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PART 5: LOSING THE LAND

THE LOSS OF THE PROMISED LAND

The Lord stated that the people of Israel would lose the Promised Land and be thrown out into the nations of the world if they disobeyed His commandments. **Deuteronomy 28:62-68**

The nation of Israel was split in two because of sin after the death of King Solomon, just 574 years after Moses was informed of the blessings and curses. **1 Kings 12:1-16**

God spoke to the people of Israel and warned them, but they refused to repent. **Isaiah** 59:1-15

The final judgment fell on the ten northern tribes during the reign of King Hoshea with its capital of Samaria as they lost the land just 180 years after the kingdom was split in two. **2 Kings 18:9-12**

God sent the prophet Jeremiah to the southern kingdom, but instead of repenting, they attacked God's messenger. **Jeremiah 38:1-6**

Judgment fell again 120 years later on the tribes of Judah and Benjamin during the reign of King Zedekiah as the city of Jerusalem with the temple was destroyed and the people carried to Babylon in captivity. **2 Kings 25:2-12**

Jerusalem was destroyed in 587 B.C. and thereafter the people of Israel never ruled the Promised Land. Some were allowed to return from captivity but they never ruled it again.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

Around 1400 A.D. Kabbalistic rabbis began to teach and talk about re-establishing the political state of Israel and this movement picked up speed in the 19th and 20th centuries. The State of Israel was re-established in 1948 through political maneuvering and military might.

Many Christians around the world were ecstatic and spoke about the power of God and what they viewed as a fulfillment of prophecy. They did not realize that the Jewish people had taken back the Promised Land in the flesh without repenting of their sins.

Christians must understand that God moved the children of Israel into the land supernaturally under the leadership of Joshua, and God is going to supernaturally bring the remnant of Abraham's descendants back to the Promised Land, but this event will not take place until after Jesus has returned to the earth and set up the thousand year kingdom. **Ezekiel 37:21-28**

A SECOND TRAGEDY

Any Christian who claims to be a Christian Zionist and supports the political state of Israel with finances will become equally cursed as the people who claim to be Jews and live in the State of Israel. **Galatians 3:10-13**

The people of Israel who tried to conquer the Promised Land in the flesh were killed and scattered. **Numbers 14:39-45**

Descendants of the rebellious Israelites from some 3,500 years ago acted in the flesh to establish the political state of Israel in 1948 through lies, murder and violence. If God did not bless their attempt during the time of Moses, why would God bless the political state of Israel today?

The prophet Daniel stated that the Antichrist would be of Jewish descent and a homosexual. **Daniel 11:36-39**

Jesus revealed to the apostle John that the city of Jerusalem would be the center of the Antichrist system. **Revelation 11:1-8**

The temple was still standing in Jerusalem when the apostle Paul was still alive, but it was destroyed in 70 A.D., yet Paul stated there would be a temple in Jerusalem at the time of the Antichrist. **2 Thessalonians 2:1-12**

Jesus told us that Satan would be the power behind the Antichrist. Logic would then dictate that the formation of the political state of Israel in 1948 was not accomplished through the supernatural power of God, but the power of Satan. **Revelation 13:1-9**

Remember, it's not so important how you begin your life after salvation, but how you finish it!

Do you have an ear to hear with?