

*Set Free*  
*Galatians*



*God Promises ... the  
Promised One!  
- Galatians 3:15-25 -*



## The promises were spoken to Abraham

- Genesis 12:7, 13:15, 24:7 – “To your descendants I will give”
- “Abraham **BELIEVED** GOD” – 3:6 (Faith 21x, Law 32x)
- Those who are of faith who are sons of Abraham. (Ishmael)

Gen.12:1-3  
13:15-17  
15:1-3, 18  
17:6-8  
22:16-18  
26:3-4  
28:13-14

The descendants are actually the people of belief/faith! Like Rahab and Bathsheba and Ruth!

[Gal 3:6 NASB20] 6 Just as Abraham BELIEVED GOD, AND IT WAS CREDITED TO HIM AS RIGHTEOUSNESS.

[Gal 3:7 NASB20] 7 Therefore, recognize that it is those who are of faith who are sons of Abraham.

[Gal 3:8 NASB20] 8 The Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles **by faith, preached the gospel beforehand to Abraham**, [saying,] "ALL THE NATIONS WILL BE BLESSED IN YOU."

[Gal 3:9-10 NASB20] 9 So then, those who are of faith are blessed with Abraham, the believer.

10 For all who are of works of the Law are under a curse; for it is written: "**CURSED IS EVERYONE WHO DOES NOT ABIDE BY ALL THE THINGS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF THE LAW, TO DO THEM.**"

**Christ** (38x/33v) - [Gal 1:1](#), [3](#), [6](#), [7](#), [10](#), [12](#), [22](#), [2:4](#), [16](#) (3x), [Gal 2:17](#)(2x), [Gal 2:20](#) (2x), 21, 3:1, 13, 14, 16, 22, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 4:14, 19, 5:1, 2, 4, 6, 24, 6:2, 12, 14, 18 (Note that Christ is found in the first and last verse of Galatians! Indeed, He is the Alpha and the Omega, the All in All, Everything we need for life and godliness. Amen).

▪ **Grace** (7x/7v) - [Gal 1:3](#), [6](#), [15](#), [2:9](#), [21](#), [5:4](#), [6:18](#)

▪ **Law** (32x/25v) - [Gal 2:16](#) (3x), [Gal 2:19](#) (2x), [Gal 2:21](#), [3:2](#), [3:5](#), [10](#) (2x), [Gal](#)

[3:11](#), [12](#), [13](#), [17](#), [18](#), [19](#), [21](#) (3x), [Gal 3:23](#), [24](#), [4:4](#), [5](#), [21](#) (2x), [Gal 5:3](#), [4](#), [14](#), [18](#), [23](#), [6:2](#), [13](#)

- **Gospel** (11x/11v) - [Gal 1:6](#), [7](#), [8](#), [9](#), [11](#), [2::2](#), [5](#), [7](#), [14](#), [3:8](#), [4:13](#),
- **Faith** (21x/19v) [Gal 1:23](#), [2:16](#) (2x), [Gal 2:20](#), [3:2](#), [5](#), [7](#), [8](#), [9](#), [11](#), [12](#), [14](#), [22](#), [23](#) (2x), [Gal 3:24](#), [25](#), [26](#), [5:5](#), [6](#), [6:10](#)
- **Believe** (4x/4v) [Gal 2:16](#), [3:6](#), [9](#), [22](#)
- **Promise** (11x/10v) - [Gal 3:14](#), [16](#), [17](#), [18](#) (2x), [Gal 3:19](#), [21](#), [22](#), [29](#), [4:23](#), [28](#)
- **Justified** (8x/6v) [Gal 2:16](#) (3x), [Gal 2:17](#), [3:8](#), [11](#), [24](#), [5:4](#)
- **Spirit** (18x/18v - 16 refer to Holy Spirit) [Gal 3:2](#), [3](#), [5](#), [14](#), [4:6](#), [29](#), [5:5](#), [16](#), [17](#), [18](#), [22](#), [25](#), [6:1](#) (not Holy Spirit), [Gal 6:8](#), [6:18](#) (not Holy Spirit)
- **Flesh** (16x/14v) - [Gal 1:16](#), [2:16](#), [2:20](#), [3:3](#), [4:23](#), [29](#), [5:13](#), [16](#), [17](#), [19](#), [24](#), [6:8](#), [6:12](#), [6:13](#) (**Note:** Some uses refer to physical flesh, others to our fallen, "anti-God" nature inherited from Adam)
- **Circumcision/circumcised** (13x/12v) - [Gal 2:3](#), [7](#), [8](#), [9](#), [12](#), [5:1](#), [3](#), [6](#), [11](#), [6:12](#), [13](#) (2x), [Gal 6:15](#)
- **Bondage** (8x/7v) - [Gal 1:10](#), [2:4](#), [4:3](#), [22](#), [23](#), [30](#), [31](#)

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[Gen 12:3 NASB20] 3 And I will bless those who bless you, And the one who curses you I will curse. And in you all the families of the earth will be blessed."

[Gen 18:18 NASB20] 18 since Abraham will certainly become a great and mighty nation, and in him all the nations of the earth will be blessed?

[Gen 22:18 NASB20] 18 "And in your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed, because you have obeyed My voice."

[Gen 26:4 NASB20] 4 "I will multiply your descendants as the stars of heaven, and will give your descendants all these lands; and by your descendants all the nations of the earth shall be blessed,

[Gen 28:14 "Your descendants will also be like the dust of the earth, and you will spread out to the west and to the east, and to the north and to the south; and in you and in your descendants shall all the families of the earth be blessed.

[Gen 49:10 NASB20] 10 "The scepter will not depart from Judah, Nor the ruler's staff from between his feet, Until Shiloh comes, And to him [shall be] the obedience of the

peoples.

[Luk 2:32 NASB20] 32 **A light for revelation for the Gentiles**, And the glory of Your people Israel."

[Act 13:47 NASB20] 47 "For so the Lord has commanded us; **I HAVE APPOINTED YOU AS A LIGHT TO THE GENTILES, THAT YOU MAY BRING SALVATION TO THE END OF THE EARTH.**"

[Act 26:23 NASB20] 23 **[as to] whether the Christ was to suffer, [and] whether, as first from the resurrection of the dead, He would proclaim light both to the [Jewish] people and to the Gentiles.**"

[Heb 4:2 NASB20] 2 **For indeed we have had good news preached to us, just as they also [did;] but the word they heard did not benefit them, because they were not united with those who listened with faith.**

[Isa 9:2 NASB20] 2 The people who walk in darkness Will see a great light; Those who live in a dark land, The light will shine on them.

[Isa 42:6 NASB20] 6 "I am the LORD, I have called You in righteousness, I will also hold You by the hand and watch over You, And I will appoint You as a covenant to the people, As a light to the nations,

[Isa 49:6 He says, "It is too small a thing that You should be My Servant To raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the protected ones of Israel; I will also make You a light of the nations So that My salvation may reach to the end of the earth."

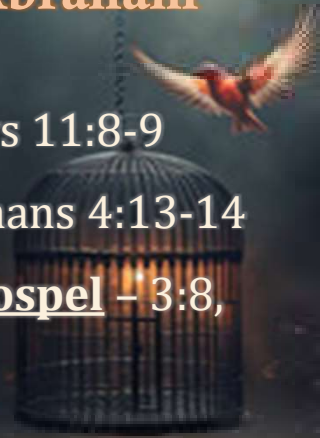
[Isa 60:1-3 NASB20] 1 "Arise, shine; for your light has come, And the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. 2 "For behold, darkness will cover the earth And deep darkness the peoples; But the LORD will rise upon you And His glory will appear upon you. 3 "Nations will come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.

