

"HE SAW THAT IT WAS GOOD" . . . BUT HE

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Yahweh - Heavenly Father

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A Community Of Believers

From the time our Heavenly Father created everything in the universe, He's only asked His human creation to do two things, listen and obey!

For generations of time, He's patiently waited for people to listen to Him and obey what we hear, and He gave us the freedom of choice to decide.

His instructions are not religious, they are life and for we believers scattered throughout the world, it's time to listen and obey Him before it's too late.



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FORWARD

FAR too long the human race has been bombarded with the idea that it must belong to some sort of religious system to have any hope of contact with the One who created life, and in man-made and mythical rites and rituals, is forced to reserve that contact to certain times of the day, week, or month to acknowledge His existence. Even in one of the freest nations on earth, the United States of America, a sharp distinction is made between church and state forcing separate lifestyles one from the other. It's all complete bologna.

How sad the Creator of the universe must feel as He views the world as it exists today, separated from His instructions. It surely does not meet His expectations of the human life He created with simple purpose for His own desires. Yet, how fortunate that we're even around to live any part of it. It's only by His patience and graciousness that we are.

All He has ever wanted is a simple relationship with the humans He created and it doesn't take a religious system or a building to meet in to get us there. He wants the same thing all of us want because we are created in His image. He, and we, want to be loved, to be cared about, to be recognized and in His case, to be worshipped for the miracle of creation itself. Yet, man in his continual strive for self-centered and egotistical mastery has created his own god with its own

theologies and its own mysticism to the degree that the true Creator of all life has become completely obscured in either confusion or boastful religious rites and is, unfortunately, secondary to the ego of the human He created. So we encourage you to take a deep breath and come out of it, leave religion and the idolatries it represents and be freed from its bondage. That's right, part of the intent of this writing is to free you from bondage and bring you to the real understanding of life as He created it.

If you believe in Him accept the fact that at one point in history He put up with so much of human evil and corruption He decided to nearly wipe us out and flooded the earth to a point 22 feet above the highest mountain on the planet, assuring that anyone and everyone who needed air to breath would be without it long enough to die. *"I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish"* (**Genesis 6:17**).

Only He knows the actual number of people that were alive when it occurred, but there are estimates that billions of human beings, men, women, children and unfortunately, animals were on the surface of the planet when it happened.

You are reminded of this incident to awaken you to not only the greatness of His creative capabilities, but the power of His wrath when He's had enough of it. In hope, however, know that you and I, in our short time in this life, have the capability to be on

the Noah side of Him without need of religion, without religious buildings, without man-made rites and rituals, without theologies, without bible-thumping holier-than-thou sermons or street-corner screaming, and without having to be born again to have a one-on-one actual relationship with the One who wants it to be so.

Know also that our Heavenly Father (*and we call Him by the name He gave Moses, Yahweh*), did once again get to a point of wrath because of disobedience as He dealt with His own chosen nation, Israel. In punishment, He "**scattered**" them throughout the world a couple thousand years ago similar to what He did at the Tower of Babel when He confused human languages.

In that **scattering** however, He said Himself there would still be those who would seek Him out and it is that state of affairs we find ourselves involved today, waiting for the day of reckoning when He brings us home to Israel, forever. *"Though I have **scattered** them like seeds among the nations, they will still remember me in distant lands. They and their children will survive and return again to Israel"*. (**Zechariah 10:9**)

He titles us a "remnant," a small remaining quantity as it's defined, so do know that you'll not find many of the same mind and of the same goal, but the most important factor is that you submit to Him, and not to religion. We know there are others **scattered** throughout the world so we are reaching out to you with encouragement to bring you to Him, and that's both believing Jew and foreigner alike.

For a quarter century, the relationship we've developed with Yahweh has been one of growth, development and His influence (Spirit) applying the words He gave to the world at Mt. Sinai and then through Moses and subsequent Influentially filled prophets. Realizing we are part of the **scattered** and in His timing, we now share with you what we have come to know, encouraging you to come directly to Him and not religion.

Early on, we were caught up in religion, many of them, and in our stubbornness, it took a while for our eyes to be opened to the man-made evil and corruption that even religion presents itself to be when fully exposed. Eventually just like His rescue of Israel, and in our submission like those of Nineveh, He pulled us out of it and we've never looked back.

