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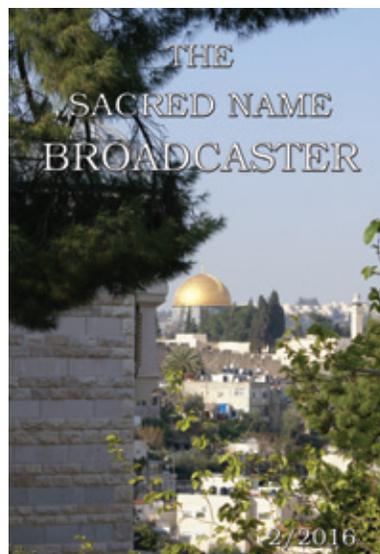
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Our Cover:

This month's cover contains a scene of Jerusalem taken from Gallicantu, the place of the residence of the High Priest. After He was betrayed by Judah Isacariot, Yahshua was taken here—to Caiaphas, the High Priest—for trial.

Here, Peter denied Yahshua three times, just as Yahshua had prophesied to him. At His trial, Yahshua also prophesied, "Yahshua says to him, You have said: nevertheless I say to you, Henceforth you shall see the Son of man sitting at the right hand of Power, and coming on the clouds of heaven." When Yahshua returns, will you be ready when the last trumpet sounds?



THE INTERNATIONAL SHORTWAVE RADIO VOICE OF THE **ASSEMBLIES OF YAHWEH**

by Elder Jacob O. Meyer

It was in 1966, during a Sabbatical Year, that the door of radio opened before the author to declare Almighty Yahweh's Name and the coming Kingdom of Yahweh and salvation in the Name of Yahshua the Messiah. The radio outreach expanded rapidly over the years so that this Truth could be preached in various places of the world.

In 1966, **The Sacred Name Broadcast** was first heard over Radio Station WBMD, Baltimore, Maryland. From there we obtained time on such powerful stations as KXEL, Waterloo, Iowa; XELO, Mexico; XERF, Mexico; and other major stations whose names you have seen listed in our Radio Log over the years.

The vision of taking this dynamic message of salvation to the ends of the earth has always been in the forefront of our minds. From the moment this magnificent Truth was revealed to us, we wanted all people on the earth to hear this glorious message. Consequently, we begin to supplement the radio broadcast with literature, and our published

literature was sent all over the United States and to many foreign countries. (At the present time most foreign countries are represented on our mailing list to receive our monthly magazine.)

This message of salvation, through keeping ourselves free from sin by obeying Yahweh's Covenant Law, and trusting in the revealed personal Name of our Heavenly Father Yahweh, and in the True revealed Name of His Son, Yahshua the Messiah, is unique among the teachings of various religious organizations of the world. But the end purpose is not merely to promulgate these facts that have been preached so powerfully over **The Sacred Name** radio broadcast and published in **The Sacred Name Broadcaster** magazine and our other published literature. Our primary objective is to get people to comprehend that faithful obedience to the things which are taught by the Sacred Scriptures is necessary for salvation.

The Assemblies of Yahweh message is one of strictness through

obedience. The world today wishes to liberalize religious doctrines, and, therefore, many unscriptural notions are introduced to supplant plain statements in the Bible. In this manner, religious bodies legitimize sin! But the Assemblies of Yahweh confronts the Bible straightforwardly and allows the Sacred Scriptures to speak with supreme authority. We humbly submit ourselves to this voice speaking to us directly from heaven from the pages of the sacred book.

Over the years, the author recognized that, in order to fulfill the Great Commission of Matthew 28:19-20, a new approach would have to be taken. How would this message be proclaimed to the ends of the earth? The borders of some nations are closed to restrict information in certain forms. The Assemblies of Yahweh organization is small and not at all wealthy when compared to the worldly religious organizations.

While contemplating the progress of the Assemblies of Yahweh ministry relating to how we can fulfill our



**APRIL 22, 1984:
Elder Jacob O. Meyer
making the very first
broadcast on the original
50 KW shortwave set here
at Bethel, Pennsylvania.**

calling to send forth this message to the ends of the earth, we recognized that purchasing time on commercial radio stations would not cover all the areas necessary. Additionally, time on commercial radio stations has become very expensive over the years. It seems like the months roll by very rapidly, and sometimes income is low. Bills pile up as we seek with all our power to fulfill the mission to which Almighty Yahweh has called us. Actually, we should be sending forth **The Sacred Name Broadcast** right now over at least a dozen more powerful stations here in the United States alone, but the cost is prohibitive.

After much personal thought and discussion with various brethren, we finally came to the conclusion that having our own radio station would be a tremendous asset to the ministry. With careful research, we learned that Bethel is located at a very strategic position on the earth for sending out radio signals. We learned that from Bethel we can cover much of the land area of the earth, because the Great Circle Line on which we are located is the one that runs through the heart of most of the land. Therefore, we could conceivably cover the land area of the world by a shortwave

radio signal, which travels around the globe in a circle.

We began seriously considering the construction of a shortwave radio station here at Bethel. The needs for such a station were laid before the brethren and co-workers of the Assemblies of Yahweh in a special communication. The brethren responded immediately! We learned that there was genuine interest in completing such a project!

The author began to search for a radio transmitter that would be powerful enough to satisfy the requirements of the Federal Communications Commission. A transmitter was located in the South, and we soon made arrangements to transport this transmitter here to Bethel. Significantly, as the truck was sent to pick up the transmitter, we, as yet, did not have a place to situate it!

But Almighty Yahweh moved miraculously and provided a building. Although this property was in a state of great disrepair, it came situated on about 3-3/4 acres of land. This property was located within one mile of the Assemblies of Yahweh International Headquarters here at Bethel, Pennsylvania. By the time the truck arrived here at Bethel carrying the transmitter, we had already completed the purchase and

transfer of title and were prepared to unload the transmitter.

The first step in the construction process was to inventory the components which we had received with the transmitter we had purchased. Additionally, we had to replace the roof on the building and renovate the inside of the entire building so that it would be suitable to function as a transmitter building. All of this preparatory work took some time to complete.

The next step was to begin re-conditioning each component of the transmitter. The moving parts were disassembled and cleaned. Parts that needed to be replaced, such as bearings for blowers and other items, were purchased.

In the meantime, we had to submit an application to the Federal Communications Commission for a construction permit for the station. We had to submit blueprints for the transmitter. These blueprints had to be drawn, and the necessary modification of the transmitter had to be planned. A great deal of thought and study was put into this phase.

But, almost like in the days when Israel was building the tabernacle in the wilderness, Almighty Yahweh laid it upon the hearts of the brethren and co-workers of the

Assemblies of Yahweh to give generously. A lot of funds were necessary, because building a radio station is not a cheap project. We learned that literally hundreds of thousands of dollars is involved.

To complete construction of Israel's wilderness tabernacle, Almighty Yahweh called several people (Bezalel and Oholiab) who had artistic expertise. Yahweh also called dedicated men into our area to construct the radio station. Gary McAvin and his family moved to Bethel to assist in this mighty project for the glory of Yahweh. The McAvins had become members of the Assemblies of Yahweh in 1976, and, sometime after that, moved to Bethel to attend Obadiah School of the Bible. Deacon McAvin is a journeyman electrician, and his broad experience helped to get the project under way.

As work on the transmitter went forward, we had to consider the design of the antenna we were going to use. After a great deal of thought, study, and discussion, we came upon the design of a modified log periodic antenna, since we have limited acreage to situate the antenna. The initial drawings of the antenna looked something like a *shophar* (a ram's horn). As the construction on the antenna went forward, we soon realized that it took on the appearance of a ram's horn uplifted to the sky. What a thrill we all experienced as we saw the shape of this antenna! Surely, now the voice of Yahweh could go out with power like the blast of a trumpet.

In addition, the steel posts that were used for the antenna construction fulfilled a prophecy found in Jeremiah 31:21. ***“Set yourself up waymarks, make yourself guideposts; set your heart toward the highway, even the way by which you went: turn again, O virgin of Israel, turn again to these your cities.”*** These steel antenna posts had once been used for sign posts along the interstate highway. Now they were recycled and employed to

hold the antenna grid suspended in the air. Those people who are alert to the fulfillment of end-time Bible prophecy can see how Almighty Yahweh miraculously moved to confirm His Word as a sign to those who are sincere.

As the shortwave radio station construction continued, the project seemed to take quite a long time. Some of the designs had to be modified and changes had to be made after initial testing. Through test broadcasting, we found that further modifications had to be made to some of the components. But, finally, the station was tested on August 29, 1986, and approved on September 5, 1986. WMLK Radio was granted its broadcast license to transmit programming regularly each day. Our current schedule calls for broadcasting six days each week, 11 p.m. to 2 a.m. EST and 12 noon to 3 p.m. EST.

