:5-11. **"Have this mind in you, which was also in the Messiah Yahshua: who, existing in the form of Elohim, counted not the being on an equality with Yahweh a thing to be grasped, but emptied [the Greek verb *keno* occurs here, which means *to empty out*.] himself, taking the form of a servant, [First of all, He was the servant of Yahweh—the *mal'ak*, the messenger who worked for Yahweh, as we have read in the book of Malachi. The book of Malachi is Yahshua's own message. The Hebrew name *Malachi* means *my angel*) being made in the likeness of men; and being found in fashion as a man, [first in Yahweh's Spirit form, then He emptied Himself of that eternal character to become a human-like Adam], he humbled**

**himself, becoming obedient even to death, yes, the death of the torture stake. Therefore also Yahweh highly exalted him, and gave to him the name which is above every name; that in the name of Yahshua every knee should bow, of things in heaven and things on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Yahshua the Messiah is Master to the glory of Yahweh the Father."**

Yahweh had approved of Yahshua's Sonship, because of His submissive obedience. Yahweh had approved His Son's Messiahship. How did Yahweh show His approval? He approved Yahshua's Messiahship by giving Him a position so much better than the angels. He has received the Name Yahshua, through which all men must be saved, if they call upon that Name, Acts 4:12. Angels cannot save; they can only announce Yahweh's salvation.

**"And when he again brings in the firstborn into the world he says, And let all the angels of Elohim worship him."** (Hebrews 1:6). Why? Because He was originally the arch-angel; He is the only begotten Son. Franz Delitzsch, in his commentary on the book of Hebrews, called this Being the "super Angel," the highest messenger, the greatest, most powerful Being in this whole universe beside Yahweh the Father. That term *super Angel* is quite suitable to describe the Son's position, because indeed He was a super (arch) messenger.

**"And of the angels he says, Who makes his angels winds, and his ministers a flame of fire [quote of the Septuagint version here appears to convey Psalm 104:4. It is the author's opinion that the Septuagint was used by translators to quote the Hebrew texts in these Greek translation manuscripts rather than doing a freehand translation directly from the Hebrew Old Testament. The translation sought to remain consistent with what had already been done. The Angel**

of Yahweh, in Judges 6 and 13 and several other places, departed in a flame of fire, didn't He?]: **but of the Son he says, Your throne, Oh Elohim, is forever and ever** [The writer of Hebrews seeks to clarify the issue, that this one Angel was a distinct, separate Being from the angels].

The Son had been a super Angel. He appeared to mankind first as a Spirit Being, later manifesting Himself in various ways, but then He emptied Himself and became a fleshly human being. Now, He has become so much more superior than even the word *Angel* can express. The writer of Hebrews was not ignorant of the Old Testament text. (See Psalm 45:7.)

**"...And the scepter of uprightness is the scepter of your kingdom. You have loved righteousness, and hated iniquity; therefore Elohim, your Elohim, has anointed you with the oil [the Anointed designated Him as the Messiah] of gladness above your fellows. And, You, Yahweh, did in the beginning lay the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the works of your hands: They shall perish; but you continue: and they shall all become old as a garment does; And as a mantle you shall roll them up, as a garment, and they shall be changed: But you are the same, and your years shall not fail. But of which of the angels has he said at any time, Sit on my right hand, until I make your enemies the footstool of your feet?"** [Taken from Psalm 110:1] (Hebrews 1:8-13).

The writer of Hebrews shows that this Angel of Yahweh, who was also called the Son of Yahweh, has now earned a position the angels never had. He has received a position higher than any angel, higher than any being, because He obediently died, and He rose again. He now sits at the right hand of Yahweh. **"Yahweh says to my Sovereign, Sit at my right hand, until I make your enemies your foot-**

stool.” (Psalm 110).

This significant Old Testament passage is quoted several times in the New Testament—in the book of Acts and throughout the Epistles, because the evangelists of the Apostolic Assembly had to drive home the fact constantly that Yahshua the Messiah was now in the heavens, sitting at Yahweh’s right hand. They told us to expect Him to return some day to establish Yahweh’s Kingdom on this earth.

**“Are they not all ministering spirits, sent forth to do service for the sake of them that shall inherit salvation?”** (Hebrews 1:14). Do you remember the reference to the cherubim in Genesis chapter 3? When Adam and Eve sinned and were sent out of the Garden of Eden, the cherubim was placed at the entrance to the garden along with a fiery sword which was turned every way. We find mention in Revelation 4:6-9 of the living creatures, like the cherubim (although they have six wings like seraphim, Isaiah 6:2) who represented Israel in leading them back to Yahweh. These creatures bear the symbols of the four leading tribes of Israel: the man, the ox, the lion, and the eagle.

**“Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things that were heard, lest by chance we drift away.”** (Hebrews 2:1). Perhaps this was meant as an admonition to the “understudied” authors of false doctrine. Had they studied deeply enough to understand the sound doctrines of the Bible, the lot of Yahweh’s true ordained preachers of Truth would be easier.

**“For if the word spoken through angels proved steadfast,** [the Spokesman Angel was called Yahweh; He who became the Son] **and every transgres-**

**sion and disobedience received a just recompense of reward; [recall Exodus 23:21] how shall we escape, if we neglect so great a salvation? Which having at the first been spoken through the Master, was confirmed to us by them that heard; Yahweh also bearing witness with them, both by signs and wonders, and by manifold powers, and by gifts of the Holy Spirit, according to His own will.** [How are we going to escape if we reject Yahshua’s salvation and the sound doctrines that are related to it?]

**“For not to angels did he subject the world to come, of which we speak.** [The Word became flesh, didn’t it? The Word, as a human being, lived a righteous life and proved Himself to be the True Messiah, Hebrews 5:7-9. We who follow Him down the pathway to salvation through the resurrection of the dead at the Second Coming of Yahshua will also be given a right to assist Him in ruling the world to come. He could have put the angels in charge of the world to come, but He chose rather to place in charge righteous people who had overcome and had chosen obedience] **But one has somewhere testified,** [the quote is from Psalm 8.] **saying, What is man, that you are mindful of him? Or the son of man, that you visit him? You made him a little lower than the angels;** [When Yahshua emptied Himself, as we read in Philippians 2, He became lower than the angels. He humbled Himself, He brought Himself down below His station.] **You crowned him with glory and honor, and did set him over the works of your hands: You put all things in subjection under his feet. For in that he subjected all things to him, he left nothing that is not subject to him. But now we see not yet all things subjected to him.”** (Hebrews 2:2-8). Therefore, everything we see in this universe is placed under the authority of man, and this will be fulfilled at

the resurrection.

Yahweh can create any kind of being, even one who is a robot. Here is an illustration. I have had various young worldly ministers over the years ask to peruse the **Statement of Doctrine**. (A copy is free to anyone on request, by writing to: Assemblies of Yahweh, PO Box C, Bethel, PA 19507.)

I could have hired seminary-educated ministers to preach from behind the pulpit of the Assemblies of Yahweh. They would preach exactly what I told them to preach, if I paid them well, because they wanted that paycheck. I could have created ministers to preach sound doctrine, but it wouldn’t be in their heart. They would have been hirelings. See John 10:13. Yahweh created angels to work for Him. But they were functioning mechanically. They didn’t have experience, since they were unproven. This is why a third of the angels fell with Satan, Revelation 12:4.

Who does Yahweh want to rule in the age to come? He wishes to select human beings who are tested and tried, who are experienced in rejecting sin and overcoming it. These will hold fast to the Truth in their hearts and their minds. They will faithfully follow and obey the Truth of the Scripture, regardless what situation they confront. They will adhere strictly to Yahweh and His Word. Why does Yahweh allow false doctrine in the world? It is to test us to determine which way we will go, and whether we will follow His Word faithfully to the end.