We believe Him when He says He will gather us up from around the world. If dead, He will put us back together and bring us to Israel where we'll spend eternity with Him and that includes the Jew and every foreigner (*non-Jew*) who believes.

We are a **"Scattered Community"** and we invite you to join in on a journey that's eternal in scope and rewarding in reality as you become a friend of Heavenly Father, Yahweh.

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1. CREATOR AND CREATION

CAUGHT up in a survival mentality from the least of the knowledgable to the brilliance of the greatest minds on earth, it makes no difference when it comes to the nature of the beast. We all bleed red blood, we are all created with the same basic structure of cells that define us as human beings yet set us apart from other animal, plant and mineral life that make up our world, and we all evolved from one man and one woman.

And then there is this god thing, and I use that term with mute emphasis because in our world today, there are so many of them their importance is too controversial and so battle-ground relevant to mass hysteria including war, I prefer not to use that term at all. So henceforth He isn't god, He is our Heavenly Father.

At the basis of the worldly description of someone above us lies a huge part of the divisional make up of world governments and world societies that have created the confusion and holier-than-thou attitudes that separate us one from another and in a quarter of a century with Him, we've concluded that we are one on one with creation and forced into governed societies that have little to do with any of it.

Evolving out of the mess is an entity called religion, a definition of "the belief and worship of a superhuman power, especially a personal god or gods." At last count, there are an estimated 4,200 of these entities in the world today that 7.6 billion

people, currently alive on earth, are faced with making a decision about which one is right for them, or if any at all. Then one has to consider the roughly 108 billion humans who have lived and already died since time began, and the individual decision-making is massive to say the least. We might add here, the earlier population numbers are pure conjecture because no one really knows for sure.

Sampling some of these religions, my wife and I have concluded that none of them offer a resolve about our flesh and blood relationship with creation, and our belief in a Creator of that creation, so we set upon a path to discover the relationship between the Creator and His Created and here's what we have concluded:

Our Creator is a Heavenly Father of miraculous capabilities and He has a name He gave Moses, Yahweh (*I have caused to be*); He and His angels have always existed; this universe, our world and all of its components (*including human beings*) exist because of His own personal desires; and our relationship with Him is one on one with no need for a mediator on our behalf.

He did not create religion, He created life and He gave us instructions on how to live life to glorify His miraculous intent for a relationship that can be forever, which is a choice He has left up to each of us to make.

We found His instructions for life through the lifestyles and writings passed down through particular people He chose on earth to represent His desires, not the least of which were ancestors of His chosen nation, Israel. Thus we believe and are fully committed to the Heavenly Father of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and His chosen nation Israel, and no religion.

In time tested effort to keep that nation on track and because of their arrogant and insistent desire not to obey His instructions for life, He **scattered** them across the world which is the condition we find today. However, in His graciousness, He did so knowing and emphasizing there would still be those who believe Him, thus we are the believing **“Scattered Community”** waiting to be recovered. reconstructed and reconvened in the area of the world He has promised an eternal abode, Israel.

We reach to you as believers. Not religionists, but believers and encourage you to understand that you can take the path of an eternal relationship with the one who created you, be you alive or when you die, recovered and reconstructed from the world of evil and corruption we now have to endure. You need no religion to get you there, you just need faith, trust, love and obedience and you'll have His attention.

He created us for Him, not Him for us. We are His creation waiting for salvation and He is the Creator holding it in His hands.

2. LIFE IS SO SHORT

LIFE is such a short journey when compared to the time of creation. Awed by the immensity of the universe and the minuteness of the molecules that make up our bodies, we find that to our Creator, life is as nothing. *Everyone is but a breath, even to those who seem secure (Psalm 39:5).*

Every one of us as individuals are as different as night and day and it matters not where we live, what our nationality might be, the color of our skin, or the language we speak, because we all evolved from the same created source of one man and one woman with one objective, love for the One who created us.

All too often the human race in its reach to justify existence, forgets there is just a very very short period of time from our miraculous conception, our first breath of life at birth to our last breath of life at expiration and in that short space of time, we make a decision about the eternal side of existence. That is the realm, eternity, where Yahweh, our Heavenly Father, and His angels have resided forever. Our short 70-odd-years or so of life is over in a flash and its in that short period of time you and I must decide eternity.

