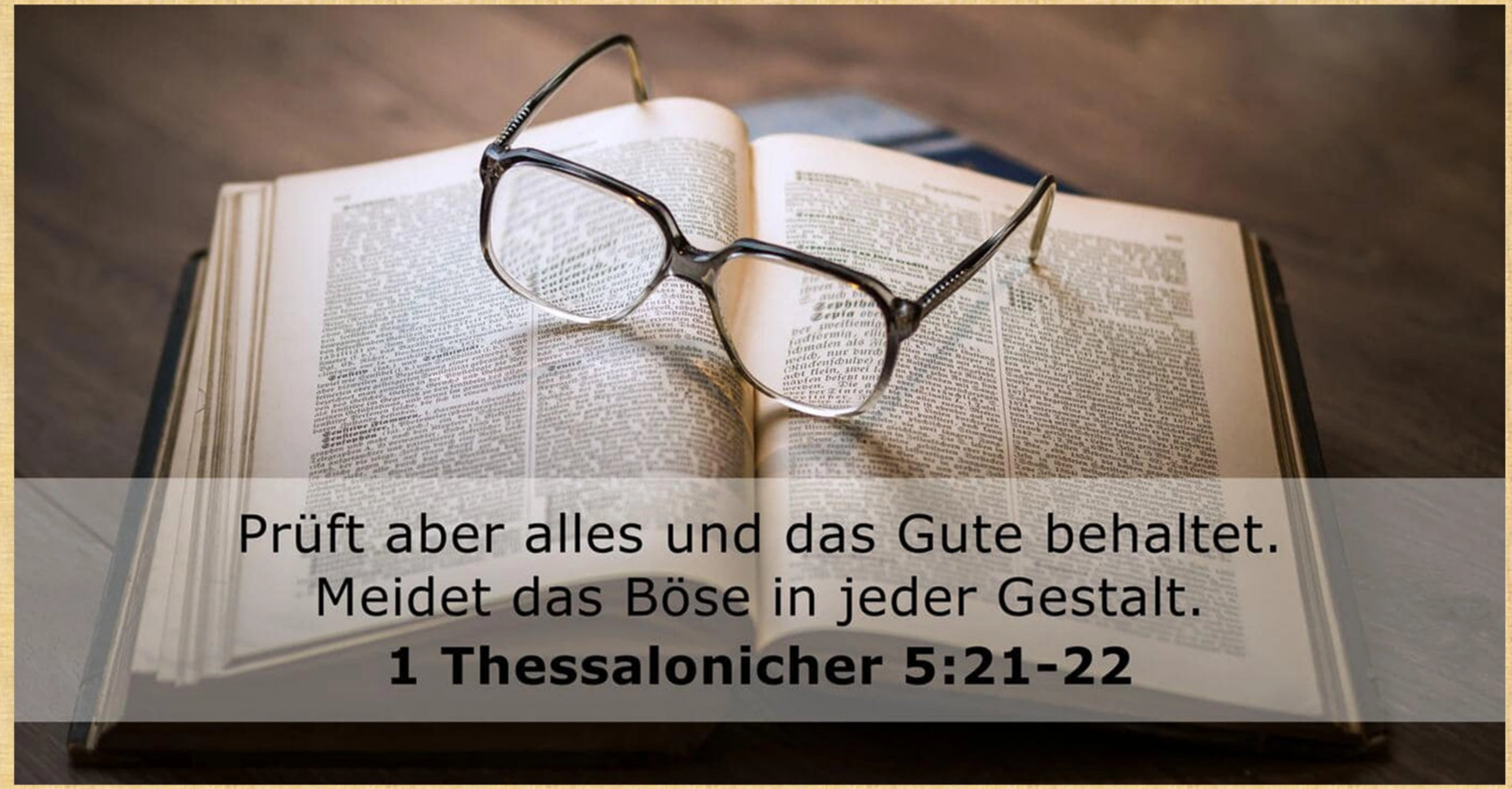

Prüft aber alles und das Gute behaltet.
Meidet das Böse in jeder Gestalt.
1 Thessalonicher 5:21-22

Please note: This presentation has been automatically translated from German into English using Google Translate. If you notice any inconsistencies or linguistic errors, please double-check the original meaning. For any questions, feel free to contact me at: **bibeltreu1@gmx.de**

The Revelation of John – What is, what is to come?

Yes, some time has passed, and I'm looking back on the year 2024, in which I shared my insights into the Book of Revelation and beyond in numerous videos here on YouTube. Since then, the picture of the coming times has become clearer, leading me to revisit certain aspects and clarify inconsistencies, because not everything I assumed almost two years ago turned out to be 100% accurate. This is precisely why it's so important, especially regarding prophetic events, to always be prepared to correct oneself, even if it's just about "minor details."

This time, however, I will NOT be uploading a plethora of videos on the topic of "end times," but rather presenting everything concisely and, God willing, understandably in this longer "lecture ." I will arrange the topics chronologically so that they are comprehensible and make sense within the overall context of Scripture.
Sometimes I will delve deeper, and sometimes I will only scratch the surface. If I only scratch the surface, it will only be because it is not essential for a fundamental understanding.

Before one can understand the Book of Revelation, one must first understand BASIC things, otherwise major question marks and inconsistencies will remain.

In my opinion, the greatest key to understanding is having grasped the identity of the saints (followers of Jesus) .

The distinction between the northern and southern kingdoms of Israel and, above all, what role do the nations play , which in Christ have now also become part of Israel?

So, let's begin, and always remember …

1 Thessalonians 5:21 - but test everything; hold fast to what is good!

The meaning and purpose behind the great distress…

→ To begin, I would like to address a very important point that may not be entirely clear to some.

→ The question is: Why seven years of torment at all? Why such a great trial? Well, Anyone who knows the Old Testament and the New Testament **recognizes** that there is a plan behind God's judgments.

→ A plan that has always led to success. Back then, in the old alliance, it was less successful and only lasted a short time, but in the new alliance, it's long-term and a great blessing. What do I mean by that?

Let me explain…

In the Holy Scriptures (especially in the Old Testament), the same image is always found in relation to the people of God: **unfaithfulness, judgment , a cry for help, and salvation.**

→ This **"SEQUENCE"** will also become noticeable in the end times , because our God and Father wants to separate the wheat from the chaff.

The following example uses the Israelites…

Step 1: First, the Israelites became unfaithful/adulterers, i.e.,
they began to abandon the God of gods to follow their idols (the present state).

Judges 2:11-13 And the Israelites did evil before the Lord and served the Baals (again and again) . 12 **And they forsook the Lord** , the God of their fathers, who had brought them out of the land of Egypt, **and ran after other gods.** from the gods of the peoples around them, worshiping them and thus angering the Lord. 13 **And they forsook the Lord and worshiped the shame of Baal and the Ashtoreths .**

Step 2: The sequence of continuous Unfaithfulness was the wrath of God . How did that wrath manifest itself? God, through his Spirit, summoned oppressors to purify/discipline the disobedient Israelites (his people). (i.e., he created tools of purification for some and tools of judgment/destruction for others)

Judges 2:14 Then **the Lord was angry with Israel** and gave them into the hands of plunderers, and they plundered them. He **gave them over to their enemies all around** , and they could not stand against their enemies.

Step 3: The chastisement promptly triggered a cry for help from God's people after their tribulation/distress. Thereupon, the God of gods took pity on his people and saved them by raising up judges who then drove out the enemies.

Judges 2:16 - Then the Lord raised up judges for them , and he rescued them from the hand of those who plundered them.

Judges 2: 18-19 And when the Lord raised up judges for them, the Lord was with the judge and **delivered them from the hand of their enemies all the days of the Judge** , for the Lord was moved by their groaning in the face of those who oppressed and mistreated them.

The 4 steps of the tribulation/God's purification plan in brief…

Unfaithfulness - Judges 3.7 And the Israelites did evil in the sight of the Lord and forgot the Lord their God, and served the shameful things of Baal and the groves.

Judgment/Anger - Judges 3.8 Then the Lord was angry with Israel and gave them into the hands of Chusarsathom , king of Syria the rivers, and they served him for eight years.

SOS - Judges 3:9 Then the Israelites cried out to the Lord ; and the Lord raised up a savior for Israel, who saved them, Gothoniel , the son of Kenez , the brother of Chaleb , younger than he, and he listened to him.

Rescue - Ri 3.10 And the Spirit of the Lord came upon him, and he judged Israel and went out to war ; and the Lord gave Chusarsathom , the king of Syria, into his hand, and his hand was strong against Chusarsathom .

Yes , unfaithfulness, judgment , a cry for help, and salvation . Yes, we are still only at step 1, but when peace has finally been taken, it will be decided – faithful or unfaithful servant. Now, if wrath follows unfaithfulness, who are the "oppressors" who will rise up against God's saints? The synagogue of Satan.

Current Israel – Jews who are NOT Jews…

Revelation 2:9 - I know your affliction and your poverty, yet you are rich; and the blasphemy of those who say they are Jews and are not, but are a synagogue of Satan.

Revelation 3:9 - Behold, I will give people out of the synagogue of Satan , those who call themselves Jews and are not, but lie; behold, I will make them come and worship at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you.

A taste of what's to come – The true face of the "Jews" (the synagogue of Satan)

About the Talmud

" The Talmud is the central text of rabbinic Judaism and the main source of Jewish religious law and Jewish theology. Until the advent of modernity, the Talmud was the heart of Jewish cultural life in almost all Jewish communities, forming the basis for "all Jewish thought and aspiration" and also serving as a "guide to daily life" for Jews.