**“But we behold him who has been made a little lower than the angels, even Yahshua, because of the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor, that by the grace of Yahweh he should taste of death for every man. For it became him, for whom are all things, and through whom are all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to make the author of their salvation perfect through sufferings.”** (Hebrews 2:9-10).

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# Seeds Left Ungenerated

Yahshua the Messiah taught His disciples a series of magnificent parables that are recorded for our instruction in Matthew 13. The opening parable of the chapter concerns the individual who went out to sow seed. The lesson Yahshua wishes us to understand is not that the sower has failed when a harvest is not achieved, but the fundamental interpretation of this parable is that the soil on which the seed has fallen determines the amount of the harvest, or lack thereof.

Therefore, we could conceivably view this parable as the analysis of fertility of four different types of soil. The soil of the wayside is too hard for the seeds to penetrate and germinate, the seed falling on rocky places finds no depth of earth to support a viable root system; although the seeds germinate, soon the plants die for lack of nourishment. The seed that falls among the thorns finds that it cannot compete for nourishment with the thorns that grow quite thickly. Consequently, only the seed that falls on good ground yields a satisfactory harvest. This seed germinates and has depth of earth for the roots to penetrate and flourish. The sower sowed identical seed from the same sack of grain; however, the soil on which it fell clearly determined the prospects for desired results.

Returning to the beginnings of the Old Testament Scriptures, we recall that Almighty Yahweh cursed the ground when Adam and Eve sinned. As punishment, He drove these two progeni-

tors of mankind out of the garden of Eden with its pleasing and productive environment. Then He declared: *"...cursed is the ground for your sake; in toil shall you eat of it all the days of your life; thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to you; and you shall eat the herb of the field; in the sweat of your face shall you eat bread, till you return unto the ground; for out of it were you taken: for dust you are, and unto dust shall you return."* (Genesis 3:17b-19).

Yahshua the Messiah explains that the seed sown among the thorns symbolizes and describes the one who hears the Word, but the care of the world and the deceitfulness of the riches crowd out the Word and, therefore, he becomes unfruitful. The world outside of the ideal environment of Eden demands much labor to eradicate the thorns of worldliness, so they will not choke out the Word.

In Christianity we are informed of the popular explanation that a parable is "an earthly story with a heavenly meaning intended to explain life situations." Such is not the true interpretation, however; Yahshua the Messiah explains to His disciples that He speaks in parables to the general listener for a different reason.

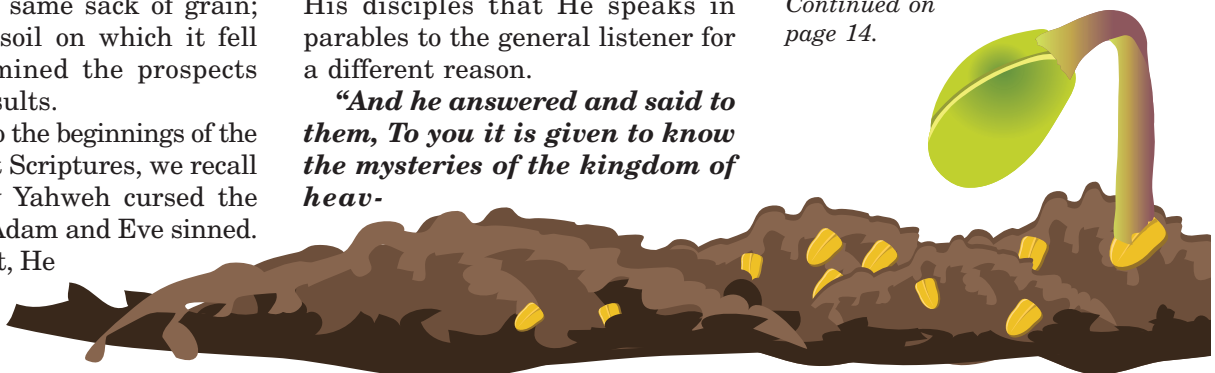
*"And he answered and said to them, To you it is given to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heav-*

*by Elder Jacob O. Meyer*

*en, but to them it is not given. For whoever has, to him shall be given, and he shall have abundance: but whoever has not, from him shall be taken away even that which he has. Therefore I speak to them in parables; because seeing they see not, and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand."* (Matthew 13:11-13). Those who hope to learn ask questions, and Yahshua gives them knowledge. Those with only a mild interest will simply imagine that the parable is merely a nice story.

Today the world exhibits a strange spiritual malady of lethargy and apathy. The people of the world today are spiritually unfruitful, many who hear the Word (or perhaps read the sound doctrines of the Scriptures in **The Sacred Name Broadcaster** magazine) immediately close their ears, eyes, minds, and hearts so that the teaching of the Word of Yahweh falls upon places too hard for the seed to penetrate and germinate. The true teachings of the Bible sound so strange and different to the person who is steeped in traditional

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# **PROPHETIC TRENDS**

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## **LIKE THE DAYS OF NOAH**

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***“But of that day and hour knows no one, not even the angels of heaven, neither the Son, but the Father only. AND AS WERE THE DAYS OF NOAH, SO SHALL BE THE COMING OF THE SON OF MAN. For as in those days which were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered into the ark, and they knew not until the flood came, and took them all away; so shall be the coming of the Son of man.”*** (Matthew 24:36-39).

Yahshua the Messiah prophesied that the end times would be like the days of Noah. The Bible predicts that at the end of the age there would be a time of great wickedness and violence. The thoughts and ideas of all of the people on the earth before the flood were focused continually toward evil pursuits.

***“And as it came to pass in the days of Noah, even so shall it be also in the days of the Son of man. They ate, they drank, they married, they were given in marriage, until the day that Noah entered into the ark, and the flood came, and destroyed them all.*** (Luke 17:26-27).

The days of Noah were one of unrestrained debauchery. A party spirit controlled the masses, “Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow will be as today is.” Traditional marriage was rejected for a lifestyle of sexual immorality. Divorce, remarriage, even same-sex marriage, were the norm, since

Yahshua prophesied that ***“as it came to pass in the days of Noah, even so shall it be also in the days of the Son of Man.”*** Polygamy, bestiality, wife-swapping, and polyamorous relationships can also be included, since there is nothing new under the sun. Such was the condition of Sodom and Gomorrah when Lot was rescued by the angels of Yahweh just moments before the fire and brimstone fell.

Murder, fornication, theft, idolatry, and sorcery will all be evident in this time before the second coming of Yahshua the Messiah. Such serious sins practiced on a widespread scale will necessitate the severe judgment of Almighty Yahweh. People today do not hear or heed the warning message that is being proclaimed. Very few people diligently read the Word of Yahweh and carefully follow what it directs. Very few people repent of their sins and bring their lives to a point of conversion as they should.

***“And Yahweh saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that EVERY IMAGINATION OF THE THOUGHTS OF HIS HEART WAS ONLY EVIL CONTINUALLY. And it grieved Yahweh that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.*** (Genesis 6:5-6).

***“The earth was corrupt before Elohim, and the earth was filled with violence. And Elohim saw the earth, and, behold, it was corrupt; for all flesh had corrupted their way upon the earth. And***

***Elohim said unto Noah, The end of all flesh is come before me; for the earth is filled with violence through them; and, behold, I will destroy them with the earth.”*** (Genesis 6:11-13).

***“And the rest of mankind, who were not killed with these plagues, repented not of the works of their hands, that they should not worship DEMONS, and the idols of gold, and of silver, and of brass, and of stone, and of wood; which can neither see, nor hear, nor walk: AND THEY REPENTED NOT of their murders, nor of their sorceries, nor of their fornication, nor of their thefts.”*** (Revelation 9:20-21).