That's right, we decide eternity and no one else. While we can be guided and taught, hopefully by parents who understand our Heavenly Father, no one can decide eternal life for us. No one can stand in our place to make the decision for us and no one

can die on our behalf to justify our eternal existence which has as its basis to love our Heavenly Father with all our heart, mind and soul.

As you absorb this information, please realize that you are your own judge in the decisions you make about your relationship with Yahweh, our Heavenly Father and we write this with the sincere hope that you will seek the path back to Him from the **scattered** condition you now find yourself living on this planet.

Some of the things you need to understand about life is that it was a creation, not an evolvement. It was a manifested idea with purpose, not an accident. Science has spent lifetimes and trillions of dollars trying to figure it out and duplicate it without success, because life is a miraculous effort by one source and those secrets belong to Him.

By giving His human creation a mind with choice, the mind wrestles with living the way of the world, or living the way of Yahweh, and in His graciousness, He selected a particular nation of people on earth to demonstrate how to live His way in this short time span, the nation of Israel.

Through that nation He not only orally gave instructions for life Himself, He had them written down so that they could be referred to, read from and passed down to offspring, and those others who followed the nation (*categorized as foreigners*) with promises of protection in return for obedience.

Unfortunately, just as that which happened in the garden by the adult man and woman first created, the nation has allowed itself to be misdirected, wrongly taught and in many cases their refusals to listen to His instructions have been laced with arrogance, anger, stubbornness and disrespect.

They have paid and are paying the price for their wrong choices as have others who followed along with them, and at a historical point in time Yahweh **scattered** His own chosen people across this planet in conditions we find ourselves living today.

Just as all of us have paid the price for the initial disobedience of Adam and Eve in the form of death (*death did not exist until they disobeyed Him*), we also pay the price for the disobedience of His chosen nation. We love Him and we believe Him, but we are **scattered** throughout the world.

However, He also said, at the **scattering**, there are those who would yet honor Him, cling to Him, love Him, obey Him to the best of their human capability and wait patiently for His return to earth to gather His **scattered** for all eternity, to live with Him in righteousness forever in Israel (*read newsletter #289*).

If you love Him, if you care about Him, if you care about yourself and where you will end up in eternity, you belong with the **“Scattered Community”** and you need to stand your ground against all odds, and to help you, we want to introduce you to or bring you back to Yahweh, our Heavenly Father, who will judge all

of us, good and bad when that time comes. No religion and no government can give you a chance at eternal life with Yahweh. Only you!

The **“Scattered Community”** is not a religion. It is not a government. It is a community of people who individually believe in a Heavenly Father who offers a path to Him without need of a religion or a government to guide them. It is a community of people who sense in their soul, the world and it's 195 governments and it's estimated 4,200 religions are not the answer. Yahweh is the answer, so we encourage you to embrace the community and live His way before you take that last breath and return back to the dust of the earth from which you were created.

We once again encourage you to think about yourself and the time of life you have in your body, because life is so short. On earth, 55.3 million people die every year, that's 151,600 people every day and 6,316 people every hour, and you have from the time you inhaled your first breath to the time you exhale your last breath to make your decision about your eternal life.

Life is so, so short.

3. CHOICE

BELIVING the writings of Yahweh, and His chosen representatives such as Moses and a barrage of prophets, you'll find the nature of your Heavenly Father at work on earth. Those writings are contained in what man refers to as the "Old Testament" and in those writings we find Yahweh manifested on earth as He set out to direct His human creation on how they should live life. Throughout those writings the action of choice to obey Him or not obey Him manifests itself as an individual and collective decision by those with a mind capable of doing so, and it began with Adam and Eve.

We don't refer to His title as "god" because that is a referral too often used by too many religions that encompass too many beliefs and systems that we've come to learn are just not of Him at all.

We don't refer to His name as "lord" because that too is a referral too often used by too many religions that encompass too many beliefs and systems that we've come to learn are just not of Him at all.

We do not believe in the "New Testament" of instructions for life because those mythical writings center themselves around a figure other than Yahweh as the world's savior and we believe His words when He says He is the only savior and there is no other. *I, Yahweh, am your Savior and your Redeemer, the Mighty One of*

Israel - (Isaiah 60:16). I am Yahweh your Heavenly Father, and there is no other - (Joel 2:27)

We reference the Word of our Heavenly Father in the Biblical interpretation of The New Living Translation, Genesis to Malachi which holds the truth about His desires for our life from beginning to end. It's for all of us, and easily understood.