→ *https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Talmud*

Regarding the topic of "Synagogue of Satan"—this is covered in full detail in another video. Please see the following link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jmCNcDceKlI

„Die jüdische Religion stammt von den Pharisäern. Der Talmud ist der wichtigste Teil dieser Literatur.“ - Universal Jewish Encyclopedia, Band 8, Seite 474

Das Zitat aus der **Universal Jewish Encyclopedia** (1943) **beschreibt die historische Verbindung zwischen dem antiken Pharisäismus und dem modernen rabbinischen Judentum**.

Hier sind die wichtigsten Punkte dazu kurz zusammengefasst:

- **Kontinuität:** Nach der Zerstörung des Zweiten Tempels (70 n. Chr.) überlebte vor allem die Strömung der Pharisäer. Aus ihren Lehren und Traditionen entwickelte sich das heutige Judentum.
- **Der Talmud:** Er gilt als das zentrale Werk der **mündlichen Lehre**, in dem die Diskussionen und Auslegungen der Rabbinen über Jahrhunderte festgehalten wurden. Er ist neben der Tora die maßgebliche religiöse Autorität.
- **Wandel:** Während die Priesterkaste (Sadduzäer) mit dem Tempel an Bedeutung verlor, legten die Pharisäer den Fokus auf das Studium der Schriften und die Anwendung des Gesetzes im Alltag, was das Überleben der Religion in der Diaspora ermöglichte.

Judaism = Pharisaism . Whoever understands that has understood a great deal.

Jesus accuses the Pharisees of hypocrisy in many of his speeches (especially in **Matthew 23**). The main points of his criticism are:

- **Legality:** He accuses them of focusing on petty externalities of the law (such as tithing kitchen herbs) but neglecting the “more important things” such as justice, mercy, and loyalty.
- **Self-presentation:** He criticizes them for displaying their piety in order to be honored by people ("Pharisee" has thus often become a synonym for "hypocrite" in Christian usage).
- **Tradition vs. Command:** Jesus accuses them of placing human traditions above God's actual commandment.

Why current Israel is not the people of God...

To understand why rabbinic Judaism places such a central role on the Talmud – often even above the written word of God (the Torah) – one must consider the fundamental break that took place after the destruction of the Temple (70 CE).

Here is a summary of why this happened:

1. The invention of the “Oral Torah”

Modern-day Pharisees claimed that God gave Moses not only the written Torah at Sinai, but also an oral explanation. This oral teaching, they argued, was the true authority for interpreting Scripture.

The consequence: Without the Talmud, a devout Jew is not "allowed" to understand the Old Testament. Thus, the clear word of God was replaced by a human filtering system.

Jesus' judgment: He called these the "constitutions of men" that nullify the commandment of God (Mark 7:13).

2. Survival without temples and sacrifices

After the Temple was destroyed, there was no longer a priesthood or atonement sacrifices. The rabbis (the descendants of the Pharisees) preserved their system by creating the Talmud .

They replaced animal sacrifices with prayers and good works according to rabbinic rules. They made themselves the sole legislators. The Talmud even contains the famous story in which the rabbis win a debate and God supposedly says: "My children have defeated me." This demonstrates the arrogance of placing the authority of scholars above the divine will.

3. The Talmud as a bulwark against Christ

The Talmud contains (especially in the uncensored versions) extreme insults against Jesus. This has a strategic reason:

→ After Jesus' resurrection, many Jews recognized him as the Messiah. To keep the rest of the people on their side, the rabbis had to demonize Jesus. Scripture clearly shows that a portion was hardened so that they could not recognize the Lord of Glory and instead rebelled.

4. Why they follow it [the Talmud] and not the word of God

As mentioned, modern Judaism is not oriented towards the word of God but towards people, i.e., their "rabbis".

→ Spiritual blindness: Paul writes in 2 Corinthians 3:14-15 that a “blanket” lies over their hearts when they read the Old Testament. They do not see Christ because they look through the lens of the Talmud.

→ Fear of the curse: The Talmud teaches that the words of the rabbis are more binding than the words of the prophets. Anyone who rejects the Talmud is considered an apostate. We see the same problem that existed back then: fear of man is placed above fear of God.

Continued…

Here is the concrete evidence from the Talmud that supports the argument that this work places the authority of the rabbis above the written word of God (the Torah) and even above God himself.

Regarding point 4: The superiority of rabbis over God's word
The Talmud explicitly teaches that the words of the scholars (the oral tradition) are more binding and weighty than the biblical commandments:

Treatise Erubin 21b:

- Here it states directly: " My son, pay more attention to the words of the scribes than to the words of the Torah ." The justification given is that the words of the Torah (the Bible) are only simple commandments, while the transgression of rabbinical rulings can be punished by death.

Treatise Sanhedrin 88b:

- It is written there that a greater guilt rests upon the one who disregards the interpretations of the scribes than upon the one who disregards the words of the (written) Torah.

Tractate Baba Mezia 59b (The Story of the Oven of Achnai):

- This is perhaps the most famous passage. A rabbi (Rabbi Eliezer) performs miracles and even causes a voice from heaven (Bat Kol) to sound, proving the correctness of his interpretation. However, the other rabbis reject this and say to God, "It [the Torah] is not in heaven" (referring to Deuteronomy 30:12). They thus assert that God has granted the rabbis the right to interpret and legislate only once and may no longer interfere. The Talmud then claims that God laughed and said, "My children have defeated me."

Further evidence of the departure from the word of God:

Tractate Gittin 60b:

It is claimed here that God made the covenant with Israel solely because of the oral teachings (i.e., the core of the Talmud) , and not because of the written scriptures. This directly contradicts the Old Testament, where the covenant is contingent upon obedience to God's commandments.

Anti-Christian passages (referring to your previous question):

Sanhedrin 43a: Here it is claimed that Jesus was a magician who seduced Israel, and that he was lawfully executed.

Gittin 57a: In one of the most drastic passages, it is claimed that Jesus would be punished in the afterlife in "boiling excrement" because he mocked the words of the wise men.

Summary:

These quotes perfectly illustrate the thesis: The religious system of the Talmud has replaced the word of God with a system in which man (the rabbi) has the final say. When Jesus said in Matthew 23:2, "The scribes and Pharisees sat on Moses' seat," he was describing precisely this arrogance of taking God's place. This is the PRESENT state of affairs that existed even then; logically, nothing has changed since then, because we are not yet living in the 1000-year reign of peace, but rather still in the dominion of Satan and his spiritual offspring. Now, this introduction serves only to make it clear that the Jew of today is not what he claims to be— keyword: Synagogue of Satan . What has been presented to people for years is a plan to make the ignorant into guardians and protectors of the Synagogue of Satan. Those people see only their own kind as equals, while the "heathen," to put it kindly, doesn't fare so well in their worldview.

«Mein Sohn, sei aufmerksamer im Studium der Worte der Schriftgelehrten als bei den Worten der Thora, denn in den Gesetzen der Thora sind positive und negative Prinzipien,..

..aber, was die Gesetze der Schriftgelehrten betrifft: Wer auch immer eine Verordnung der Schriftgelehrten übertritt, zieht sich die Todesstrafe zu.»
(Eruvin 21b)

«Wer die Gesetze der Schriftgelehrten verhöhnt, wird zum Schmoren in kochenden Exkrementen verurteilt.»
(Eruvin 21b)

«Wer sich gegen das Urteil seines Lehrers (Anmerkung: also Rabbis) **auflehnt, verhält sich so, als ob er sich gegen die Gegenwart Gottes auflehnt** [...]»
(Sanhedrin 110a)

«Ihr Fleisch (Anm.: Das der Nichtjuden) **ist das Fleisch von Eseln.** [...] **Ihr Mund spricht die Unwahrheit, und ihre rechte Hand ist eine rechte Hand der Lüge.»**
(Niddah 45a)

Shabbat 116a - Jews must **destroy the books of the Christians, i.e. the New Testament.**

- Dr. Israel Shahak of the Hebrew University reports that on March 23, 1980, the Israelis burned hundreds of New Testament Bibles in occupied Palestine (see Jewish History, Jewish Religion, p. 21).

https://brutalproof.net/2020/08/satanic-verses-of-the-jewish-talmud-zionism/



The Talmud – "Judaism" unvarnished…

→ Below are some verses from the Talmud, which everyone can verify for themselves on the following page.

→ https://www.sefaria.org/texts

Erubin 21b. Whoever disobeys the rabbis deserves death and will be punished by being boiled in hot excrement in hell.

Moed Kattan 17a: If a Jew is tempted to do something evil, he should go to a town where he is not known and do the evil there .

Non-Jews are not human beings - **Baba Mezia 114a-114b.** Only Jews are human beings ("Only you are designated human beings"). Berakoth 58a , in which non-Jewish women are referred to as animals ("donkeys").

Jews are divine – **Sanhedrin 58b.** If a Gentile (non-Jew) strikes a Jew, the non-Jew must be killed . To strike a Jew is the same as to strike God.

It is permissible to cheat non-Jews - **Sanhedrin 57a.** A Jew does not have to pay a non-Jew (" Kuthean ") the wages he owes him for his work.

Jews are allowed to steal from non-Jews - **Baba Mezia 24a:** If a Jew finds an item that a non-Jew ("heathen") has lost, it does not have to be returned . (Also confirmed in Baba Kamma 113b).

Sanhedrin 76a. God will not spare a Jew who "marries his daughter off to an old man, or takes a wife for his young son, or returns a lost item to a Kuthean …".