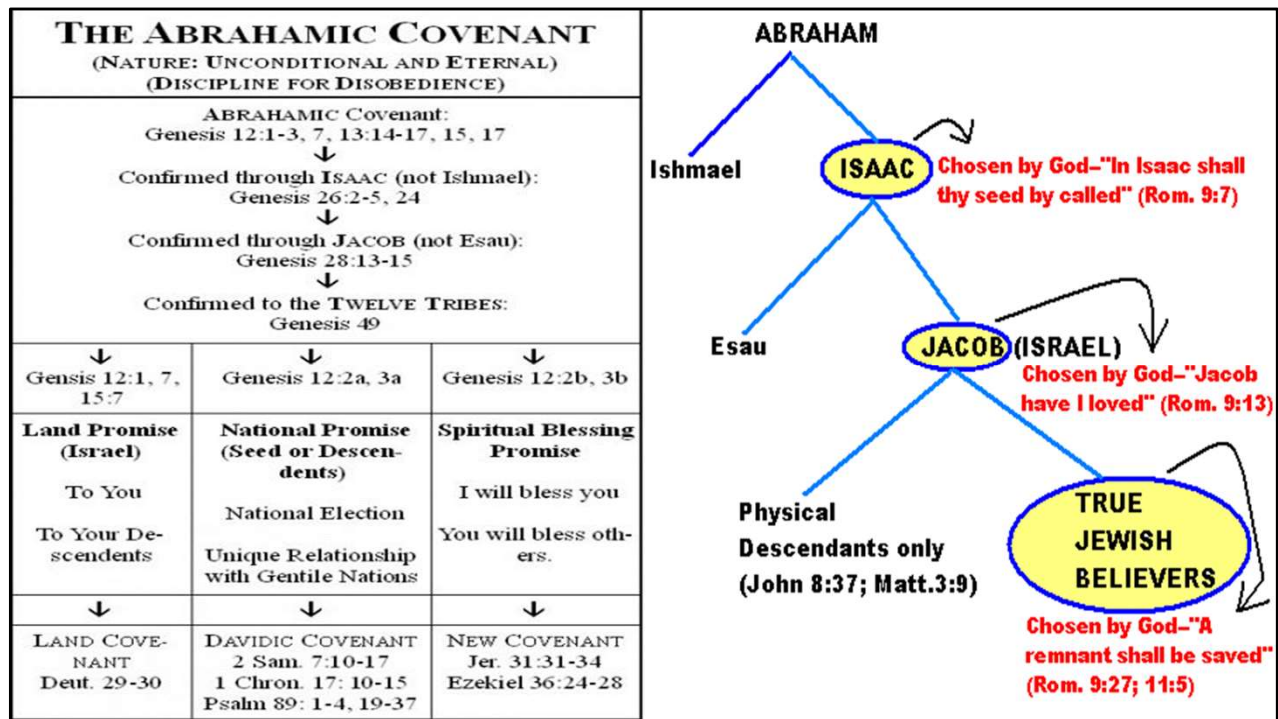
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[Act 13:47-48 NASB20] 47 "For so the Lord has commanded us; **I HAVE APPOINTED YOU AS A LIGHT TO THE GENTILES, THAT YOU MAY BRING SALVATION TO THE END OF THE EARTH.**" 48 When the Gentiles heard this, they [began] rejoicing and glorifying the word of the Lord; and all who had been appointed to eternal life believed.

## The promises were spoken to Abraham

- “Abraham, the believer.” – 3:9, Hebrews 11:8-9
- 430 years before the Law! – 3:17, Romans 4:13-14
- Bless/blessed, Promises/Promise, Gospel – 3:8, Hebrews 4:2





In Abraham we see a picture

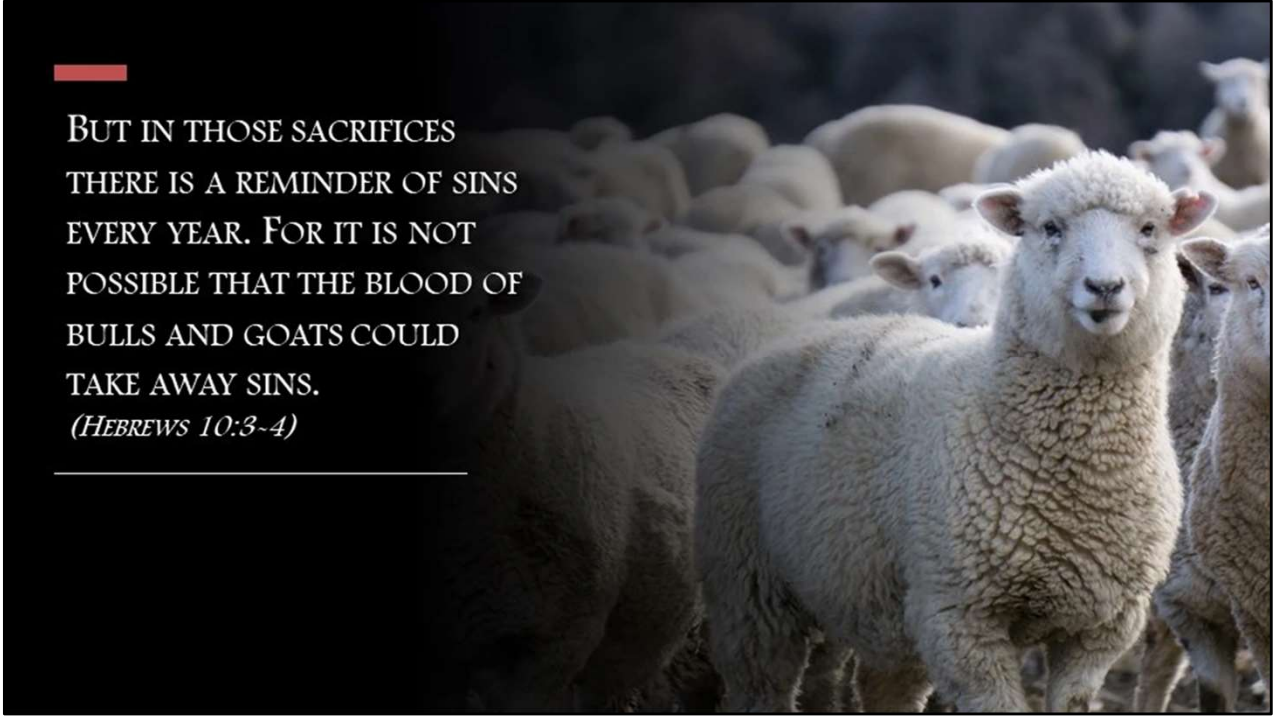
3 Miracle Births to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob!

3 Counterfeit "children of the flesh" **Ishmael**, **Esau** also 12 sons, and fathers of Arabs and Muslims today, **The remnant**

Seed and Seeds/Descendants

[Rom 4:13-18 NASB20] 13 For **the promise to Abraham or to his descendants that he would be heir of the world was not through the Law, but through the righteousness of faith.** 14 For **if those who are of the Law are heirs, then faith is made void and the promise is nullified;** 15 for the Law brings about wrath, but where there is no law, there also is no violation. 16 For this reason [it is] by faith, in order that [it may be] in accordance with grace, **so that the promise will be guaranteed to all the descendants, not only to those who are of the Law, but also to those who are of the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, 17 (as it is written: "I HAVE MADE YOU A FATHER OF MANY NATIONS")** in the presence of Him whom he believed, [that is,] God, who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that do not exist. 18 In hope against hope he believed, **so that he might become a father of many nations according to that which had been spoken, "SO SHALL YOUR DESCENDANTS BE."**





BUT IN THOSE SACRIFICES  
THERE IS A REMINDER OF SINS  
EVERY YEAR. FOR IT IS NOT  
POSSIBLE THAT THE BLOOD OF  
BULLS AND GOATS COULD  
TAKE AWAY SINS.  
*(HEBREWS 10:3-4)*

**The Law came 430 yrs after! And they couldn't keep it, even in the wilderness!!**

**[Exo 12:40-41 NASB20] 40 Now the time that the sons of Israel had lived in Egypt was 430 years. 41 And at the end of 430 years, on this very day, all the multitudes of the LORD departed from the land of Egypt.**

**AND YET the Law required Sacrifices!!!! Bloody Sacrifices! Many of them!! Until after Jesus the lamb of God came, the Temple and animal sacrifices ceased!!!!**

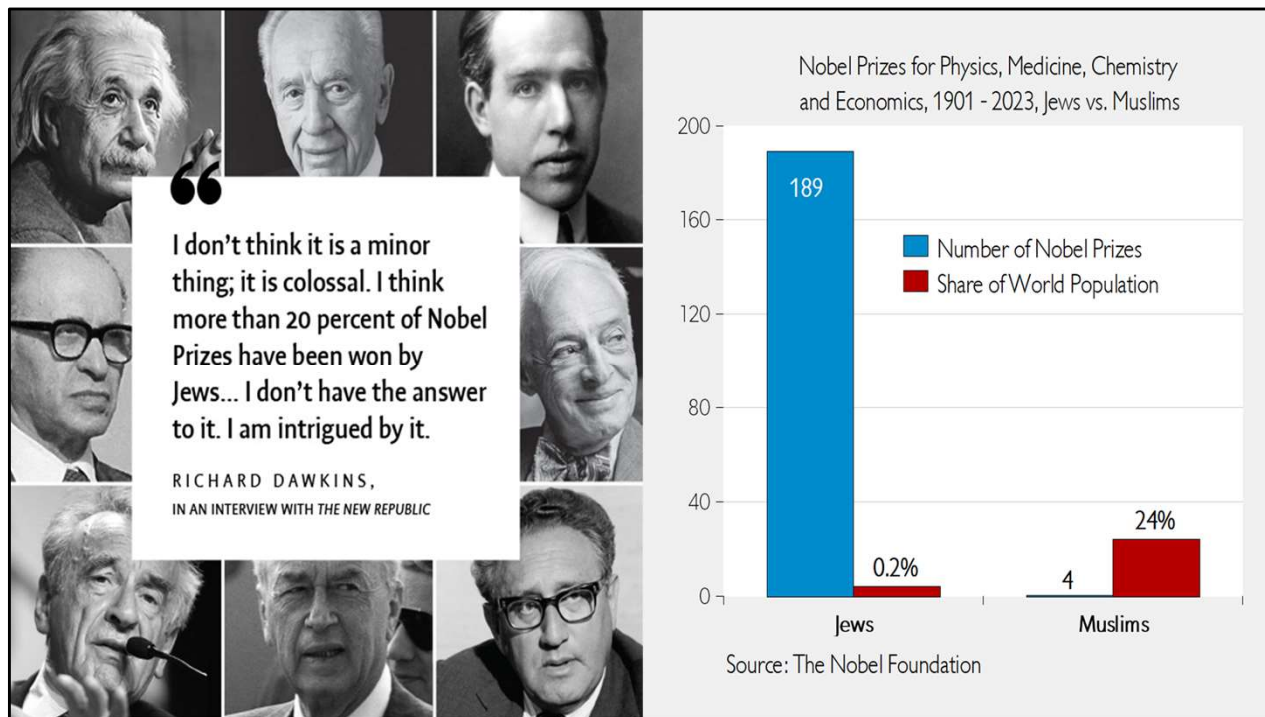
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[Jos 3:1-4 NASB20] 1 Then Joshua got up early in the morning; and he and all the sons of Israel set out from Shittim and came to the Jordan, and they spent the night there before they crossed. 2 Then at the end of three days the officers went through the midst of the camp; 3 and they commanded the people, saying, "When you see the ark of the covenant of the LORD your God with the Levitical priests carrying it, then you shall set out from your place and go after it. 4 "However, there shall be a distance between you and it of about two thousand cubits by measurement. Do not come near it, so that you may know the way by which you shall go, for you have not passed this way before."