We do not believe in any religion. Common sense tells us that of an estimated 4,200 religions on earth, none follow life as He laid it down for us to live at Mount Sinai and instead have perverted the true Word of our Heavenly Father for their own gain. We promote no religion, we are not involved in any religious rite or church, but instead in awe and respect of our Heavenly Father we worship Him right where we stand at all times.

We observe His Sabbath, a day out of each week to rest as it is an instruction from Him, and common sense suggests it's a necessity.

We observe His Passover Season in obedience, honor and respect of the miraculous salvation of His chosen nation, Israel, because in that miraculous act, He showed the world what salvation is all about. Those who paid the price for trying to stop Him, and those who were protected for obeying Him.

We honor Him in other Feasts that He set aside to give Him thanks for provision and sustenance of life, for rain, for crops, for the nourishing foods we eat.

We honor Him for His creation, we worship Him for even thinking about us after the flood, and we credit Him for being a true Father concerned about our needs, and aiding us in our endeavors to worship and obey Him.

Those choices set us apart, make us unique and in the midst of the 7.6 billion people on earth, **scattered** as we are, we anticipate with great awe and praise, the day He returns to earth, gathers us from around the world (*including the graves we'll occupy*) and brings us to His land of milk and honey where we'll spend eternity with Him.

Scattered as we are, we know there are others all over the world and we reach to you to encourage you if you are Jew to return to Him and His ways of life, and if you're not, know that as you believe, you will participate as a believer in the greatest miracle of all time, raised and refurbished for eternal existence.

Know this, no one goes to heaven. Everyone dies and returns to dust and the personality rests. Heaven is Yahweh's abode along with His angels and they've been there forever (*read newsletter #48*).

We believe He exists in a universe far outside of our own because He created our universe. Common sense then tells us He couldn't have existed in something that didn't exist before it was created. In other words, He is the Creator, not the created.

Know this too, He knows everything that is going on in this world, and He knows every individual that has lived and lives in it. Know that He is watching, **scattered** as we are, He's watching our choices. *From heaven Yahweh looks down and sees all mankind - (Psalm 33:13) He views the ends of the earth and sees everything under the heavens. - (Job 28:24)*

He has millions and millions of angels that serve Him and guard us at His beckoning command: *"He will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways" - (Psalm 91:11)* We can think of no better protection in all the world than angels commanded by our Heavenly Father to watch over us (*read newsletter #162*).

You may raise the question about where to go to a church or what religion to belong to and we beg of you to understand that living the life of the Heavenly Father is not a religion and is not found in the walls of a church building or a congregation of people following unfounded paths in over 4,200 religions on earth today. Your choice is not a religion or a church, but His way of life.

Common sense tells us someone has to be right, and just as the Jews wandered off toward the idolatries of Baal religious worship in the early formation of the nation, Yahweh hated their choice then, and hates idolatrous worship today. He gave them His instructions and they ignored Him. They were far from right in their choice.

Know this as well, the relationship you have with the Creator of all matter and your salvation is a one on one relationship between you and He and no one else. No priest, no pope, no rabbi, no pastor, no elder, or no woman or man can stand up for you in that relationship. Only your choices. *They would save only themselves by their righteousness - (Ezekiel 14:19)*

Please think it through and realize, Adam and Eve did not have a Bible, did not have a church, and did not have a mediator between themselves and our Heavenly Father. Their choice, and their relationship was loving the one who created them because He did. Honor Him and credit Him for doing it by obeying His directives for life. It's that simple, and we do want to warn you, Yahweh is jealous of that relationship and does not want to share you with anyone else *(read newsletter #285)*.

Please be warned that most will come against these truths and will use all sorts of mythical and theological reasonings to attempt to sway you away from His word and the word of His prophets. And, you yourselves may question His word as you compare your life to the lives of those around you.

But as first stated, as individuals you are as different as night and day, and choices are your own individual desires. So beware of the falsehoods that try and keep you from the truth, the path to Him and His glory. Listen to Him, listen to His prophets *(read newsletter #57)*.