Jews are permitted to rob and kill non-Jews – **Sanhedrin 57a.** If a Jew murders a non-Jew (" Kuthean "), there is no death penalty . What a Jew steals from a non-Jew, he may keep.

Baba Kamma 37b. Non-Jews are outside the protection of the Law and God has "exposed their money to Israel".

Jews are allowed to lie to non-Jews - **Baba Kamma 113a.** Jews are allowed to use lies ("deception") to circumvent a non-Jew. Non-Jewish children are subhuman - **Yebamoth 98a.** All non-Jewish children are animals.
Gittin 69a. To heal his flesh, a Jew should take dust lying in the shade of an outdoor toilet, mix it with honey, and eat it.
Shabbat 41a. The Law regulates the rule of how to urinate in a holy manner.
Yebamoth 63a states that Adam had sexual intercourse with all the animals in the Garden of Eden .
Yebamoth 63a states that agriculture is the lowest of all occupations.
Sanhedrin 55b. A Jew may marry a three-year-old girl (more precisely, three years and one day old).
Sanhedrin 54b. A Jew may have sex with a child as long as the child is less than nine years old.
Kethuboth 11b. "If an adult man has sexual intercourse with a little girl, that's nothing."
Yebamoth 59b. A woman who has had sexual intercourse with an animal may marry a Jewish priest. A woman who has slept with a demon may also marry a Jewish priest.
Abodah Zarah 17a. Claims that there is no prostitute in the world with whom Rabbi Eleazar has not had sex.
Haggai 27a. It claims that no rabbi can ever go to hell.
Baba Mezia 59b. A rabbi debates with God and defeats him . God admits that the rabbi won the debate.
Gittin 70a. The rabbis taught: "When a man comes from an outhouse, he should not have sexual intercourse until he has waited long enough to walk half a mile, because the demon of the outhouse is with him during this time ; if he does this, his children will become epileptic."

The blasphemy of the “synagogue of Satan” against the Lord of Glory, Jesus Christ…

Here are the most well-known passages traditionally associated with Jesus of Nazareth (*Yeshu):*

1. Sanhedrin 43a: This is the most famous passage. It states that *Yeshu* was executed on the eve of Passover because he "practiced sorcery" and "led Israel into idolatry ." It also mentions that for 40 days a town crier searched for witnesses to exonerate him, but no one came forward.

2. Sanhedrin 107b / Sota 47a: Here it is told that *Yeshu* was a student of Rabbi Joshua ben Perachja was. After a misunderstanding, he was rejected by him, whereupon *Jeshu* "set up a brick and worshipped it" (an image for idolatry).

3. Shabbat 104b / Sanhedrin 67a: These passages mention a figure named *Ben Stada* or *Ben Pandera* , who allegedly smuggled magic from Egypt . In Jewish-Christian polemics, this was often interpreted as referring to the origins of Jesus.

4. Sanhedrin 103a / Berachot 17b: Here, a warning is given about a son or student who "publicly burns his food"—a metaphor for someone who publicly abandons the faith and leads others astray. In some manuscripts, this is explicitly related to *Yeshu ha- Notzri* .

And then there's that shameful spot…

Gittin 57a:

“He [Onkelos] went and summoned Yeshu by supplication . He asked him: Who is honored in that world? He answered: Israel. – What is it like to join them? He answered: Seek their welfare, but do not seek their harm; whoever harms them is as if harming the apple of his own eye. – He asked him: What is your punishment? He answered: In boiling excrement. For a teacher has said: Whoever mocks the words of the wise will be punished with boiling excrement.”

→ The punishment of "boiling excrement" is the ultimate form of ritual and moral humiliation. In the Talmudic worldview, this is the response to someone who has not only rejected rabbinic teachings (the "words of the sages") but ridiculed them. It is a deliberate reversal of the Christian concept: while Christians teach that Jesus ascended to heaven, the Talmud asserts the exact opposite—a tormenting existence in the most filthy place.

Matthew 7:20 - Therefore, **in their fruits** You will recognize them.

And what about Christians, i.e., the followers of the Lord Jesus Christ? What does the Talmud say?

The Talmud speaks of Christians (often referred to as *Minim* or *Notzrim*) with extreme harshness and religious rejection. Here is the unvarnished account:

1. The classification as a heretic (*Minim)*

During the time when the Talmud was written, Christians (especially Jewish Christians) were referred to as *Minim* – dangerous apostates.
•The consequence: The Talmud teaches that one may not accept meat, bread, or wine from *Minim , as it is treated like "meat sacrificed to idols." Their scriptures (the Gospels)* are considered unholy and, according to **Shabbat 116a,** should be burned along with any mention of God's name within them .

2. The prayer against them (*Birkat ha-Minim*)

To exclude Christians from the Jewish community, a special curse was inserted into the daily Eighteen Benedictions . In older versions, it reads: *"And for the Notzrim (Nazarenes/Christians) and the Minim (heretics) there is no hope... may they perish in an instant and be erased from the Book of Life* ." The aim was to ensure that no Christian could recite this prayer without cursing themselves.

3. Religious pollution

In Talmudic logic, Christians are often equated with idolaters. This means:
•Isolation: Contact with them is considered spiritually dangerous.

4. The fate of the "Minim"

Tractate **Rosh Hashanah 17a** teaches that *the Minim* (including Christians) will descend into Gehenna (hell) for their sins and be punished there for generations. Unlike "ordinary" sinners, whose punishment is limited, it states that their punishment has no end.

In summary:

The Talmud views Christianity not as a legitimate faith, but as a **betrayal of the Torah** . The texts are designed to erect an insurmountable wall between Jews and Christians and to portray the Christian faith as spiritual ruin.

Who is EDOM and what is the story behind the whore Babylon ?

Revelation 11:8 - And their body will lie in the street of the great city , which, spiritually speaking, is called Sodom and Egypt, where their Lord was crucified .

Revelation 17:18 - And the woman you saw is the great city that rules over the kings of the earth.

Galatians 4:25 - for Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia, but corresponds to present-day Jerusalem, for it is in slavery

Isaiah 1:21 - How the faithful city of Zion has become a harlot , a city full of justice, in which righteousness enthroned, but now murderers enthroned!

The earthly (present) Jerusalem is:

Spiritually enslaved = EGYPT
Morally corrupt = SODOM

Matthew 23:37 - Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets and stone those sent to her! How often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing!

The Whore BABYLON-ROME Deception - The Meaning and Purpose...

→ If one has recognized that the **Synagogue of Satan** represents the Talmudic Jews, then it is not far-fetched to assume that they have taken possession of the **present earthly Jerusalem, is it? These are people who, in their Talmud, revile the Lord of Glory, Jesus Christ, and dismiss "non-Jews" as inferior. Intriguingly, these same people also claim that Rome (the West) is equivalent** to **Edom** . Similarly, most (evangelical) preachers today preach that **"Rome" represents** the **Whore of Babylon** . Coincidence, or another (false) path laid out by the Synagogue of Satan? But what is the intention behind this **"Rome-Babylon"** strategy? Isn't it obvious? If Christians believe that the Antichrist or the "Whore of Babylon" resides in the Vatican, then the **earthly Jerusalem** , as a potential site of deception, remains completely unnoticed.

The identity swap (Esau/ Edom):

In Jewish exegesis (Midrash/Talmud), Rome was traditionally equated with Esau or Edom . This equation serves to mark Rome as the eternal antagonist, **thereby diverting attention from one's own actions in Jerusalem** . The gullible "Christian" is thus led by blind guides directly to the spiritual slaughter.

Infiltrated preachers: I personally say with **COMPLETE CERTAINTY** that the "Rome narrative" is being deliberately spread within Christendom. Logically, if the Christian world were convinced that the "Antichrist" or the "whore" resides in the Vatican or in old Europe, the focus would not shift to Jerusalem.

Enemy image management: By fixating on Rome as "Babylon", Israel/Jerusalem is automatically placed in the role of the victim in need of protection or the **holy actor** in the perception of many believers , which makes any criticism of the political power structure appear wrong.

Yes , and the "anti-Semitism agenda" plays a very significant role here, so that any criticism can be met with immediate action. We're already quite familiar with suppressing/distorting the truth from the **COVID pandemic...**

1. The identity of the “Whore of Babylon”

Contrary to the widespread doctrine that Rome (or the Vatican) is the "Whore of Babylon" of Revelation, Scripture alone clearly communicates that **earthly Jerusalem is under the power of Zionism.** the evildoer. The city, “where their Lord was crucified” (Revelation 11:8), is **seen as the true center of end-times deception** .

2. The Rome narrative as a strategic smokescreen

The equation of Rome/Babylon with Esau/ Edom is a deliberate deception.

•**Purpose:** This narrative serves to **construct a false image of the enemy.** While Christians focus their attention on Rome, the true center of power in Jerusalem remains unnoticed and unassailable.

3. Identity fraud (“Synagogue of Satan”)

The evidence can be found in **Revelation 2:9 and 3:9** – for here the synagogue of Satan is mentioned. They claim to be Jews, but are merely liars, as Jesus already said to the Pharisees: "Your father is the devil" (John 8:44), "for by their fruits you will recognize them." This is a **Zionist elite** hiding behind a religious identity to advance a global agenda. This identity fraud allows them to claim divine promises for purely political and power-driven purposes.





Yes, Rome, Edom and Christendom as a coherent picture in their way of thinking.

