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Shabbat Message

Pesach / *Passover* / פֶּסַח

[Joshua 5:2-15](#)

My Way or Yah's Way

Message Title

From Reproach to Promise

Introduction

The last day of Unleavened Bread is the Hoshana Rabbah but believe it or not that's more a Pharisaical holiday anyway. This is the day when the Priests would go down the Gihon springs and get water from a silver pitcher and then bring it up to the Altar to pour it out as a water libation ceremony in which Yeshua interrupted in John 7. This also the 7th day in which the walls

of Jericho came down after 6 days of silence and on the the Shabbat they fell before the Israelites. This Shabbat we are going to deal with Reproach to Promise.

Joshua 5:2-3

1. Yehovah told Joshua at that time when they crossed the Jordan to make yourself flint knives and circumcise against Bnei Yisrael a second time.
2. Joshua or Yehoshua made flint knives and circumcised all the people at Gibeath Ha araloth. Literally the High Place of HaAraoth
3. Yehoshua HaMashiach also circumcised our hearts on a High Place called Golgotha and He caused us to keep and accept His Covenant.

Joshua 5:4-5

1. The reason the men had to be circumcised is because all of the men of war that came out of Egypt died.
2. Even though those that came out of Egypt were circumcised those who were born on the way to the Promised Land weren't.
3. The wilderness is barren and represents no Torah, No Word just emptiness.

Joshua 5:6-7

1. The wilderness in this context was for refining and to pretty much eliminate those who were not going into the Promised land.
2. They were walking in the wilderness for 40 years which would have been 40 areas of refining.
3. Yehovah raised us their children to carry on the heritage.

Joshua 5:8-9

1. After circumcision they stayed there in that place to heal. Sometimes you have to stay put and recover.
2. This is the day that He rolled the reproach of Egypt away...He rolls our Sins and our Paganism away.
3. Yehoshua rolled our reproach away from us when HE died on the cross.

Joshua 5:10-12

1. While Bnei Yisrael camped at Rolling "Gilgal" they observed Passover on the evening of the fourteenth day of the month in the plains of Jericho.
2. On the day after Passover they celebrated Firstfruits and ate of the produce of the land.
3. Then when they were led to where they were supposed to be the manna ceased the day after firstfruits. The children of Israel did not have anymore manna but they ate the yield of

the land that grew that year.

Take Away

1. The Seventh day convocation was filled with all kinds of events.
2. Yehovah rolled away the reproach of Yisrael in one day after they came into the land.
3. They celebrated Firstfruits right away with not delay.

Application

1. I will be excited about Yeshua rolling my reproach.
2. I will live as firstfruits believer.
3. Yehovah has taken our Egypt from us. Rejoice!

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