It is our opinion that Radio Station WMLK is fulfilling end-time prophecy. First of all, the call letters WMLK are significant, because Almighty Yahweh pushed us in the direction of using them. We had other ideas for call letters. We discovered that all these call letters we had chosen were already in use, until we asked about selecting the letters MLK. These were available and assigned to the station. “MLK” stands for the consonants of the Hebrew word *mal'ak* which means *messenger or angel*. The letters can also, under different vowel points, mean *king (melek)*. A vocalization of the word will also yield the definition *salt*.

Consequently, we rejoice as we understand that Almighty Yahweh had us select the call letters which represent the voice of the angel or messenger of Almighty Yahweh heralding the good news of the coming Kingdom to the ends of the earth. We are heralding the message that the Messianic King is coming to establish the Kingdom of Yahweh on this earth. It is our prayer that the words which are spoken will call out of the nations of the world

such people as have prepared their hearts to be saved, people who will become members of the Body of the Messiah, the salt of the earth.

It is our hope that we can fulfill the prophecy of Revelation 14:6-12. ***“And I saw another angel flying in mid heaven, having eternal good tidings to proclaim to them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation and tribe and tongue and people; and he says with a great voice, Fear Yahweh, and give him glory; for the hour of his judgment has come: and worship him that made the heaven and the earth and sea and fountains of waters. And another, a second angel, followed, saying, Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great, that has made all the nations to drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication. And another angel, a third, followed them, saying with a great voice, If any man worships the beast and his image, and receives a mark on his forehead, or on his hand, he also shall drink of the wine of the wrath of Yahweh, which is prepared unmixed in the cup of his anger; and he shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb: and the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever; and they have no rest day and night, they that worship the beast and his image, and whoever receives the mark of his name. Here is the patience of the saints; They that keep the commandments of Yahweh, and the faith of Yahshua.”***

Since 1966, the message of the Assemblies of Yahweh heard on **The Sacred Name Broadcast** has been to inform all who will listen that the Name of the Creator Father in heaven is Yahweh and His Son's Name is Yahshua.

Since the early days of this ministry, we have been proclaiming the end of this worldly system of things which the Bible designates as Babylon. Please note that the

“Set yourself up waymarks, make yourself guide-posts; set your heart toward the highway, even the way by which you went: turn again, O virgin of Israel, turn again to these your cities.” ~JEREMIAH 31:21



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REVELATION 14:6-7

verbs are in the past tense in this passage, although the event has not as yet come to pass. See for comparison Revelation 21:5-6. This grammatical construction is known as the prophetic perfect.

Since the early days of this ministry, the author has been preaching the warning against accepting the Mark of the Beast. He has contrasted the Mark of Yahweh against the Mark of the Beast (government).

Consequently, the messages have been flying through the air since early 1966. Now they are going to all of the world over the shortwave

radio signal, flying through the air, proclaiming Yahweh’s Word to all who will listen.

How do we arrive at this interpretation? Please note that seven angels guide the seven Assemblies in Revelation chapter 2 and 3. These angels of the Assembly are similar to the *tzibor* of the Jewish synagogue—meaning the *overseer of the congregation*. Consequently, the angel of Revelation 14 should be the overseer of the end-time Assemblies of Yahweh.

However, let us not concentrate our focus on the messenger, but on

the message proclaimed. The first message is to announce to the world that Yahweh and His Son Yahshua are the True Heavenly Elohim family. The second message is that this Babylonish system of the world will surely fall and be supplanted by the Kingdom of Yahshua the Messiah when He returns. Finally, the third message—a powerful message—follows, which declares that all those who cling to this worldly system by taking its mark will be excluded from Messiah’s Kingdom and the

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THE *Breastplate* OF JUDGMENT AND RIGHTEOUSNESS

PART THREE

This article is Part 3 of a series of sermons preached by Elder Jacob O. Meyer in the Bethel Assembly.

“O Yahweh, you El to whom vengeance belongs. You El to whom vengeance belongs, shine forth. Lift up yourself, you judge of the earth: render to the proud their desert. Yahweh, how long shall the wicked, how long shall the wicked triumph? They prate, they speak arrogantly: all the workers of iniquity boast themselves. They break in pieces your people, O Yahweh, and afflict your heritage. They kill the widow and the sojourner, and murder the fatherless. And they say, Yah will not see, neither will the Elohim of Jacob consider. Consider, you brutish among the people; and you fools, when will you be wise? He that planted the ear, shall he not hear? He that formed the eye, shall he not see? He that chastises the nations, shall not he correct, even he that teaches man knowledge? Yahweh knows the thoughts of man, that they are vanity. Blessed is the man whom you correct O Yah, and teach out of your law; that you may give him rest from the days of adversity, until the pit is dug for the wicked. For Yahweh will not cast off his people, neither

will he forsake his inheritance. For judgment shall return to righteousness; and all the upright in heart shall follow it. Who will rise up for me against the evil-doers? Who will stand up for me against the workers of iniquity? Unless Yahweh had been my help, my soul had soon dwelt in silence. When I said, My foot slips; your lovingkindness, O Yahweh, held me up. In the multitude of my thoughts within me your comforts delight my soul. Shall the throne of wickedness have partnership with you, which frames mischief by statute? They gather themselves together against the soul of the righteous, and condemn the innocent blood. But Yahweh has been my high tower, and my Elohim the rock of my refuge. And he has brought upon them their own iniquity, and will cut them off in their own wickedness; Yahweh our Elohim will cut them off.” (Psalm 94:1-23).

For over 50 years, Yahweh’s Truth has been taught throughout a large percentage of the nations of the earth. Beginning with the inauguration of a radio broadcast in 1966, and later expanding the outreach with the addition of the printed page, television, shortwave radio, two educational institutions, and other media, the Assemblies

of Yahweh ministry has communicated Yahweh’s Truth through doors opened by Yahshua the Messiah to thousands and literally to millions of people.

Some have responded to the message. Fewer in number are those who have been baptized into Yahshua’s Name. Fewer still have remained faithful and have sought to live their daily lives in harmony with Yahweh’s Covenant. Perhaps those are the people who truly manifest their love for Yahweh through obedience.

It is those who desire with all their hearts to be in the Kingdom of Yahweh, even to be adopted into the Elohim family, who will earnestly desire to receive Yahweh’s correction so that they may achieve their goal. Am I speaking to those people today?

Since we began our work on the breastplate replica during the summer of 1994, it seems as though various weaknesses in the brotherhood have been, at times, exposed. People have withdrawn over what we might consider to be minor doctrines, like the men wearing beards, or the women having their heads covered in worship. Individual members may consider these to be the least of the commandments, but scriptural commandments, nevertheless, as we know from Leviticus chapters 19 and 21 and Numbers

chapter 5. There have been discovered additional infractions and violations of Yahweh's Laws.

Were these weaknesses of the flesh there all along but not exposed beforehand, yet, now, due to the ministry preaching the breastplate message, people became convicted. By extension, would these sins have been discovered anyway?

Many times, I have pondered the thought of Ezekiel 16:30. "**How weak is your heart, says the Sovereign Yahweh, seeing you do all these things, the work of an impudent harlot....**" How weak is the character of some people? Why are they weak?

Let us go back again for instruction to Psalm 94. Here we find that Yahweh is the Judge of the earth. Do we want to place ourselves within the bonds of judgment of this powerful Mighty One? Should we not rather obey His Covenant Law so that our weakness will never be exposed under the righteous judgment of Yahweh?

The psalmist asks the question in verses 3 and 4: "**Yahweh, how long shall the wicked, how long shall the wicked triumph? They prate, they speak arrogantly: all the workers of iniquity boast themselves.**" This is an accurate description of worldly people. They speak arrogantly and boastfully, advocating all kinds of wickedness, sin, depravity, disgusting actions, and abominations.

Should we, as True Worshipers, be tolerant of evil? We certainly must not tolerate sin in our midst. We must cry out against the evil. When someone does cry out against evil, however, those who prefer to live in sin will act in a hostile manner against them. Some of the worldly ministers, who have stood four-square against the sins of homosexuality and abortion, report the acts of hostility against them.

"They break in pieces your people, O Yahweh, and afflict your heritage." The liberal press

Righteous judgment from On High will some day restore righteousness. That constitutes a very awesome thought, yet the more you think about it, the harder it becomes for anyone to sidestep Yahweh's Covenant.

harshly attacks the restoration of a conservative lifestyle and conservative religion in general. "**They hate him that reproves in the gate, and they hate him that speaks uprightly.**" (Amos 5:10).

"They kill the widow and the sojourner, and murder the fatherless." In Chicago, it was reported that two young girls went to the home of a Sunday school teacher saying that they wanted to speak about religion and then bludgeoned her to death. They stole her money and credit cards and went on a shopping binge. It is happening all the time. They murder the fatherless as happens throughout the world. See also Micah 2:1-2 and Malachi 3:5.