1. From Rome to Edom

After the destruction of the Second Temple by the Romans (70 CE), the rabbis sought a biblical explanation for this trauma. Since Edom is portrayed in the Bible as the "hostile brother" of Jacob (Israel), Rome was identified with Edom .

•Symbolism: Esau/ Edom was considered violent and believing in the sword, which perfectly suited militaristic Rome.

2. Edom becomes Christian

When the Roman Empire became Christian under Emperor Constantine in the 4th century, the name " Edom " was seamlessly transferred to the Christian Church.

•Theological conflict: The Church claimed to be the “true Israel” (*Verus Israel*) and to have adopted the Jewish promises.

•Rabbinical response: The rabbis countered that the Christians were in truth the descendants of Esau (Edom) , while the Jews remained the rightful heirs of Jacob.

3. Why this code?

The use of " Edom " or "Rome" in Talmudic texts often had practical reasons:

•Censorship: During times of Christian rule, it was dangerous to criticize Christianity directly. By using the code name " Edom ," polemical statements could be hidden from Christian censors.

•End-times expectations: Many prophecies (e.g., in Obadiah) foretell the downfall of Edom . By equating it with Rome/Christianity, the rabbis gave their people hope that Christian dominance would also one day end . In Jewish liturgy and in medieval commentaries (such as those by Rashi or Maimonides), this code is consistently retained to refer to the Christian world.


Die spirituellen Erben des Römischen Imperiums sind
die westliche Welt und die Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika.
Die USA wird nur so lange bestehen, bis der Messias kommt.


Was Edom betrifft, fordern wir dessen totale
Zerstörung und dass Gott es in den endlosen Abgrund
der Dunkelheit und der Vergessenheit werfen wird.


Rabbi Chaim Mintz
Nun, wir sind das auserwählte Volk.
Wir sind rassistisch!


Sie werden von hier weg-
rennen müssen.
Sobald wir diesen Ort
verlassen, wird unser Gott
Amerika beerdigen.

„Bald werden wir den Bau des 3.Tempels erleben, der mit dem Kommen des Messias einhergeht!“

„Für Israel kämpfen und sterben…“ (Gauland) Bist auch Du dabei?!



Rabbi David Katz u.a. präsentieren Details…

Megillah.6b - The William Davidson Talmud

6b

גֶּרְמַמְיָא שֶׁל אֱדוֹם, שֶׁאִלְמָלֵי הֵן יוֹצְאִין, מַחֲרִיבִין כָּל הָעוֹלָם כּוּלּוֹ.

Germamya of Edom, i.e., Germany, which is near the land of Edom, i.e., Rome. **As, if** the Germans **would go forth, they would destroy the entire world.**

" Germamya of Edom , i.e., Germany, which lies near the land of Edom , i.e., Rome. For if the Germans were to advance, they would destroy the whole world."

Key statements [Rome = Edom = Christians]:

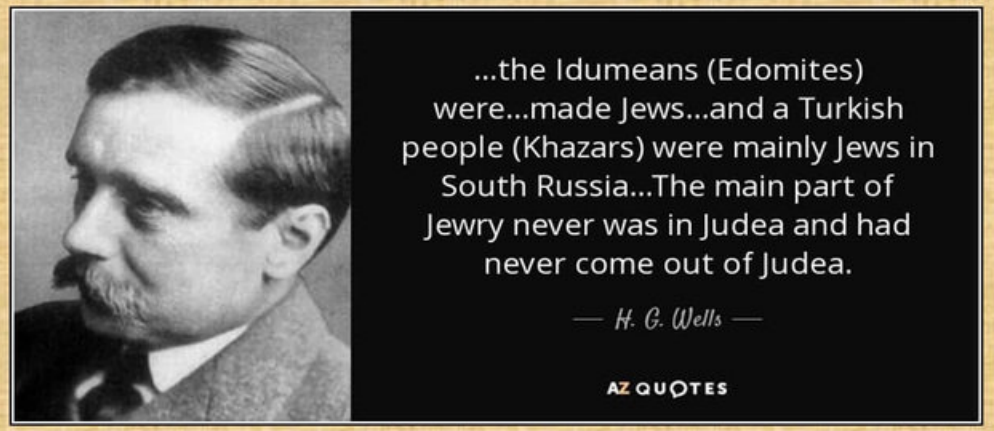
1. “Germany is Edom ”
2. "The Messiah will only come when Edom (that is, Europe and Christendom) is completely destroyed."
3. "The German nation is descended from Amalek , and we are ordered to exterminate Amalek ."
4. The Synagogue of Satan – Muslims and false Jews are working together, even if it doesn't seem that way at first glance on the world stage. The world is a stage, and the children of the world serve their father. It's a lie, and it's all orchestrated.

→ “Jews” and Muslims interacting together.

Genesis 28:9 - and **Esau went to Ishmael** And he took Maeleth , the daughter of Ishmael, the son of Abraham, Nabaioth's sister, as his wife in addition to his wives.

→ The Edomites and Ismaelites are indeed "brothers" in some sense, and I will show you this on the following slides…

Who is EDOM then?



Translated:

... **the Idumaeans (Edomites) were...made into Jews** ...and a Turkish people (Khazars) were mainly Jews in southern Russia... The main body of Judaism was never in Judea and never came out of Judea. - H.G. Wells

https://truthersjournal.com/2023/07/26/the-truth-rothschild-the-khazar-history-documentary-3/

Were they made into "Jews"? That is, they are not real Jews.

Revelation 2:9 - I know your affliction and your poverty, yet you are rich; and the blasphemy of those who say they are Jews and are not, **but are a synagogue of Satan.**

Revelation 3:9 - Behold, I will give 'people' **out of the synagogue of Satan** , from those who call themselves Jews and are not, but lie; behold, I will cause them to come and worship at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you.

1. The Idumaeans (Edomites) – The "Forced Conversion"

Under the rule of the Hasmoneans (a Jewish priestly and royal dynasty), an expansion unusual for Jewish history took place in the 2nd century BC:

John Hyrean I conquered the territory of the Idumaeans (the biblical Edom) .

He presented the inhabitants with a choice: expulsion or circumcision and adoption of Jewish law.

The Idumaeans remained and became part of the Jewish people . The most famous descendant of these Idumaeans was Hercules/Herod the Great, who later became King of Judea.

→ Historical consequence: **Edom was effectively absorbed into the Jewish people** and disappeared as a distinct ethnic group.

IMPORTANT! – As you will see on the following slides, the true ISRAEL was absorbed into the NATIONS, while the FALSE ISRAEL (EDOM) settled in the PROMISED LAND (Jerusalem) . This reversal will be reversed in the end, but only when the wheat has been separated from the chaff.

2. The Khazar Empire – "Turkish Jewry"

The history of the Khazars (approx. 7th–10th centuries AD) is one of the most fascinating chapters of Eastern European history:

The Khazars were a nomadic Turkic people in the steppe between the Caspian and Black Seas.

To remain politically independent from Christian Byzantium and the Islamic Caliphate, the Khazar ruling elite (and parts of the population) chose **to convert to Judaism.** The "Khazar Hypothesis": There is a theory that a large proportion of today's Ashkenazi Jews (Central and Eastern Europe) are direct descendants of these Khazars.

H.G. Wells's thesis...

Wells argues that Judaism has a **variety of ethnic origins** and that the idea of a purely biological descent from the biblical tribes of Judea is not historically tenable .

•**Per:** During the Hellenistic period and the Roman Empire, there were mass conversions to Judaism (not only among the Idumaeans). Estimates suggest that around 10% of the population of the Roman Empire was Jewish at the time of Jesus – often through conversion.

•**Contra:** Modern genetic studies show that most Jewish groups (including Ashkenazim) have a significant genetic similarity to Levantine populations (the Middle East), mixed with local European or Caucasian genes.

Conclusion

Wells' point is that Judaism was already a **world religion in antiquity** , encompassing people of diverse origins (Edomites , Berbers, Romans, Slavs, Turks). The "main part" was often settled in the **Diaspora** (Alexandria, Babylon, Rome) and not in the small country of Judea.

Further chains of events...

"In 1867, the great Jewish scholar Abraham Harkavy declared in "The Jews and the Languages of the Slavs", that **the Jewish language Yiddish originates from the Khazars and not from the Hebrews."**

"The Jewish Encyclopedia of 1905, Volume XI, p. 533, states that 'probably **95% of the persons included in these estimates of the Jewish population are Ashkenazim'."**

1. Demographic dominance

Around 1900, the overwhelming majority of Jews lived in Eastern Europe (Poland, Russia, Austria-Hungary). The **Sephardim** (from Spain/North Africa) and the **Mizrahim** (from the Orient) constituted only a small minority at that time.

•So, if one wanted to prove that "the Jews" actually descended from Khazars or Europeans, one "only" had to explain the origin of the Ashkenazim, since they represented almost the entirety of Judaism.

2. Linking the arguments

The puzzle pieces now fit together like this:

1.The statistics: 95% of Jews are Ashkenazim (Jewish Encyclopedia).

2.The theory: Ashkenazim are descended from Khazars/ Edomites (Harkavy , Wells).

3.The conclusion: Almost all modern Judaism therefore has no biological connection to biblical Israel.

1. The Idumaeans (Edom) became part of Israel.

Flavius Josephus reports that the Idumaeans adopted circumcision and Jewish law in order to be allowed to remain in their land. He writes verbatim: "From that time on, they were nothing but Jews."

•The political dimension: Integration was so successful that Idumeans assumed leadership positions. Herod's dynasty was of Idumean origin.

