

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

THE ORIGIN STORY OF JESUS

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PART 28: ETHNIC CLEANSING

RETURNING TO THE VIRTUAL TIME RUN

The Godhead stopped the virtual time run after the destruction of Ai and the last screenshot showed the killing of its women and children. **Joshua 8:24-26**

The Godhead reasoned that Lucifer would use the extermination of Ai's population to try and discredit them in front of the angels – holy and unholy. Lucifer would conveniently leave out the fact that the people of Ai were possessed by evil spirits, worshiped demon gods, and lived in complete debauchery. They were engaged in temple prostitution, adultery, homosexuality, incest, murder, bestiality, rape, and child sacrifice.

As they discussed the situation among themselves, the Godhead realized that Lucifer, his fallen angels, and the people in Canaan would not comprehend that God is holy and cannot tolerate sin.

The Godhead had used holy angels to execute people through Noah's flood and rain destruction on Sodom and Gomorrah. They decided that if the different Canaanite nations were exterminated by the Israelites, it would be a deterrent to the Hebrew soldiers to slay every man, woman and child. Each massacre would serve as a reminder of what would happen to them if they turned against God. **Leviticus 18:20-30**

The slaughter from the invasion of the Promised Land was terrible as men screamed in agony when they were stabbed with swords and spears. Women and children were rounded up and systematically butchered while the Israelite soldiers ignored their cries of anguish.

The Godhead did not take pleasure in the destruction of the Canaanites. Heaven was silent with each battle as God knew that law and order had to be established to keep sin in check.

The Godhead wanted mankind to know that they are in control of the earth and its inhabitants, the heavens, angels, and demons. The Godhead refuses to lower their standard to line up with rebellious created beings. It is the creation, not the Creator, who must toe the line or face destruction. **Revelation 20:11-15**

The virtual time run resumed after this discussion.

THE DAY THE SUN STOOD STILL

Lucifer was furious. He had tried to derail Joshua by finding someone within the ranks of the Hebrews that would disobey God. This task proved impossible after Achan's death and in desperation he put together a coalition of five city kings to stop the Hebrew army that was crushing all opposition. **Joshua 10:1-5**



The five kings wanted to destroy the people of Gibeon for aligning themselves with the Israelites and they in turn asked Joshua for help. Jesus intervened and told Joshua that he would have victory. **verses 6-8**

Joshua arranged his troops during the night and surprised the army of the five kings. They could not withstand the fierceness of the Hebrews and Jesus activated holy angels to bomb the fleeing troops with huge stones.

Joshua wanted to finish the battle and asked Jesus to stop the progress of the sun until the last enemy soldier was killed. The five kings were captured and swiftly executed. **verses 9-27**

MORE BATTLES

The Hebrew juggernaut was unstoppable as they took the following cities:

- ❖ Makkedah - **Joshua 10:28**
- ❖ Libna - **verses 29-30**
- ❖ Lachish - **verses 31-32**
- ❖ Gezer- **verse 33**
- ❖ Eglon - **verses 34-35**
- ❖ Hebron - **verses 36-37**
- ❖ Debir - **verses 38-39**
- ❖ All the cities in the south - **verses 40-43**

God hardened the souls of the kings and people throughout the Promised Land so that the Hebrew army could exterminate the inhabitants. **Joshua 11:1-23**

SUMMARY

The Godhead wanted humanity to know that anyone who rebelled against them will perish. They did not hide the fact that millions of Canaanite men, woman and children were executed without mercy. The Bible does not state how long this series of battles lasted, but when it was over, the Godhead had extracted judgment upon the people of Canaan.

What can we learn from this violent time period? God is not sentimental. If you cross Him, expect to pay dearly. While we live on the other side of the cross today and mercy is available for everyone, this grace comes to an end the moment you die without Christ. It is therefore advantageous to seek mercy while you are alive and repent of your sins. Make the choice today to seek the Lord. **Acts 3:19; Hebrews 3:7-19**

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?