The lascivious behavior of this generation has led to widespread violence. A new spirit of violence permeates the earth today, and rarely does a day go by without shocking news stories of gross violence. School shootings, stabbings, and “knock-out game” attacks on the elderly have now become commonplace. Take note of the news stories that are reported on the late-night news! Story after story contains evidence of a violent age in which we now live. ***“For your hands are defiled with blood, and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies, your tongue mutters wickedness. No one calls for righteousness, and no one pleads in truth: they trust in vanity, and speak lies; they conceive mischief, and bring forth iniquity. They hatch adders’ eggs,***



***and weave the spider's web: he that eats of their eggs dies; and that which is crushed breaks out into a viper. Their webs shall not become garments, neither shall they cover themselves with their works: their works are works of iniquity, and the act of violence is in their hands. Their feet run to evil, and THEY MAKE HASTE TO SHED INNOCENT BLOOD: their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity; desolation and destruction are in their paths.***" (Isaiah 59:3-7).

Yahweh was grieved when He looked down from heaven upon the Cain civilization. He saw that their wickedness was great in the earth, and their every imagination was upon evil continually. Their way was corrupt, and the earth was filled with violence. Then, Yahweh declared that His judgments were soon to fall upon that wicked generation. They were given 120 years of grace to repent, while Noah built the ark. In the end, only eight humans entered into that ark. Everyone spurned Yahweh's call to repentance, except for Noah, his sons, and their wives.

### ***Religious Violence***

The world was shocked when Boko Haram, an Islamic terrorist group, kidnapped more than 200 girls from

a school in Nigeria. Pictures were released showing these girls in Muslim garb being forced to join Islam. Nigerian police, military, and the special forces troops of other nations (including the United States), have been searching in vain for these missing girls. This story has gripped the nation of Nigeria, as tearful families begged for the release of their daughters. Thousands have been killed recently in Nigeria by this terrorist group.

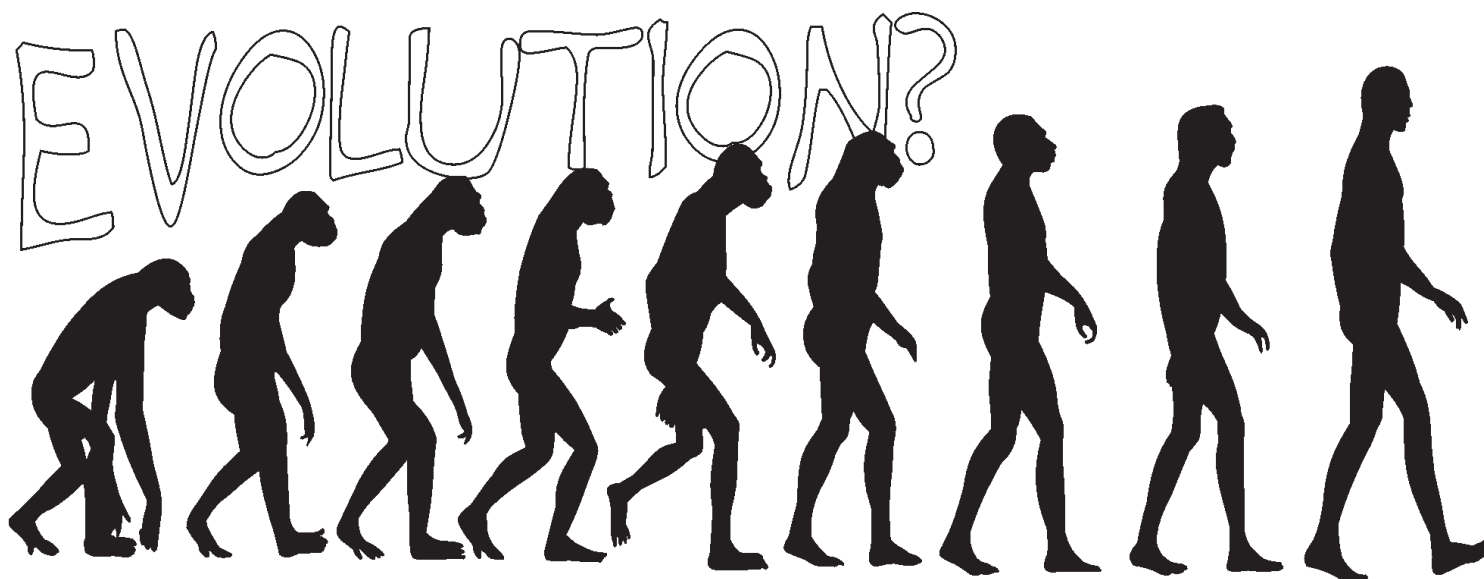
Sectarian violence between the Shiite and Sunni factions of Islam has been in the news in recent months. These factions have been fighting in Syria, and now this violence has spilled over into Iraq. ISIS (Islamic State of Iraq and Syria) is an especially brutal Sunni fundamentalist group. Internet videos have surfaced in recent months which show these radical Muslim fundamentalists (who are more brutal than Al Qaeda) beheading Muslims if they were from another sect of Islam that they deem as being unacceptable. Christians have also been beheaded if they do not convert to Islam on the spot. In one video, a Christian is shown converting to Islam but is beheaded anyway. Reports from Iraq state that beheaded bodies of Iraqi policemen and Iraqi army soldiers littered the roadway southward toward Baghdad. Many Iraqi soldiers stripped off their

uniforms and fled their posts, because of the brutality of ISIS fighters.

ISIS fighters went to Iraq by way of Syria to join the effort to establish an Islamic caliphate, subject to strict Islamic law known as Sharia law. ISIS plans to destroy Israel and the United States, which they call the great Satan.

### ***Israeli Evolution***

This fall, evolution will begin to be taught in Israel to eighth- and ninth-grade classes. They will, however, leave out the most controversial part—the assertion that humans originated from apes. Currently, the theory of evolution is taught only in advanced high school biology classes, but now will be taught to all students who are in middle school. *"An education Ministry committee deliberated for months over the issue, trying to navigate between the appeals from scientific advisers to the needs of religious schools serving devout Jewish, Christian and Muslim faiths in Israel... Doctor Ariel Chipman of the Hebrew University's Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior said that introducing a new course curriculum was made possible only as a result of omitting the issue of human evolution. 'There isn't too much difference between the evolution of humans to that*



*of animals, but, if taking out humans from the theory is what it takes to incorporate Darwin's theory—one of the most important scientific theories of our time [we vehemently reject this assertion - Editor]—to the educational system, then it is fine by me,'*" Chipman told Ynet.

Does Israel's Education Ministry really expect us to believe that if they leave out one aspect of evolution (the theory that humans evolved from apes) that Orthodox and Hasidic Judaism will accept this theory? The Ynet news story concluded that in the United States, according to a new Gallop poll, 42 percent of Americans believe that mankind was created in their current form, 19 percent believe that

the Bible teaches, this generation has exchanged the Truth of Yahweh for a lie. What can the average person do about this deterioration of society? In this wicked, violent age, it should be the dedicated determination of each one of Yahweh's people to fulfill Revelation 18:4, and come out of this worldly system. If you desire to be a True Worshiper of Yahweh, the best thing that can be done is to withdraw from the people of the world who are practicing these wicked things, so that we will not be psychologically contaminated by the insidious advance of wickedness and sin, thereby allowing ourselves to be dragged down to the level of the worldly attitude.



humans evolved, and 31 percent believe that mankind evolved—but with guidance from our Creator. What a paradox! Why would Yahweh create mankind and then guide our evolution? Sadly, many Christian pastors promote this very teaching! We cannot blend the theory of evolution, which rejects a Creator, with the Truth of creation!

