

THE BIBLICAL REALITY OF RACE

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For all the talk about race today, the level of confusion and ignorance on the topic is appalling. As a result, both the secular and religious worlds are easily manipulated by the globalist overlords to do exactly what their plan requires.

Without relying on Scripture as our guide to understand the topic, we will be left gullible and foolish, and susceptible to lies and fallacies.

Firstly, we must find out what Scripture says on the matter. Many, in an attempt to prove race is a “social construct”, will be quick to point out that the Bible doesn’t use the word “race”, and that may be true for certain English translations – but if we look at the original Hebrew and Greek, we’ll find a great deal of talk on the matter.

In the Hebrew of the Old Testament, the word for someone of another race was *nokriy*¹, translated into the Greek in the Septuagint as *allotrios*². We even see Scripture define *nokriy*, such as in Judges 19:12 – “We will not turn aside hither into the city of a stranger, *that is not of the children of Israel*; we will pass over to Gibeah.” In II Samuel 15, Ittai the Gittite is described as “a stranger (*nokriy*) and also an exile”. A Gittite was a native of Gath of the Philistines – not an Israelite and of the forbidden Canaanite lineages. In II Kings 8:41 and II Chronicles 6:32, Solomon speaks of “a stranger (*nokriy*), *that is not of thy people Israel*, but cometh out of a far country”. Ezra 9:1 lists examples of *nokriy* as “Canaanites, the Hittites, the Perizzites, the Jebusites, the Ammonites, the Moabites, the Egyptians, and the Amorites.”

The point we can draw from this is, not only were race and descent important to the early Hebrews, but they even made it a major aspect of their culture and morality. And they derived their morality from God’s law. Therefore, their “racism”, as it would undoubtedly be regarded today, was brought about through divine orchestration. Hebrews 12:16 describes Esau as a “fornicator” – but what fornication did he commit? We find in Genesis 26:34-35 that Esau married two Hittite women, and thereby “brought grief to Isaac and Rebekah.” In Genesis 27:46, Rebekah frets that Jacob might also take a wife from the forbidden lineages. Later on, in Genesis 28:1, confirming this, Isaac enjoins Jacob not to “take a wife from the daughters of Canaan”. Both Isaac and Rebekah were, by today’s secular standards, horribly bigoted and racist. The author of Hebrews, in calling Esau a “fornicator” for his choice in wives, would receive the same label.

In the case of all the people mentioned as *nokriy* in the Old Testament, most examples are Hamitic. Canaanites were descended from Ham’s son Canaan, and the Egyptians were descended from Ham’s other son Mizraim. Moab and Ammon, though Semitic, were descended from Lot through incest, and thus off limits to the holy people. Semitic peoples were not off limits. Genesis 28:8-9 tells us that in an effort to assuage his parents’ disappointment in him, Esau took a third wife, this time an Ishmaelite. Ishmaelites were Semitic, and closely related to the Israelites.

נִכְרִי – Strong’s H5237 *nokriy* – (Brown, Driver, Briggs) foreign, alien.

ἄλλότριος – Strong’s G245 *allotrios* – (Strong’s) another’s, *ie*, not one’s own; by extens. foreign, not akin, hostile: – alien

God's law also makes clear distinctions between the *nokriy* and the Israelite. Deuteronomy 14:21 says the Israelite is not to eat anything that dies on its own, but may give or sell it to a *nokriy* – the reason being that the Israelites, being holy, were not allowed to eat anything defiling, though the *nokriy* fell under no such restriction. Deuteronomy 15 commands the seventh-year remission of debts, in which Israelites forgave debts owed them by fellow Israelites – but in the case of *nokriy*, as we read in verses 1-3, an Israelite was permitted to maintain that debt, *ie*, hold him in bondage. Likewise in the case of usury (or interest). In Deuteronomy 23:20 Israelites are forbidden to loan to one another on interest, but when loaning to *nokriy* interest was fully permitted – in essence, permitting the permanent enslavement of those of another race (Proverbs 22:7 – The borrower is slave to the lender). Deuteronomy 17:15 commands that Israelites only set over themselves someone of their own kind, and not a *nokriy*.

Furthermore, Scripture warns against the *nokriy* woman. Proverbs 2:16, 5:20, 6:24, 7:5, and 23:27 all warn against her. Though most preachers will tell us it merely warns against loose women in general, *nokriy* refers to women of another nationality, particularly from the perspective of the Old Testament's Hebrew Israelite readers.

Repeatedly throughout the Pentateuch, God says he wants his people Israel to be holy. The word he uses in the Hebrew is *qodesh*³, which means set apart, separate, sacred, or holy. A people who mingles with others is not keeping apart, remaining separate, being sacred, or observing holiness. God gave his Law to them so they would remain distinctly separate in behavior, and their genetic lineage made them separate by nature.