"And they say, Yah will not see, neither will the Elohim of Jacob consider." They insist that there is no Almighty, but Yahweh, indeed, is listening and watching. This is a very serious situation in which we find ourselves today. Do

you imagine that Yahweh will not hear or see? "**Consider, you brutish among the people; and you fools, when will you be wise? He that planted the ear, shall he not hear? He that formed the eye, shall he not see? He that chastises the nations, shall not he correct, even he that teaches man knowledge? Yahweh knows the thoughts of man, that they are vanity.**" As we have seen in history, Yahweh shall, in time, correct the errant, sinful individual! Think about what you are reading here, and, then, compare it to Acts chapter 5. See also Psalms 14, 53, and Psalm 50:16-23, along with a host of additional textual citations.

"Blessed is the man whom you correct O Yah, and teach out of your law; that you may give him rest from the days of adversity, until the pit is dug for the wicked. For Yahweh will not cast off his people, neither will he forsake his inheritance. For judgment shall return to righteousness; and all the upright in heart shall follow it."

Righteous judgment from On High will some day restore righteousness. That constitutes a very awesome thought, yet the more you think about it, the harder it becomes for anyone to sidestep Yahweh's Covenant. Yahweh's judgment will return to righteousness. Yahweh's judgment will restore righteousness. Sin will be judged by our coming Messiah, and sin is defined as the transgression of Yahweh's Law (1 John 3:4). The wages of sin is death (Romans 6:23).

What happens to those who are evil doers—workers of iniquity? Today, they will still maintain their evil lifestyle, tomorrow—no longer.

In verse 20, we continue to read: "**Shall the throne of wickedness have partnership with you, which frames mischief by statute?**" Can the United States of America today have a partnership with Yahweh? Obviously not! Mischief (evil) being

framed by statute (law) is happening all around us in our world today. Examples of this assertion are abortion and tolerance of homosexuality. When Yahweh's ministry speaks out against these sins, frequently recriminations follow.

“They gather themselves together against the soul of the righteous, and condemn the innocent blood. But Yahweh has been my high tower, and my Elohim the rock of my refuge.” Our Elohim is the rock of ages and the refuge to which we run. See Proverbs 18:10 and Isaiah 33:16.

Exodus chapter 28 provides the foundational text for this series of sermons, The Breastplate of Judgment and Righteousness. ***“And you shall make a breastplate of judgment, the work of the skilful workman....”*** (Exodus 28:15).

We read further in verses 29 and 30 of Exodus chapter 28, ***“And Aaron shall bear the names of the children of Israel in the breastplate of judgment upon his heart, when he goes in to the holy place, for a memorial before Yahweh continually. And you shall put in the breastplate of judgment the Urim and the Thummim; and they shall be upon Aaron's heart, when he goes in before Yahweh: and Aaron shall bear the judgment of the children of Israel upon his heart before Yahweh continually.”***

Urim and Thummim are translated lights and perfections, which are characteristic of Yahweh's Holy Spirit and the spiritual family of Yahweh. Light represents Torah, and perfection represents righteousness, both encompassed by good judgment. Here in this passage these two elements are referenced to the breastplate of judgment.

What spirit or attitude do you carry upon your heart today? It is supposed to be Yahweh's Holy Spirit. Something spiritual is received by the obedient, repentant believer when we receive the Holy

Spirit given to us by Yahweh in Yahshua's Name following baptism. Do we make sound judgments and decisions? That is a question only you can answer.

Good judgment is related to the character of the descendants of Abraham. We should carefully consider what the Apostle Paul said in Galatians 3. Those who are the children of Abraham will emulate what we find recorded in Genesis 18:19. ***“For I have known him, to the end that he may command his children and his household after him, that they may keep the way of Yahweh, to do righteousness and justice; to the end that Yahweh may bring upon Abraham that which he has spoken of him.”*** Yahweh's blessing will not come upon people who do not practice righteousness and justice. Yahweh will bless those who are obedient to His Covenant Law.

I emphasized the statement on many occasions, *“Parents, you may imagine that your children are not responsible for themselves, since they are under your care and your faithfulness.”* In Ephesians 6:1-3, we read, ***“Children, obey your parents in Yahweh: for this is right. Honor your father and mother (which is the first commandment with promise), that it may be well with you, and you may live long on the earth.”*** If children do not heed the teaching and instructions of their parents, they will not get into the Kingdom of Yahweh. This is a serious consideration worthy of deep thought.

Do you understand what Paul has written in Ephesians chapter 6. He has expressed almost exactly what Yahweh said to Abraham in Genesis chapter 18. ***“For I have known him, to the end that he may command his children and his household after him, that they may keep the way of Yahweh, to do righteousness and justice; to the end that Yahweh may bring upon Abraham that which he has***

spoken of him.” (Genesis 18:19).

The parents are responsible for instructing their children, and the children are responsible for obeying their parents, or you will not get into Yahweh's Kingdom. If children obey the instructions of their parents, they will indeed enter into the Kingdom. It is required of the young people to obey the instructions of their parents and to assimilate the teaching of Yahweh's Commandments.

“And, you fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but nurture them in the chastening and admonition of Yahweh.”

The parents are required to mold this lump of clay Yahweh has given them. That is what the term *nurture* implies. Parents must nurture their children by chastening, instruction, and not only instruction, but discipline. Parents must discipline their children through strict control over their upbringing. The children are not going to learn unless you discipline them by clearly pointing out to them the instructions in the Kingdom-way of life. To *admonish* means *to strongly teach, warn, caution, and encourage*. It is up to the parents to maintain control over their children.

We should point out here that so many passages in the Scriptures bring together these two terms—righteousness and justice, judgment and righteousness. Therefore, the relationship between the Old Testament term *breastplate of judgment* and the *breastplate of righteousness* in the New Testament cannot be ignored. ***“Stand therefore, having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness....”*** (Ephesians 6:14). Justice will become righteousness.

There is a close relationship here. In ***The Sacred Scriptures, Bethel Edition***, we find in Genesis 18:19 that Abraham is required by Yahweh to command his children. Parents must exercise a strong measure of control in order to command.

You should have your household structured in a tight organization. The home must be a structured environment if it is to function as Yahweh intended. The father must maintain his position of superior authority, the mother under his authority, and the children following the authority of father and mother. Unless the household is organized, as Yahweh intended, it will break up into pieces and disintegrate. I have seen such as this happen, both when I was younger, and almost countless times since entering in the ministry. When no structure—or an unscriptural structure—in the home is maintained, the home eventually disintegrates.

The father must command, earn, and must receive, the respect his position demands from the mother and the children. The father is to guide and direct his household to keep the ways of Yahweh. Those ways of Yahweh indicate a faithful obedience to Yahweh's Covenant, adherence to His commandments and Laws—to do righteousness and justice. The **King James Version** translates the first word *righteousness* in Genesis 18:19. It is #6666 in the **Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible**, and is *tsedaqah*. The term means *rightness (abstr.)*; in other words, to do that which is right, *subj. (rectitude)*, which means *to make all things right, obj. (justice)*, which is to do all things right and correctly, *mor. (virtue)*. Moral virtue is not being widely taught anymore. William Bennett has published a book that we are using in Dalet School right now for our literature classes which teaches virtue.

What does *virtue* mean to you? The dictionary definition indicates that it means *general moral excellence, right action and thinking, goodness and morality*. A further definition of the term *tsedaqah* is *fig. (prosperity)*, which means you will have good times when you follow all of these various facets, aspects of the word *tsedaqah*. *Tsedoqah* is

derived from the root term #6663, *tsadaq*, meaning *to be (caust. make) right (in a moral or forensic sense)*.

In the Jewish fraternity, a notable righteous sage is afforded the distinction of being called a *tsadeq*. The rabbis have called the patriarch Joseph a *tsadeq*; however, he is never given that title in the Scriptures. I would like to offer the illustration that the sages of Judaism point out, found in Amos 2:6. ***“In this manner says Yahweh: For three transgressions of Israel, and, for four, I will not turn away the punishment of it; because they have sold the righteous for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes.”*** (Amos 2:6).

Israel here refers to the family of 12 brothers that were the family of Israel—Jacob. Who did those brothers sell for silver? The answer is provided in Genesis chapter 37, where the passage describes the sale of Joseph by Judah and his brothers for 20 pieces of silver. His brothers intended to kill Joseph, because they did not appreciate his reports of their evil conduct that Joseph brought to their father. Joseph honestly reported to Jacob, his father, that his brothers were not doing a good job with the family-owned flocks and herds. They intended to kill the messenger who carried an evil report, rather than straighten out their conduct so Joseph would not be required to bring bad reports back to their father.