[Jos 5:1-2, 4-15 NASB20] 1 Now it came about when all the kings of the Amorites who [were] beyond the Jordan to the west, and all the kings of the Canaanites who [were] by the sea, heard how the LORD had dried up the waters of the Jordan before the sons of Israel until they had crossed, that their hearts melted, and there was no spirit in them any longer because of the sons of Israel. 2 At that time the LORD said to Joshua, "Make for yourself flint knives and circumcise again the sons of Israel the second



time." ... 4 This is the reason why Joshua circumcised them: all the people who came out of Egypt who were males, all the men of war, died in the wilderness along the way after they came out of Egypt. 5 For all the people who came out were circumcised, but all the people who were born in the wilderness along the way as they came out of Egypt had not been circumcised. 6 For the sons of Israel walked forty years in the wilderness, until all the nation, [that is,] the men of war who came out of Egypt, perished because they did not listen to the voice of the LORD, to whom the LORD had sworn that He would not let them see the land which the LORD had sworn to their fathers to give us, a land flowing with milk and honey. 7 So their children whom He raised up in their place, Joshua circumcised; for they were uncircumcised, because they had not circumcised them along the way. 8 Now when they had finished circumcising all the nation, they remained in their places in the camp until they recovered. 9 Then the LORD said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away the shame of Egypt from you." So the name of that place is called Gilgal to this day. 10 While the sons of Israel camped at Gilgal they celebrated the Passover on the evening of the fourteenth day of the month on the desert plains of Jericho. 11 Then on the day after the Passover, on that very day, they ate some of the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and roasted [grain.] 12 And the manna ceased on the day after they had eaten some of the produce of the land, so that the sons of Israel no longer had manna, but they ate some of the yield of the land of Canaan during that year. 13 Now it came about when Joshua was by Jericho, he raised his eyes and looked, and behold, a man was standing opposite him with his sword drawn in his hand, and Joshua went to him and said to him, "Are you for us or for our enemies?" 14 He said, "No; rather I have come now [as] captain of the army of the LORD." And Joshua fell on his face to the ground, and bowed down, and said to him, "What has my lord to say to his servant?" 15 And the captain of the LORD'S army said to Joshua, "Remove your sandals from your feet, for the place where you are standing is holy." And Joshua did so.



Nobel Prizes in Physics, Medicine, Chemistry & Economics. **There are 120X more Muslims (24%) than Jews (0.20%), but Jews have won 47X more of these Nobel prizes (189) v. Muslims (4). We should be grateful for the outsized contributions of Jews.**

<https://bje.org.au/knowledge-centre/jewish-people/famous/atom-bomb/>

These refugees played key roles in the Project's success, including Hans Bethe, Leo Szilard, and Joseph Rotblat. J. Robert Oppenheimer, a young American Jew

<https://www.jpost.com/opinion/article-754343>

the Los Alamos lab, with the T-division, the theoretical division, being the most important. **Of the 86 members in this division, 18 were Jewish—almost 21%. Even more impressive, of the eight groups in 1945, five were led by Jewish scientists** such as Richard Feynman, Hans Bethe, and John von Neumann. **Although Jews only constituted around .05% of the US population at the time, they made up a significant portion of the scientists at Los Alamos National Laboratory.**

<https://www.intermountainhistories.org/items/show/753>

**Doctors are seven times more likely to be Jewish (14.1 percent vs. 1.9 percent)**

[https://chronicle.uchicago.edu/050714/doctorsfaith.shtml#:~:text=Doctors%20are%20seven%20times%20more,be%20Muslim%20\(2.7%20percent%20vs.](https://chronicle.uchicago.edu/050714/doctorsfaith.shtml#:~:text=Doctors%20are%20seven%20times%20more,be%20Muslim%20(2.7%20percent%20vs.)

**And while evangelical Protestants make up more than a fourth of the general population (28%), they make up only a small slice (4%) of the scientific community. One notable**

**exception is Jews, who make up a larger proportion of the scientific community (8%) than the general population (2%).Nov 5, 2009**

[https://www.pewresearch.org/religion/2009/11/05/scientists-and-belief/#:~:text=And%20while%20evangelical%20Protestants%20make,the%20general%20population%20\(2%25\).](https://www.pewresearch.org/religion/2009/11/05/scientists-and-belief/#:~:text=And%20while%20evangelical%20Protestants%20make,the%20general%20population%20(2%25).)

**Nearly 1/3 of the world today is influenced by Judaism or Christianity, the Messiah of the Jews!**

**Mark Twain':**

**If the Statistics are right, the Jews constitute but one quarter of one percent (.025%) of the human race. Properly, the Jew ought hardly to be heard of, but he is heard of, has always been heard of...his importance is extravagantly out of proportion to the smallness of his bulk. His contributions top the worlds list of great names in literature, science, art, music, finance, medicine, abstruse learning are also very out of proportion to the weakness of his numbers"**

**All things are mortal but the Jew: all other forces pass, but he remains. What is the secret of his immortality?"**

## He does not say, "And to seeds," ... the Christ

### • Importance of Exegesis!

- Seed and Seeds, 1 letter makes all the difference!
- 1 Comma makes all the difference - Luke 4:18-19, Isaiah 61:1-3
- The NT (Jesus & Apostles) always best interprets the OT
- "And to your seed," that is Christ – 3:16, 29
- The things written about Himself in all the Scriptures –  
Luke 24:27

[Gal 3:16 NASB20] 16 Now the promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed. He does not say, "And to seeds," as [one would in referring] to many, but [rather] as [in referring] to one, "And to your seed," that is, Christ.

[Jhn 3:16 NASB20] 16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish, but have eternal life.

[Jhn 3:17-18 NASB20] 17 "For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but so that the world might be saved through Him. 18 "The one who believes in Him is not judged; the one who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

[Gen 22:12 NASB20] 12 He said, "Do not reach out your hand against the boy, and do not do anything to him; for **now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from Me.**"

[Heb 11:17 NASB20] 17 **By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and the one who had received the promises was offering up his only [son;]**

[Rom 8:32 NASB20] 32 **He who did not spare His own Son,** but delivered Him over for us all, how will He not also with Him freely give us all things?

[Luk 4:18-19 NASB20] 18 "THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME,BECAUSE HE ANOINTED ME TO BRING GOOD NEWS TO THE POOR.HE HAS SENT ME TO PROCLAIM RELEASE TO CAPTIVES,AND RECOVERY OF SIGHT TO THE BLIND,TO SET FREE THOSE WHO ARE OPPRESSED, 19 TO PROCLAIM THE FAVORABLE YEAR OF THE LORD."