The Roman Empire, in man's forced system of calendar dating, found itself in the same position in its 1st Century as the world around us is today. They had their own "way", their own "religion", their own "governance" and the Jews, selected by Yahweh to be the way, and the writings and instructions of their prophetic ancestors, conflicted and in most cases came against the Roman mythical religious system made up of mystical thought and words of impossible understandings. Thus, attempted writings to meld the old and the new produced a "new" testament of a Heavenly Father far different than the Heavenly Father of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and His rescued nation, the Israelis.

We find, however, Yahweh has never changed nor will He ever change. He was the same yesterday, is today and will be tomorrow. His words of truth, and His commandments of life are the same today as they were at the time the first listening ears of adult human beings could listen. And His instructions are based on the foundation of His Kingdom, righteousness, and not the world's rendition of a life of ease, self-centered pleasures and a substitute for sin. *(I Yahweh do not change - Malachi 3:6)*. *(Heavenly Father, who is enthroned from of old, who does not change - Psalm 55:19)*.

While we identify ourselves as a **scattered community**, we do so in full knowledge that each of us has an individual relationship with our Creator, and it is that relationship we fully acknowledge and concentrate on as a community of people who

believe just that. We encourage and aid the personal one-on-one relationship that will be so important when the “scrolls are opened” and are happy that we can help others to know we’ll be found in them at judgement.

The Jews gathered together socially to hear Yahweh Himself orally distribute the words of life, and later at, but not in, His Temple to listen to the chosen Priests of Yahweh relay the words of the entire covenant that they might hear and apply the instructions to their lives. The Israeli people were never in a building, nor were they ever a part of any ritualistic system to receive the Word of Yahweh. The word was orally given to them, they heard the truth and it was up to them to apply the truth individually to their lives.

That system of mass gathering ended when the Temple in which they gathered around ended, but the written word was instructed by Yahweh to be taught by the parents to their children with or without the Temple. Unlike religious churches, synagogues, mosques and other such buildings today, Yahweh’s Temple was not a house of worship for the masses, but for the select and His Priests to care for and carry out the sacrifices for the nation’s sins.

That system of sacrifice and worship ended when the Temple ended and won’t begin again until He sets foot in His new Temple in Jerusalem atop Mt. Zion where He will reside and be worshipped forever.

As then, the teachings of His Word and the application of His Word is at an individual level because the relationship He seeks with His human creation is as one-on-one as it was at the garden.

Choosing to believe Him began at Eden. Choosing to love Him began at Eden. Choosing to obey Him began at Eden. Choosing to worship He and He only began at Eden. Choosing death began at Eden and we inherited it. Choosing righteousness as a way of life began at Eden and was tested at the flood.

Just because we are a **scattered community** of individuals, choice is still in our grasp and it is choice that makes the difference between an eternal existence with the One who created us or an existence apart from Him in shame and disgrace. Worse are those who will never see Him or the light of day as they remain in the pit of the earth individually chosen as their eternal destiny.

We so encourage you that as you feel you believe Him, choose Him, thus life and in your patience, know that because of your choice, when the books are opened by His angels for His judgement, you will be found there as a part of His treasure, rescued, and receive your eternal inheritance. (*At that time every one of your people whose name is written in the book will be rescued - **Daniel 7:10***).

4. Heaven Is Our Father's Domain

NO one goes to heaven! Contrary to religious belief and to the teachings of mystic religions, we are on or in this planet forever. We were created to live on this planet or beneath it depending on the judgment of our Heavenly Father and it is the only planet in all of the universe that He created for us to reside.

Our heaven, or simply the sky as we view it, is a realm He created at the outset as a result of His desires, not ours, and there were not multiple planets created for us to live on. This one was formed out of all of our universe just for us and no one else nor anywhere else.

We can only guess as to the size of the universe He created for us to reside in, but, we can with common sense understand that He isn't of the universe He created. He resides outside of it. The reason that is obvious is that He wouldn't have created something He would have been a part of or He would have created Himself, and He didn't. He and His angels have always existed, far removed from the capability of the human brain to understand that, common sense tells us that He was somewhere else when He created our universe, not inside of it.

Thus, the Heaven where Heavenly Father exists, is beyond our universe in an area of unknown space and it's His Heaven, not ours. It's where our Heavenly Father resides, not us in any way shape or form.

When we expire, we don't go to His Heaven, we stay right here on earth and our bodies, void of the capability of sustaining life, begin to deteriorate back to dust, and He's told us that in His own words.