Our permissive society has been the result of the liberalism of the past century; by not following what

### ***Burning Babies***

Several months ago, a BBC 4 documentary hosted by Amanda Holden shocked the United Kingdom when it revealed that aborted fetuses were being incinerated throughout the UK as "clinical waste." Even more shocking was that these aborted fetuses, and miscarried babies, were incinerated in "waste-to-energy" furnaces that power hospitals. *"It's disgraceful*

*to think babies were thrown into the burner alongside waste such as bandages and syringes,"* Amanda Holden said.

Then reports surfaced here in the United States that this practice is commonplace. Americans United for Life attorney Jeanneane Maxon said the discoveries are revolting and reveals some disturbing facts about our culture. *"It is just appalling to see where society has come to that we have disregarded human life, so that even after children are born and you have the bodies of these dead babies—which is tragic in and of itself—that they would be disposed in such a callous manner. It really harkens back to the images that you think of and then not see Holocaust,"* Maxon said.

*"So if a country that has more progressive laws regarding life on their books can do this, what is at stake for our country? What will we continue to see unless we as Americans speak up and say that life is valuable and precious and it deserves more than being disregarded and used by others for things, even such as energy. It's really just appalling,"* said Maxon. *"Isn't that just a horrifying example of misplaced priorities of our society that we would value conserving energy over the lives of children? You often hear the phrase that any country's most valuable resource is its children. I believe that, and, wow, aren't priorities just out of whack. When you have devalued children in the womb, to some type of sub-class—where we don't give them the same rights we give any other children. Even though they are living children—this is the natural reality of where you're going to come to. It really speaks to the condition of our society. When you devalue life from conception,"* she said.

There are no regulations here in the United States regarding how to dispose of these precious little souls. Reports then surfaced that burning fetuses for energy is happening here in America as well. The practice of burning babies is thousands of



years old. At that time, it was in the worship of Baal Moloch, but what is the difference today?

***“In this manner said Yahweh, Go, and buy a potter’s earthen bottle, and take of the elders of the people, and of the elders of the priests; and go forth to the valley of the son of Hinnom, which is by the entry of the gate Harsith, and proclaim there the words that I shall tell you; and say, Hear the word of Yahweh, O kings of Judah, and inhabitants of Jerusalem: In this manner says Yahweh of hosts, the Elohim of Israel, Behold, I will bring evil upon this place, which whoever hears, his ears shall tingle. Because they have forsaken me, and have estranged this place, and have burned incense in it to other elohim, that they knew not,***

***they and their fathers and the kings of Judah; and have filled this place with the blood of innocents, and have built the high places of Baal, to burn their sons in the fire for burnt-offerings to Baal; WHICH I COMMANDED NOT, NOR SPOKE IT, NEITHER CAME IT INTO MY MIND: therefore, behold, the days come, says Yahweh, that this place shall no more be called Topheth, nor The valley of the son of Hinnom, but The valley of Slaughter.”*** (Jeremiah 19:1-6).

It is not coincidental that the valley of Hinnom, where innocent babies were burned in the worship of Baal Moloch, is where sinners will be destroyed by Gehenna fire. How many abortionists will meet their fate here, if they do not repent?

### ***Call to Repentance***

Are you really sincere about your salvation? Right now, you are being confronted with making a choice. You have reached a crossroads! All around us, we see deteriorating morals that are spurring us into action. Babylon is about to fall; this present age cannot endure too much longer. Will you be protected when that fall comes?

You must make the correct choice right now if you wish to meet the Savior in the air when He returns. He is coming to rule this earth with a rod of iron—to destroy the wicked people who will not submit themselves to His rulership. On which side will you stand in that day? Will you be set with the sheep, who submit themselves to Yahweh? Or will you be gathered with the goats, who reject Yahweh’s commands? <sup>SNB</sup>

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religion that he will not listen to the facts as they are presented straight from the sacred Scriptures.

Someday, when Yahshua the Messiah returns, such lack of interest will be totally banned. Almighty Yahweh tells His people: ***“A new heart also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you; and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes, and you shall keep my ordinances, and do them. And you shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; and you shall be my people, and I will be your Elohim. And I will save you from all your uncleanness: and I will call for the grain, and will multiply it, and lay no famine upon you. And I will multiply the fruit of the tree, and the increase of the field, that you may receive no more the reproach of famine among the nations. Then shall you remember your evil ways, and your doings that were not good; and you shall loathe yourselves in your own sight for your iniquities and for your abominations.”*** (Ezekiel 36:26-31). Amos the prophet describes the end times as a time of famine for hearing the Word of Yahweh (Amos 8:11); nevertheless, the people are mostly responsible for this situation, because they will not LISTEN and APPLY the teachings of the Bible.

The ministry of the Assemblies of Yahweh was begun in early 1966. Following the meticulous study of the sacred Scriptures by the author, he determined that the Bible sets forth a completely different teaching than that which is espoused by nominal religion. What should he do? Should he simply drift along in the practices of traditional religion, or should he obey the Bible? The only recourse, he concluded, was to apply the message of the Bible. That meant implementing a profound change in lifestyle.

Then in 1966, the opportunity materialized to inaugurate a radio broadcast to teach the enlightening material he had learned. The first radio broadcast was heard on a low-power station, WBMD Radio, Baltimore, Maryland, on February 5, 1966. Interest in this message developed very quickly. Response began to be received immediately, and from this very humble beginning developed this dynamic ministry that today reaches out into 115 countries of the world.

**The Sacred Name Broadcast** ministry is rapidly approaching the beginning of its forty-ninth year of sending forth Yahweh's Truth to a lost and dying world. As the reader can note from the inside front cover of this month's magazine, the mailing list of **The Sacred Name Broadcaster** subscribers has now become quite large. Nevertheless, the author had hoped that by this time, an even broader base of interest would have developed.

We have been looking for the Second Coming of Yahshua the Messiah since the day we began the deep study of the sacred Scriptures. A number of times since the inauguration of the ministry in 1966, the prophesied Second Coming of Yahshua the Messiah could have occurred as the fulfillment of the basic prophecies fell into a proper alignment. Each time, however, the world's next great event, Yahshua's return, seemed to be set back for another cycle. This delay has never dampened our Faith. However, pertinent questions were answered during the past year, when the Holy Spirit revealed to us that Almighty Yahweh has determined in His mind a point beyond which sinful humankind cannot pass. This is called in Hebrew *qets*, and only Almighty Yahweh knows when this terminal point has been reached.

It is obvious that the generation now in prominent leadership positions in the world comes from what is known as the “baby boom.” Following World War II, a larger than usual crop of babies was born. These

children were raised on liberal ideas, especially was this the case toward the end of the baby boom times. It became obvious that these young people have developed an attitude that is entirely self-serving. They can do no wrong! They interpret their every action (even wrongful conduct) to justify serving their own purposes. Good becomes evil, and evil becomes good (Isaiah 5:20 and Amos 5:14-15). Past scandals in the administration in Washington, D.C., served as prime illustrations, wherein the so-called “spin doctors” alter the results of every situation to their own advantage. They seem devoid of conscience.

The Assemblies of Yahweh outreach through the stations in a commercial network, the telecast, our own shortwave radio station WMLK here at Bethel, Pennsylvania, and our own printed materials, has become quite extensive. One would certainly believe that the organization has become much more extensive than it appears. Yet, we remain comparatively small among the world's religions. What is the reason why the Assemblies of Yahweh does not have millions of adherents?