When Joseph drew near to the herds being pastured at Dothan, the brothers conspired to kill him. Judah urges them, ***“...What profit is it if we kill our brother, and conceal his blood? Come, and let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and let not our hand be upon him; for he is our brother and our flesh....”*** (Genesis 37:26-27). Thereupon, they sold their brother Joseph into slavery to a passing company of Midianites for 20 pieces of silver.

What scriptural parallel can we

find here? We know that Judah Iscariot betrayed Yahshua the Messiah to the priesthood and the Temple guard for 30 pieces of silver. This price—similar to Joseph's value—was not coincidence. In the New Testament, it was another Judah who sold his spiritual brother, Yahshua, for those 30 pieces of silver. In Matthew chapter 26, the story can be found in verses 14-16. ***“What are you willing to give me, and I will deliver him to you?”*** Therefore, Judah Iscariot sold him (promised to betray his teacher Yahshua) for 30 pieces of silver according to the prophecy written by Zechariah in chapter 11.

Translated *judgment*, the Hebrew term *mishpat*, #4941, means *a verdict (favorable or unfavorable) pronounced judicially, espec. a sentence or formal decree (human or [partic.] [Yahweh's] law, individual or collect.), includ. the act, the place, the suit, the crime, and the penalty; abstr. justice, includ. a partic. right, or privilege, or even a style*. Righteousness and judgment are the correct way of translating the two terms as they are found in Genesis 18:19.

To indicate the direction this discussion is intended to take in the next segment of this series (because this segment will not complete our investigation of the two terms—*righteousness* and *judgment*, let us turn to Romans chapter 11, where we will begin reading with verse 28. ***“As touching the good tidings, they are enemies for your sake: but as touching the election, they are beloved for the fathers' sake. For the gifts and the calling of Yahweh are not repented of. For as you in times past were disobedient to Yahweh, but now have obtained mercy by their disobedience, even so have these also now been disobedient, that by the mercy shown to you they also may now obtain mercy. For Yahweh has shut up all to disobedience, that he might have***

mercy upon all." (Romans 11:28-32). Yahweh is righteous, and His judgments are pure and true and accurate. All of his human creation had proven to be disobedient, so He is giving a blanket pardon for sin to every person.

"Oh the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and the knowledge of Yahweh! How unsearchable are his Judgments, and his ways past tracing out! For who has known the mind of Yahweh? Or who has been his counselor? Or who has first given to him, and it shall be recompensed to him again? For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things. To him be the glory to the ages. Amen." (Romans 11:33-36).

Let us concentrate upon the promises made to a people who were disobedient to their Creator Yahweh. Yahweh gives mercy (grace) to the disobedient, providing that they will repent and change their character, their attitude, and their life; therefore, as Paul comments, Yahweh's judgments are unsearchable.

Yahshua the Messiah has explained this subject of repentance and the outpouring of the Comforter—the Holy Spirit—in John chapter 16. *"These things have I spoken to you, that you should not be caused to stumble. They shall put you out of the synagogues: yes, the hour comes, that whoever kills you shall think that he offers service to Elohim. And these things will they do, because they have not known the Father, nor me. But these things have I spoken to you, that when their hour has come, you may remember them, how that I told you. And these things I said not to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I go to him*

that sent me; and none of you asks me, Where are you going? But because I have spoken these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: It is expedient

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for you that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Comforter will not come to you; but if I go, I will send it to you. And it, when it has come, will convict the world in respect of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment...." (John 16:1-8).

The Comforter is the Holy Spirit of Yahweh, as Yahshua explains in John 14:26. *"But the Comforter, even the Holy Spirit, which the Father will send in my name, it shall teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I said to you."* The Holy Spirit comes in the Name of Yahshua. It is the spirit of remembrance for the True Worshiper to keep the Covenant Law.

What does that Holy Spirit do? It will convict the world because of sin. Does the Holy Spirit still actively convict you in your own mind and heart that you should never violate the least commandment of Yahweh's Covenant Law? It convicted us—that is why we are members of the Assemblies of Yahweh. I pray continually that Yahweh will soon send a spirit of conviction upon this sinful world, so that there may be a spiritual body of True Worshipers prepared

for Yahshua's Second Coming.

The Holy Spirit first of all convicts people of sin, which is a violation of Yahweh's Laws (1 John 3:4), and of righteousness (keeping the Law, as in Deuteronomy 6:25). The Holy

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We may certainly not neglect these definitions. *"And it shall be righteousness to us, if we observe to do all this commandment before Yahweh our Elohim, as he has commanded us."* (Deuteronomy 6:25).

We can turn to Psalm

119 and notice several definitions of righteousness which tell us that it means the keeping of Yahweh's Law. See verses 142, 144, 160, etc.

The Holy Spirit will convict the sinful people of this world to be righteous, obedient to Yahweh's Law. The Holy Spirit convicts the world of and through judgment. In the Assemblies of Yahweh, perhaps we do not regularly point out how sinful people will end up in the lake of fire (Gehenna), although we know this prophecy will be fulfilled. See Matthew 25:31-46 and Revelation 20. I cannot understand the thought process of people who just lightly commit sin. If someone commits sin, they are throwing away their salvation; not only that, but they will eventually end up in the lake of fire. Does such a thought terrify you? It does me! It puts the fear of Yahweh in me, especially if I recall that sin will lead to eternal destruction in the lake of fire. Sin will lead to eternal death, which means an absence of eternal life. Do you understand this?

Right now you are alive, and, when you are still young, most everyone does not consider the end of their life to be of great importance. I personally did not contemplate the

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end of my life with much apprehension. Now, here I am advancing into later life, and I have come to realize that my body has weaknesses, and, undoubtedly, those weaknesses will one day lead to my demise if Yahshua does not return in the meantime. If you think that you are going to live forever, wait a few years—or a few decades—and then you will learn from actual experience that your body is fallible and frail.

I know that the Holy Spirit has been poured out upon the Assemblies of Yahweh. We have received it after baptism qualifying to receive it. The Holy Spirit will convict the world of sin. **“And it, when it has come, will convict the world in respect of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: of sin, because they believe not on me....”** (John 16:8-9).

To reject Yahshua constitutes a serious act. This is what the anti-Messiah will do, however. Someone who believes in Yahshua will faithfully obey what He says (Matthew 5:17-20). **“...Of righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you behold me no more; 11 of judgment, because the prince**

of this world [Satan] has been judged.” (John 16:10-11).

The prince of this world has not as yet finally been destroyed. The sentence of judgment has not been carried out, but Yahweh has already judged this evil satanic being and his demonic hordes. You can read this prophecy in Ezekiel chapter 28. The judgment of Satan has taken place, the sentence just has not been carried out as yet. Satan has been sentenced to eternal death. **“... I have destroyed you, O covering cherub....”** (Ezekiel 28:16).

Whereas Satan has been judged, will you continue to cast your lot on Satan's side? If Satan has been sentenced to eternal death, will you continue to serve him and follow his evil conduct—disobeying and undermining Yahweh's authority and rejecting His Word?

“I have yet many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. However, when it, the Spirit of truth, has come, it shall guide you into all the truth: for it shall not speak from itself; but whatever things it shall hear, these it shall speak: and it shall declare to you the things that are to come.” (John 16:12-13). A major Holy Spirit characteristic is the spirit of remembrance. It will also show you what the future holds, because Yahweh's prophecies of the Bible are plain and complete.

“It shall glorify me: for it shall take of mine, and shall declare it unto you. All things whatever the Father has are mine: therefore said I, that he takes of mine, and shall declare it unto you.” (John 16:14-15). Do we understand, from this passage, that it speaks of convicting the world of SIN—the antithesis of RIGHTEOUSNESS—and of the JUDGMENT pronounced upon sin? If we comprehend the message of the Bible, then there should be some very dramatic changes resulting. Yahweh's True Worshipers, like Aaron, should have on our heart, like Aaron had, the necessity of

doing good at all times and a fear of overstepping the bounds of Yahweh's Covenant.

Periodically, we review the passage of 1 Peter 4:12-19, but does each one of us truly comprehend it? **“Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial among you, which comes upon you to prove you, as though a strange thing happened to you....”** Those fiery trials happened to our forefathers also. Most of those forefathers, the Israelites in the wilderness, fell into sin and were eventually rejected, denied entry into the Kingdom of Yahweh. They were not allowed to enter into the Promised Land.

“But insomuch as you are partakers of the Messiah's sufferings, rejoice; that at the revelation of his glory you may also rejoice with exceeding joy. If you are reproached for the name of the Messiah, you are blessed; because the glorious Spirit of Yahweh rests upon you.” Do you always maintain your fidelity to Yahweh's Covenant when you are out in the world? When our children go out in the world, do they stand tall in faithfulness, because they recognize themselves to be one of Yahweh's children? What comes to my mind if I am reproached for the Name of Yahweh and Yahshua? Do we think as did Yahshua, Stephen, and Paul: “Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do!”

