

A person stands on a path at sunset, looking out over a landscape. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and blue. The person is silhouetted against the bright horizon. The path leads towards the horizon, and there are some lights visible in the distance.

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LESSONS IN LIFE!



YAHWEH

His Words For Life

Heavenly Father - The Title Of The Creator Of The Universe!

Yahweh - The Eternal Name Of The Creator Of The Universe!

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Ambitions with goals anchored by attentive planning are promoted in today's industrialized world, and as more "3rd-world" nations surface in those efforts, competitive steps have in reality, brought the world closer together.

I see places like Dubai of the United Arab Emirates, flourish in technological advancement with



such successful achievements as the world's first "driverless train system," while in California, we're still struggling with funding a high-speed rail line from Los Angeles to San Francisco.

China has become the world's 2nd largest economy growing from a U.S. dollar value of \$1.5 trillion in 2001 to \$6.2 trillion in 2010 supporting

its over 1.4 billion people in 2014, 19.2% of the world's population.

In 85 years (1929 to 2014) the GDP (*Gross Domestic Product - the value of annual domestic production and export of a country*) achievements of the United States rose from \$1.06 trillion to \$15.99 trillion, the largest in the world from a society that makes up just 5% of the world's total population (350 million people).

I look at the tremendous achievements of some of the world's single and combined

efforts (*world trade*), and yet, it all overlooks the achievements the Father who created it all, looks for from the world's human existence.

While I know some of the achievements have been beneficial to human existence, I also know they have been detrimental and potentially devastating on their own.

The arms races for example. Here we are in the year 2022 and nuclear muscle is being taunted by world leaders, especially Russia.

All of this magnificence, yet overlooking entirely the objective of the Father of Heaven and earth, perfection.

While nations test each other with nuclear threats, the Father tests us with individual actions.

If a nuclear bomb were to explode in one's lap, it's more important to Father Yahweh what the condition of the person holding the bomb is than the bomb itself, because He is going to put us back together again, nuclear bomb or no nuclear bomb.

Why the name **Yahweh**?

It was the name He gave to Moses to use with the Jews to confirm Moses represented His Words For Life.

Say this to the people of Israel: **Yahweh**, the Heavenly Father of your ancestors — the Heavenly Father of Abraham, the Heavenly Father of Isaac, and the Heavenly Father of Jacob — has sent me to you. **This is my eternal name**, my name to remember for all generations.
Exodus 3:15

Why the title **Heavenly Father**?

The term "god" is used by far too many religions to try and represent who He really is, our Heavenly Father!

If **I am your father and master**, where are the honor and respect I deserve?
Malachi 1:6

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I rather doubt it makes any difference at all to Yahweh as to who has how many bombs because they will never stand up to His Heavenly Army anyway.

What concerns our Father in Heaven is our obedience, not our warring capabilities. We can have all the nuclear bombs in the world, but it does nothing to strengthen us for everlasting life with Him, absolutely nothing.

We are being purified.

As I submit, evil is being burnt out of us day by day.

His Word But he knows where I am going. And when he tests me, I will come out as pure as gold. **Job 23:10**

Fire tests the purity of silver and gold, but Yahweh tests the heart. **Proverbs 17:3**

You have tested us, O Heavenly Father; you have purified us like silver. **Psalms 66:10**

Many will be purified, cleansed, and refined by these trials. But the wicked will continue in their wickedness, and none of them will understand. Only those who are wise will know what it means. **Daniel 12:10**



I will bring that group through the fire and make them pure. I will refine them like silver and purify them like gold. They will call on my name, and I will answer them. I will say, These are my people, and they will say, Yahweh is our Heavenly Father. **Zechariah 13:9**

“These are my people” Yahweh will announce one day in the future.

Who?

Submitted people who are refined and purified like gold and

silver. That’s hot purification. But, all the contaminants we’ve picked up along the path of life have to be purged out of us and we have to learn to wait on the Heavenly Father for everything in our lives.

His Word I am Yahweh. Those who wait for me will never be put to shame. **Isaiah 49:23**

Never be put to shame!

Don’t know about you, but shame is an area I want noth-

ing to do with. I don’t ever want to be shamed in the eyes of our Heavenly Father.

His Word Many of those whose bodies lie dead and buried will rise up, some to everlasting life and some to shame and everlasting disgrace. **Daniel 12:2**

Everlasting life?

Everlasting shame and disgrace?

His Word Except the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. If you eat its fruit, you are sure to die. **Genesis 2:17**

Not being judgmental here, (*judging for everlasting existence belongs to Yahweh*), but if Adam and Eve, the first human beings on the planet, were given a choice of living or not living, don’t you think that freedom of choice has followed right along the same path laid out for them?

The billion people at the flood could have changed their minds to righteousness and lived, but they didn’t.