The answer is that too many of the seeds of the sound doctrines sown by the Assemblies of Yahweh have fallen by the wayside, on ground too hard packed to germinate. Those seeds are still there, but until the ground is plowed, broken up, and cultivated, in the hearts of sincere people, the seed cannot germinate, water and plant roots cannot penetrate; therefore, the seeds remain lying on the surface, easy fare for the birds of prey.

Let us bring this communication home more directly to you, our reader.

Perhaps you have been receiving **The Sacred Name Broadcaster** for many years, yet you have never communicated any further with this ministry. Perhaps you have never allowed the seed of Yahweh's Word to germinate in your spiritual life. Possibly the seed of the Word has



been lying dormant in your heart, ungerminated, unproductive. For instance, you may never have taken advantage of the **Correspondence Course** we offer, or the sermons that are preached here at Bethel, Pennsylvania, every Sabbath and during the feast days. Perhaps you have never considered availing yourself of some of our other programs. You have probably never attended any of the regional meetings or holy day services of the Assemblies of Yahweh.

Therefore, the seeds have been left ungerminated, because they have not been watered. Meanwhile, the Adversary (Satan) has snatched away the message of the Bible, and you have forgotten what little you know concerning our teachings.

Hosea the prophet urges action from everyone who reads his communication from Yahweh: *“Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap according to kindness, break up your fallow ground; for it is time to seek Yahweh, till he comes and rains righteousness upon you. You have plowed wickedness, you have reaped iniquity; you have eaten the fruit of lies; for you did trust in your way, in the multitude of your mighty men.”* (Hosea 10:12-13).

The reason why the seed of the Word of Yahweh has not germinated in your case, can also be explained through the prophecy of Isaiah 28:23-29. *“Give you ear, and hear my voice; listen, and hear my speech. Does he that plows to sow plow continually? Does he continually open and harrow his ground? When he has levelled the face of it, does he not cast abroad the fitches, and scatter the cummin, and put in the wheat in rows, and the barley in the appointed place, and the spelt in the border of it? For his Elohim does instruct him aright, and does teach him. For the fitches are not threshed with a sharp threshing instrument, neither is a cart wheel turned about upon the cummin; but*

*the fitches are beaten out with a staff, and the cummin with a rod. Bread grain is ground; for he will not be always threshing it: and though the wheel of his cart and his horses scatter it, he does not grind it. This also comes forth from Yahweh of hosts, who is wonderful in counsel, and excellent in wisdom.”*

***You should have a desire to enrich yourself spiritually with the knowledge of the Word of Yahweh.***

***“...Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of Yahweh.”***  
***(Matthew 4:4).***

Undoubtedly this description is of ch-rchianity today just as Yahweh's prophet has predicted in Jeremiah 23:30-32. *“Therefore, behold, I am against the prophets, says Yahweh, that steal my words every one from his neighbor. Behold, I am against the prophets, says Yahweh, that use their tongues, and say, He says. Behold, I am against them that prophesy lying dreams, says Yahweh, and do tell them, and cause my people to err by their lies, and by their vain boasting: yet I sent them not, nor commanded them; neither do they profit this people at all, says Yahweh.”*

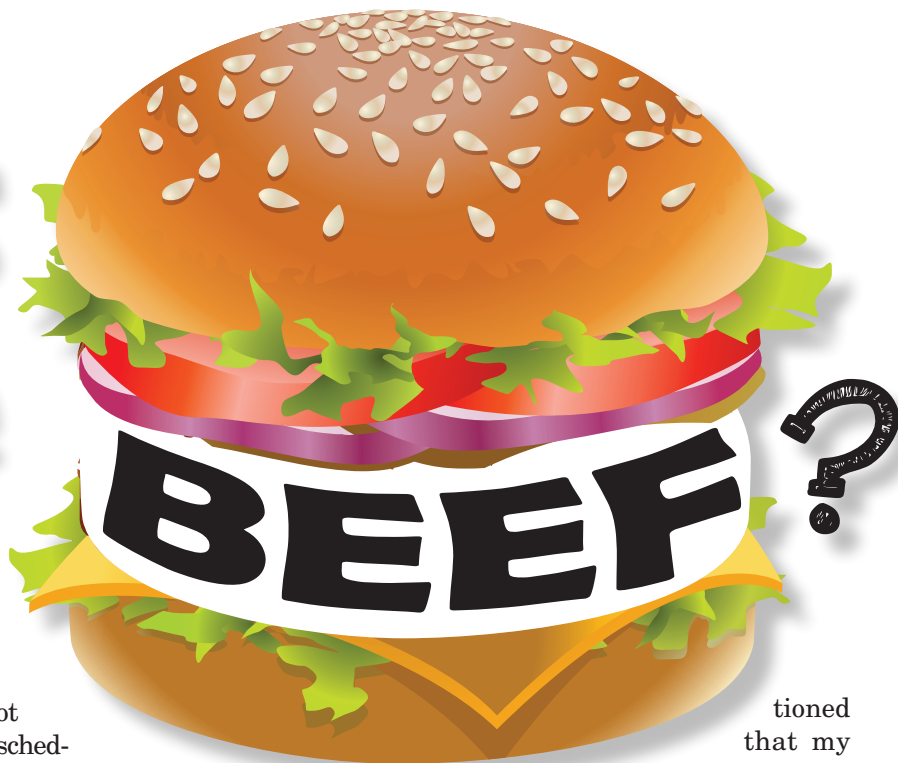
There are so many ministers throughout ch-rchianity who are stealing the words that they speak from their neighbor. How well I recall that when the denomination to which I belonged as a youth began to educate their ministers in a theological institution, some of the older people warned that this would regiment the thinking of the ministers. In sound doctrine, total unity is good; however, if erroneous ideas creep in and liberalism is espoused, it can seriously weaken a denomination. Undoubtedly, this prediction came true, because currently the ministers of that denomination can be manipulated by the erroneous things they are taught.

You should have a desire to enrich yourself spiritually with the knowledge of the Word of Yahweh. *“Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of Yahweh.”* (Matthew 4:4, Luke 4:4, quoted from Deuteronomy 8:3). It is mankind, not simply the Jew, or Israelite, that shall live by the Word of Yahweh, rather than simply existing by temporal food. All people must bear spiritual fruit for life eternal, just as Yahshua the Messiah indicated in Matthew 7:17-21. *“Even so every good tree brings forth good fruit; but the corrupt tree brings forth evil fruit. A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. Every tree that brings not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. Therefore by their fruits you shall know them. Not every one that says to me, Master, Master, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that does the will of my Father who is in heaven.”*

Why not allow the seed of the Word of Yahweh to germinate and grow, so it will yield an abundant spiritual harvest in your personal life? People sometimes comment that they cannot understand the Scriptures. This is exactly the situation Isaiah the prophet describes

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# Where's the



by Elder Jacob O. Meyer

This title was prompted by an announcement in the religious section of one of our local newspapers. It appears in the advertisement that a retired military chaplain would be the preacher at a local camp meeting service on a Sunday morning. His subject was “Learning How To Be Nice.” Would you be interested in such a “sermon” subject that you would travel for miles to hear it? Perhaps one should consider the source!

If you will recall, there was a commercial aired on television years ago wherein several senior citizens were staring at a small hamburger laying on a large bun, and one of the ladies asked, “Where’s the beef?” Several variations of this commercial produced numerous comments and a great deal of interest around the country.

Without a doubt, over the past half century, the teachings of christianity have been considerably reduced, diluted, watered down, and liberalized. As a young child I would regularly accompany my grandfather and my parents to worship services. Without a doubt, the sermons that were preached by ministers of more than half a century ago were filled with scripture. How well I remember many scriptures being explained in these sermons that I heard in my boyhood.

In my youth, many of the congrega-

tions did not even schedule a Sunday School. That idea seemed only to take firm root about 50 to 60 years ago, until, currently, the Sunday School has almost preempted the regular worship service with ministerial instruction.