“For let none of you suffer as a murderer, or a thief, or an evil-doer, or as a meddler in other men's matters....” Who among us would ever rise up against another and take his life? Who among us would rise up against someone else and steal from him? Who among us could ever deliberately violate Yahweh's Covenant Law—His righteous commandments? No converted True Worshiper would do these things!

“But if a man suffer as a despised believer, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify Yahweh in this [His true Hebrew]

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name.” In Acts 11:26, we discover the root of the term *despised believer*, where the root is obviously a Semitic term. We do not use the term *Christian*, since the Messiah’s title was *Messiah* in His native tongue. The unconverted people of Antioch called the True Worshipers this term in derision. The Semitic term would be *chere*, #2716 in **Strong’s Concordance**, where it is defined as *to evacuate the bowels, excrement*. This is why we translate it as a *despised believer*. Notice that Paul employs this identical thought in 1 Corinthians 4:9-13.

Are you ashamed of your Faith when a worldly person humiliates or persecutes you? Too frequently in the world, most people find it painful to rejoice when Yahshua the Messiah encourages us to leap for joy when we receive persecution. The world will certainly praise its own. Yahshua taught us what to do in His Sermon on the Mount. See Matthew 5:10-12, along with Luke 6:22-23.

“For the time has come for judgment to begin at the House of Elohim: and if it begin first at us, what shall be the end of them that do not obey the good tidings of Yahweh? And if the righteous is scarcely saved, where shall the lawless and sinner appear?”

All of us have hidden weaknesses to overcome, and if we, who try to do well, are going to scarcely be saved—meaning we will only barely enter into the Kingdom—where then will the lawless and sinner appear? The answer is they will go directly into the lake of fire. We do not want to end up in company with them. Remember, the strong preaching coming from Bethel (the House of Elohim) is meant to prepare a people for the Kingdom of Yahweh.

“Therefore let them also that suffer according to the will of Yahweh commit their souls in well-doing to a faithful Creator.” Yahweh will be faithful!

Turn now to Revelation chapter

19, which will reveal some of the direction intended by this series of articles. **“After these things I heard as it were a great voice of a great multitude in heaven, saying, HalleluYah, Salvation, and glory, and power, belong to our Elohim: for true and righteous are his judgments; for he has judged the great harlot, her that corrupted the earth with her fornication, and he has avenged the blood of his servants at her hand.”** (Revelation 19:1-2).

The multitude in heaven mentioned in this passage are not people, but a multitude of heavenly beings in heaven, whether angels, cherubim, or seraphim. Salvation, glory, and power belong to our Elohim, not to humans. Here again we find the term *judgment* is related to the term *righteous*. There are many instances in the Sacred Scriptures, as we shall see.

This worldly system, which is described as Babylon, is also called the great harlot woman. You can read about it in chapters 17 and 18. She is called “Babylon the Great, the Mother of Harlots and the Abominations of the Earth.” How close do you want to get to this system that is prophesied to be destroyed some day soon? The closer you adhere to it the more corruption you will pick up, and the less opportunity you will have of being in Yahweh’s Kingdom.

Do you realize how serious are the sins of fornication and adultery? Turn on the television today, and you can see all kinds of pornographic material almost on any evening. It not only appears on cable, for example. One Sunday night, we turned on one of the public television channels, and what did we see but blatant sex. We tend to agree with some of these new Republican congressmen who suggest we should do away with the public broadcasting network. It has obviously acquired the character of gross liberalism and supports immorality

Fornication saturates this entire

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worldly system. When blatant sexual acts appear openly in the media, the public will be desensitized to sin. The children get the idea that everyone acts like that, then they become copy cats. The thoughts are inserted right into their minds. They say to themselves, “Well, everyone in the world is doing it. I will act like they do.” Children do not yet understand that Yahweh will throw them right into the lake of fire if they practice sin.

“But for the fearful, and unbelieving, and abominable, and murderers, and fornicators, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, their part shall be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone; which is the second death.” (Revelation 21:8). If you distrust and do not follow the Word of Yahweh, you are an unbeliever. Who are those who are abominable to Yahweh (*to’evah laYahweh* in Hebrew)? Today, the world’s justice system seeks to avoid executing murderers. Criminals hope to live forever in the luxury of a prison. Do you see the term *fornication* in Revelation 21:8? Do you know what

it means? The term means *to engage in illicit sex*. To be a sorcerer means dabbling in drugs.

Idolatry can be hidden in the heart, as you can read from such places as Ezekiel 14:7, where the prophecy warns against taking idols into the heart. ***“For every one of the house of Israel, or of the strangers that sojourn in Israel, that separates himself from me, and takes his idols into his heart, and puts the stumblingblock of his iniquity before his face, and comes to the prophet to inquire for himself of me; I Yahweh will answer him by myself:....”***

What is an idol? ***“You shall have no other elohim before me.”*** (Exodus 20:3). Anything that you put before Yahweh, that is an idol. Yahweh views it exactly like that. ***“You shall not make for yourself a graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: you shall not bow down to them, or serve them; for I Yahweh your Elohim am a jealous El, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and the fourth generation of those that hate me, and showing mercy to thousands of them that love me and keep my commandments.”*** (Exodus 20:4-6). Idols can be invisible, taken into the heart.

The Santa Claus myth (or lie) and the Chr-stmas celebration is viewed as a serious offense by Almighty Yahweh. However, people think it is just something harmless for the children. All of the traditions saturating the Chr-stmas observance are a lie. The people in the world



who celebrate it will end up in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone. I would say that almost 100 percent of Chr-stianity today will end up in the lake of fire for espousing the Santa Claus lie. They must repent! It has been suggested that 75 percent of the people in the world today celebrate Chr-stmas. People do not perceive how serious these things are, because they are living too close to the world. Are you carefully reading Assemblies of Yahweh published literature, and am I getting through to you?

You have to separate yourself from all of this worldly idolatry. Nominal religion condemns me—Elder Jacob O. Meyer—for prohibiting the observance of Thanksgiving Day and for standing in the way of the children having a good time at Chr-stmas. They say to themselves,

“Well, the children are not baptized yet, so we will let them have their Chr-stmas.” Some of the Jews would condemn me, also, for criticizing their Hanukkah bushes and eight days of giving presents. We stand upon proven Truth.

Do we ever seriously think about this passage in Revelation 21:8? ***“...Their part shall be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone; which is the second death.”*** This is a serious statement! When we all shall stand in front of the final Judgment Seat, and Yahshua says to people who are too close to this worldly system, ***“Did you celebrate Xmas? Were you encouraging your worldly friends? Were you a part of celebrating the pagan traditions of the world?”*** If the answer is yes, then Yahshua will say, ***“I don’t think you will be allowed in the Kingdom. You will be thrown into the lake of fire.”***

In Revelation chapter 19, we will continue reading with verse 3. ***“And a second time they say, HalleluYah. And her smoke goes up to the ages of the ages. And the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and worshiped Yahweh that sits on the throne, saying, Amen; HalleluYah. And a voice came forth from the throne, saying, Give praise to our Elohim, all you his servants, you that fear him, the small and the great. And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunders, saying, HalleluYah: for Yahweh our Elohim, the Almighty, reigns. Let us rejoice and be very glad, and let us give the glory to him: for the marriage of the Lamb***

is come, and his wife has made herself ready. And it was given to her that she should array herself in fine linen, bright and pure: for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.” (Revelation 19:3-8).

Yahweh’s Word tells us that His righteous acts are manifested. Do we judge things as Yahweh would, or have we assimilated too much liberalism? Do we make decisions predicated on Yahweh’s laws—guided and directed by Yahweh’s Holy Spirit? The world of today must be rejected, and biblical principles must be restored, if anyone wishes to be called a True Worshiper.

Let us consider Romans chapter 8. *“There is therefore now no condemnation to them that are in the Messiah Yahshua. For the law of the Spirit of life in the Messiah Yahshua made me free from the law of sin and of death.”* (Romans 8:1-2). Do you want to pass by the Judgment Seat of Yahweh and enter into the Kingdom? Then you should want to be in the Messiah Yahshua.

At this time of year, we heavily emphasize the fact that Yahshua was not born on December 25. You can prove this and that He was born on the first day of the Feast of Tabernacles. Luke chapter 1, beginning with verse 5, shows us that very clearly. Have you read our thorough research on the winter holidays, titled **The Case Against Chr-stmas?** It is free for the asking, by writing to Assemblies of Yahweh, PO Box C, Bethel, PA 19507.

It is very obvious, when you start studying the Bible, that the Law of the Spirit of Life in Yahshua the Messiah means Yahweh’s Covenant—which gives life. Young people must make their personal decision the very same as the adults. If a child rebels against the wishes of his father and imagines that he is getting away with something, he actually is not. A person will surely not hide anything from Yahweh.