[Isa 61:1 NASB20] 1 The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me,Because the LORD anointed meTo bring good news to the humble;He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted,To proclaim release to captivesAnd freedom to prisoners;

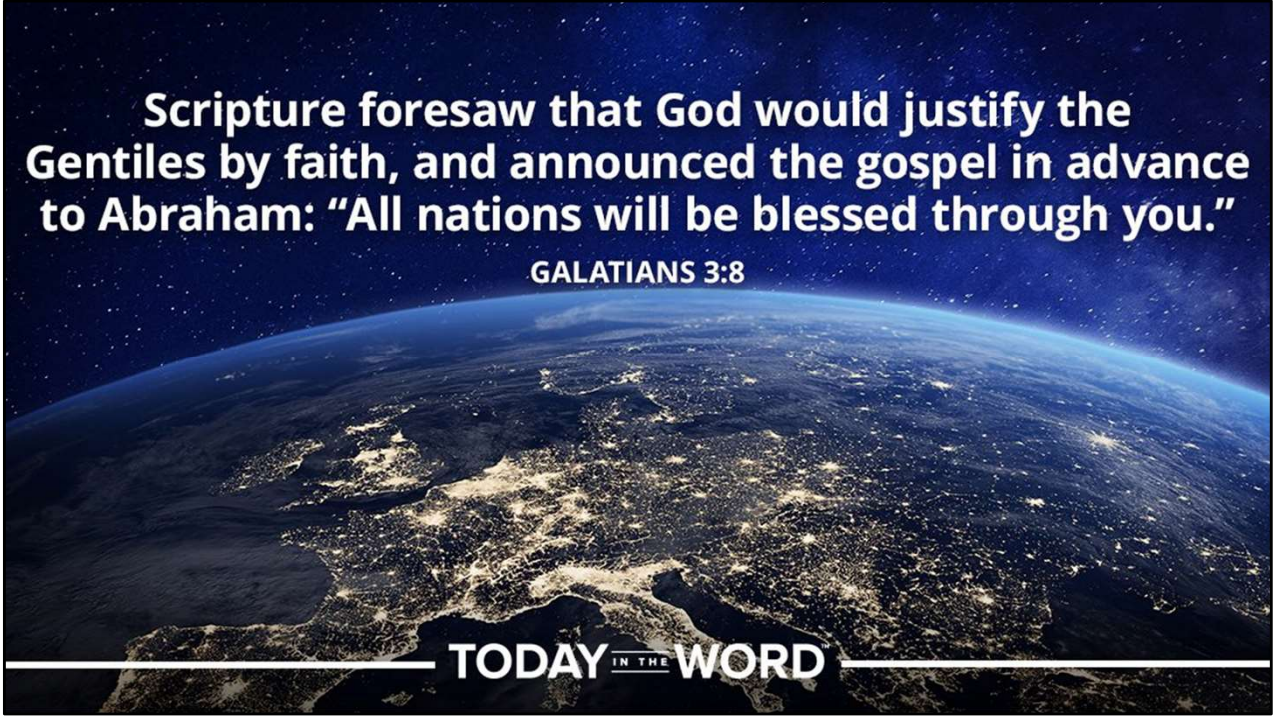
[Isa 61:2 NASB20] 2 To proclaim the favorable year of the LORDAnd the day of vengeance of our

God;To comfort all who mourn,

[Luk 18:31 NASB20] 31 Now He took the twelve aside and said to them, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and all the things that have been written through the prophets about the Son of Man will be accomplished.

[Luk 24:25, 27, 44 And [then] He said to them, "You foolish men and slow of heart to believe in all that the prophets have spoken! ... 27 Then beginning with Moses and with all the Prophets, He explained to them the things [written] about Himself in all the Scriptures. ... 44 Now He said to them, "These are My words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all the things that are written about Me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled."

[Gal 3:29 NASB20] 29 And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's descendants, heirs according to promise.



**Scripture foresaw that God would justify the  
Gentiles by faith, and announced the gospel in advance  
to Abraham: "All nations will be blessed through you."**

**GALATIANS 3:8**

**TODAY IN THE WORD**



*Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.*

Galatians 3:16 KJV

**“Has the Scripture not said that the Christ comes from the descendants of David, and from Bethlehem, the village where David was?”**  
- John 7:42 -

**The record of the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah, the son of David, the son of Abraham.**  
- Matthew 1:1 -

[Psa 132:11 NASB20] 11 The LORD has sworn to David A truth from which He will not turn back: "I will set upon your throne [one] from the fruit of your body.

[Isa 11:1 NASB20] 1 Then a shoot will spring from the stem of Jesse, And a Branch from his roots will bear fruit.

[Mic 5:2 NASB20] 2 "But as for you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, [Too] little to be among the clans of Judah, From you One will come forth for Me to be ruler in Israel. His times of coming forth are from long ago, From the days of eternity."

[Mat 2:5 NASB20] 5 They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for this is what has been written by the prophet:

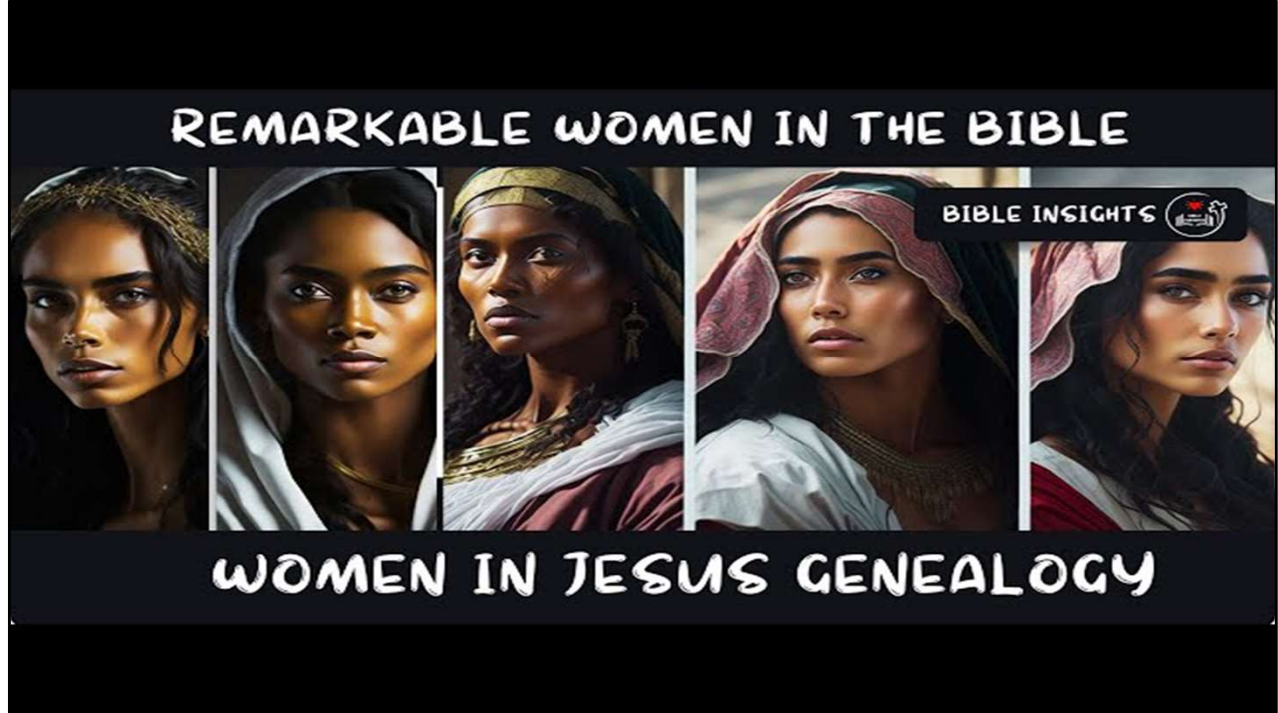
[Luk 2:11 NASB20] 11 for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

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**Ruth the Moabitess**

**Bathsheba the wife of a Hittite and an Adulteress**





[Gal 3:2, 5 NASB20] 2 This is the only thing I want to find out from you: did you receive the Spirit by works of the Law, or by hearing with faith? ... 5 So then, does He who provides you with the Spirit and works miracles among you, do it by works of the Law, or by hearing with faith?

[Gal 3:8 NASB20] 8 The Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, preached the gospel beforehand to Abraham, [saying,] "ALL THE NATIONS WILL BE BLESSED IN YOU."

1. Sarah, Abraham's wife gave birth to Isaac (Gen 11:30)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup> Triple Miracle birth! Sara was barren her whole life, Then in Menopause (She even laughed!) Abraham had ED! Circumcision came after the natural birth of Ishmael and before miracle birth Isaac!
2. Rebekah, Isaac's wife gave birth to Jacob and Esau (Gen 25:21)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup> Isaac had to pray. Rebekah was Barren
3. Rachel, Jacob's wife gave birth to Joseph (Gen 29:31)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup> Deliverer of Israel, Type of Christ. All 3 who received the promise HAD to wait on God for Miracle Births! Even though Jesus came thru Judah
4. Samson's mother gave birth to Samson (Judg. 13:2)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup>
5. Hannah gave birth to Samuel when she was barren (1 Sam 1:5)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup>
6. Elizabeth gave birth to John the Baptist (Luke 1:7)<sup>[L1][SEP]</sup>
7. Mary gave birth to Jesus as a virgin (Matt. 1:18-25) Miracle Conception thru Holy Spirit/God! Escaping Adams representation or corrupted Seed! Sinless Savior! Miracle escape form Herod's murderous slaughter!

