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PART 5: BELIEVING A LIE

GENTILES HAVE NO SOULS

In this message I want to investigate an old Jewish lie that Gentiles have no soul and therefore cannot be saved and have eternal life in heaven. This lie dates back to the destruction of the northern kingdom in 722 B.C.

When Israel split into the northern part and the southern part in 925 B.C., the ten northern tribes were denied access to the temple in Jerusalem. This created a major problem, since worship was tied to the temple that Solomon had built. The kings of Israel told the people to worship God in Samaria, which had become the capitol of Northern Israel.

When Northern Israel was conquered in 722 B.C. by Assyria, the Assyrian king removed most of the ten tribes and settled them in other nations. He then moved in people from other nations to resettle Israel, in order to destroy the ten northern tribes as a nationality. Intermarrying between the new people and the ten northern tribes produced children who became heathen worshippers. After the fall of Assyria some of the people of the northern tribes moved back to the land of Israel, but since they had now been mixed with Gentiles, the Jews started to call them Samaritans, and since they falsely believed that Gentiles had no soul and could not be saved, the Jews despised them and a great hatred developed between the two groups.

The people living in the southern kingdom became known as Jews since they lived in the land of Judah and consisted of two tribes, Judah and Benjamin. Even though the people in Judah became involved in pagan worship, they still considered themselves superior to the people of other nations whom they believed were like animals with no soul.

The Bible tells us that God warned the people in Judah to repent and turn from their idol worship, but they refused and God also allowed them to be conquered. This happen in 586 B.C. when the Babylonians took Jerusalem, destroyed the temple, and the majority of the Jews were taken captive to Babylon.

It was in Babylon that the Talmud was developed and these writings eventually were considered superior to the Old Testament and became the new doctrine of the Jewish people. The hateful writings of the Talmud openly stated that only Jews were people with a soul. Everyone else was considered cattle. The Hebrew word for cattle is "Goyim." According to the Talmud, Samaritans were Goyim with no soul and could not be redeemed.

Jesus was even accused of being a Samaritan by the Jews. **John 8:31-59**

EXPOSING THE LIE

Let's use the following logic to debunk this Talmudic lie.



1. God created Adam and Eve with a soul and a spirit. This was the family from which all humans originated. **Genesis 2:7; 21-22**
2. Noah was the ninth generation in direct lineage from Adam. **Genesis 5:1-32**
 Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord along with his wife, three sons and their wives. These eight individuals were the only humans to survive the flood. There is no doubt that these eight people had souls. **Genesis 7:5-7; 17-22**
3. Abraham was the tenth generation of Noah and God certainly would not have selected him to be the father of the twelve tribes if he did not possess a soul. Abraham was born in the city of Ur, which was known as the nation of Chaldeans. He and his family traveled to Haran, and from Haran, Abraham, Sarah and Lot, along with 800 servants traveled to the Promised Land in Canaan. The Bible unequivocally states that the people who came with Abraham had souls. **Genesis 11:26-32; 12:1-6**
 Abraham was told that he would be a blessing to everyone living on the earth. **verse 3**
4. Abraham and Sarah had a son named Isaac who married Rebekah, a relative born in Haran to Isaac's uncle. **Genesis 24:34-52; 61-67**
5. Isaac and Rebekah had two sons, Esau and Jacob. **Genesis 25:20-26**
 The blessing of Abraham stayed on Jacob. **Genesis 27:21-30**
6. Jacob went back to his ancestral Chaldean family in Haran and married Leah and Rachel. **Genesis 29:15-28**
 Leah and Rachel had two female slaves, Bilhah and Zilpah. These four women bore 12 sons and one daughter to Jacob and each sons became the founder of a tribe of Israel. All four women had souls, as did each of their 13 children. **Genesis 30:1-25; 35:16-19**
7. Jacob and his family moved to Egypt, a total of 70 persons. **Genesis 46:27**
8. The twelve sons of Jacob married and begat many children. Joseph was married to Asenath, the daughter of Potipherah, the priest of On. She bore him two sons, Manasseh and Ephraim, who each became the head of a half tribe: Manasseh and Ephraim. Both of these half tribes were given land in the Promised Land and counted as Israelites. **Genesis 41:50-52**
9. Some 430 years later, God moved Jacob's descendants out of Egypt in a great exodus. God had called Moses, who was from the tribe of Levi, to be the man that would lead them out. **Exodus 12:41**
 God did not tell Moses to single out the tribe of Judah, since they were the only one that with souls, but He told Moses to bring all of God's people out of Egypt. All the tribes of Israel were human beings with souls, descendants of a Chaldean named Abraham. **Exodus 3:1-10**
10. It is impossible to find any Scripture stating that the 10 northern tribes lost their souls and became Goyim as the Talmud falsely teaches. It is illogical and an

insane teaching birthed by the Devil. The New Testament clearly states that Jesus came to save all men, not just the tribes of Judah and Benjamin, from their sins. **John 3:16**