Yahweh’s angels are there watching, and they will report to Yahweh. Yahweh knows what kind of a person we are. He knows what happens in the darkness, which does not impair His perception. The eyes of Yahweh are everywhere, keeping watch over the good and evil. See Proverbs 15:3.

In Proverbs chapter 7, we learn that sin frequently takes place in the darkness; however, the darkness and light are the same with Yahweh. *“In the twilight, in the evening of the day, in the middle of the night and in the darkness.”* (Proverbs 7:9). Is this not when the sins of adultery and fornication generally take place, also theft and murder? Yes; nevertheless, the eyes of Yahweh are everywhere and the darkness and the light are all alike to Yahweh. *“If I say, Surely the darkness shall overwhelm me, and the light about me shall be night; even the darkness hides not from you, but the night shines as the day: the darkness and the light are both alike to you.”* (Psalm 139:11-12).

It is impossible to hide anything from the eyes of Yahweh. Therefore, the Law of the Spirit of Life in the Messiah is Yahweh’s Law. Continue reading in Romans chapter 8, with verse 2. *“For the law of the Spirit of life in the Messiah Yahshua made me free from the law of sin and of death.”* The Law of sin and death means following your own carnal inclination as a flesh and blood human being.

That is what that law of sin and death means. Following your own carnal lusts will take you away from the life that is in Yahweh. There is a stigma of weakness in human flesh that Yahweh has placed within every human being. Human beings without Yahweh’s Holy Spirit always tend to make the wrong decisions in life.

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flesh and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh....” Unless you really determine to obey Yahweh’s Law, a change will not become a reality in your life. The human mind cannot make a change just simply predicated on the Law. What did Yahweh do? He sent His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and,

for sin, condemned sin in the flesh. Yahshua showed the human family that with the power of Yahweh's Holy Spirit, a human being can live a satisfactory life of obedience to Yahweh—He condemned sin in the flesh. The life that is regulated by Torah (Law), is the manner of life pursued by the True Worshiper.

“That the ordinance of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.” The ordinance means that which the Law orders and commands. Which way are you walking?

“For they that are after the flesh mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit.” Those who mind the flesh will live in a manner designed to satisfy the fleshly urges. Those who mind the Spirit will try—with the power of Yahweh's Holy Spirit—to walk after the things of Yahweh and to be like Yahshua.

“For the mind of the flesh is death; but the mind of the Spirit is life and peace....” If you want to encounter all kinds of turmoil in your life, then follow the ways of the flesh. If you desire to have peace and life, good times and prosperity, then follow the ways of the Holy Spirit of Yahweh.

“Because the mind of the flesh is enmity against Yahweh; for it is not subject to the law of Yahweh, neither indeed can it be....” As we read in Jacob 4:4, the mind of the flesh is an enemy against Yahweh. The mind of the flesh will not subject itself to the authority of Yahweh's Law. What, then, does worldly christianity do? Rather than teach obedience and enforce the keeping of the Law, it tolerates all kinds of sin.

How did the Apostolic Assembly become so corrupted that eventually it became modern-day christianity?

The answer is that people did not sincerely love the preaching of the Sacred Scriptures. People merely wanted to do just as they please. This is where the admixture of doctrines taken from pagan religions originated. The doctrines include purgatory, indulgences, Sunday keeping, confessionals, etc. The people wanted a liberal doctrine. They did not approach the Bible

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straightforwardly and request, “Tell me what I have to do in order to be saved, and I will do it,” as we in the Assemblies of Yahweh have done.

The spirit set forth in the subject of the breastplate of judgment and righteousness depends upon making sound decisions predicated upon living by Yahweh's every Word. The overcomers—all who want to be a part of the Israel of Yahweh—as is expressed in Romans chapter 11, have the opportunity to be saved.

“And they that are in the flesh cannot please Yahweh. But you are not in the flesh but the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of Yahweh dwells in you. But if anyone does not have the Spirit of the Messiah, he is none of his.” (Romans 8:8-9). Are you trying to be like Yahweh, or are you simply joining hands with the world? The Scripture warns us to flee from wickedness—run away from it as fast as you can!

Did the Messiah commit fornication? No, He did not. Then why

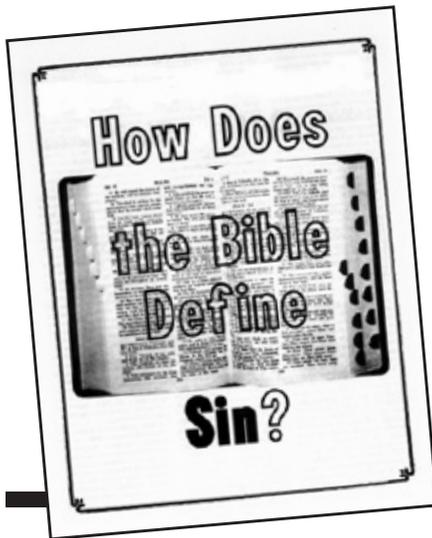
do people contemplate fornication? Is there a record that the Messiah murdered anyone, or mugged anyone? No, Yahshua was goodness personified. Unless that kind of a good spirit resides in your heart, you are not His.

“And if the Messiah is in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the spirit is life because of righteousness. But if the Spirit of him that raised up Yahshua from the dead dwells in you, he that raised up the Messiah Yahshua from the dead shall give life also to your mortal bodies through his Spirit that dwells in you.”

“So then, brethren, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live after the flesh: for if you live after the flesh, you must die; but if you put the deeds of the body to death by the Spirit, you shall live. For as many as are led by the Spirit of Yahweh, these are sons of Elohim. For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear; but you received the Spirit of adoption, by which we cry, Abba, Father.”

Yahweh's judgments must be upon the heart of the believers, just as Aaron's breastplate rested outwardly upon his heart. Yahweh's judgments and decisions, expressed in His law, must be resting internally upon the heart of the believers. We must internalize Yahweh's Law! This is what Jeremiah 31:31-34 instructs us, and that is the intention of the Scriptures all the way down through history. Those who merely present an outward appearance are going to fall victim to Laodiceanism eventually. We must internalize Yahweh's Word, and the Law must be indelibly written on our hearts.

Let us read from Revelation 19:11-16. ***“And I saw the heaven opened; and behold, a white horse, and he that sat on it***



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called Faithful and True; and in righteousness he judges and makes war." Here, the two terms under consideration appear again. Judgment and righteousness are clearly associated. Are you making these kind of decisions as Yahshua would? Are you really making the kind of decisions as Yahshua would? He is our example.

"And his eyes are a flame of fire, and on his head, many diadems; and he has a name which no one knows but he himself." Yahshua can look deeply inside of all of us. Everyone is responsible to be like Yahshua and rule yourself as He does. Make the good decisions! Judge righteously. Judge your life and life's experiences in harmony with Yahweh's Law. Make those crucial decisions in your life predicated on Yahweh's Covenant—on living as would Yahshua, our example.

"And he is arrayed in a garment dipped in blood: and His name is called the Word of Yahweh. And the armies which are in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and pure. And out of his mouth proceeds a sharp sword, that with it he should strike the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron...." Iron does not bend or break easily. Yahshua will rule this world with

an inflexible standard as of iron. We cannot make allowances as the world does, but we must be strong in the Faith, keeping the Word of Yahweh strictly.

"And he treads the winepress of the fierceness of the wrath of Yahweh, the Almighty. And he has on his garment and on his banner a name written, King of Kings, and Sovereign of Rulers."

In verse 19 of Revelation chapter 19, we continue to read, *"And I saw the beast, and the kings of the earth, and their armies, gathered together to make war against him that sat upon the horse, and against his army."* Obviously, this worldly system does not willingly accept Yahshua.

"And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet that worked the signs in his sight, by which he deceived them that had received the mark of the beast and them that worshiped his image: they two were cast alive into the lake of fire that burns with brimstone: and the rest were killed with the sword of him that sat upon the horse, even the sword which came forth out of his mouth: and all the birds were filled with their flesh."

This passage portrays Yahshua's final destruction of the wicked people of this earth when He returns. The breastplate of righteousness and

judgment symbolizes making good personal decisions predicated upon the righteousness of Yahweh's Laws with the direction of the power of Yahweh's Holy Spirit.

Do not allow this lesson to slip, because it is vitally important for the future of every member of the Assemblies of Yahweh and all people of good will. We must have Yahweh's good judgments and His righteousness, His Law, written on the receptive flesh of our heart, rather than on the stony places which cannot do anything to change you. As the Scriptures describe in Ezekiel 37 and Jeremiah 31:31-34, if we do not have Yahweh's judgments written on our heart, we will slip and fall, and we will never be allowed into Yahshua's Kingdom.

It is time that we comprehend how serious this subject is. The lie of the Santa Claus myth is not something humorous, or something to joke about in the world. Only sinners believe a lie.