He and His "Heavenly Army" (the angels) reside with Him in that area of space we know absolutely nothing about, and they always have.

We're guessing as to the actual makeup of those things within the universe He created for us and when some scientist says there are 100 to 200 billion galaxies in our universe, that is a complete guess, an estimate, because no one on earth has any idea of the true composition of the universe He made for us, only Yahweh.

However, the magnitude of His creative abilities is wrapped up in the fact He named every star as they were created and just in our galaxy alone, the Milky Way, there are guesses of 100 to 300 billion stars.

One has to mentally imagine a scene of our Father at work and from His domain as He decided to create this universe and everything in it including you and I. From the molecular makeup of this world he created for us, He made us. And because of the intentional disobedience of His firstly created human pair, death entered creation and at death the created body stopped functioning, no blood continued to circulate to maintain a bodies'

capability to live and breath, and it (the body) began its reversal from its creation of soil, back to soil and it has been that way since the beginning of time.

When the body dies, it goes no where, absolutely no where, and the personality that encompasses that body stops functioning and in fact rests right where it's at until it's time to bring it back to life. Just like when we sleep at night. We are at rest, not awake, not operating in the existence of the world, but sound asleep.

No "soul" goes to His Heaven. No "body" goes to His Heaven, because His Heaven is our Father's realm and from that realm is where He in His wisdom and understanding took on the task of creating it all to begin with.

So, from His Heaven, His residency outside of our own universe, He has graciously manifested Himself within the realm of His own creation from time to time, and appeared to the human race mostly in forms not as human as you and I because His existence is beyond our imagination and our capability of visual contact. He in fact is so blinding that He had his servant Moses hide himself as He met him on Mt. Sinai to protect him from blindness.

Thus, His realm, His Heaven, is beyond the capability of the human body to reside in which is why in all of His word, He continually talks about the only area on earth that we will

someday be gathered, and it's the land He described to Abraham and promised to he and his predecessors.

So, one must think that through with common sense. An area on earth is promised to a human of earth wherein some bodies of humans of earth that are to be raised will reside in total comfort and joy, at peace, conditioned in righteous mentality, forever. And, at the same time, in this land on earth, promised to a human of earth, He will in His miraculous capability make Himself available to be thanked and worshipped in a Temple, just as He was in the Tabernacle and Temples of centuries ago when He visited earth and rescued His nation, Israel.

All of this information is supported in His true word, the word He gave Noah, the word He gave Abraham, Issac and Jacob (later named Israel), the word He gave Moses, the word He gave Joshua, the word He gave selected leaders, the word He gave His prophets, and the word He gave others as He Himself proclaimed to His chosen nation who He is and what He asks for in turn for His creative miracles of life.

All done from where He resides in His heaven. His domain now and forever.

5. *We Decide Our Destiny*

MANY of you have seen, either personally or on television, people standing on street corners around the world holding signs up about people being sinners headed for hell yelling at the top of their lungs that their “savior” is the only way to prevent that. Some of you have attended church services and heard the preachers from a pulpit blast out the same message and then call for people to give in to their savior and be “saved”. Many of you have attended particular church services that provide systems led by their priests wherein you are led to stand up, sit down, kneel and all sorts of ritualistic body motions made to represent yourselves as needing assistance to be with their “god”. Perhaps a few of you have attended gatherings that use live snakes as a systematic ritual of non-fear tactics to make you feel embolden to meet your “god”. Maybe some of you have attended gatherings wherein people go off ranting and raving in indistinguishable words which they classify as “speaking in tongues” and their “sign” of some spiritually embedded entity that has come in to a body representing their “god”.

Perhaps some of you have been classified as Catholic, Protestant, Jewish, Islamic, Hindu or some other name or form of religion on earth, all of whom will tell you, it’s their way or the highway making you feel like you have to belong in order to have a relationship with their “god”.

Many will tell you you have to be “born again” in order to reap the benefits of a “god” in Heaven who holds the key to life and death, scaring you in to submission to “their” system of belief. Some may even through mass hypnosis, actually cause you to faint and fall where you stand as they lay their hands on you in an attempt to make you think it is their way to “god”.

A huge percentage of the population of earth believe in a mythical “son-god”, a savior sent from Heaven and that you must submit to him in order to be saved from sure death without resurrection, and these same institutions use as their basis, words from a new testament of their scriptures created and penned by Romans at a time when the Jews and Romans were at total odds with each other, and a good 360 years or so after their so-called savior died.