The format of services in the local congregation where the Meyer family attended a half century ago was characterized by an introductory sermonette. Then the main sermon lasted from one to three hours, whereupon a summary sermonette sometimes lasting from 10 minutes to as long as 45 minutes was brought forth by another speaker. Certainly, we could say there was plenty of substance available in the teachings of those elderly ministers. As a matter of fact, some members later objected to the “magazine topics” as the subject matter was diluted by the younger ministers following World War II.

A fellow student in the seminary that I attended years ago described his first sermon that he preached for his new congregation. He spoke for about 45 minutes, and afterward, the head deacon approached him with the warning that his sermons had to be only 15 minutes in length—20 minutes at the most;—never again 45 minutes! With a chuckle, I men-

tioned that my sermons customarily run from one hour to two hours. The reply of this young minister was, “Your people love the Word. Mine only attend services to make an appearance.”

The Scriptures teach us that at the beginning of our spiritual walk we shall desire the milk of the Word to develop adequately and become strong. ***“Therefore putting away all wickedness, and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings, as newborn babes, long for the spiritual milk which is without guile, that you may grow by it to salvation; if you have tasted that Yahweh is gracious.”*** (1 Peter 2:1-3).

Peter encourages his readers to long for, or desire, the spiritual milk that is without guile (false doctrine), so that the developing believer may GROW to salvation.

Then the writer of Hebrews continues. ***“Of whom we have many things to say, and hard of interpretation, seeing you have become dull of hearing. For when by reason of the time you ought to be teachers, you have need again that someone should teach you the rudiments of the first principles of the oracles of Yahweh; and have become such as have***



***need of milk, and not of solid food. For everyone that partakes of milk is without experience of the word of righteousness; for he is a babe. But solid food is for full grown men, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern good and evil.*** (Hebrews 5:11-14).

After the True Worshiper has grown sufficiently in his spiritual walk through absorbing milk, then he must be ready for the strong solid food that is available in the sacred Scriptures. Solid scriptural food will yield spiritual maturity.

But how many people today fall into the same category as those described by Paul in 1 Corinthians 3:1-3. ***“And I, brethren, could not speak to you as to spiritual, but as to carnal, as babes in the Messiah. I fed you with milk, not with meat; for you were not able to bear it: no, not even now are you able; for you are yet carnal: for whereas there is among you jealousy and strife, are you not carnal, and do you not walk after the manner of men?”*** Perhaps the majority of the readers of this publication would fall into this same category. Shouldn't the True Worshipers wish to learn true doctrines rather than merely maintaining the status quo? Why read and study the Bible, except that the believer hopes to apply the lessons?

It is the sincere desire of the editor that all readers of **The Sacred Name Broadcaster** magazine come to recognize the strong meat of the Word that is available in

the teachings of the Assemblies of Yahweh. Almighty Yahweh has given His Holy Spirit to the Assemblies of Yahweh, since we obey His commandments. ***“And we are witnesses of these things; and so is the Holy Spirit, which Yahweh has given to them that obey him.”*** (Acts 5:32).

The Assemblies of Yahweh ministry was begun to teach the Word of Yahweh in all of its purity, just like Paul indicated in Acts 20:26-28. ***“Therefore I testify to you this day, that I am pure from the blood of all men. For I shrank not from declaring to you the whole counsel of Yahweh. Take heed to yourselves, and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to feed the assembly of the Master, which he purchased with his own blood.”*** The whole counsel of the Word of Yahweh refers to accepting the entire Bible as one cohesive unit—from Genesis to Revelation. The biblical message does not contradict throughout, but it will indeed harmonize. Here's the beef!

When you continue reading in Acts 20, you will find that Paul warns against the grievous wolves that will enter into the flock not sparing the members of the Apostolic Assembly.

Perhaps you are one of those individuals who loves the strong meat of the Word and desires to learn the sacred Scriptures and the requirements for salvation. We hope that you will never slacken from your pursuit of the Truth. Why not

come for a feast? But do not come to teach before you thoroughly learn the Word!

This reminds me of my mother (of blessed memory). She always read her Bible every day and regularly attended worship services. Furthermore, she explained that if she did not receive correction in the sermons so that she could receive directions on how to live a better spiritual life, she had wasted her time. She desired correction and eagerly sought the strong meat of the Word. This constitutes a very commendable memory.

Perhaps you have never considered that there is a group existing in the world today that teaches the strong meat of the Word and lives by it through applying its principles to our daily life. If you are looking for solid food, then we urge you to communicate regularly with the Assemblies of Yahweh. Why not obtain a free sermon so that you can perceive the difference between how the Assemblies of Yahweh teaches the sacred Scriptures as compared to christianity. The feast of the Word is freely offered to all!

A spiritually weak people will develop when the nourishment of the strong meat of the Word is withheld from them. Where is the beef (strong meat of the word) today? **THE SCRIPTURAL NOURISHMENT INDEED APPEARS TODAY IN THE ASSEMBLIES OF YAHWEH! PROVE THIS TO YOURSELF TODAY!** S<sup>N</sup>B



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Here the purpose is spelled out. Yahweh wanted to test and try this one eternal Being whom He had created and begotten as His Son. Yahweh emptied His glory out of His Son, and put that life in human form, confronting that human life with the opportunity to sin. He was tempted, tested, and tried by Satan, Matthew 4 and Luke 4. That human being, Yahshua, was able to resist all kinds of sin, because He had the Holy Spirit of Yahweh. Yahweh intended to demonstrate to the human family that we needn't slip away into sin or false doctrine when we have His Holy Spirit. Yahweh's Holy Spirit will strengthen the True Worshiper to fight against sin and win the victory over it, because they love Yahweh. We pray for more of His Holy Spirit to keep us firmly anchored to the Faith.

He says, ***"Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things that were heard, lest by chance we drift away."*** Yahshua was made a little lower than the angels for Yahweh's purpose of perfecting Him through human trials to learn if He would walk the same narrow pathway all must travel to the Kingdom of Yahweh. Yahshua proved that He was not like the third of the angels that fell in Satan's rebellion. Since Yahshua has been victorious over Satan, the world, and the flesh, He now occupies a better position than the angels. Man may also elevate himself to that position through obedience and be given the gift of adoption into the Yahweh family. Nowhere in the Old Testament do we find any description of the Angel of Yahweh already sitting at the right hand of Yahweh. Daniel 7:13-14 shows Him being brought in before the Ancient of Days, but this occurs after His victorious life. This

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## Who does Yahweh want to rule in the age to come? He wishes to select human beings who...

- are tested and tried.
- are experienced in rejecting sin and overcoming it.
- will hold fast to the Truth in their hearts and their minds.
- will faithfully follow and obey the Truth of the Scriptures, regardless what situation they confront.
- will adhere strictly to Yahweh and His Word.

is fulfilled in Psalm 91:1.

***"For both he that sanctifies and they that are sanctified are all of one: for which cause he is not ashamed to call them brethren, saying, I will declare your name to my brethren, In the midst of the congregation will I sing your praise. [taken from Psalm 22:22]. And again, I will put my trust in him. [see 2 Samuel 22:3]. And again, Behold, I and the children whom Yahweh has given me. [This quote appears in Isaiah 8:18.]***

***"Since then the children are sharers in flesh and blood, he also in the same manner partook of the same [He would not have had to do so. But Yahshua was an obedient Son. Yahweh intended to prove Yahshua's dedication to His angels, to the angels that fell, to Satan the Devil. He wanted to prove Yahshua's dedication to the people of the whole world]; that through death he might bring to nothing [destroy] him that had the power of death, that is, the devil...." (Hebrews 2:11-14).***

Do you comprehend the close relationship described here between the book of Job, the book of Hebrews, and the life of Yahshua described throughout the Scriptures, but, especially, in the evangels? Satan the Devil accused Job before Yahweh and declared that he was not perfect. Satan tried three different temptations, concentrating upon human weakness, to subvert the faith of

Yahshua after His baptism. Yahweh had begotten a Spirit Being who was willing to humble Himself, to go beneath His station, take upon Himself the fleshly nature, who could live victoriously and destroy the works of Satan. Yahshua rejected Satan's worldly lifestyle in every trial. Yahshua lived as a True, converted member of the Yahweh family should.