THE APOSTLES BELIEVED THIS LIE

Jesus ordered the disciples to go out into the whole world and preach the Gospel to every human being. **Matthew 28:18-20**

But when reading the Book of Acts, it becomes clear that that the disciples were not going to preach the Gospel to the Goyim. It would take a heavenly revelation to change the thinking of the Christian Jewish church in Jerusalem. This is how it was done:

1. God revealed Himself to a Roman military officer named Cornelius. **Acts 10:1-6**
2. Cornelius acted upon the revelation and sent for the apostle Peter. **verses 7-8**
3. God also prepared the apostle Peter for what was to come. **verses 9-16**
4. Cornelius's servants arrived at the house where Peter was lodging. **verses 17-18**
5. The Holy Spirit spoke to Peter to make sure he had understood what to do. **verses 19-20**
6. The servants explained to Peter what happened and left the next day. **verses 21-24**
7. When Cornelius fell down to worship Peter, but Peter told him to get up since was just a man. **verses 25-26**
8. Peter explained to Cornelius how the Talmud forbids a Jew to enter the home of a Goyim, but God had shown him that this was wrong. **verses 27-29**
9. Cornelius explained why he had sent for Peter and the apostle stated how he had just realized that God is not a respecter of persons, meaning, everyone is equal is God's eyes. Peter then preached the Gospel to the group. **verses 30-43**
10. While Peter was speaking, the people believed in Jesus and repented and were instantly baptized in the Holy Spirit. **verses 44-46**
11. The newly born again believers were then baptized in water. **verses 47-48**

DEALING WITH THE CHURCH LEADERS IN JERUSALEM

Peter was confronted when he came back to Jerusalem by the Christian Jewish leadership and Peter had to defend his actions. The leadership realized they had to accept the fact that non-Jewish people (Goyim, Gentiles) had souls and that Jesus had died for them too. **Acts 11:1-18**

The matter wasn't settled as the Jewish leadership under James, the half-brother of Jesus, had a hard time leaving Judaism and fully embracing the doctrine of Jesus Christ. When they heard that large numbers of Goyim had been born again in Antioch, they sent a delegation to instruct the new male believers in Christ that they had to be circumcised in order to be fully saved. **Acts 15:1-2**

The result was a internal quarrel that saw Paul and Barnabas, along with a delegation from Antioch, travel to Jerusalem and settle this issue once and for all. **verses 3-5**

Once the meeting started, there was much debate back and forth, and instead of having a strong prayer meeting and asking the Holy Spirit to speak to them, they debated in the flesh until there was a consensus that the born again Goyim did not need to be circumcised and keep Jewish traditions. **verses 6-22**

Even though Peter had been confronted by the Holy Spirit over the issue of Goyim and faith in Christ, the Talmudic Jewish system was deeply ingrained and there was a big confrontation between him and the apostle Paul some years later. **Galatians 2:4-16**

SUMMARY

Satan never gives up on a lie, and the falsehood that was rooted out from the Christian church in the first century has made its way back into the churches under the guise of Christian Zionism. The Judaizers (a term for Christians who insist that Christians must follow the Old Covenant laws) in the 20th century brought in the heretical teaching that God has a different plan for Jewish people to be saved and that we should not speak to them about Jesus.

Thousands of Christians now flock to Messianic congregations where the pastor is called "rabbi." Jewish rituals have been brought back by these congregations which claim Jesus is the Messiah, including partaking of the Passover and observing the Jewish feast days, and holding church on Saturday.

People are told that God is doing something special through Jews today, even if they are not saved and that Christians must support the political state of Israel or be cursed.

The Talmud is still used in the Jewish synagogues today and most Jewish people continue to believe that Goyim do not have a soul and cannot be part of the coming messianic kingdom. Christian leaders like John Hagee, David Jeremiah, Charles Stanley and others ignore this heresy and make loud proclamations of standing with Israel.

Logic and historical records mean nothing to these men. They ignore the fact that the Bible is very clear on this subject. The lie has taken on a life of its own and God has given them over to a strong delusion. **2 Thessalonians 2:8-12**

Do you believe the lie propagated by the Talmud or have you been set free in Christ Jesus?

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?