**We MUST be born Again, From Above!! Jn.3**

**[Luk 1:36-37 NASB20] 36 "And behold, even your relative Elizabeth herself has conceived a son in her old age, and she who was called infertile is now in her sixth month. 37 "For nothing will be impossible with God."****[Luk 18:27 NASB20] 27 But He said, "The things that are impossible with people are possible with God."**

**[Luk 18:24-27 NASB20] 24 And Jesus looked at him and said, "How hard it is for those who are wealthy to enter the kingdom of God! 25 "For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God!" 26 Those who heard [Him] said, "And [so] who can be saved?" 27 But He said, "The things that are impossible with people are possible with God."**

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**Gentiles, all people of Earth will be blessed! Even before the NT!**  
**Rahab the Canaanite!**  
**Ruth the Moabitess**  
**Bathsheba the wife of a Hittite and an Adulteress**

**Tamar, (Judah, Daughter in law dressed as Prostitute**  
**Rahab,**  
**Ruth,**  
**Uriah's wife (Bathsheba), and**  
**Mary an unmarried girl who had NOT had sex!**

## Scarlet cord of Redemption!

- Galatians 3:6 – Abraham – Genesis 12:3, 7, 22:17-18
- Seed – Singular, THE Promised One! Messiah, Christ!
  - Genesis 3:15 - Seed of the Woman will crush the serpent's head
  - Seed of Abraham – Galatians 3:16, Genesis 12:3 (Isaac and Jacob)

[Gen 3:15, 21 NASB20] 15 And I will make enemies Of you and the woman, And of your offspring and her Descendant; He shall bruise you on the head, And you shall bruise Him on the heel." ... 21 **And the LORD God made garments of skin for Adam and his wife, and clothed them.**

**[Rom 13:14 NASB20] 14 But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh in regard to [its] lusts.**

**[Gal 3:27 NASB20] 27 For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.**

**[Eph 4:24 NASB20] 24 and to put on the new self, which in [the likeness of] God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth.**

[Col 3:10-12 NASB20] 10 and have put on the new [self,] which is being renewed to a true knowledge according to the image of the One who created it-- 11 [a renewal] in which there is no [distinction between] Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, [and] free, but Christ is all, and in all. 12 So, as those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, [and] patience;

[Heb 7:14 NASB20] 14 For it is **evident that our Lord was descended from Judah**, a tribe with reference to which Moses said nothing concerning priests.

[Gen 3:15 NASB20] 15 And I will make enemies Of you and the woman, And of your offspring[H2233] and her Descendant[H2233];He shall bruise you on the head, And you shall bruise Him on the heel."

[Gen 12:3 NASB20] 3 And I will bless those who bless you, And the one who curses you I will curse. **And in you all the families of the earth will be blessed."**

[Gen 12:7 NASB20] 7 And **the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "To your descendants[H2233] I will give this land."** So he built an altar there to the LORD who had appeared to him.

[Gen 17:19 NASB20] 19 **But God said, "No, but your wife Sarah will bear you a son, and you shall**

**name him Isaac; and I will establish My covenant with him as an everlasting covenant for his descendants after him.**

[Gen 22:17-18 NASB20] 17 indeed I will greatly bless you, and I will greatly multiply your seed as the stars of the heavens and as the sand, which is on the seashore; and your seed shall possess the gate of their enemies. 18 "And **in your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed**, because you have obeyed My voice."

[Act 3:25 NASB20] 25 "It is you who are the sons of the prophets and of the covenant which God ordained with your fathers, saying to Abraham, '**AND IN YOUR SEED ALL THE FAMILIES OF THE EARTH SHALL BE BLESSED.**'

[Rom 9:4-5 NASB20] 4 **who are Israelites, to whom belongs the adoption as sons [and daughters,] the glory, the covenants, the giving of the Law, the [temple] service, and the promises; 5 whose are the fathers, and from whom is the Christ according to the flesh, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.**

[Rom 15:8 NASB20] 8 For I say that **Christ has become a servant to the circumcision in behalf of the truth of God, to confirm the promises [given] to the fathers,**

[Rom 4:13, 16 NASB20] 13 For the promise to Abraham or to his descendants that he would be heir of the world was not through the Law, but through the righteousness of faith. ... 16 For this reason [it is] by faith, in order that [it may be] in accordance with grace, so that the promise will be guaranteed to all the descendants, not only to those who are of the Law, but also to those who are of the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all,

[Gal 3:29 NASB20] 29 And **if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's descendants, heirs according to promise.**

[2Sa 7:12-14 NASB20] 12 "When your days are finished and you lie down with your fathers, **I will raise up your descendant after you, who will come from you, and I will establish his kingdom.** 13 "He shall build a house for My name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. 14 "I will be a father to him and he will be a son to Me; when he does wrong, I will discipline him with a rod of men and with strokes of sons of mankind,

[Luk 1:26-33 NASB20] 26 Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city in Galilee named Nazareth, 27 to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, **of the descendants of David;** and **the virgin's name was Mary.** 28 And coming in, he said to her, "Greetings, favored one! The Lord [is] with you." 29 But she was very perplexed at [this] statement, and was pondering what kind of greeting this was. 30 And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. 31 "And behold, you will conceive in your womb and give birth to a son, and you shall name Him Jesus. 32 "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give Him **the throne of His father David; 33 and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and His kingdom will have no end.**"

[Isa 7:14 NASB20] 14 "Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, the

**virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and she will name Him Immanuel.**

[Mat 1:21-23 NASB20] 21 "She will give birth to a Son; and you shall name Him Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins." 22 Now all this took place so that what was spoken by the Lord through the prophet would be fulfilled: 23 "BEHOLD, THE VIRGIN WILL CONCEIVE AND GIVE BIRTH TO A SON, AND THEY SHALL NAME HIM IMMANUEL," which translated means, "GOD WITH US."

[Gal 3:19-20 NASB20] 19 Why the Law then? It was added on account of the violations, having been ordered through angels at the hand of a mediator, until the Seed would come to whom the promise had been made. 20 Now a mediator is not for one [party only;] but God is [only] one.

**Moses! Was the Mediator!** Heb.

So Gal. 3 makes allusions or direct statements to Abraham, Moses/Law, Eve,

## Scarlet cord of Redemption!

- Seed – Singular, THE Promised One! Messiah, Christ!
  - Seed of David – 2 Samuel 7:12 14, Luke 1:26-33
  - Born of a Virgin – Isaiah 7:14, Matthew 1:21-23
- “clothed yourselves with Christ” – A&E  
– Genesis 3:21, Ephesians 4







[Gal 3:1 NASB20] 1 You foolish Galatians, who has bewitched you, **before whose eyes Jesus Christ was publicly portrayed [as] crucified?**

[Gal 3:19 NASB20] 19 Why the Law then? It was added on account of the violations, having been ordered through angels at the hand of a mediator, until the Seed would come to whom the promise had been made.

[Gen 38:28, 30 NASB20] 28 Moreover, it took place while she was giving birth, that one [baby] put out a hand, and the midwife took and tied a scarlet [thread] on his hand, saying, "This one came out first." ... 30 Afterward his brother came out who had **the scarlet [thread] on his hand**; and he was named Zerah.

[Exo 25:4 NASB20] 4 violet, purple, and scarlet [material,] fine linen, goat [hair,]

[Exo 26:1, 31, 36 NASB20] 1 "Moreover, **you shall make the tabernacle with ten curtains of fine twisted linen and violet, purple, and scarlet [material,]** you shall make them with cherubim, the work of a skilled embroiderer. ... 31 "You shall also make a veil of violet, purple, and scarlet [material,] and fine twisted linen; it shall be made with cherubim, the work of a skilled embroiderer. ... 36 "You shall also make a curtain for the doorway of the tent of violet, purple, and scarlet [material] and fine twisted linen, the work of a weaver.

[Exo 28:6, 15, 33 NASB20] 6 "They shall also **make the ephod** of gold, of violet, purple, [and] **scarlet [material,]** and fine twisted linen, the work of the skilled embroiderer. ...

15 "**You shall make a breastpiece of judgment**, the work of a skilled embroiderer; **like the work of the ephod** you shall make it: of gold, of violet, purple, and scarlet [material,] and fine twisted linen you shall make it. ...

33 "**You shall make on its hem pomegranates of violet, purple, and scarlet [material] all around on its hem, and bells of gold between them all around:**

[Jos 2:18, 21 NASB20] 18 **unless, when we come into the land, you tie this cord of scarlet thread**



**in the window through which you let us down, and gather into your house your father, your mother, your brothers, and all your father's household. ... 21 She then said, "According to your words, so be it." So she sent them away, and they departed; and she tied the scarlet cord in the window.**

[Isa 1:18 NASB20] 18 "Come now, and let us debate [your case,]"Says the LORD,  
**"Though your sins are as scarlet, They shall become as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be like wool.**

Heb 9:19 **For when every commandment had been spoken by Moses to all the people according to the Law, he took the blood of the calves and the goats, with water and scarlet wool and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book itself and all the people,**

## Why the Law then?

- 1 Timothy 1:9 – Realizing the fact that law is not made for a righteous person but for those who are lawless and rebellious, for the ungodly and sinners, for the unholy and worldly, for those who kill their fathers or mothers, for murderers,
- The Law, the 10 commandments, the 613 commandments show us God's perfection and our sinfulness. Our needs for a Savior, a perfect sacrifice!

[1Ti 1:7-9 NASB20] 7 wanting to be teachers of the Law, even though they do not understand either what they are saying or the matters about which they make confident assertions. 8 But we know that the Law is good, if one uses it lawfully, 9 realizing the fact that law is not made for a righteous person but for those who are lawless and rebellious, for the ungodly and sinners, for the unholy and worldly, for those who kill their fathers or mothers, for murderers,

[Mat 22:40 NASB20] 40 "Upon these two commandments hang the whole Law and the Prophets."