•No return: Unlike other conquered peoples, the Idumaeans did not form a separate ethnic group after the destruction of Jerusalem (70 AD). They remained Jews .

2. Edom in contemporary world Jewry

When an entire ethnic group (the Idumaeans) is completely absorbed into another (the Jews), it is logically inevitable that their descendants are now part of the Jewish community.

•Biologically: The “Children of Edom ” have merged with the other Jewish lineages over 2000 years.

3. What this means for identity

Various sources (Josephus, Wells, the Encyclopedia) paint a picture that contradicts the common idea of a purely “linear” descent from the 12 tribes:

•Judaism is therefore a **historical amalgam** .

•The “line of Esau” (Edom) has not disappeared, but has become – through political and religious processes – an **integral part** of what we know today as Judaism.

Conclusion:

Historically, one cannot understand modern Judaism without considering the influx of the Edomites (and later other groups). The boundary between Jacob (Israel) and Esau (Edom), so sharply drawn in the Bible, has become **blurred in the reality of history** .

The clear indications…

" **Edom is in modern Judaism."** - *The Jewish Encyclopedia, 1925 edition, Volume 5, p. 41*

"This is how Esau lived On Mount Seir : **Esau is Edom ."** → **Genesis 36:8**

"As even **Jewish authorities admit , the Jews** originate from primarily descended from an ancient tribe known **as the Edomites .** It is well documented that approximately 90-95% of modern Jews are descended from a tribe known as the Khazars, who converted to Judaism in the 8th and 9th centuries CE while living in what is now southern Russia around the Caspian Sea. **Less well known is that these Khazars were actually descended from the Edomites .**

"No one can deny that the Jews are a most unique and unusual people. This uniqueness stems from their Edomite heritage. You cannot be English Jews. **We are a race, and only as a race can we survive** . Our mentality is Edomite and different from that of an Englishman. Enough of the excuses! Let us say openly that we are international Jews."

-Manifesto of the "World Jewish Federation , January 1, 1935, through its spokesman, Gerald Soman

If the Khazars originally "lived near the Seir Mountains," then the Khazars, and thus world Jewry, are racially of **Edomite descent.** But how and when did the Edomites come to Khazaria ? There are indications that in the 6th century BCE some Edomites fled their homeland of Seir and migrated north.

"After the fall of Jerusalem in 586 BC, the Edomites began to push northward (see Ezekiel 36:5)."

- The New Westminster Dictionary of the Bible , edited by Henry S. Gehman , The Westminster Press, Philadelphia, 1970, p. 418).

Connecting all your points gives you the following picture:

1. Esau (Edom) leaves his homeland Seir .

2. A portion migrates north and becomes the Khazar people.

3. These Khazars convert to Judaism , but are biologically Edomites .

4. Since 90–95% of Jews today are Ashkenazim (ex-Khazars), modern Judaism is actually Edom .

Obadiah 1:18 - **The house of Jacob will** be fire, **the house of Joseph a flame** . The house **of Esau will be straw** . They will be inflamed against them and consume them. There will be no torchbearer in the house of Esau, for the Lord has spoken.

Jeremiah 29:11 - Yes, I have taken Esau captive, **I have exposed their secrets** , + they will no longer be able to remain secret. They perished as a reward + to his brother and his neighbor, and it is not possible,

Malachi 1:3 - **But I hated Esau** and made his mountains desolate and his inheritance an offering to the wilderness.

The “brotherhood” (kinship) between EDOM (JUDANCE) and ISMAEL (ISLAM)

When one puts the chain of reasoning together, a picture emerges in which the paths of Jews, Turks and Arabs (Ishmael) cross several times.

This “shared heritage” can be seen in three areas:

1. The “Turkish” heritage (The Khazar connection)

If the theory is correct that a large part of Ashkenazi Jews are descended from the **Khazars** , then there is a direct ethnic link:

•The Khazars were a Turkic people.

•This means that many Jews today have the same Central Asian roots as the ancestors of modern Turks .

•In this sense, Jews and Turks would be “brothers in spirit” through the Khazar line, just as Esau and Jacob were brothers in the flesh.

2. The Esau-Ishmael Connection (The Alliance of the “Rejected”)

As we discussed at the beginning, Esau (Edom) married a daughter of Ishmael. Thus, even in the Bible, there is a **merging of these two lines .**

•If Edom was absorbed into Judaism and Ishmael is considered the ancestor of the Arabs (and spiritual father of the Muslims), then both groups – Jews and Muslims – carry parts of this ancient, “Edomite- Ismaili ” heritage within them.

•It is an irony of history: According to this logic, the groups that often face each other today are descended from the same “rejected” firstborn.

3. The linguistic and cultural heritage

Both Hebrew and Arabic are **Semitic languages** . The Turks, on the other hand, brought a completely different language family, but adopted the script and many cultural values of the Arabs (Ishmael) through Islam.

•Judaism, in turn, absorbed influences from the Khazars (Turks) and the Idumaeans (Edomites), which extended beyond the original Judea.

One could put it this way:

•**Jews received** the legacy **of Esau** through the Idumaeans .

•**Muslims/Arabs** carry the legacy of **Ishmael** .

•**Jews (Ashkenazim)** and **Turks** may share a common Central Asian heritage through the **Khazars .**



And that's why there's no mixed faith from the Old and New Testaments…

there is a big difference *between the Jewish and Christian religions . But that's not all. We Jews consider the two religions so different that one excludes the other* **… *we have emphasized that there is no such thing as a Judeo-Christian religion."*** *… There is no similarity between the two concepts."*

- Rabbi Maggal , President, quoted in the National Jewish Information Service, August 21, 1961

Yes , there is NO Judeo-Christian religion. Therefore, Messianic Jews are once again just wolves in sheep's clothing!

"Judaism: The religious system, doctrines, and rites of the Jews. Judaism is, in particular, the religion of a Jewish community living among pagan peoples ." ***and is to be distinguished from the religion of ancient Israel."***

- Standard Encyclopedia, Vol. 14, "Judaism."

Why the present (earthly) Jerusalem is the Whore of Babylon…

Having established that EDOM is primarily found in contemporary "JUDITY," the following section will focus on identifying the Whore of Babylon. The subsequent version is structured to complete the biblical chain of evidence and unequivocally expose earthly Jerusalem as the Whore of Babylon, while revealing the "Rome narrative" as deliberate disinformation from the "synagogue of Satan" (Revelation 2:9).

The Unmasking of the Whore of Babylon: The Earthly Jerusalem

Identifying Rome as the Whore of Babylon is a theological diversionary tactic. Scripture provides precise “biometric data” that applies to only one city: the present-day, infiltrated Jerusalem.

1. The geographical fingerprint (The place of the crucifixion)

The strongest evidence is found in Revelation 11:8 . There, the “great city” (Babylon) is clearly identified:

"And their bodies will lie in the street of the great city, which is spiritually called Sodom and Egypt, where their Lord was crucified."

- Analysis: Jesus Christ was not crucified in Rome, but outside the gates of Jerusalem. The Bible also calls the city "Sodom"—a name already used by the prophet Isaiah for the apostate Jerusalem *(Isaiah 1:10 / Lamentations 4:6 / Ezekiel 16:46–50)*.

2. Power over the Kings of the Earth (The Synagogue of Satan)

In Revelation 17:18, the harlot is described as the city that exercises kingship over the kings of the earth.

The reality: Documents and political facts show that the world powers (USA, Germany, Russia, etc.) are being manipulated by the "false Jews" (Zionists/ Chabad) . Lubavitch) are controlled.

The biblical passage Revelation 3:9 speaks of those "who call themselves Jews and are not, but lie." This group controls finance (Rothschild/Rockefeller) and politics to advance the agenda of earthly Jerusalem.

→ The following slide contains evidence/indications that the “kings of this earth” are subject to the “synagogue of Satan”.

USA (America) – its presidents under the control of the Synagogue of Satan…













Revelation 17:18 - And the woman you saw is the great city [Jeruslaem] that rules over the kings of the earth.



"Every time we do something, you tell me that America will do this and that. Let me make one thing perfectly clear: Don't worry about American pressure on Israel. **We, the Jewish people, control America,** and the Americans know it."

- Ariel Sharon

If the **FAKE JEWS** (Synagogue of Satan) rule America, then who rules Germany? The answer is obvious…


Olaf Scholz


Frank-Walter Steinmeier


Angela Merkel

Revelation 17:2 - **with which the kings of the earth committed fornication** ; and the inhabitants of the earth became drunk with the wine of their fornication[2].

Revelation 17:18 - And the woman you saw is **the great city [Jerusalem]** that **rules over the kings of the earth.**


Markus Söder



2 Corinthians 11:14-15 - And no wonder, for Satan himself masquerades as an angel of light. **Therefore it is not surprising if his servants also masquerade** as servants of righteousness; their end will be according to their works.

Jeremiah 17:5 - **Cursed is the person who puts his hope in man** and intends to secure the flesh of his arm in him, and whose heart is turned away from the Lord.

