



Thy Kingdom Come

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Jesus Is Truly King Of Kings



Most people are totally aware that Jesus died for their sins and became the ultimate sacrifice. He who was without sin died for us so that we may have the right to eternal life. He occupies the office of High Priest and makes intercession for us to the Father. However, he is not only a High Priest, but Jesus is a King as well. But he is not just any king; he is the King of Kings and will establish his kingdom at his second coming.

Even at Jesus' birth there was evidence that this child born in a manger would be king. This is why the wise men from the east came to Jerusalem, saying, "Where is he that is born King of the Jews?" (Matthew 2:2) They understood that the King would be born in Bethlehem according to the prophecies of Micah (See Micah 5). But Micah was not the only one to prophesy about this king to be born. In Isaiah 9 it is written, 6 "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. 7 of his increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the Lord will perform this. In Zechariah 9:9 it is written, "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: behold, thy King cometh unto thee: he is just,

and having salvation; lowly, and riding upon an ass, and upon a colt the foal of an ass. This was fulfilled when Jesus came into Jerusalem on a colt while the multitudes cried saying, Hosanna to the son of David. (See Matthew 21)

However, it was not time for Jesus to be king and establish his kingdom when he was manifested in the flesh. He had to fulfill his other office as priest and

make the ultimate sacrifice. This is why when questioned by Pontius Pilate pertaining to his kingship; Jesus did not confess that he was not a king. Instead, Jesus answered, My kingdom is not of this world: if my kingdom were of this world, then would my servants fight, that I should not be delivered to the Jews: but now is my kingdom not from thence (John 18:36).

As any other king, Jesus will establish his kingdom through war and with the total submission of his enemies. David prophesied on this matter when the sweet psalmist stated, "The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool." He heard the Father tell the Son (Jesus) to wait until the appointed time to tread his enemies underfoot. Zechariah prophesied of the time when Jesus and his servants would fight. Zechariah 14 reads, "1 Behold, the day of the Lord cometh, and thy spoil shall be divided in the midst of thee. 3 Then shall the Lord go forth, and fight against those nations, as when he fought in the day of battle, 4 And his feet shall stand in that day upon the Mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east, and the mount of Olives shall cleave in the midst thereof toward the east, and toward the west, and there shall be a very great valley; and half of the mountain shall remove toward the north, and half of it toward the south. 5 And ye shall flee to the valley of the mountains; for the valley of the mountains shall reach unto Azal: yea, ye shall flee, like as ye fled from before the earthquake in the days of Uzziah king of Judah: and the Lord my God shall come, and all the saints with thee. 9 And the Lord shall be king over all the earth: in that day shall there be one Lord, and his name one." Soon this one who was born to be King, and now sits on the throne of the Father, will reign over the Earth for ever and ever. In Revelation 11 it is written, "And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, THE KINGDOMS OF THIS WORLD ARE BECOME KINGDOMS OF OUR LORD, AND OF HIS CHRIST; AND HE SHALL REIGN FOR EVER AND EVER."

— Brother Elisha

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Scripture Lessons



It is written, Man Shall not live by bread alone...but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

Matthew 4: 4

The Resurrection Of Jesus The Foundation Of Our Faith

04/15/06

1. John 3:16-18
2. Colossians 1:12-18
3. Matthew 12:38-40
4. II Corinthians 11:1-413-15
5. John 20:1-2
6. Luke 24:1-6
7. Mark 15:37, 42-43,46
8. Leviticus 23:1-6
9. Psalms 16:8-11
10. Acts 2:10-11, 22-32
11. Genesis 2:7-8, 16-17
12. Genesis 3:4-5, 17-19
13. Daniel 12:1-2
14. Job 14:1-2, 12-15
15. John 5:25-29
16. Philippians 3:11-14, 20-21
17. I Corinthians 15:19, 32, 20-23, 52-54
18. John 6:37-40, 44, 54, 63
19. Revelation 11:15,18
20. I Thessalonians 4:13-18
21. Revelation 20:4-6, 11-15

The Unleavened Bread Of Sincerity and Truth

04/13/06

1. Leviticus 23:1-7
2. Exodus 12:5, 11-19
3. Jeremiah 12:14-17
4. Joshua 24:14
5. John 4:22-24
6. Romans 3:1-4
7. I Corinthians 5:6-8
8. John 6:47-52, 63, 66-68
9. Matthew 16:5-12
10. Acts 20:1, 6-7
11. Acts 18:18-21
12. Deuteronomy 14:22-26

Jesus Is Our Passover Lamb

04/11/06

1. Leviticus 23:1-5
2. Exodus 12:1-14, 24-30, 43-48
3. Daniel 9:26-27
4. Isaiah 53:8, 3-10
5. Psalms 22:12-16
6. Zechariah 12:10
7. Psalms 34:18-20
8. John 1:29
9. I Peter 1:18-20
10. Matthew 26:1-2, 17-20, 26-29
11. John 19:14-15, 30-37
12. Leviticus 16:15
13. Matthew 27:50-51
14. Hebrews 11:24-28
15. I Corinthians 5:7-8

**Be sure to Come Out and
Enjoy the Lord's Feast Days!**

The Feast of Pentecost

Service Sunday June 4th 12:00 P.M.