The people of Sodom and Gomorrah could easily had changed their evil ways and lived, (*even just ten of them*), but they didn’t.

When you think about the stubbornness of wickedness (*disobedience*), one just has to say to oneself, any rebellion I have in me has to go.

Eve stubbornly disobeyed and Adam played right along.

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The billion people who died in the flood stubbornly continued to not just act in wickedness (*disobedience*), their thoughts were evil all the time.

The Father could not even find ten righteous people in the plains of Sodom and Gomorrah. Just ten of the half million or so estimated population of the area at that time.

Our goal must be perfection and we gain the right perfection through righteousness.

We have to be "right" with Yahweh our Heavenly Father and in order to complete that righteousness, we have to submit entirely to Him because, we are born with evil in our minds.

My wife and I live in a private community with a 2.3 mile circumference lake. The lake has wild life and domestic ducks get dropped off from time to time. Wild ducks migrate from our lake, but domestic ducks get stuck here because people dump them

(*don't want them any more or for whatever reason*) and they can't or won't fly away.

There are children on the lake that chase and harass those domestic ducks, some times they even kill them in their evil abuses. It tears our hearts up, but unfortunately, those kids are born with evil in their hearts, and if they aren't taught the way of the Heavenly Father, they will remain that way all of their lives.

If they aren't taught to respect those domestic ducks and are allowed to chase and harass them instead, shame on their parents for allowing them to do it. Shame on them for allowing evil to prevail over good.

It's the word of Father Yahweh that makes the changes, because we too were children once and we too were evil-prone at one time in our lives as well.

His Word Everything they think or imagine is **bent toward evil from childhood.** **Genesis 8:21**

There's only two ways out of that condition.

Either parents are so sold out to Yahweh that they teach "His Words For Life" and it's lived day in and day out, or, at some point in *our* lives, we turn from evil and submit to His influence (*Spirit*), so we can turn from the embedded evil we start out with.

So the completion of righteousness begins with the act of submission.

In Nineveh, 120,000 people submitted.

As the Father stated, people's thoughts and actions are bent toward evil from childhood. Here were 120,000 people moving along in life under those unfortunate human conditions when along came a man who told them they were about to be annihilated if they didn't what?

Change!

Submit!

Admit they had been wrong from childhood, be

Acknowledgment Of Yahweh

(Honoring and recognizing our Creator – Psalm 29)

Give honor to Yahweh, you angels; give honor to Yahweh for his glory and strength.

Give honor to Yahweh for the glory of his name. Worship Yahweh in the splendor of his holiness.

The voice of Yahweh echoes above the sea. The Heavenly Father of glory thunders. Yahweh thunders over

the mighty sea. The voice of Yahweh is powerful; the voice of Yahweh is full of majesty. The voice of Yahweh splits the mighty cedars; Yahweh shatters the cedars of Lebanon. He makes Lebanon's mountains skip like a calf and Mount Hermon to leap like a young bull.

The voice of Yahweh strikes with lightning bolts. The voice of Yahweh

makes the desert quake; Yahweh shakes the desert of Kadesh. The voice of Yahweh twists mighty oaks and strips the forests bare. In his Temple everyone shouts, "Glory!"

Yahweh rules over the floodwaters. Yahweh reigns as king forever.

Yahweh gives his people strength.

Yahweh blesses them with peace.

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sorry they were, stop being that way, submit to the Father of Heaven and to His ways of life so they could be saved.

And, the Ninevites did, and, they were saved.

Their choice was an immediate ordeal.

Doesn't happen often. Didn't in the garden of Eden, didn't at the flood, didn't in the city of Babel, didn't at Sodom and Gomorrah, hasn't held throughout Jewish history and most certainly doesn't exist today in the living conditions of the human race throughout the world.

Why? Because the act of submission must first believe there is only one Heavenly Father at work in His creation, and one must submit to that Heavenly Father and no other.

There is no way one can be perfected (*purified*) if one doesn't believe in the Heavenly Father of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob and submit to the ways of life He laid down in written form through His chosen prophet and leader, Moses.

First of all, those who try call it "religion", and religion is *not* what the Father of Heaven is laying out for man to follow.

It wasn't religion that told Adam and Eve not to partake of the fruit of tree of knowledge of good and evil, is was *life*. It was a lifestyle our Heavenly Father demanded of His creation.

It wasn't because of religion that He wiped out almost all of the human race (*and the animal kingdom*), it was a lifestyle the human race had chosen to live (*evil*) as He found only one man on earth that was a righteous man (*right with Yahweh*). It was the way Noah was *living* that made the difference, not his religion.

It was the way Abraham obeyed Him that made the difference, not Abraham's religion.