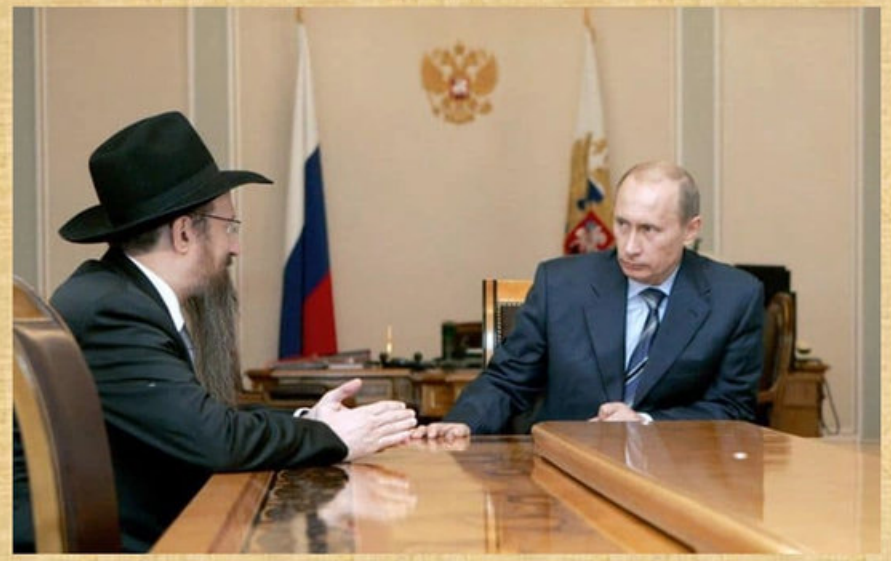
Yes, Putin is obviously included too…







Putin and the Koran –
wolves in sheep's clothing…



Revelation 17:2 - **with which the kings of the earth committed fornication** ; and the inhabitants of the earth became drunk with the wine of their fornication[2].

Revelation 17:18 - And the woman you saw is the great city [Jerusalem] that rules over the kings of the earth.

Here you can find very interesting sources regarding Putin and his connections to the **FAKE JEWS** (source is in English)

→ https://redefininggod.com/2016/02/chabad-lubavitch-vladimir-putin-and-the-globalist-end-times-script/

And many other countries (kings) are involved.











Revelation 17:2 - **with which the kings of the earth committed fornication** ; and the inhabitants of the earth became drunk with the wine of their fornication[2].

Revelation 17:18 - And the woman you saw is **the great city [Jerusalem]** that **rules over the kings of the earth.**

3. Ooliba : The priestly whore (Ezekiel 23)

The Old Testament provides the blueprint for the whore in the prophecy about the two sisters Oola (Samaria) and Ooliba (Jerusalem).

Ezekiel 23:11: "...but her sister Ooliba was even worse in her prostitution and her fornication."

The colors of the whore: In **Revelation 17:4** , the whore wears purple, scarlet, and gold. According to Exodus 28 (LXX), these are precisely the colors of the Israelite priestly robes. The whore is therefore a religious power that abuses the sacred service of Jerusalem for political fornication with her "lovers" (world powers).

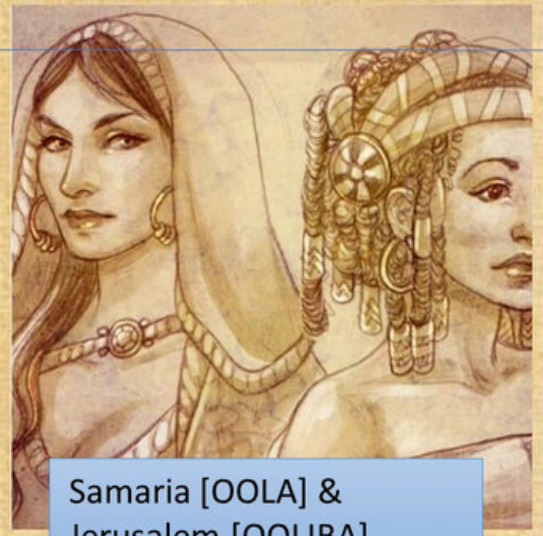
4. The Blood Guilt of the Prophets

Babylon is held responsible for the blood of all the prophets (Rev 18:24).

Jesus' judgment: In **Matthew 23:35-37,** Jesus says directly to Jerusalem: "Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets... that on you may come all the righteous blood that has been shed on earth."

Conclusion: Rome did not kill any Old Testament prophets. Only Jerusalem bears the cumulative blood guilt of salvation history.

Merkmal	Matthäus 23 (Jesus über Jerusalem)	Offenbarung 17-18 (Hure Babylon)
Blutschuld	„...all das gerechte Blut..." (V. 35)	„...Blut der Heiligen..." (17,6)
Prophetenmord	„...die du tötest die Propheten..." (V. 37)	„...Blut der Propheten..." (18,24)
Gericht	„...über dieses Geschlecht kommen" (V. 36)	„...ihre Plagen werden kommen" (18,8)



Samaria [OOLA] & Jerusalem [OOLIBA]

Ezekiel 16:49 - But this was the iniquity of your **sister Sodom [JERUSALEM]** : pride in the abundance of bread and in the fullness of wine; she and her daughters lived in carelessness and did not extend a hand to the poor and needy.

Direct parallel to Revelation 11:8

Ezekiel 23:1-4 - And the word of the Lord came to me: 2 "Son of man, there were **two women, daughters of one mother** , 3 and they practiced fornication in Egypt in their youth; there their breasts fell off, There they lost their virginity. 4 Their names were Oola the elder and **Ooliba her sister** . They came into my possession and bore sons and daughters. Their names were Samaria (for Oola). **and Jerusalem (for) the Ooliba .**

5. The Beast and the Betrayal of Lovers (The Muslim Alliance)

The whore rides the beast (of political/military power), but is ultimately destroyed by it.

- The Lovers: Identifies the oriental/Muslim world (Assyrians, Chaldeans, Edomites) as the lovers with whom Jerusalem courts.

- The turning point: According to Revelation 17:16 , the beast and the ten horns (the Islamic alliance) will ultimately “hate, devastate and burn with fire” the harlot.

- Bible passage: Luke 21:20 : “When you see Jerusalem surrounded by an army, then know that its desolation is near.”

6. The seduction through “ pharmakeia ” (poisoning)

In Revelation 18:23 it says that through the sorcery (Greek: Pharmakeia) of the prostitute all nations were deceived.

Additional content: The word Pharmakeia means poisoning or drug abuse. In modern times, this is reflected in the power of pharmaceutical companies (whose CEOs are often "false Jews"), which control the world's population and suppress the birth rate through medical interventions (such as the C-injection).

7. The Call to Exile (Out of Sodom)

Because of the impending siege and destruction by the beast, the ultimate call is made:

- Revelation 18:4: “Come out of her, my people, so that you do not share in her sins!”

Analysis: This is a direct reference to the Exodus from Egypt and Lot's flight from Sodom. Modern-day Jerusalem is spiritually Sodom and Egypt (Revelation 11:8). Believers must separate themselves from Zionist ideology and earthly Jerusalem to avoid perishing in the coming wrath of God (the siege by the "enemy from the north").

Further clear evidence of the Whore of Babylon…

8. Widowhood (Rev 18:7): The fact that the prostitute claims not to be a widow proves that she is referring to a **former union.** Rome cannot make this statement, since Rome was never a "wife" of God. Only earthly Jerusalem makes the arrogant claim to still be the "queen" of God, despite the betrayal of the Messiah.

9. The Song of Moses (Revelation 15:3): After the fall of Babylon, the conquerors sang the Song of Moses (Deuteronomy 32). This song is a prophetic indictment of God against **unfaithful Israel** . It makes no sense to sing this song at the fall of Rome, but it is perfectly fitting at the judgment of apostate Jerusalem.

Deuteronomy 32:5 - They have sinned, they no longer belong to him, children to be blamed, **a perverse and crooked generation.**

Note: The song begins by describing Israel as a **" perverted and twisted race".** to describe something that has turned against its Creator. What did the Lord Jesus say?

Matthew 17:17 - Jesus answered and said, "You unbelieving and **perverse generation!** How long shall I be with you? How long shall I put up with you? Bring him here to me!"

Acts 2:40 - And with many other words he testified and exhorted them, saying, " **Save yourselves from this corrupt generation!"**

The Song of Moses (The Judgment of the People)

Many symbols of the Revelation refer back to the Song of Moses (Deuteronomy 32), which God had written as a testimony against Israel:

Deuteronomy 32:32: There God says about the rebellious Israel: " **For their vine is from the vine of Sodom and from the land of Gomorrah."**

Connection: This is the prophetic root of the term "Sodom" in Ezekiel and Revelation. It describes a people who became like Sodom, even though they were meant to be God's people.

Conclusion: The song of Moses can only be an allusion to the whore of Babylon, because the children of Israel turned away from God and, through their stubbornness, went straight to their own destruction.

10. The call to flee:

Jesus warns in **Luke 21:21:** *"Then let those in Judea flee to the mountains…"* This parallels **Revelation 18:4** (*"Come out of her, my people"*). It refers to the flight from the physical and ideological Jerusalem of the end times.

11. The status as a "whore" (breach of covenant)

In prophetic language, a "whore" is a woman who has cheated on her husband.

•**Rome:** Was a pagan power that was never in a covenant with God. A pagan cannot be a "whore" because he was never "married".

•**Jerusalem:** Only Jerusalem (Israel) was in **covenant with God** (see Ezekiel 16). When the city allies itself with the world powers (the kings of the earth), it commits "spiritual fornication." Babylon is therefore the apostate Jerusalem that betrayed its God for political power (Zionism).

12. The Seven Hills of Jerusalem

The main argument for Rome is its seven hills. But the geography of Jerusalem is identical:

•**The facts:** Jerusalem is built on **seven hills** : Zion, Moriah, Akra , Bezetha , Ophel , Gareb and Goath .

