

In Your Seed. Is Christ, or Jew

"In your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed, because you have obeyed My voice."
Genesis 22.18. This promise was spoken to Abraham

"In your seed" was speaking of Christ as seen in Galatians 3.¹⁶ Now to Abraham and his Seed were the promises made. He does not say, "And to seeds," as of many, but as of one, "And to your Seed,"^[a] who is Christ" Seed is singular in context and not plural. Meaning one, not many. It was not speaking of the Jewish people but of Christ. Christ is the deliverer of blessings.

Even too with the scripture that says "Those Who bless you shall be blessed and those who curse you shall be cursed" was speaking of the Son of God, not a culture called the Jews on Earth. It too was speaking of "the Son of promise". Christ fulfilled this too. The volume of the book was written of Him, not the Jews. The Jews are not the recipients of the things of God but The Son is. And those of us who know this are "in Christ". We who are hidden "in Christ" see the things hidden here and we look to the things of the earth and we see the imposter. Someone has stolen the things of God and called them their own.

You see "There is no longer Jew nor Greek, there is no longer slave nor free, there is no longer male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus." All nationalities (gentiles) have equal access to "The Kingdom at hand" in Christ. This is the New Covenant different from the old. "God is no respecter of persons". Jews have no special privileges or preferential treatment. That is, "those who *are* the children of the flesh, these *are* not the children of God; but the children of the promise are counted as the seed." (Romans 9) and "in Christ are all the promises of God are yea and amen" not Israel on earth. They are fulfilled in Christ our New Creation and not manifest the old way.

Even as God says in Exodus 4:22 that "Israel is my firstborn son". But was Israel God's firstborn son? No Christ is "the only begotten of the Father". Israel was only a picture. It was a physical representation of invisible realities to help us understand the things that are Invisible "in Christ". Even as Paul said in First Corinthians 12 of Israel mirroring the body of Christ. But just as Israel

was never really the son of God but used as a picture so too it wasn't the body of Christ but was used as a picture for us to grow in understanding Him. Christ is our Head and we the believers are His body. We are "living stones" He is "The Chief Cornerstone" we are assembled to. We do not wait for some rapture to accomplish this.

So "in your seed all the nations of the Earth shall be blessed" was not a Jewish thing has shown true because before the "Throne of God are people "of every language tribe and tongue". None had precedence over the others. There are no Jews between God and man, just Christ. Not the 2nd coming Christ but "The Lamb of God" as referring to that last great act. He is the only mediator, the only go between and link to God is Christ. Everyone must enter Christ by Faith to access "The Kingdom of God at hand". Our equal footing is faith in His Son. As Christ is lifted up in this way He will draw all people to Himself.

Christ is the Israel of God. The Israel of old was to mimic the new. The Israel of today is the impersonator using things fulfilled In Christ ".

Even as Paul said he wished he was accursed for his Jewish friends who were cut off from God "that they may be saved". He went on to say of the Jews in Romans 9 that " those who *are* the children of the flesh, these *are* not the children of God; but the children of the promise are counted as the seed." And once again the seed is singular in the Son and not plural of the Jews.

Paul also said " For in Christ neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but a new creation. (The New Covenant Israel, Mother of us all Gal 4.26) And as many as walk according to this rule, peace and mercy *be* upon them, and upon the Israel of God." (Galatians 6) Showing here the true people of God are the renewed in spirit and not a physical thing at all.

The Israel of God, meaning the people of God are the new creation of God who "Old things have past away, all things become new". Past tense, having happened, eternal in the Heavens. Yes all the law, the prophets and all the Old covenant practices, people, procedures and places have expired and past away. They were fulfilled. All the law and the prophets were till Christ. He is "the new and living". The old way is paved over as useless and unprofitable. Do we then make void the old law? No. We establish it. We stand on it. It is done. It is the firm foundation in Christ we stand

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on. He is our equal footing. "Whoever believes "in Him" will not be put to shame, not earthly Israel. "He came to His own but they did not receive Him, but to as many as receive Him? To them He gave power to become His Children. Not born of man but of God.

Paul in Romans has these words to say of the people of God "For he is not a Jew who *is one* outwardly, nor *is* circumcision that which *is* outward in the flesh; 29 but *he is* a (true) Jew who *is one* inwardly; and circumcision *is that* of the heart, in the Spirit, not in the letter; whose praise *is* not from men but from God.

The Kingdom of God is at hand.