[Gal 5:14 NASB20] 14 For the whole Law is fulfilled in one word, in the [statement,] "YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF."

[Jas 2:10 NASB20] 10 For whoever keeps the whole Law, yet stumbles in one [point,] has become guilty of all.

[Rom 13:8-10 NASB20] 8 Owe nothing to anyone except to love one another; for the one who loves his neighbor has fulfilled [the] Law. 9 For this, "YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY, YOU SHALL NOT MURDER, YOU SHALL NOT STEAL, YOU SHALL NOT COVET," and if there is any other commandment, it is summed up in this saying, "YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF." 10 Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfillment of [the] Law.

[Gal 3:24 NASB20] 24 Therefore the Law has become our guardian [to lead us] to Christ, so that we may be justified by faith.

[Rom 7:7, 12-13, 20-21, 24-25 NASB20] 7 What shall we say then? Is the Law sin? Far from it! On the contrary, I would not have come to know sin except through the Law; for I would not have known about coveting if the Law had not said, "YOU SHALL NOT COVET." ... 12 So then, the Law is holy, and the commandment is holy and righteous and good. 13 Therefore did that which is good become [a cause of] death for me? Far from it! Rather [it was] sin, in order that it might be shown to be sin by bringing about my death through that which is good, so that through the commandment sin would become

utterly sinful. ... 20 But if I do the very thing I do not want, I am no longer [the one] doing it, but sin that dwells in me. 21 I find then the principle that evil is present in me, the one who wants to do good. ... 24 Wretched man that I am! Who will set me free from the body of this death? 25 Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, on the one hand I myself with my mind am serving the law of God, but on the other, with my flesh the law of sin.

[Rom 4:15-16 NASB20] 15 for the Law brings about wrath, but where there is no law, there also is no violation. 16 For this reason [it is] by faith, in order that [it may be] in accordance with grace, so that the promise will be guaranteed to all the descendants, not only to those who are of the Law, but also to those who are of the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all,

# Morality

may keep you out of jail,

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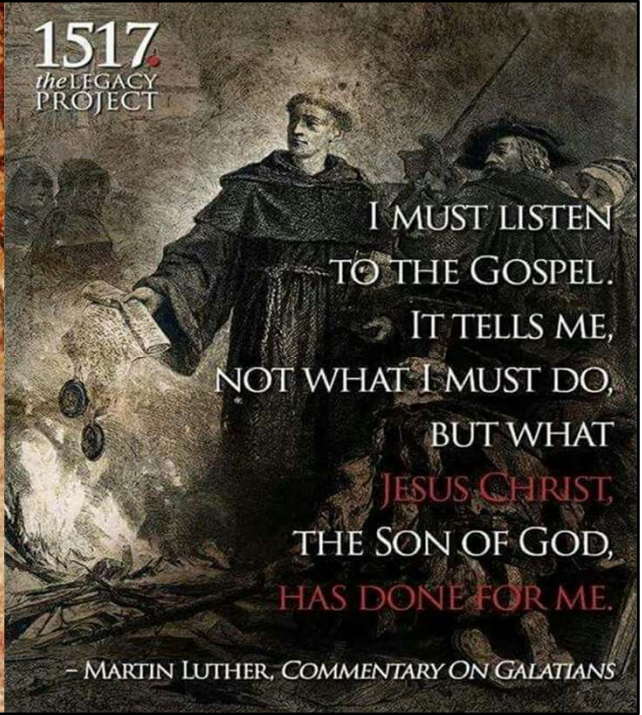
BUT IT TAKES THE

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blood of Jesus Christ  
to keep you out of hell.

C. H. SPURGEON

**"THE LAW**  
DISCOVERS THE DISEASE.  
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MARTIN LUTHER  
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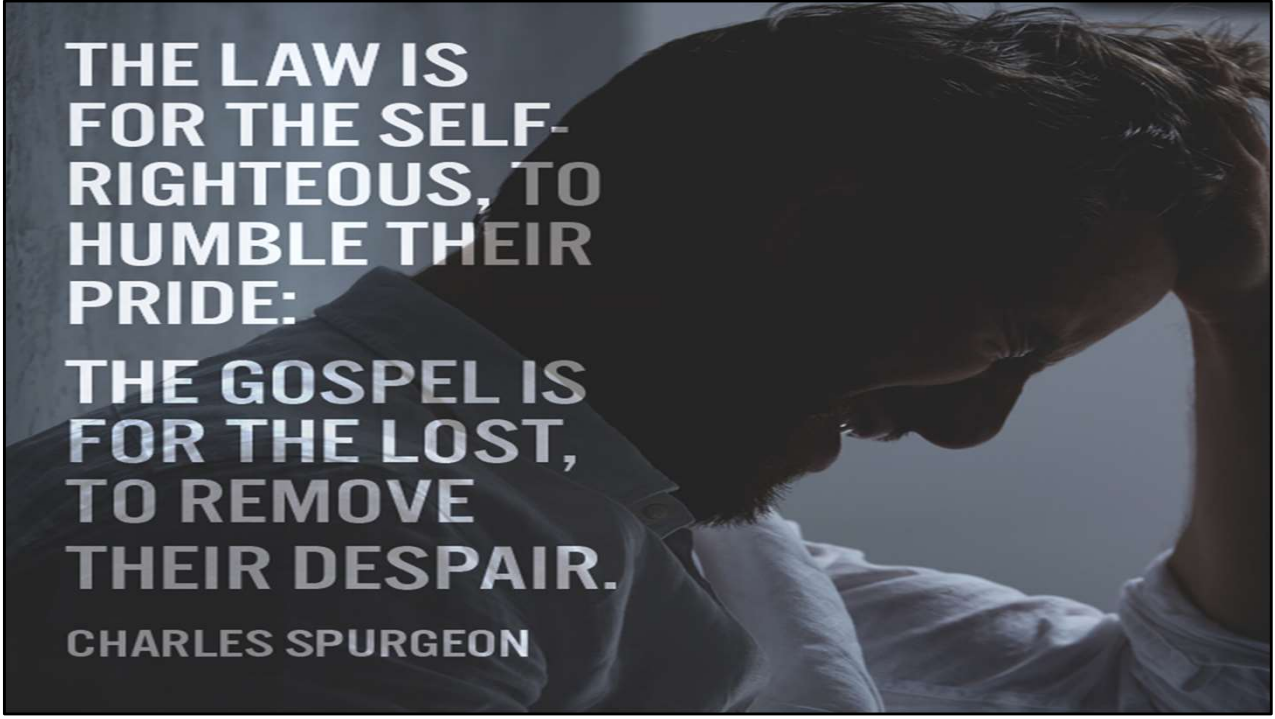






*THE LAW-MAKER BECAME THE LAW-KEEPER,  
BUT THEN TOOK OUR PLACE AND CONDEMNATION  
AS THOUGH HE WERE THE LAW-BREAKER.*

*SINCLAIR FERGUSON*

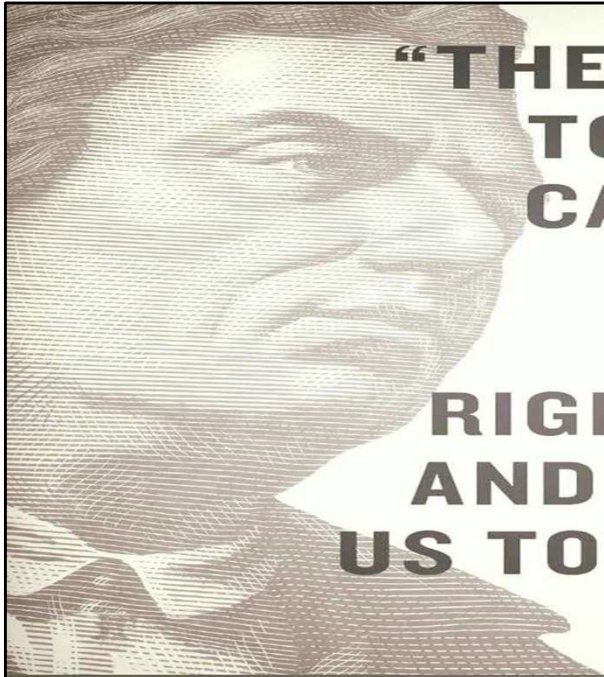


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FOR THE SELF-  
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HUMBLE THEIR  
PRIDE:**