And then there are the Jews. Yahweh’s chosen nation whom He personally intervened from His Heavenly home, came to earth, directed Moses to lead and Aaron to set up His priesthood at a time that after some 400 years of bondage in Egypt, He miraculously led them out and protected them on the way.

Yahweh gave His true word to the Jews, and it is His true words that we who are **scattered** around the world and believe in Him, use as a basis for the life He provided for us to live in this short time of 70-odd-years or so in these bodies. They were supposed to be the example and the followers of His word and in the beginning they were taught by He Himself, His selected

representative Moses, worshipped by His selected priests headed up by Aaron and their lives and how they lived were supposed to set the example for all the world to follow.

Unfortunately, they too turned the life He gave them in to religion setting up Synagogues all over the world which He never directed or sanctioned. There was only one tabernacle, there was only one temple (at a time) and there will only be one temple when He returns and that's where He will be worshipped and no other building on earth.

Not religion, but life, and through that lifestyle, demonstrate the true life on earth He expects of His human creation to live by. Obediently, worshipfully and lovingly following His guidelines for all life on earth.

Alas, the rescued nation of about 2 million people (*which included foreigners who believed in Him as well*), heard Him first hand and at first listened to Him and obeyed, followed His chosen leaders, Moses and Aaron as His laws of life were laid out, but quickly fell back in unfaithfulness and idolatry and ignored the very one who saved their lives. All of them that were 20 years and older when they left Egypt paid the price and died in a desert, never seeing the very land on earth He has set aside as the "best" land on earth for eternal life with Him.

They chose their destiny. Unfortunately they arrogantly and disobediently chose to ignore the Creator of the Universe and

decided their own destiny and there were times Yahweh was so upset with them He wanted to wipe them all out just like He did nearly the entire human race at the flood.

Never the less, even in their arrogant disrespect toward Him, He still gave them the laws of life and took care of them for 40 years while they died in the desert and a new, believing generation of Jews entered the land of promise.

Here's the point. It wasn't religion that took care of them. It wasn't government that took care of them. It wasn't certain tribes or clans that took care of them and it certainly wasn't them individually taking care of themselves. He, the Heavenly Father took care of them in spite of their disobedience to the degree that even their clothes and shoes did not wear out in that 40 year experience in the desert. And, even after, He sent prophet after prophet after prophet to convince them to turn their decisions that were away from Him back TO Him, and through Moses and all of those prophets, all the words of life have been delivered to the human race for all to make decisions about their own destinies.

That's right. We decide our destiny. No one decides it for us, no one can stand in for us and no one can speak on our behalf. We individually decide our own destiny regarding everlasting life with Him. For those who are incapable, He knows that condition and those answers lie with Him, but do know that punishments can extend through ten generations of peoples and that is easily

anchored by the fact that the Jews were in Egypt for 400 years before He rescued them, which in those days was about ten 40-year generations of people. People lived only in to their 40s in the days of Moses. Some aged well, but for an average, 40 years was a generation of people.

So, we tell you, think about your thoughts and think about your destiny. We don't care if you've been called to be a political leader of a land or a janitor with a mop in hand, it makes absolutely no difference to our Heavenly Father because you are only going to be here about 70 years and that's it.

No matter what your profession or job is (*obviously stay away from evil*), no matter where you are on earth, no matter what your skin color is or the language you speak, we all, all of us, only have about 70 years of life or so to make a decision about where we want to spend eternity. That's all.

And, the easy part of it is that He, our Father in Heaven, Yahweh is His name, has laid down the laws of life for us in black and white. He orally gave the basics to the Jewish nation, He physically etched in stone the basics for the Jewish nation, and then He commissioned Moses to carry them forward contained in what was titled the "ark of the covenant" as He then, through Moses and His chosen kings and prophets of old, proclaimed the steps of life for us to live by and obey to reach our destiny of everlasting life with Him.

And know this, He watches from Heaven every single person who has been and is on earth, so He knows your thoughts and your actions as you carry them out.

When He flooded the earth there were billions of people drowned who are already in their chosen positions for eternity. He has already punished entire societies of peoples who are already in their chosen positions for eternity.

