

## Halloween: Not For Followers of Christ

- Halloween or All Hallow's eve. (lookup Hallowed in Funk and Wagnalls dictionary)
- **Eleventh Edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica:** *"HALLOWE'EN, or All Hallows Eve, the name given to the 31st of October as the vigil of Hallowmas or All Saints' Day. Though now known as little else but the eve of the Christian festival, Hallowe'en and its formerly attendant ceremonies long antedate Christianity. The two chief characteristics of ancient Hallowe'en were the lighting of bonfires and the belief that of all nights in the year this is the one during which ghosts and witches are most likely to wander abroad. Now on or about the first of November the Druids held their great autumn festival and lighted fires in honour of the sun god in thanksgiving for the harvest. Further, it was a Druidic belief that on the eve of this festival, Saman [Samhain, or Satan the devil], lord of death, called together the wicked souls that within the past twelve months had been condemned to inhabit the bodies of animals. "Thus it is clear that the main celebrations of Hallowe'en were purely Druidical, and this is further proved by the fact that in parts of Ireland the 31st of October was, and even still is, known as Oidhche Shamhna, "Vigil of Saman." On the Druidic ceremonies were grafted some of the characteristics of the Roman festival in honour of Pomona held about the first of November, in which nuts and apples, as representing the winter store of fruits, played an important part. Thus the roasting of nuts and the sport known as 'apple ducking' — attempting to seize with the teeth an apple floating in a tub of water — were once the universal occupation of the young folk in medieval England on the 31st of October. The custom of lighting Hallowe'en fires survived until recent years in the highlands of Scotland and Wales. In the dying embers it was usual to place as many small stones as there were persons around, and next morning a search was made. If any of the pebbles were displaced it was regarded as certain that the person represented would die within the twelve months"* (Encyclopedia Britannica, Eleventh Edition, Vol. XII, p. 857,858)
- Anglo-Celtic peoples introduced many of the practices that are observed in the United States during Halloween.
- **Connection to the beast/mother of harlots/great whore/ pope/roman catholic church:** *Halloween is short for All Hallow's Eve. It is the vigil of All Saints (All Hallows) Day. All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation, and thus a major feast on the Catholic Church's liturgical calendar. Halloween (October 31st) is connected with All Saints Day (November 1st) and All Souls Day (November 2nd). These three days taken together are the "Days of the Dead," a triduum of feasts also called Allhallowtide, Hallowtide, or Hallowmas ('hallow' means to honor as holy). Halloween is, therefore, the first day of Allhallowtide, the time of year when the living (i.e. the Church Militant) honors all the dead in Christ: all the saints in heaven (i.e. the Church Triumphant) as well as all the holy souls detained in purgatory on their way to heaven (i.e. the Church Suffering). It is a beautiful celebration of the communion of saints! Catholics historically believed that on these "Days of the Dead", their annual feast, the veil between heaven, hell, and purgatory is the thinnest (that means you might even see some souls you know!). Halloween begins the celebration these Christian holy days that remind the faithful of the reality of heaven and hell, the saints and the damned, demons and angels, and the holy*

*souls suffering in purgatory. In the year 844 A.D. Pope Gregory III transferred the feast of All Saints (which honored especially the unknown martyrs and "hidden" saints whom we do not know by name) from May 13th to November 1st to coincide with a chapel in St. Peter's Basilica which he dedicated to all the saints in heaven. His successor, Pope Gregory IV, extended the feast of the dedication to the universal Church. Evening vigils with pious celebrations on the day before a major feast or solemnity were customary in historical Catholic Europe; the rhythms of their lives and culture moved with the liturgical calendar. In medieval times churches often displayed the bones and relics of their saints on Halloween (i.e. the vigil of All Saints Day) for public veneration. English, Irish, and French immigrants to America brought their variety of local Catholic customs with them: Dressing up for Halloween comes from the French; Jack-o-Lanterns come from the Irish (originally carved turnips); and the English begged from door to door for "Soul Cakes," promising to pray for the departed loved ones of those who gave them these treats, the roots of trick-or-treating. These traditions converged in the American melting pot.*