**THE GOSPEL IS  
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TO REMOVE  
THEIR DESPAIR.**

**CHARLES SPURGEON**





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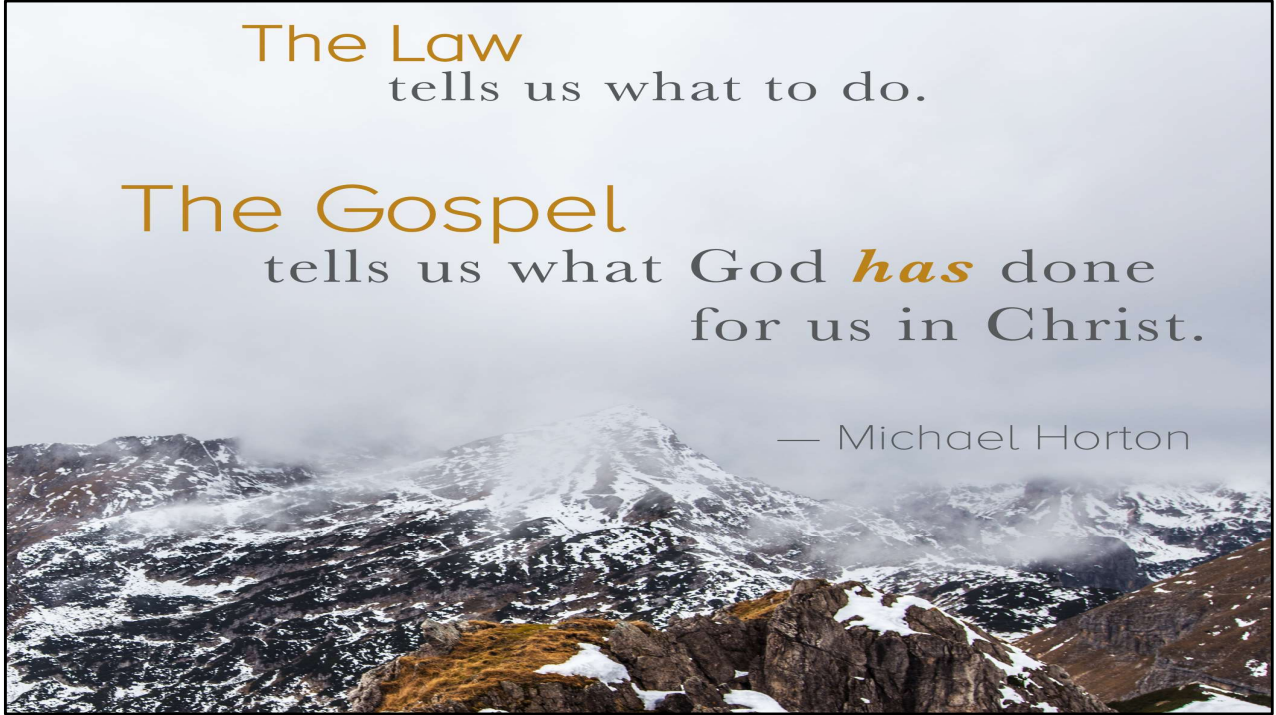
**—MARTIN LUTHER**

*LUTHER ON THE CHRISTIAN LIFE BY CARL TRUEMAN*

The Law  
tells us what to do.

The Gospel  
tells us what God *has* done  
for us in Christ.

— Michael Horton



## Covenant Promises

- Old Covenant – New Covenant, both Promises! – 3:15-16
- The Law killed 3,000, Grace in the NT saved 3,000
- Grace in OT saved Gentiles! Before the Law, After and Now
- It was always Jesus Christ, now we know His name!
- It was Always by faith, Believing in His promise!
- Jesus the perfect Mediator! The Passover Lamb!

[Gal 3:15, 19, 26, 29 NASB20] 15 Brothers [and sisters,] I speak in terms of human relations: even though it is [only] a man's covenant, yet when it has been ratified, no one sets it aside or adds conditions to it. ... 19 Why the Law then? It was added on account of the violations, having been ordered through angels at the hand of a mediator, until the Seed would come to whom the promise had been made. ... 26 For you are all sons [and daughters] of God through faith in Christ Jesus. ... 29 And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's descendants, heirs according to promise.



[Exo 34:28 NASB20] 28 So he was there with the LORD for forty days and forty nights; he did not eat bread or drink water. And He wrote on the tablets the words of the covenant, the Ten Commandments.  
[Deu 4:13 NASB20] 13 "So He declared to you His covenant which He commanded you to perform, [that is,] the Ten Commandments; and He wrote them on two tablets of stone.  
[Deu 10:4 NASB20] 4 "Then He wrote on the tablets, like the first writing, the Ten Commandments which the LORD had spoken to you on the mountain from the midst of the fire on the day of the assembly; and the LORD gave them to me.

[Exo 9:14 NASB20] 14 "For this time I am going to send all My plagues (10) on you and your servants and your people, so that you may know that there is no one like Me in all the earth.

[Num 14:22 NASB20] 22 "Certainly all the people who have seen My glory and My signs which I performed in Egypt and in the wilderness, yet have put Me to the test these ten times and have not listened to My voice,

[Exo 12:11, 21, 27 NASB20] 11 'Now you shall eat it in this way: [with your garment] belted around your waist, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it in a hurry--it is the LORD'S Passover. ... 21 Then Moses called for all the elders of Israel and said to them, "Go and take for yourselves lambs according to your families, and slaughter the Passover [lamb.] ... 27 then you shall say, 'It is a Passover sacrifice to the LORD because He passed over the houses of the sons of Israel in Egypt when He struck the Egyptians, but spared our homes.'" And the people bowed low and worshiped.

[1Co 11:24 NASB20] 24 and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, "This is My body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

[Luk 22:19 NASB20] 19 And when He had taken [some] bread [and] given thanks, He broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is My body, which is being given for you; do this in remembrance of Me."





[1Co 11:25 NASB20] 25 In the same way [He] also [took] the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood; do this, as often as you drink [it,] in remembrance of Me."

# COVENANT

**1. EDENIC RULE**  
GENESIS 2:15  
PSALM 8:6  
"YOU MADE THEM RULERS OVER THE WORKS OF YOUR HANDS; YOU PUT EVERYTHING UNDER THEIR FEET."  
SIN  
2nd Adam

**2. ADAMIC REDEMPTION**  
GENESIS 3:15  
EMNITY  
YOU SHALL BRUISE HIS HEEL  
HE SHALL CRUSH YOUR HEAD  
DEATH DEATH  
EVERY THOUGHT WAS EVIL  
SIN CONTINUED...

**3. NOAHIC RESTRAINT**  
GENESIS 6:7  
EVIL  
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GENESIS 8:21

**4. ABRAHAMIC RESTORE**  
GENESIS 12:1-3  
ABRAHAM  
1 LAND - (ISRAEL)  
2 PEOPLE - (SEMS)  
3 BLESSING (KNOW GOD)  
ALL NATIONS

**5. MOSAIC REVEAL**  
LEVITICUS 26  
v.1 HAVE NO OTHER GODS  
v.2 KEEP THE SABBATH  
v.3 KEEP HIS LAWS & COMMANDS  
DEUTERONOMY 29  
DEUTERONOMY 30  
v.23  
v.45 1 LAND - ISRAEL  
2 SEED - PEOPLE  
3 BLESSING - KNOW GOD  
v.6 NEW

**6. PALESTINIAN RETURN**  
AFTER 500+ YEARS  
2 SAMUEL 7:12-14  
1 THRONE  
2 HOUSE  
3 KINGDOM FOREVER  
SOLOMON DAVID  
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**7. DAVIDIC REIGN**  
AFTER 500+ YEARS  
2 SAMUEL 7:12-14  
1 THRONE  
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**8. NEW COVENANT REGENERATE**  
AFTER 500+ YEARS  
JEREMIAH 31:23-34  
NEW COVENANT  
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**GALATIANS 3:23-27**

**23. BUT BEFORE FAITH CAME, WE WERE KEPT UNDER THE LAW,  
SHUT UP UNTO THE FAITH WHICH SHOULD AFTERWARDS BE REVEALED.**

**24. WHEREFORE THE LAW WAS OUR SCHOOLMASTER  
TO BRING US UNTO CHRIST, THAT WE MIGHT BE JUSTIFIED BY FAITH.**

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**GALATIANS 3:25**

**“But after that faith is come, we  
are no longer under a  
schoolmaster.”**

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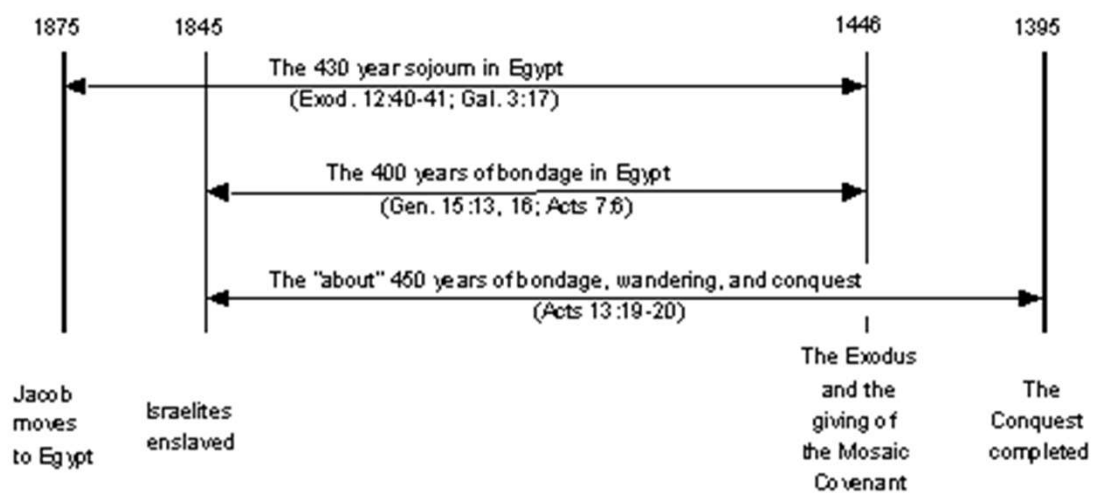
**26. FOR YE ARE ALL THE  
CHILDREN OF GOD BY FAITH IN CHRIST JESUS.**