***"And might deliver all them who through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage." (Hebrews 2:15).*** Is that the reason why some people continue to just pour all their energy into gratifying themselves? Is it because they fear death? For the converted person, the fear of death has passed. We need fear death no longer. We know that a resurrection to eternal life awaits the faithful one. Therefore, even though we might experience martyrdom for our Faith, we know that eternal life awaits the obedient believer.

***"For truly not to angels does he give help, but he gives help to the seed of Abraham." (Hebrews 2:16).*** Yahshua did not die to redeem those one-third of the angels that fell during the rebellion of Satan the Devil against Yahweh. He died to redeem human beings with His own blood. Those angels will be judged by the sacred Body of the Messiah in Yahweh's Kingdom. See 1 Corinthians 6:2-3.

***"Therefore it behooved him in all things to be made like his***



**brethren, that he might become a merciful** [There it is again—the idea of grace! Michael, Metatron, who was reputed to be the author of mercy. Isn't it merciful to take the punishment, substituting yourself in place of a condemned person? Would someone put himself in the electric chair for a condemned criminal? I don't think so. Yet, Yahshua took our place and accepted death for our sin.] **and faithful high priest in things pertaining to Elohim, to make propitiation** [atonement—a blood covering] **for the sins of the people. For in that he himself has suffered being tempted, he is able to help them that are tempted.**" (Hebrews 2:17-18).

That is the true and the correct interpretation of Hebrews 1 and 2. Yahshua the Messiah emptied Himself. He took upon Himself the form of a servant, was made in the likeness of men. He resisted sin. He never sinned, but was without sin. He died resisting sin, and that death of the perfect human being then was able to cover the sins of the people by His sacrifice. This comprehensive sound doctrine is preached nowhere else except in the Assemblies of Yahweh. In Genesis 15, we perceive that when Yahweh made the Covenant with Abraham, it was also to supply the atonement sacrifice for those of Abraham's seed who had sinned. Every other religious organization insists upon their understanding, and, yet, this must be the true interpretation of these passages.

Turn now to 2 Peter 1:3. **"...seeing that his supernatural power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and holiness, through the knowledge of him that called us by his own glory and virtue; by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises** [What was the promise we read previously? That you and I can receive the adoption into the Yahweh family and rule this world eternally under Yahshua. All we need to do is to re-

main faithful, steadfast, dedicated, and sincerely committed to the end. Yahweh has not put this universe under the authority of angels, but under the authority of human beings who strive to overcome their human nature and become like He is]; **that through these you may become partakers of the heavenly nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world by lust.**" [How do we achieve that? Through the shed blood of Yahshua the Messiah, along with our own sincere determination that we want to please Yahweh in all that we do]

**"Yes, and for this very cause adding on your part all diligence, in your faith supply virtue** [that will require some diligent effort, that's what Peter tells us. We must in our faith try to achieve a state of virtue. Virtue means the righteous keeping of Yahweh's commandments.]; **and in your virtue knowledge** [Ch-rchianity usually ridicules the need for knowledge, don't they? 'Knowledge puffs up, they say. Charity (love) is what all should seek after, they insist.']; **and in knowledge self-control** [temperance]; **and in self control, patience; and in patience holiness** [You need all of these character attributes to make it into Yahweh's Kingdom and to become partakers of the heavenly nature.]; **and in your holiness brotherly kindness** [Philadelphia, brotherly love.]; **and in your brotherly kindness, love** [agape, spontaneous, outgoing affection extended to the undeserving]."

**"For if these things are yours and abound, they make you to be not idle nor unfruitful to the knowledge of our Sovereign Yahshua the Messiah. For he who lacks these things is blind, seeing only what is near, having forgotten the cleansing from his old sins. Therefore, brethren, give the more diligence to make your calling and election sure** [Are you doing that? Have you proven to yourself that Assemblies

of Yahweh teachings are absolute truth? Are you making your calling and election sure?]: **for if you do these things, you shall never stumble.**" (2 Peter 1:3-10).

I'll never leave this Messianic Faith, believe me! How could I go back into false doctrine and compromise the scriptural Faith I have proven to be true? Over the period of years I've been studying the Scriptures, many different doctrines have made their appearance. But I'm going to adhere strictly to what the Bible teaches, and Assemblies of Yahweh doctrines are based exclusively on that firm foundation. Yahweh's Word is Truth! (John 17:17).

**"For thus shall be richly supplied to you the entrance into the eternal kingdom of our Sovereign and Savior Yahshua the Messiah."** (2 Peter 1:11). One hundred and forty-four thousand dedicated people are said to be sealed in Revelation 7. Those 144,000 people (remember how they are described in Revelation 14) will put forth a valiant effort to obey Yahweh's Covenant. We have to battle Satan the Devil, the world, and the flesh, on every front.

Notice how the 144,000 are described: **"These are they which were not defiled with women, for they are virgins** [Spiritually speaking, that means not defiled with the false doctrines and worship of worldly ch-rchianity]. **These are they that follow the Lamb wherever he goes. These were purchased from among men, to be the firstfruits to Yahweh and to the Lamb. And in their mouth was found no lie** [no false doctrine, no false teaching]: **they are without blemish** [Spiritually sound and pure]." (Revelation 14:4-5).

Consequently, sound doctrine will decide who appears in this specific resurrection, the resurrection of the just. You cannot say to yourself, "If this or that organization to which I might belong teaches only a few false doctrines, I'll just compromise

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and put up with it. If my organization has a little false doctrine, or even a big false doctrine, I'll just compromise it and remain in that falsehood."

But then, there are people who sometimes want to drop out of the Assemblies of Yahweh organization. They invent and follow false doctrines to soothe their consciences. When they will not allow Yahweh's ordained elders to correct them and drive home the fact that they are in false doctrine, these dissidents harden their position and make up their minds. They have somehow convinced themselves that they want to leave the Assemblies of Yahweh without their conscience hurting too badly.

We must conclude that Paul's prophecy will not fail in which a great falling away (Greek—*apostasia*, *defection from the truth*) WILL OCCUR before the Messiah returns. The unclean spirits from the mouth of the dragon, the beast, and false prophet will lead many astray,

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Revelation 16:13. This is why we must make our calling and election sure. Are you faithfully settled in your mind that the Assemblies of Yahweh today is Yahweh's True Worship revealed on this earth? You should follow Peter's urging to make certain what you believe.

But I pray that none ever follow false doctrines away from the Truth and out of this organization, because in the Assemblies of Yahweh, we have the greatest organization that ever existed—Yahweh's Holy Spirit is here! This is the Apostolic Assembly reconstituted in the last

days before the Messiah's return. Please see Isaiah 58:12, along with Jeremiah 6:16. He has revealed these things to us. We are meekly, humbly, following scriptural sound doctrines exclusively. If we remain faithful, the open door [Hebrew—*Dalet*, the D] stands before us. If we defect from sound doctrine, it will be closed in our face.

