

MANY BELIEVE IN THE PRE-EXISTENCE OF YAHSHUA - WHY?

Why do people believe that Yahshua pre-existed? What is the real reason? The answer is, pre-existence is a tradition of our fathers.

In early times the Roman Catholic Church accepted the doctrine of the Trinity, which is a tenant of all pagan religions. The pre-existence of Yahshua is an integral part of the doctrine of the Trinity. Without the pre-existence of Yahshua, there can be no Trinity.

In the 15th and 16th centuries, when many people broke away from the Roman Catholic Church to form the Protestant movement, protests were made against many doctrines of the "Ancient Church". However, the doctrine of the Trinity was not included in these protests. The majority of Protestants made no changes in this pernicious doctrine.

True, a small minority of Protestants realized the fallacy of the Trinity doctrine, which calls for "God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit". What happened when a minority of Protestants refused the Trinity? Instead of dropping the pagan doctrine in its entirety, they dropped only one third of it and retained two thirds. "God the Holy Spirit" was dropped from the "godhead", leaving two deities instead of three; "God the Father, and God the Son", a Twinity, rather than a Trinity*.

WEBMASTER COMMENT: Note that the concepts of "God the Son" and "God the Holy Spirit" are not taught in Scripture.

Parallel to this was the Zoroastrian religion which has endured since ancient times. It consists of a Duality of deities - a Twinity; another deterrent in accepting the Biblical truth: faith in the ONE (o-n-e) true Deity, Yahweh.

Plato and other Greeks held the view that the SON of the true god is the divine governor, and is the ORIGIN of all things present and future (Encyc. Judaica, article: Logos). Does this sound familiar? It surely does. Contrary to Scripture as

originally given, many Bible readers hold this view today concerning Yahshua of Nazareth. Yahshua the son of Yahweh, is honored as the Creator.

Just as the Greeks and other Gentile converts retain pagan holidays such as Christmas, Easter, Halloween, May Day; the immortality of the soul, and the Trinity; they also retain their belief that the SON of the Supreme Being was the actual creator of the universe. Only one step further brought them to the analogy of identifying Yahshua as that Son who created all things.

Most Biblical scholars held these views even before they began translating the Scriptures into the English language, so it was only natural that the Greek view would, to some extent, manifest itself in our English translations. Examples of this are John 1:10; Eph 3:9; Col. 1:15-18; Heb. 1:2.

Brethren, let us drop the false traditions of our Fathers, and accept Biblical Truth.

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