It was the way Moses obeyed, not his religion (*and when he didn't obey, he paid the price – did not enter the land Yahweh promised to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob*).

That should show us right there the path we should be on, perfection through righteousness.

We have to be right with Him, not religious with Him.

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Righteousness and wickedness are the prevailing lifestyles He views, not religion.

Noah was a "righteous" man and it saved his life. The entire community of Nineveh turned to "righteousness" and it saved their lives.

Jonah turned to "righteousness" and it saved his life so he could warn Nineveh and it saved theirs.

His Word The instructions of Yahweh are perfect,

reviving the soul. The decrees of Yahweh are trustworthy, making wise the simple. **Psalm 19:7**

And just what is living a righteous life? It certainly is *not* following a religion, it's following the instructions of Yahweh.

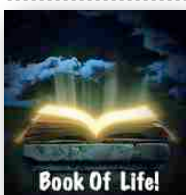
Perfection is in His instructions and that's life, not religion. It's righteousness at work and wickedness is met with His anger.

His Word Heavenly Father is an honest judge. He is angry with the wicked every day.

Psalm 7:11

So, work the puzzle.

If He is angry with the wicked all the time (*people who refuse to live by His law*) then He must certainly shower



IS YOUR NAME WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF LIFE?

Millions of angels ministered to him; many millions stood to attend him. Then the court began its session, and the **books were opened**. **Daniel 7:10** Then there will be a time of anguish greater than any since nations first came into existence. But at that time every one of your people whose name is **written in the book will be rescued**.

Daniel 12:1

We will not add anything to this truth. Your name in the book saves your life!

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those who live righteously with His unfailing love.

His Word If you listen to these regulations and faithfully obey them, Yahweh your Heavenly Father will keep his covenant of unfailing love with you, as he promised with an oath to your ancestors. **Deuteronomy 7:12**

I prayed to Yahweh my Heavenly Father and confessed: "O Yahweh, you are a great and awesome Heavenly Father! You always fulfill your covenant and keep your promises of unfailing love to those who love you and obey your commands. **Daniel 9:4**

If we don't submit to His law (*His way of life*), there is no way we can be perfected in righteousness because righteousness *is* His law and the human race will one day be bound by it, like it or not.

His Word He will not falter or lose heart until justice

prevails throughout the earth. Even distant lands beyond the sea will wait for his instruction. **Isaiah 42:4**

And, righteousness is individually obtained through repentance. No one can become righteous for you or on your behalf as religion promotes.



You become righteous as you submit yourself, and yourself only, just like the entire community of Nineveh did.

His Word Even if Noah, Daniel, and Job were there, their righteousness would save no one but themselves, says the Sovereign Yahweh. **Ezekiel 14:14**

Noah's righteousness can't save us. Daniel's righteousness can't save us. Job's righteousness can't save us. Righteousness is an individual achievement and the method by which we are saved.

And, you can't serve Yahweh and religion. It's either Him or it isn't Him:

His Word For they go up to their roofs and bow to the sun, moon, and stars. They claim to follow Yahweh, but then they worship Molech,

too. **Zephaniah 1:5**

In this example, worshipping the sun, moon, stars and Molech represents worshipping religion on earth, not His law.

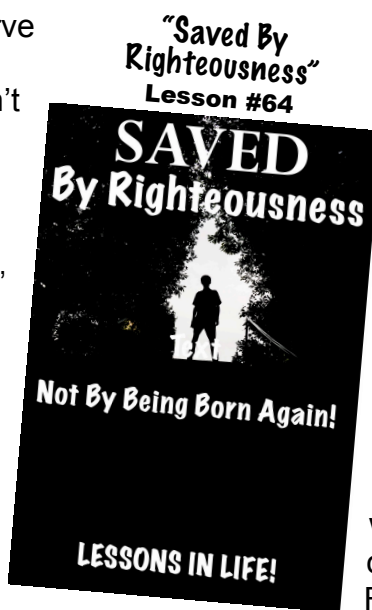
I always hear people refer to their "faith", their "religion" and rarely Yahweh.

One just has to take note here.

He's going to destroy those who do it, and it doesn't matter which of the thousands of religions on earth one might be faithful to, they don't represent Yahweh and His way of life, they represent man-made religious systems.

Just using one as an example, the pope in Rome is worshipped by over 1.1 billion people on earth as "god's" representative. He is treated with royalty, he is bowed down to, his hands are kissed, he

lays out meaningless blessings on people, he carries on ritualistic religious acts, but he does not teach the law through Moses and the earlier priests of the Father. He does not bring people to Yahweh through our Heavenly Father's law of



life.

We can't obtain our goal of perfection through righteousness following *any* of these systems.

We can only do it by submitting to our Father and His law given Moses.

**His Law,
His Salvation!**