May Almighty Yahweh receive all praise and glory as we take this vital doctrine to the world and explain to all who will listen and heed the importance and the truth of the doctrine of Yahshua the Messiah. <sup>SNB</sup>

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in Isaiah 29:11-12. ***"And all vision has become to you as the words of a book that is sealed, which men deliver to one that is learned, saying, Read this, I pray you; and he says, I cannot, for it is sealed: and the book is delivered to him that is not learned, saying, Read this, I pray you; and he says, I am not learned."***

How can you understand the message of the sacred Scriptures? The answer is to read the Bible just as though it were a message from heaven, delivered directly to you personally (and that is exactly what the Bible is!). Read the sacred Scriptures, allow the Word of Yahweh to speak forthrightly to you, allow it to direct you. Obey it! You will find that the seed of the Word will forthwith germinate and bear good fruit, and your spiritual life will be greatly enriched.

Furthermore, do not forget that the patriarchs and the prophets of

old did not receive the ultimate reward for their faith. ***"These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them and greeted them from far off, and having confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth. For they that say such things make it manifest that they are seeking after a country of their own. And if indeed they had been mindful of that from which they went out, they would have had opportunity to return. But now they desire a better country, that is a heavenly: therefore Yahweh is not ashamed of them, to be called their Elohim; for he has prepared for them a city."*** (Hebrews 11:13-16). They did not become discouraged when the final reward of their faith did not materialize during their human life time—neither should you be discouraged when you see the unrighteous rewarded with materialism in our time. The Laodicean Assembly is the last one before the Messiah returns,

so you should guard yourself against the evil influences of materialism.

The patriarchs and prophets of old did not receive Yahweh's promises, for the simple reason that Yahweh intended to confer those promises upon all of us together in the end times. ***"And these all, having had witness borne to them through their faith, received not the promise, Yahweh having provided some better thing concerning us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect."*** (Hebrews 11:39-40).

If the seed of Yahweh's Word has lain dormant in your heart and life without germinating for years, why not change your mental outlook. Know that—"This too shall pass!" Times will not always offer such great materialism as today. Some day soon the bills must be paid—but then it may be too late for the seed to germinate and bear fruit! <sup>SNB</sup>



# THE SACRED NAME PROGRAMS



## Television

*These television stations air the Sacred Name Telecast. Check the program time and frequency of the station in your area.*

### Cable and Satellite

#### **Aspire Network**

(nationwide and streamed)  
Sunday 5:30–6:00 a.m.

**Prayer Network on DishTV**  
Channel 256 Sunday 12:30 p.m. ET

#### **Word Network**

(U.S. and 195 countries)  
Tuesday 3:00 a.m. ET

**WTVE** Channel 51, Reading, PA  
Sunday 7:00–7:30 a.m.

**WFLI** Chattanooga, TN  
Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m.

**WSEE & CBS Satellite**  
Channel 16, Erie, PA.  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.

**MCTV-WJYS** Channel 62  
Chicago, IL  
Monday-Thursday, 11:30–12:00 p.m.

**WTTA** Channel 32, Tampa, FL  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.

#### **Canada**

**CTV-CIVT** Channel 32, and  
cable 8 and 9 Vancouver, British Columbia  
Sunday 5:00–5:30 a.m.

**CTV Nationwide on Satellite**  
Bell ExpressVu 250,  
Shaw Direct (Star Choice) 321  
Rogers Cable 112

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#### **Caribbean Region**

**HTS** Channel 4, St. Lucia  
Sunday 10:30–11:00 a.m.

**Cable TV** Channel 15, St. Maarten  
Sunday 3:30–4:00 p.m.

**MSR Cable TV** Channel 6, St. Martin  
Sunday 10:00–10:30 a.m., 7:00–7:30 p.m.

**WSEE & CBS Satellite**  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m. EST

#### **Public Access Cable Channels**

Hartford, CT  
Rochester, MN  
Richmond, VA  
Wisconsin Rapids, WI

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## Radio

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### Atlantic

#### **West Indies**

**Radio Anguilla** 1530

Saturday 6:45–7:15 a.m.

**DBS Radio (Dominica)** 88.1 FM  
Sunday 9:00–9:30 a.m.

**Radio Dominica** 595  
Sunday 10:00–10:30 a.m.

**Radio GBN (Grenada)** 535  
Sunday 6:45–7:15 p.m.

**Guyana Radio Roraima** 760  
Sunday 6:00–6:15 a.m.

**Radio St. Lucia** 660  
Sunday 6:00–6:30 a.m.

**Radio PJD2 (St. Maarten)** 1300  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.

**Trinidad Radio Power** 102.5  
Sunday 6:45–7:00 a.m.

### Eastern

#### **Pennsylvania**

**WWSM** 1510, Lebanon  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.

#### **West Virginia**

\***WWVA** 1170, Wheeling  
Friday 10:00–10:30 p.m. (also streamed)

### Central

#### **Arkansas**

\***KAAY** 1090, Little Rock  
Sunday 8:30–9:00 a.m.

#### **Iowa**

\***KXEL** 1540, Waterloo  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.

#### **Texas**

\***KBXD** 1480, Dallas  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 a.m.  
Sunday 7:30–8:00 p.m.

### Philippines

**DWNW** 756, Bicol Region  
Sunday 6:00–6:15 a.m.

**DXCC** 828, Cagayan de Oro City  
Sunday 6:30–6:45 a.m.

**DXWG** 855, Iligan City  
Sunday 6:00–6:15 p.m.

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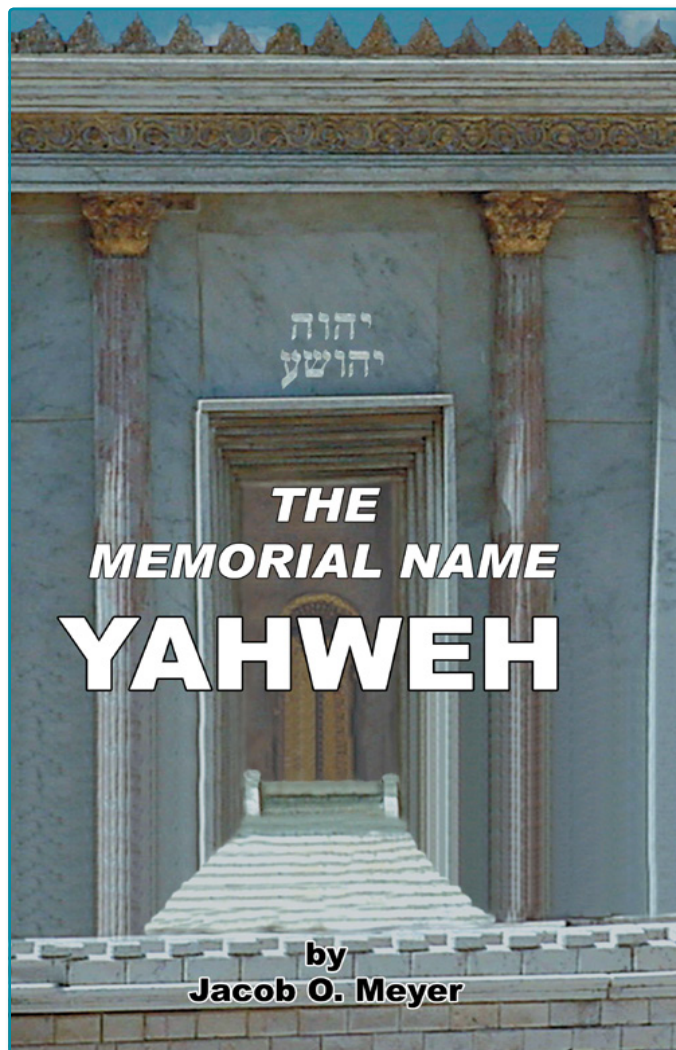
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