Do not think that this worldly system is simply inconsequential and that you can play with the fire of their pagan traditions. You are actually and literally playing with fire when you follow the world. To follow the Lamb means life and prosperity and to be with Him in the glory of His Kingdom. May Yahweh bless you. SNB

PART THREE

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resurrection of the just.

Please note also that the preaching of this end-time warning message follows the manifestation of the 144,000. Contextual relationships would lead us to the conclusion that, from this group, will come the end-time warning. Also, compare Malachi 4:4-6.

Today, there is the voice of a messenger from Almighty Yahweh flying through the air. That radio signal is going forth powerfully and penetrating into a growing number of countries of the world. The voice of warning is heard in many different places where literature and other mediums of outreach cannot go. But now, Yahweh receives the glory all over the earth! Are you preparing yourself for the culmination of the age?

One of the most exciting factors about the shortwave radio signal is that Almighty Yahweh can push the signal anywhere He pleases! As one professor of communications told us, "Aim the antenna in the direction in which you want to broadcast and then the various heavenly phenomena will push the signal into different places. No one can control where the signal goes!" Truly the hand of Almighty Yahweh is at work with this radio signal. He will direct the signal, and His mighty power will also make the voice easy to be understood, as in

Apostolic days.

Have you heard Radio Station WMLK? If you haven't, why not try to pick up the signal in your area? The Assemblies of Yahweh shortwave radio station does not broadcast to the United States. But, since the station is situated within the United States, many people of the United States can hear it. When the author and his family made a trip to New England, he heard the broadcast, loud and clear, with his portable shortwave receiver in Bangor, Maine, and several other places along the way. People in Canada are hearing the broadcast, although Canada is not one of our primary target areas. We have heard the broadcast in several areas of the Caribbean. Our target areas, however, are Europe and the Middle East, but many other regions of the earth hear the WMLK transmission. We receive a lot of response from Australia, New Zealand, and other places.

If you are interested in this shortwave radio outreach of the Assemblies of Yahweh, why not write in for a shortwave listener's guide?

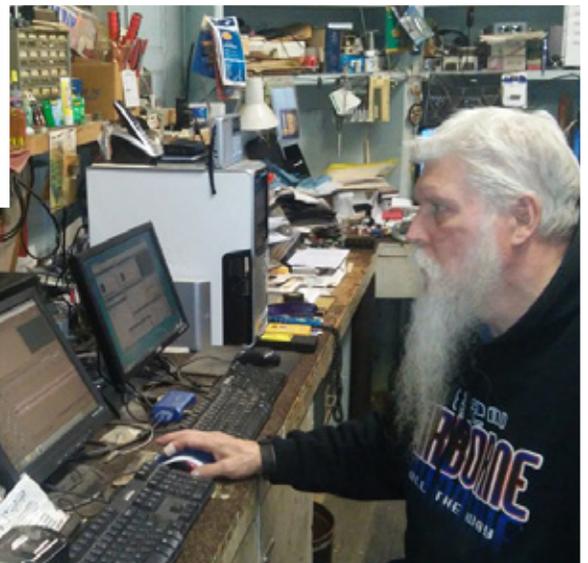
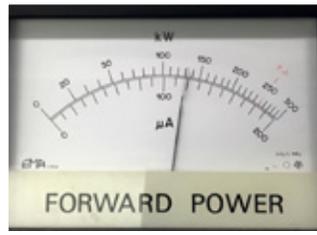
These booklets are free of charge for the asking.

In addition, we would be happy to answer any questions from the readers.

Again, we invite you to take a special, personal interest in the Assemblies of Yahweh outreach. Each day, various programs are heard. We transmit **The Sacred Name Broadcast** daily. A Sabbath sermon is aired. We broadcast "**The Open Door to the Living Word**" which is a Bible Study. Another regular feature is entitled "**World News and Commentary, With a Focus on Bible Prophecy.**" In addition, you will hear various renditions of music. After each broadcast segment, we believe you will be greatly inspired.

Almighty Yahweh has blessed the Assemblies of Yahweh outreach and we have received many blessings for which to thank Him. But we would like to have more people listen to the radio station and to be encouraged by the sound doctrines which are preached over the air each day. Will you join us by listening to your radio regularly?

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Above: Deacon Gary McAvin triggering the audio for the first full broadcast on the upgraded WMLK Shortwave Radio transmitter.

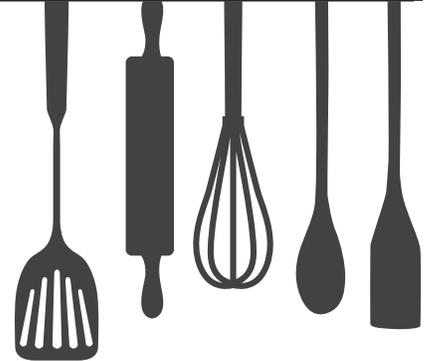


Left: Verifying the audio modulation.

Recipes

for the Days of Unleavened Bread

The Feast of Unleavened Bread is a very special time of year. During the holy days, our diet must be changed to fulfill all of the scriptural requirements of this Feast. We must eliminate all leavening (Hebrew—*se'or* and *chametz*, meaning *yeast*, *barm*, *to swell up* or *corrupt*) from our everyday lives. This includes all food sources and all products we use in our homes and on our bodies such as deodorants, toothpaste, vitamins, soap, beer, sodas, even dog food, etc. These are our dwellings, and no leavening agent may be seen in all our quarters (Exodus 12:15-19). Grain alcohol (sometimes used in extracts like vanilla) and distilled vinegar are also prohibited.



Passover Bread

3 pints milk
1 pound butter
flour

Using a food processor, mix milk and butter, then add as much flour as needed to give it a body similar to pie dough. Divide into four parts and work each until it blisters; then roll out to the thickness of pie dough. Cut into 2" x 4" pieces. Score or prick with fork (like a pie shell). Bake at 350°F until lightly browned at the edges.



These leavening agents appear under such names as yeast (*both baker's and brewer's*), baking powder, baking soda (*sodium bicarbonate*), sourdough, barm (*yeast*), cream of tartar, or other names.

These ingredients can possibly emerge in such things as soap powder used for detergent, soup (*canned, dry, or bouillon*), angel food cake, table salt, vitamins, bread, crackers, cookies, cakes, soda pop, beer, and so on. This list is large, but it is important that we as True Worshipers get **ALL** the leavening out (Exodus 12:15, 19 and Deuteronomy 16:4). Don't forget the crumbs in the toaster or the vacuum cleaner bag (*after all the clean-up*)! Be sure to read every label on all product containers in your home.

All these things have to be removed from your quarters (*property*). See Exodus 13:7 and 1 Corinthians 5:8—you cannot save them for later use. Remember to start early, checking all ingredients on every purchase that you make, and every item in your house. (Why not be a year-round label reader so that you can obey Yahweh's dietary Laws?)

To make the Feast of Unleavened Bread a special time, the following recipes are included in this publication. **Joyous eating!**

Wheat Crackers

1 3/4 cup whole wheat flour
1 1/2 cup white flour
1/3 cup oil
3/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup water

In large mixing bowl, combine the flours and thoroughly mix. In a separate bowl, blend the oil, salt, and water. Add liquid mixture to dry, mixing well but as little as possible. Roll as thin as possible on unoled cookie sheet—not more than 1/8" thick. Mark with knife for size crackers desired, but do not cut through. Prick each cracker a few times with fork. Sprinkle lightly with salt or onion salt, if desired. Bake at 350°F until crisp and light brown, about 30 minutes. When cool, separate into individual crackers.

Pierogies are traditionally served with an Italian tomato sauce, but are also good sauteed with butter and onion and served as a side dish. You can also add a few leaves of spinach or other chopped vegetables for a tasty stirfry.

Pierogies

2 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 egg

2 teaspoons oil
3/4 c. warm water

Filling for pierogies, such as mashed potatoes, cheese, etc. (Filling should be thick enough to hold shape.)

Mix flour and salt. Add egg, oil and water to make medium soft dough. Knead dough on floured surface until smooth. Divide into 2 parts. Cover, let rest for 10 minutes. Roll dough quite thin on a floured board. Cut rounds with large cookie cutter. Place filling in round and fold over. Press edges. Place pierogies on floured board; cover with tea towel to prevent drying out. Drop a few pierogies into boiling salted water, stirring very gently. Boil 3-4 minutes, when puffed up, they are done. Pan fry or deep fry when ready to eat.

Dutch Chicken Pot Pie

Boil a whole chicken with salt, pepper, poultry seasonings. Remove from stock when fully cooked, shred when cooled. Add to stock 1 large onion chopped, 3-4 chopped carrots, 4 potatoes, peeled and cubed in 1" cubes, and pot pie noodles (recipe to follow). Cook about 20-30 minutes until potatoes are done. Add shredded chicken back to stock. Serve.

Pot Pie Dough:

3 cups flour
1 stick butter
salt

Work with fingers till crumbly, then add 3 eggs.
Knead, roll thin, and cut into squares.