- ARE YOU CATHOLIC? NO. THEN WHY DO YOU OBSERVE ALL OF THEIR HOLIDAYS? FOR EXAMPLE CHRISTMAS, NEW YEARS, EASTER, HALLOWEEN, VALENTINE'S DAY ETC... CELEBRATING THESE WICKED HOLIDAYS IS = TO TAKING THE MARK OF BEAST.
1. Deuteronomy 18:9-13\_29-32 (We are not to deal with the dead or dead spirits or witchcraft etc... We are to observe his commandments and his feast or holy days as outline in the Bible. Not man made traditions.)
  2. John 8:58 (Referring to the above precept Jesus issued that command. He is the God of the Old Testament or Jehovah. The only God man has ever dealt with.)
  3. Malachi 3:6 (Jesus does not change. What he said in Deuteronomy is still valid today.)
  4. Hebrews 13:8
  5. 1 Corinthians 10:19-22 (The holidays of the gentiles are in honor of Satan and demons)
  6. Jeremiah 16:14-21
  7. Jeremiah 10:1-5 (Learn not the way of the heathen or gentile. AKA the Black man in America has no business engaging in this.)
  8. Romans 12:1-2 (Observing halloween is conforming to this world)
  9. Acts 3:19
  10. Matthew 7:13-14 (Just because everyone else is doing it does not mean the followers of Christ should. As true followers of Christ we are to be looked at as weird in this world. The persecution your children face by not observing halloween is nothing compared to persecution Christ suffered)
  11. John 15:18-20
  12. Colossians 2:8
  13. Galatians 4:8-11
  14. 2 Kings 23:1-28
  15. Revelation 12 (7 heads= 7 hills of Rome, Gentile Dynasties: Chaldeans, Medo-Persians, Greece [split into 4], and Rome; 7 attempts to restore Roman Empire) The woman is Israel/church. The manchild is Christ. The wilderness is the place of safety for the body of Christ during the three and half year tribulation.

16. Revelation 13
17. Daniel 2:36-45 (Final four world empires: Chaldeans/Babylonians, Medo-Persians, Greece, & Rome. The stone is Jesus and the ten toes are the European Union or final installment of the Roman Empire)
18. Daniel 7:1-8\_15-19\_21-25 (Four winds are four gentile empires. 10 horns are the 10 attempts at reviving the Roman Empire. Times and Laws changed are what Rome and her Catholic church have changed. For example our current Gregorian Calendar named after and created by Pope Gregory XIII to regulate easter. It replaced the Julian calendar created by Roman Emperor Julius Caesar. They also moved New Year from Spring to Winter and changed the Sabbath to Sunday. Constantine created the earliest Sunday law known to history in AD 321. It said this: On the venerable Day of the sun let the magistrates and people residing in cities rest, and let all workshops be closed. In the country, however, persons engaged in agriculture may freely and lawfully continue their pursuits: because it often happens that another Day is not so suitable for grain sowing or for vine planting: lest by neglecting the proper moment for such operations the bounty of heaven should be lost. According Chamber's Encyclopedia: Unquestionably the first law, either ecclesiastical or civil, by which the Sabbatical observance of that Day is known to have been ordained, is the edict of Constantine, 321 A.D. Following this initial legislation, both emperors and Popes in succeeding centuries added other laws to strengthen Sunday observance. What began as a pagan ordinance ended as a Christian regulation. Soon after the Edict of Constantine followed the Catholic Church Council of Laodicea (circa 364 AD): Christians shall not Judaize and be idle on Saturday (Sabbath), but shall work on that Day: but the Lord's Day, they shall especially honour; and as being Christians, shall, if possible, do no work on that day. If however, they are found Judaizing, they shall be shut out from Christ) Refer to PDF files
19. Daniel 3:1-8 (Precursor to mark of Beast. Daniel and the three refused the mark. Height = threescore cubits = 60, Breath = Six cubits, and Six musical instruments (Three sixes) or 666. BACKGROUND ON POPE: his title is Vicarius Filii Dei (Representative or Substitute for the Son of God). This title in of itself is blasphemous because he is calling himself Jesus Christ's replacement on earth. Nowhere in scripture is he or anyone else given this authority. When you add the Roman Numerals up for Vicarius Filii Dei it adds up to 666.
20. 2 Thessalonians 2:1-12
21. Isaiah 29:9-14 (Drunk of bad doctrine. Truth of God's word hidden behind Roman Christianity.)
22. Romans 3:1-2 (Israelites are a nation of priests and must reconcile the world to Christ)
23. Exodus 19:5-6
24. Psalms 147:19-20