*These are the Feasts of the LORD, even Holy
Convocations, Which Ye Shall Proclaim In their
Seasons LEVITICUS 23:4*



Time Out! Where Is My Belt!

(Physical Punishment of Children According to the Holy Bible)

You have seen them in department stores and supermarkets. Today, they walk the streets during the late hours of the night, reeking havoc in our neighborhoods. You guessed it; they are rambunctious, undisciplined, unruly children! If you evaluate the behavior of children today it seems degenerate. It was Dr. Spock who stated, "Physical punishment certainly plays a role in our acceptance of violence. If we are ever to turn toward a kindlier society and a safer world, a revulsion against the physical punishment of children would be a good place to start." Well, today American society has made an abrupt turn away from physical punishment of children, and our society is more violent, less safe, and definitely unkind. So should we or shouldn't we "spank" our children? Well, if you believe in the Bible the answer is, spank them. The Holy Bible supports the physical punishment of children.

In Proverbs 22:6 it is written, "**Train up a child in the way that he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it.**" The first thing that parents need to do is train children in the way that they should go. Many children lack understanding because they have not been taught correct moral judgment. And make no mistake about it, true morality, or knowing right from wrong, starts with knowing *and* implementing the Laws, Statutes, and Commandments of God in your household. But there is one thing about children that all parents should understand.

Proverbs 22:15 reads, "**Foolishness is bound in the heart of a child, but the rod of correction shall drive it far from him.**" What every parent needs to understand is



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En route to Damascus

He hunted them as a wolf doth his prey
 He led them as a sheep doth his flock
 He stalked them until that faithful day
 En route to Damascus he saw the light heard
 his voice, was astonished and chose the narrow
 way

that the mind of a child is driven by and filled with imprudent thought. One way to correct this thought pattern in children is to use the rod of correction, or in other words physical punishment. One may think that physical discipline shows hatred toward children; however the Bible tells us the complete opposite.

"He that spareth the rod hateth his son, but he that loveth him chasteneth him betimes." (Proverbs 13:24) It is not the parent that *does* physically discipline their children that hates the child; it is the parent who does not use this method that hates the child. Solomon also wrote that physical punishment of children should start while the child is still young. This is ultimately for the benefit of the child and should *not* be for provocation. In Ephesians 6:4 it is written, "**And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath; but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.**

Although physical punishment may seem archaic in our *modern* times, the Bible is saying that it is necessary. So, the next time that your child gets out of line and you find it necessary to use physical punishment, take a time-out and find your belt. By doing so you may save your child from death or a hellish condition. In Proverbs 23 It is written, "**13 Withhold not correction from the child: for if thou beatest him with the rod, he shall not die. 14 Thou shalt beat him with the rod, and shalt deliver his soul from hell.**

-Brother Elisha

Before, in ignorance, breathing out slaughter against the disciples of the Lord he went
 After, a chosen vessel to bear Jesus' name to the Gentiles was sent.

En route to wherever a man's journey may be
 Even if at first, just as Paul he cannot see
 Detours emerge when God truly calls a man
 Directions transform in accordance to God's plan.

Thy Kingdom Come television program can be seen in the following locations (check your cable listing for exact cable channels):

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Gary, IN	Pubic Access Ch. 21	Mondays 9:30 p.m.
Country Club Hills, IL	Public Access Ch. 19	Fridays 7:30 p.m.
Dolton, IL.	Public Access Ch. 19	Fridays 7:30 p.m.
Newark, PA	WFMZ TV 69	Sundays 9:30 a.m.
Philadelphia, PA	WFMZ TV 69	Sundays 9:30 a.m.
South Bend, IN	Public Access Ch. 3	Thursdays 5:00 p.m.

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Mission Statement

The entire Bible points to one simple reality, "Thy Kingdom Come". The prophets and the disciples both looked forward to the day when God will set his Kingdom up on the earth. The death of Jesus opened the door of the Kingdom to those of us who believe. In the mean time, Jesus instructed us to pray for its fulfillment, ..."Thy Kingdom Come, Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven." This is the gospel we preach.

We are aware that there are many churches claiming to preach the truth. Remember, the Bible tells us to prove all things. Jesus told us that in the last days many false prophets would come, and that they would deceive many. Therefore, it is expedient for us to make sure we are hearing and believing the gospel as it is written in the Holy Bible. There is only one gospel. Therefore, it is an error for us (the world) to have so many doctrines, denominations and faiths. Many people ask "what faith are you?" but the Bible declares, one Lord One Faith, one Baptism". Brothers and sisters, there is only one way to please God and get into His Kingdom. It is outlined thoroughly from Genesis to Revelation.



"If they return to thee with all their heart and with all their soul in the land of their captivity, whither they have carried them captives, and pray toward their fathers, and toward the city which thou hast chosen, and toward the house which I have built for thy name:"

2Chronicles 6:38

Seventh Day of The Feast Of Unleavened Bread Unto The Lord Opening Prayer