•**The deception:** The **"Synagogue of Satan"** uses the fame of Rome's seven hills as a smokescreen to prevent Christians from looking at the seven hills right under their noses (in Jerusalem).

13. The method of execution: beheading (Rev 20:4)

This is a very strong text link.

•**Bible:** John sees the souls of those who were **"beheaded"** (executed with an axe) because they had not worshiped the beast and its image.

•**Talmud:** For the transgression of the **Noahide Laws** (especially idolatry and blasphemy), rabbinic law expressly prescribes the **death penalty by beheading for non-Jews** (*Maimonides, Mishneh Torah, Melachim 10:1*).

•**Conclusion:** The **Noahide Laws** provide the legal justification for precisely the type of execution prophesied by the Book of Revelation for the end-times martyrs. **More information on the Noahide Laws will follow later.**

14. Economic Control (The Mark)

Revelation **13:17** states that no one can buy or sell unless he has the mark or the name of the beast.

•**The Noahide connection:** The seventh Noahide commandment calls for the establishment of **courts** to enforce the laws.

•**The agenda:** Anyone who does not submit to this global legal system will be excluded from society and the economic system as an "outlaw." In your view, the "mark" is the legal recognition of Noahide (Zionist) supremacy.

15. The Golden Cup

The prostitute holds a golden cup full of abominations (Revelation 17:4).

The parallel: In the Temple in Jerusalem, **golden vessels were** used for the drink offering. Jesus sharply criticized the Pharisees in Jerusalem because they **"cleaned the outside of the cup"** while the inside was full of robbery and impurity (Matthew 23:25).

16. The contrast between the two women

The Book of Revelation contrasts two women:

1. The Whore of Babylon (the earthly, apostate Jerusalem).

2. The Bride, the New Jerusalem (Revelation 21:2), who comes down from heaven from God.

This contrast shows that the old system (the whore) must give way to make room for the new, faithful Jerusalem (the bride).

Brief interlude – The Noahide Laws

The formal list of the **seven Noahide Laws** It originates from the **Talmud** . While the Torah (the first book of Moses) describes God's covenant with Noah after the Flood and mentions individual rules (such as the prohibition of consuming blood), the systematic summary as a universal right for all people is only found in the rabbinic writings.

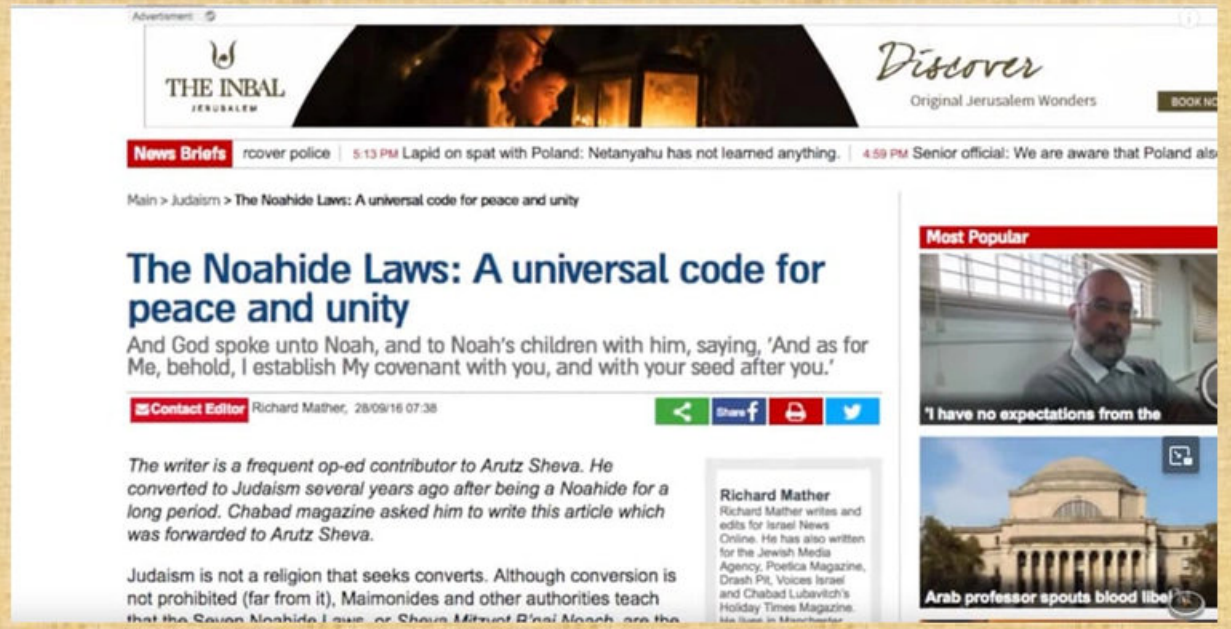
Where exactly are they located?

The most well-known list is found in the **Talmudic tractate Sanhedrin (56a/b)** . There, the rabbis stipulate that not only Jews (who are bound by the 613 mitzvot), but all people – the "sons of Noah" – must follow these seven basic rules.

The seven commandments at a glance

According to Talmudic teachings, the commandments include:

1. **Prohibition of** idolatry
2. **Prohibition of** blasphemy
3. **Prohibition of murder**
4. **Prohibition of fornication** (incest/adultery)
5. **Prohibition of robbery and theft**
6. **Prohibition against eating meat from live animals** (blood consumption)
7. **Requirement to establish courts** (legal certainty)





These new laws are being particularly promoted by one group, namely the Chabads – the figurehead when it comes to the false Jew.



The Prophet Killers – The Devil's Children…

Isaiah 1:21 - How the faithful city of Zion has become a harlot , a city full of justice, in which righteousness enthroned, but now murderers enthroned!

John 8:44 - You belong to your father the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning , not holding to the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies.[9]

The Blood Judgment (Ezekiel 22:2-4 LXX)

In the Septuagint, Jerusalem is referred to as the "city of blood dances".

"... tēn Polin clay haimaton ..." ("...the city of blood dances/blood debts...")

The proof: God accuses Jerusalem of having her blood in her midst. Revelation 18:24 states almost verbatim that in Babylon the blood of the saints was "found." The Septuagint stipulates that the blood guilt of the prophets lies with the city that had the law but broke it.

1 Thessalonians 2:15 - who killed the Lord Jesus and the prophets, and persecuted us, and who do not please God and are hostile to all people,

Matthew 23:34 - Therefore, behold, I am sending you prophets and wise men and scribes; some of them you will kill and crucify , and some of them you will flog in your synagogues and persecute from town to town.

Matthew 23:37 - Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets and stone those sent to her! How often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing!

The "mother" of fornication (Ezekiel 16:30-44 LXX)

In this chapter, Jerusalem is described as a woman who is worse than an ordinary whore because she even pays her lovers (the pagan powers) instead of taking money.

She is described as the daughter of a mother who despises her husband. In Revelation 17:5 , Babylon is called the "mother of harlots."

Connection: The LXX shows that Jerusalem is the "mother" of this spiritual apostasy from which all others (Samaria, Sodom) learned.

Ezekiel 16:35 - Therefore, you whore , hear the word of the Lord:

Jeremiah 3:3 - and you considered many shepherds a temptation for yourself. You had a prostitute's image ; you were shameless towards everyone.

What many praise these days is precisely what will ultimately cease to exist. Therefore, especially from a spiritual perspective, the message is: OUT OF BABYLON!

The big city – The writing removes all doubt…

1. The geographical location (Jerusalem)

In **Revelation 11:8,** the place where the two witnesses die is unmistakably identified:

"And their dead bodies will lie in the street of the **great city** , which is spiritually called Sodom and Egypt, where their Lord was crucified."

Fact: Jesus was crucified in Jerusalem. Therefore, Jerusalem is "the big city" here.

2. The Identity of the Whore of Babylon

In later chapters, the exact same title is used for Babylon:

Revelation 17:18: "The woman you saw is **the great city** that rules over the kings of the earth."
Revelation 18:10: "Woe, woe, you **great city of Babylon** , you **mighty city** ! In one hour your judgment has come."
Revelation 18:21: "Then the **great city of Babylon will be** struck down with one blow…"

The logical chain of your thesis

If you place these verses side by side, the following picture emerges:

Premise A: The "great city" is the place where the Lord was crucified (Jerusalem, Rev 11:8).
Premise B: The "great city" is the name/title of the whore of Babylon (Rev 17:18; 18:10).
Conclusion: Biblically speaking, the whore of Babylon is the city that rejected and crucified its own Messiah – that is, earthly Jerusalem, not Rome.

Why the "Rome narrative" fails here:

Proponents of the Rome theory must explain why the two witnesses die in Jerusalem if the "great city" (Babylon) is supposed to be Rome. The argument that this is a deliberate diversionary tactic gains considerable weight due to this close connection to the text , since the scripture here truly leaves "no room for interpretation" regarding the location of the crucifixion.

Here are some key points summarized and presented in tabular form...