**27. FOR AS MANY OF YOU AS HAVE  
BEEN BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST  
HAVE PUT ON CHRIST.**

**J. HACKNEY PICTURES WITH SCRIPTURES  
THROUGHOUT INCLUDES ALL THE SCRIPTURES**

**HAVE PUT ON CHRIST  
BEEN BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST  
BY FOR YE HAVE OF GOD YE HAVE**

## REFERENCES TO ISRAEL'S YEARS IN EGYPT

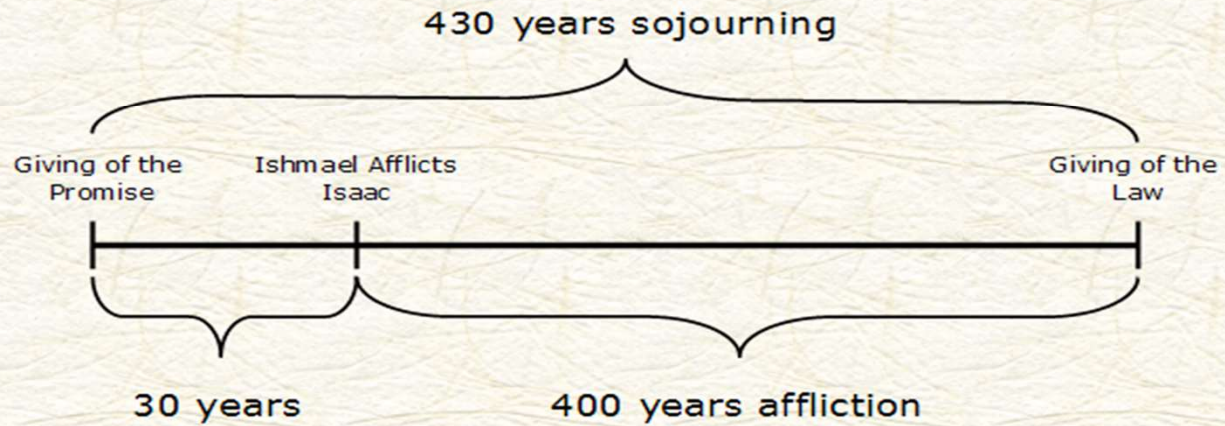


## From the Promise to the Law

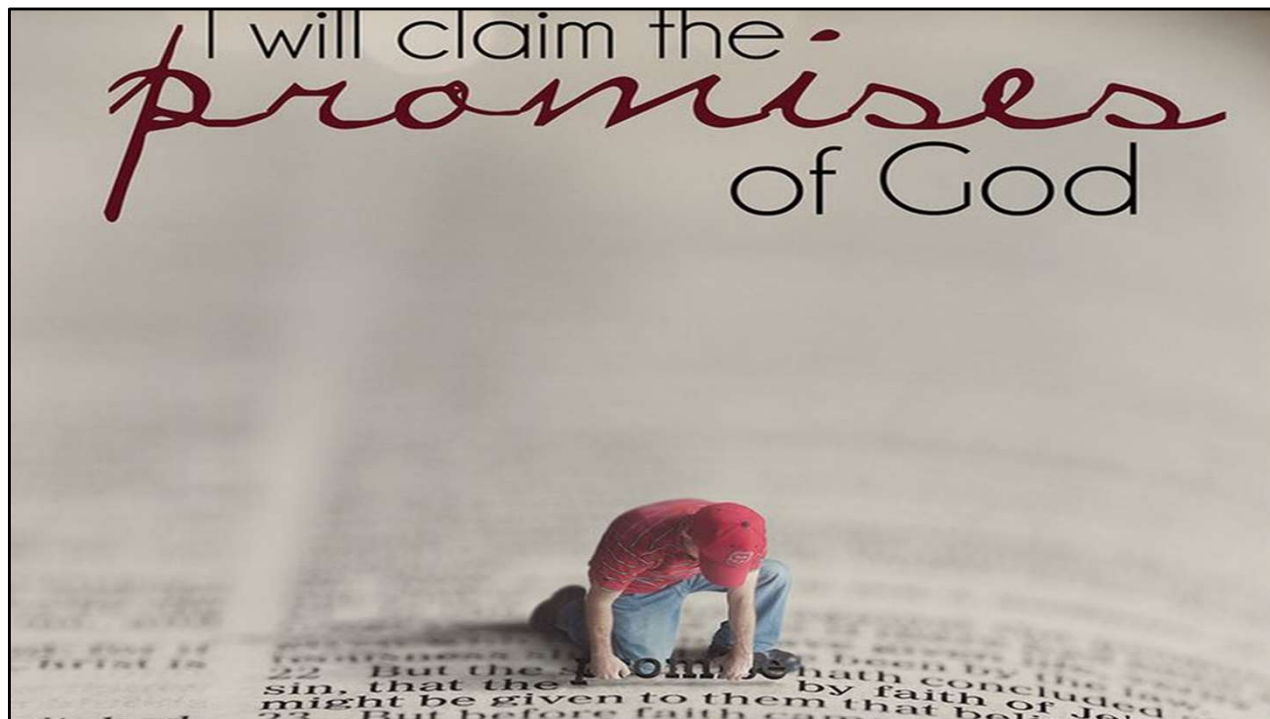
"...the sojourning...was 430 years." (Exodus 12: 40,41)

"...the law, which was 430 years after the covenant..." (Galatians 3: 17)

"They shall afflict them 400 years." (Genesis 15: 13)



I will claim the  
*promises*  
of God



## Afflictions of Abraham's Seed

- Ishmael persecutes Isaac (Galatians 4:29; Genesis 21:9-11)
- Isaac has troubles with the Philistines (Genesis 26:15, 20, 21)
- Jacob flees for his life from Esau (Genesis 27: 41-43)
- Jacob flees from Laban (Genesis 31:21)
- Jacob is again in jeopardy from Esau (Genesis 32:8)
- Joseph is sold into slavery by his brethren (Genesis 37:28)
- Israel oppressed by the Egyptians for decades (Exodus 1:14)

**Galatians 3:21–25**

**This is true...**

**This is true**

"Scripture...confined all under sin" ["Locked up everything under the control of sin," NIV] (v. 22)

"The promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe" (v. 22)

"We were Kept in custody under the law" (NASB) ["kept under guard, held captive/locked up/shut up/imprisoned by"] (v. 23)

"...faith came... the faith which would afterward be revealed" (v. 23)

The law could not give life (v.21); it was our "tutor" (guardian) (v. 24)

"...to bring us to Christ, that we might be justified by faith" (v. 24)

We are "under a tutor (guardian) (v. 25)

"After faith has come, we are no longer under a tutor" (guardian) v. (25)



## Seed Promise

How does the promise  
relate to us?

### Christ came

Gen. 3:15 Seed of Woman Gal. 4:4

Gen. 12:3 Seed of Abraham Gal. 3:16

Gen. 49:10 Tribe of Judah Heb. 7:14

2 Sam. 7:14 Seed of David Lk. 1:26-33

Isa. 7:14 Born of a Virgin Mt. 1:21-23

God keeps His promise!

Paul's Letter to the churches in **Galatia**

FOOLISH GALATIANS! WHY ARE YOU TURNING AWAY FROM THE SIMPLE GOSPEL AND FOLLOWING A BUNCH OF POINTLESS RULES!

3 Years **Arabia** **JESUS TAUGHT ME**

15 Days in Jerusalem

Cilicia Syria

14 Years **NOT Judea**

Jerusalem Council

DON'T BE A HYPOCRITE

# PROMISE BLESSING

**FAITH**

Abraham

**SARAH**

**HAGAR**

Israel Physical Jerusalem

Sons of God Spiritual Jerusalem

Jews Only

NO Sinners

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

# FREEDOM

**IS NOT...**

Fruit of the FLESH

- sexual immorality
- impurity
- debauchery
- idolatry
- witchcraft
- hatred
- discord
- jealousy
- fits of rage
- selfish ambition
- disensions
- factions
- envy
- drunkenness
- orgies

**IS...**

Fruit of the SPIRIT

- love
- joy
- peace
- patience
- kindness
- goodness
- faithfulness
- gentleness
- self-control

You REAP what you SOW!

the only thing that counts is faith expressing itself in love

# The Promise -Gal. 3:29

**This is the theme of Apostles preaching!**

Acts 2:38-39

Acts 3:25-26

Acts 13:23, 32

Acts 26:6-7

Eph. 3:3-8

Heb. 11:13,33,39

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