





# In the Whole of the Book

From Genesis to Jesus



### Church as an Entity – "I will build My church..." Mt 16

#### Its Initiation – "God has also granted to the Gentiles repentance to life" Ac 11

Its Culmination – "fullness of Gentiles" Ro 11:2 5

Its Organization – "one body—whether Jews or Greeks" 1Co 12:13-14



### The Church and its identification "The Body of Christ"

Ep 3:2 if indeed you have heard of the dispensation of the grace of God which was given to me for you, 3 how that by revelation He made known to me the mystery (as I have briefly written already, 4 by which, when you read, you may understand my knowledge in the mystery of Christ), 5 which in other ages was not made known to the sons of men, as it has now been revealed by the Spirit to His holy apostles and prophets: 6 that the Gentiles should be fellow heirs, of the same body, and partakers of His promise in Christ through the gospel,



### "the Bride of Christ"

Ep 5:25 Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her, 26 that He might sanctify and cleanse her with the washing of water by the word, 27 that He might present her to Himself a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that she should be holy and without blemish. 28 So husbands ought to love their own wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife loves himself.

Ep 5:32 This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church.



1Co 3:9 For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, you are God's building. 10 According to the grace of God which was given to me, as a wise master builder I have laid the foundation, and another builds on it. But let each one take heed how he builds on it. 11 For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ.

## "the building of God"



Ep 2:19 Now, therefore, you are no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God,
20 having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief cornerstone,
21 in whom the whole building, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord,
22 in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

The form of the Church is a "Body", a "Bride" and a "Building"



Ge 12:2 I will make you a great nation; I will bless you And make your name great; And you shall be a blessing. 3 I will bless those who bless you, And I will curse him who curses you; And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."

Ps 67:4 Oh, let the nations be glad and sing for joy! For You shall judge the people righteously, And govern the nations on earth. Selah

Prophets Obadiah – Edom Jonah – Assyria Nahum - Assyria Jeremiah – nations 1:5



1Ki 8:41 "Moreover, concerning a foreigner, who is not of Your people Israel, but has come from a far country for Your name's sake

42 '(for they will hear of Your great name and Your strong hand and Your outstretched arm), when he comes and prays toward this temple,

43 "hear in heaven Your dwelling place, and do according to all for which the foreigner calls to You, that all peoples of the earth may know Your name and fear You, as do Your people Israel, and that they may know that this temple which I have built is called by Your name.

Dt, 1Ch, Ps, Pr, Is, Je



Ga 3:8 And the Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, preached the gospel to Abraham beforehand, saying, "In you all the nations shall be blessed." 9 So then those who are of faith are blessed with believing Abraham.



Jn 10:16 "And other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they will hear My voice; and there will be one flock and one shepherd.

Mr 11:17 Then He taught, saying to them, "Is it not written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations'? But you have made it a 'den of thieves.'"



# Old Testament



# New Testament

# Messiah the REDEEMER is coming again!!!

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# Messiah the REDEEMER is here!!!



#### **GOD'S PLAN OF REDEMPTION**

#### World- mankind

Adam, Abel, Noah & Sons Nation - Hebrew Abraham, Isaac, Jacob <u>Tribe</u> Judah

Old Testament The world prepared for the REDEEMER

Man

David

GOSPELS

Messiah the REDEEMER is coming!!!

Messiah the REDEEMER is here!!!



#### **GOD'S PLAN OF REDEMPTION**

New Testament The REDEEMER Proclaimed to the world

Apostles - Church

Peterine, Johanine, Pauline, General (Instructions to Church)

#### GOSPELS

Acts

#### Romans - Jude