And, when He **scattered** His nation because they refused to obey Him, refused to acknowledge Him, outright put their noses arrogantly in the air against Him by worshipping other gods, (*idolatry*), He not only **scattered** people all over the world like He did at Babylon, His priestly worship system went on hold and His temple on earth where He met man went on hold.

Know this, in the **scattering**, He Himself acknowledged there would still be those who seek Him, who believe Him, who love Him, who obey Him and who want to be with Him forever, in whom we pen these words of encouragement.

6. *Paying The Price*

WHEN your employer evaluates your work performance at the time of an evaluation of your efforts to consider increasing your wages, you always hope that you've done your very best to fulfill the job description you've been assigned meriting accompanying increased wages for the effort.

Obviously if you've been lax in your performance you may not see the increase you would have hoped for, and if you've been down right negligent in your efforts, you won't see a wage increase and instead you may be warned of losing your position entirely.

You pay the price for what you do or don't do, it's that simple. Works that way all over the world, even in slave labor-driven countries, effort pays the price of reward, lack of effort pays the price of potential loss of a job completely. In some areas of the world they actually imprison people for lack of effort.

Such is life and such is eternal life. We pay the price for recognizing and obeying the Father of our destiny and we pay the price for rejecting and disobeying the Father of our destiny.

It really simplifies life, Obey or don't obey. How hard is that?

And, being **scattered** as we are, it places that much more of an onus directly on us individually because there is no national reliance as there was for a short time when the Israeli nation was

being formed. Elders were called on quite often to make decisions on behalf of the nation, and in all cases, Priests were called on to teach and maintain the acts of obedience toward Father Yahweh.

When it was just one on one, before the nationalization of the Jews, when Abraham was called on in a test of obedience to stab his own son on behalf of Yahweh, that is a picture of a test of a man's readiness to pay the price, no matter what, of obedient behavior toward Yahweh. Obviously, it was a test and Yahweh's angel intervened, but, Abraham didn't know it was a test and he was willing to do what he was told to do.

Noah was so obedient toward our Heavenly Father individually, he was classified by Yahweh Himself as being the only righteous man on earth.

The rest of the world paid the price for not being righteous, and every life was lost.

We so tire of the cop-out of someone being substituted on our behalf so we can be saved. Where in the world anyone came up with that concept, we don't know, but what we do know is that Yahweh looks at and sees performance and performance on His behalf finds us listed in His book of life of which He will open at judgement for the inheritance it brings, eternal life with Him.

And, those not found in the book of life will pay the price and be without Him in shame and disgrace forever.

7. Honor Our Creator

STOP for just a moment and put yourself in the place of our Heavenly Father, Yahweh. Think for a moment how you would like to be treated, how you'd like to be recognized, what you would expect in return for a condition that once upon a time never existed – Life!

Living, breathing human beings with a mind unlike anything else created in the universe, the capability of thinking and choosing individually how they felt about the miraculous work you had done in creating them to begin with.

What would you expect in return for that effort? How would you like to be looked upon for that effort? And, knowing that you alone have the capability of rewarding your creation with an eternal existence without the contaminants of evil and corruption or punishing your creation with an eternal existence that causes people to live in shame and disgrace, forever. Or worse, you had the capability of making sure the most evil on earth never see the light of day and live forever in the depths of the earth.

That's right, just for an instant, make yourself the Creator of all matter. How would you feel? What would you expect? How would you like to be treated, and how would you respond if you were ignored completely?

Well friends, that's what is going on in this world today.

That's what was going on in the world when evil and corruption got so bad, He decided to wipe it all out in one fell swoop. That's what was going on when man, in his boastfulness, built a tower of pride honoring himself rather than the one who created him.

That's what was going on when a nation on earth that our Creator picked out of all the nations on earth at the time, to be called His own nation of people's bent on obeying Him, serving Him and worshipping Him for who He is.

The human race hasn't learned a thing in any of it. In some cases, doesn't even believe in the miracle of creation itself, and in all too many cases, "religiously" worships anyone and everyone other than our Heavenly Father Himself.

Scattered, and scatter-brained unfortunately, are the end results of the choices to ignore instead of honor our Creator, so we implore you to stop in your tracks, take heed of where you're at mentally toward Him, and **scattered** as you may be, realize that you have just a few short years of life to decide your destiny and we encourage you to honor Yahweh, Heavenly Father, as your one and only Savior in all the universe.

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