Recipe Suggestion!

For a delicious ranch-style dressing, use one cup of mayonnaise and add 1/2 cup buttermilk, 2 tablespoons chopped chives, 2 tablespoons chopped parsley and salt and pepper to taste.

Fruit juices, such as pineapple and orange, can be used as salad dressing by adding a little olive oil, nutmeg, honey, and other spices as desired.

Taco Soup

15 oz. each canned pinto beans, kidney beans, black beans
14 1/2 oz. canned tomatoes
15 1/4 oz. canned yellow corn
28 oz. canned crushed tomatoes
16 oz. uncooked ground beef
1 cup uncooked onion(s)
1 1/4 oz. taco seasoning (without yeast as an ingredient)
7 oz. canned green chili peppers

Cook the ground beef in a large pot. Add chopped onions half way through. Drain fat from ground beef, add the taco seasoning. Add beans (all of them), after draining off water. Add tomatoes, yellow corn, crushed tomatoes, and chili peppers. Add water to desired consistency. Stir, simmer for 10-15 minutes.

Lebanon Bologna

3 pounds ground chuck (80% lean)
3 Tablespoons Morton's Tender Quick Curing Salt
1 Cup water
¼ teaspoon garlic powder
½ teaspoon onion powder
1 ½ teaspoons Liquid Smoke

Combine all ingredients and mix well. Roll into two logs. Wrap in plastic wrap and put in refrigerator for 24 hours. Remove plastic wrap and place logs on greased pan. Bake for ½ hour at 300 degrees Fahrenheit and then 2 ½ hours at 200 degrees Fahrenheit. Allow to cool; store in refrigerator. Slice with sharp knife to desired thickness.

***“Therefore
let us keep the
Feast, not with
old leaven, neither
with the leaven of
malice and wickedness,
but with
the unleavened
bread of sincerity
and truth.”***

(1 Corinthians 5:8)

Corn Meal Mush

***Corn meal mush is
delicious served as a
savory side dish for
entrees such as corned
beef and cabbage, or
served for breakfast
with fruit, cream, and
syrup like pancakes.***

1 T. salt
2 c. cornmeal
2 c. cold water
4 c. boiling water

Add cornmeal and mix with cold water. Slowly stir this into the boiling water. Cook on low heat for 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Serve with sugar and milk or pour into loaf pan to cool. Slice ½” slices, dip in flour, and fry until crisp. Serve with molasses, syrup, or ketchup.

Butter Pie Crust

1 ¼ cups all-purpose flour
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup butter, chilled and diced
¼ cup ice water

(Original recipe makes 1 single crust pie)
In a large bowl, combine flour and salt. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Stir in water, a tablespoon at a time, until mixture forms a ball. Wrap in plastic and refrigerate for 4 hours or overnight. Roll dough out to fit a 9 inch pie plate. Place crust in pie plate. Press the dough evenly into the bottom and sides of the pie plate.

***Fill this delicious pie
crust with fresh fruit filling
for a delicious treat.
You can use this for
most custard pie recipes
also.***

If you don't have light corn syrup on hand for this recipe, use 2 cups sugar, 3/4 cup water, and a dash of salt.

Combine in a heavy pan and bring to a boil.

Reduce heat and simmer until soft-ball stage, 238°-240° degrees. Cook for another minute, then cool. Store in covered jar at room temperature. Will keep for 2 months.

Tomato Catsup

3 1/2 c. tomato sauce
1/4 teaspoon celery seed
4 tablespoons sugar
1 3/4 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons + 1 teaspoon lemon juice

1/2 teaspoon onion powder
pinch of pepper
5 tablespoons light corn syrup
5 tablespoons apple cider vinegar

Mix sauce, celery seed, sugar, salt, onion powder, and pepper in food processor and blend until perfectly smooth. Pour into a heavy, non-aluminum pot. Bring to a boil; cook uncovered for about 25-30 minutes, stirring frequently. Remove from heat when thickened (it should be a bit thicker than you want your finished catsup to be). Cool the sauce quickly by immersing the pot in a sink of cold water. When cool, stir in the corn syrup, vinegar, and lemon juice until blended. Store refrigerated for up to six months.

Mayonnaise

1 egg
1/2 teaspoon each dry mustard, sugar, salt
2 tablespoons apple cider vinegar
1 cup vegetable oil
dash of cayenne pepper

Put eggs, seasoning, vinegar, and 1/4 cup of oil into blender. Cover and process at blend. Immediately drizzle remaining oil in a steady stream while blending at medium speed. (If necessary, stop the blender and use a rubber spatula to keep mixture around processing blades. Cover and continue to process.) Mixture will thicken. Store covered in the refrigerator for up to one week. Makes about 1 1/4 cups.

When preparing recipes that contain vinegar, be certain that the vinegar is approved for use during the Feast of Unleavened Bread. Apple cider vinegar is acceptable, but distilled vinegar is not.

Fruit juices, such as pineapple and orange, can be used as salad dressing by adding a little olive oil, nutmeg, honey, and other spices as desired.

Mustard

1/4 cup dry mustard powder
2 teaspoons water
2/3 cup water
1/3 cup apple cider vinegar
1/4 cup sugar
3 tablespoons cornstarch
1/2 teaspoon salt

Mix mustard and 2 teaspoons of water together. Set aside. In saucepan, mix remaining ingredients. Cook over low heat about three minutes until thick, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in mustard mixture until smooth. Cover and refrigerate. Makes 1 cup. (The Assemblies of Yahweh does not follow the Ashkenazic regimen that prohibits mustard at Passover.)

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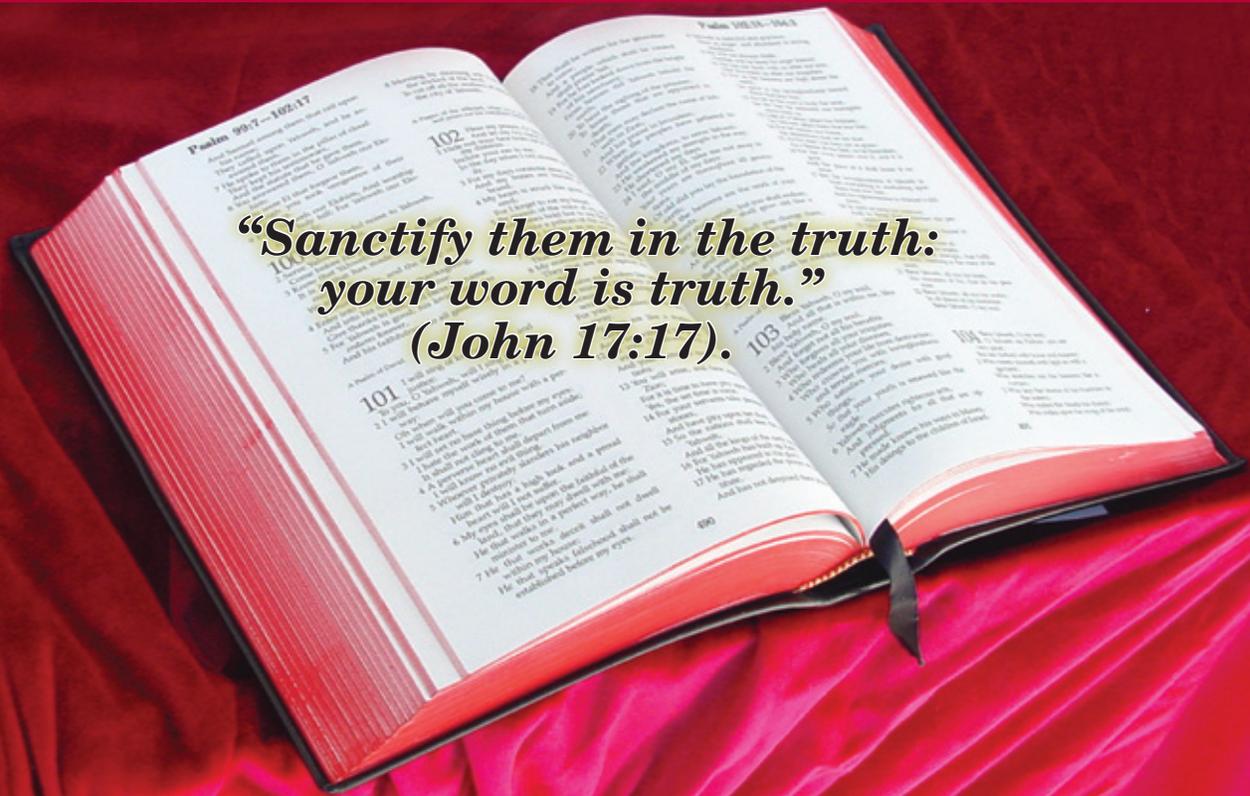
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