A bastard shall not enter into the congregation of YHWH; even to his tenth generation shall he not enter into the congregation of YHWH. – Deuteronomy 23:2

“Bastard” is translated from the Hebrew *mamzer*⁴, which refers to one born of forbidden lineage, whether incest or miscegenation. “To his tenth generation” refers, not literally to the tenth generation, but is a Hebrew idiom meaning “forever”, as we see in the very next verse (verse 3). In modern terms, a person of mixed race is not permitted to enter the congregation of God's people, and neither are any of his descendants, but they must remain on the outside. This makes Almighty God evil and unloving in the eyes of modern Marxism's “useful idiots”.

It doesn't take much effort in study to see that God makes a distinction between peoples, and to claim otherwise requires either great ignorance or great dishonesty.

“But that those were the Old Testament days!” the majority of modern Christians will argue. They seem to forget – or, due to lack of knowledge (Hosea 4:6), simply don't know – that YHWH God declares he does not change (Malachi 3:6 – *For I am YHWH, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed.*). He does not change with the times, or modify his morals to suit our mortal sensibilities.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts. – Isaiah 55:8-9

Furthermore, Jesus Christ stated unequivocally that he had not come to do away with either the Law or

³ קֹדֶשׁ – Strong's H6944 *qodesh* – (Brown, Driver, and Briggs) apart, sacred, consecrated

⁴ מַמְזֵר – Strong's H4464, *mamzer* – (Brown, Driver, and Briggs) bastard, specif. child of incest, per. fig. coll., of mixed population Ze 9⁶

the prophets (Matthew 5:17) – and that statement includes the laws concerning *nokriy*. We in fact see that Christ made the distinction between his people and the others, namely, in the story of the Canaanite woman in Matthew 15. Christ, when confronted with her appeal for help, says, “I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” When she begs him further he says, “It is not meet [acceptable] to take the children’s [Israel’s] bread, and to cast it to dogs [non-Israelites].” Only when she humbly accepts his statement (“Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters’ table”) does he grant her request.

What a racist!

Some bleeding hearts will cry that race is nothing more than skin color, but fortunately YHWH isn’t an idiot. He knows, as anyone with eyes to see knows, that race goes much deeper. To say race is nothing more than skin color is as ludicrous as saying the only difference between a Ford Pinto and a Maserati is the paint job. Race goes as deep as the blood, the seed, the cranial capacity, the skeletal structure, the average intelligence quotient, the behavioral tendencies, and even, as God himself points out, religion. There’s a reason why organ transplants typically fail when the organ from a donor of one race goes to a recipient of another race. There’s a reason why certain countries of certain demographics have never risen above poverty and chaos, no matter how much foreign aid they receive. There’s a reason why the crime in America is largely committed by a certain people group. There’s a reason why Europe has become a crime-ridden hellhole at the same time waves of “migrants”, funded by the globalist cabal, have rolled in. There’s a reason why only one people has been responsible for the advancement and maintenance of civilization, art, literature, music, technology, agriculture, prosperity, and evangelism.

Different peoples are wired different ways, and only someone deliberately putting on the blinders of Marxist egalitarianism will turn a blind eye to it. God commanded his people to be separate from these other peoples because he, as the creator, fully understands the dangers of multiculturalism and multiracialism. Unless we’re complete fools – and sadly, most Americans and Europeans are –, we’ll accept what God had made clear for us.

If Europeans had maintained separation from other peoples, we would never have had the so-called “civil rights” unrest of the past century. We wouldn’t have a migration crisis. We wouldn’t have foreign diseases entering our country. Interracial crime would be unheard of. There would have been no Martin Luther King Jr, no Barack Obama, no Maxine Waters, no Jesse Jackson, no Al Sharpton, no Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez, no Ted Cruz, no OJ Simpson, no George Floyd, or any of these other troublesome individuals. In fact, race would barely be a topic of discussion in our day to day news, as it is today. Segregation, as prescribed by Scripture, would solve all the race issues we face today. It doesn’t take a genius to figure all this out. But thanks to the brainwashing and manipulation of Cultural Marxism, people on both sides of the political aisle have been dumbed down and want nothing to do with the solution. They’ve all been trained to believe the only real solution is evil. We intermarry with *nokriy* and adopt *nokriy*, and preach intermingling with *nokriy*, and as a reward for our virtue signaling we receive accolades and pats on the back from the deceived masses. And so we push it harder, because we love the praise of men over the praise of God.

Like the suicidal fools we are, we embrace our own demise.

Psalm 107:17 – *Fools because of their transgression, and because of their iniquities, are afflicted.*

We are afflicted because we’ve decided God’s way is evil, and man’s way is righteous. Our foolishness will end with our children cursing us for our idiocy. God won’t bless America until America repents.