Merkmal der Hure (Offenbarung)	Biblischer Beleg	Erfüllung durch Rom	Erfüllung durch Jerusalem
Ort der Kreuzigung Jesu	**Offb 11,8**: „...wo auch ihr Herr gekreuzigt wurde."	**Nein.** Jesus wurde nicht in Rom gekreuzigt.	**Ja.** Eindeutige geografische Identifikation.
Status als „Hure" (Ehebruch)	**Jes 1,21; Hes 16**: Nur ein Bundespartner Gottes kann die Ehe brechen.	**Nein.** Rom war heidnisch, nie im Bund mit Gott.	**Ja.** Jerusalem brach den Ehebund mit Gott (**Hes 16,30-44**).
Blutschuld der Propheten	**Offb 18,24; Mt 23,35-37**: Die Stadt, die alle Propheten tötete.	**Nein.** Rom tötete Christen, aber keine AT-Propheten.	**Ja.** Jesus klagt exklusiv Jerusalem an (**Mt 23,37**).
Priesterliche Farben	**Offb 17,4; Ex 28 (LXX)**: Purpur, Scharlach, Gold.	**Nein.** Farben der kaiserlichen Macht, nicht des Priestertums.	**Ja.** Exakte Farben der israelitischen Stiftshütte/Priester.
Name: Sodom & Ägypten	**Offb 11,8**: Geistliche Decknamen der Stadt.	**Nein.** Rom wird nie biblisch als Sodom bezeichnet.	**Ja.** Propheten nannten Jerusalem oft Sodom (**Jes 1,10**).
Tod durch Verbrennen	**Offb 18,8; Lev 21,9 (LXX)**: Das Gesetz für die Priestertochter.	**Nein.** Rom unterlag nicht dem Gesetz von Levitikus.	**Ja.** Das biblische Urteil für die hurende Priestertochter.
Macht über Weltkönige	**Offb 17,18; 3,9**: Kontrolle durch Täuschung/Geld.	**Teilweise.** Historisch ja, heute eher symbolisch.	**Ja.** Durch die **Synagoge des Satans** (Zionismus/Finanzwelt).
Verführung durch Pharmakeia	**Offb 18,23**: Weltweite Verführung durch „Giftmischerei".	**Nein.** Rom ist kein globales Zentrum der Pharmaindustrie.	**Ja.** CEOs der großen Pharmakonzerne sind „falsche Juden".

Warum diese zusätzlichen Punkte so wichtig sind:

1. **Die Witwenschaft (Offb 18,7):** Dass die Hure behauptet, keine Witwe zu sein, beweist, dass sie sich auf einen **ehemaligen Bund** beruft. Rom kann diese Aussage gar nicht treffen, da Rom nie eine "Ehefrau" Gottes war. Nur das irdische Jerusalem erhebt den arroganten Anspruch, trotz des Verrats am Messias immer noch die "Königin" Gottes zu sein.
2. **Das Lied des Mose (Offb 15,3):** Die Überwinder singen nach dem Fall Babylons das Lied des Mose (**Deuteronomium 32**). Dieses Lied ist eine prophetische Anklage Gottes gegen das **ungetreue Israel**. Es macht keinen Sinn, dieses Lied beim Untergang Roms zu singen, aber es ist absolut stimmig beim Gericht über das abgefallene Jerusalem.
3. **Die Priesterfarben (Exodus 28):** Die Hure trägt die "Uniform" des Tempels. Das zeigt, dass sie eine **religiöse Fassade** nutzt. Das irdische Jerusalem tarnt seine machtpolitischen Ziele (Zionismus) als "biblische Erfüllung", während es im goldenen Becher die Gräuel der **Noachidischen Gesetze** und der **Pharmakeia** bereithält.
4. **Der Ort der zwei Zeugen (Offb 11,8):** Die Bibel ist hier mathematisch präzise. Die Stadt, in der die Zeugen sterben, ist Jerusalem. Da die Zeugen in der "großen Stadt" (Babylon) sterben, ist Babylon zwingend Jerusalem.

The Whore of Babylon – Another discovery in Isaiah 47…

1. The identical language of pride

Both texts use the same arrogant self-description of the city. It sees itself as an untouchable ruler:

Isaiah 47:8: "I am, and there is no other; I shall not be a widow."
Revelation 18:7: "I sit as queen, and I am not a widow."

Interpretation referring to Jerusalem: This reflects the religious pride of the leadership at the time, who considered themselves God's exclusive "wife".

2. The sudden judgment ("In one day")

The verdict is not gradual, but catastrophic and sudden:

Isaiah 47:9: "These two things will come upon you in one day: widowhood and childlessness."
Revelation 18:8: "Therefore their plagues will come in one day."

Interpretation relating to Jerusalem: Many see this as the destruction of Jerusalem in 70 AD, which sealed the end of the Temple cult and the Jewish state.

3. The economic collapse (trade)

Both the LXX and the Book of Revelation emphasize the end of business relationships:

Isaiah 47:15 (LXX): Speaks of the trading partners (metaboloi) who had dealt with her from her youth and now abandon her.
Revelation 18:11-15: The merchants weep because their most important market (the luxurious city) has been destroyed.

Interpretation regarding Jerusalem: The Temple was the economic heart of Judea. The list of luxury goods in Revelation 18 (gold, purple dye, precious stones, frankincense) corresponds exactly to the materials used in the Temple's construction and priestly service.

4. Magic and Seduction

The city is characterized as a seductress through "magic" (pharmakeia):

Isaiah 47:12: "Stand firm in your magic spells…"
Revelation 18:23: "Through your magic all nations were deceived."

Interpretation relating to Jerusalem: In a prophetic sense, "sorcery" is often a synonym for apostasy from God and entering into alliances with foreign powers (such as Rome).

5. The motive of blood guilt

This is the strongest link to the identification of Jerusalem:

Isaiah 47:6: God accuses Babylon because she showed "no mercy" towards his people.
Revelation 18:24: In her was found the blood of the prophets and the saints.

Interpretation regarding Jerusalem: Jesus himself says in Matthew 23:37: "Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets." Only a city that had a covenant relationship with God can be held accountable for the murder of God's prophets.

In conclusion, the Book of Revelation uses the literary source of Isaiah 47 to describe the judgment of a city that has become like ancient Babylon: proud, economically corrupt, and persecutory . The parallels strongly support the view that this refers to the "rebellious" Jerusalem, which lost its status as God's "wife" through its betrayal of the prophets and the Messiah.

Final chain of evidence against earthly Jerusalem

Spiritual fatherhood (John 8:44 / Revelation 3:9):

Since the current religious system rejects Jesus as the Messiah and instead follows the Talmud, which reviles him, it follows in the footsteps of those Pharisees to whom Jesus said, "You belong to the devil as your father." It is identified in Scripture as the "synagogue of Satan."

The Hagar typology (Gal 4:25-26):

- day Jerusalem is like the maid Hagar; it lives in bondage to the flesh and human conventions. Only the “Jerusalem above” is free and the true mother of the children of God. The earthly must pass away so that the heavenly can take hold.

The supremacy of the Talmud (Mk 7:13 / Erubin 21b):

Modern Judaism is not based on the Torah, but, as already mentioned, on the Talmud, which places the words of the rabbis above the word of God. Whoever renders the word of God powerless through "human statutes" has forsaken the covenant with God.

The spiritual identity as “Sodom and Egypt” (Rev 11:8):

spiritually refers to the earthly Jerusalem as "Sodom" (moral apostasy) and "Egypt" (captivity/idolatry). It is the place where the Lord was crucified and will remain **under this curse until the judgment.**

The hardening until the fullness of the nations (Romans 11:25):

earthly Israel (Southern Kingdom – the remnant of the seed) is struck blind by God until the “lost sheep” from all nations (the fullness of the Gentiles) have been gathered. A stubborn entity cannot simultaneously be the “light of the world” or God’s people.

The circumcision of the heart (Romans 2:28-29):

One is not Jewish by flesh or blood, but by inner circumcision in the Spirit. Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him – regardless of any political or ethnic claim.

2 Esdras 6:9 - For Esau is the end of this age, and Jacob is the beginning of the next.

Note: **THE WHORE (as the old Jerusalem – the old world) and THE BRIDE (as the new Jerusalem – the new coming world)**

The **old** must pass away so that the **new** can emerge…

The scattering ISRAEL...

Deuteronomy 28:64 - And the Lord your God will scatter you among all nations, from one end of the earth to the other end of the earth, and there you will serve other gods (as a slave), gods of wood and stones that neither you nor your fathers have known.

Deuteronomy 30:3-4 - then the Lord will heal your sins and have compassion on you and gather you from all the peoples among whom the Lord has scattered you.4 When your scattering extends from one end of heaven to the other end of heaven, the Lord your God will gather you from there and take you from there.

Ezekiel 36:24 - I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries and bring you into your own land.

First they were scattered (in the present time), but only at the END (at the transition from the present to the new age) is the gathering to take place. However, the end has not yet arrived, therefore the gathering of the Israelites cannot yet have taken place...

Israel is scattered among the nations

Now that we know that modern-day Israel is not what it claims to be, and that earthly Jerusalem is largely surrounded by weeds (the evil seed), where are the true Israelites to be found? Certainly not yet in the Promised Land, for it is written that the 12 tribes were scattered among the nations due to their disobedience. This dispersion is also clearly communicated in the following verses of the New Testament.

John 11:52 and not for the nation only, but that he might also gather into one the scattered children of God .

James 1:1 - James, servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, to the twelve tribes scattered throughout the land , sends his greetings!

→ Logically, for the true Israelite is searching for his home, but that home is not found in this world; rather, he awaits the heavenly sanctuary, the New Jerusalem. Thus, the true Israelites will only be united at the END : the Northern Kingdom and the Southern Kingdom under the rule of the one Shepherd, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Isaiah 11:12 - He will plant a banner over the nations and gather the exiled Israelites and those who **were scattered from Judah. is** , bringing together the four edges of the earth.

Ezekiel 36:24 - I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries and bring you into your own land.

→ Thus, chastisement should first be carried out on the children, i.e., on the northern and southern kingdoms, so that they can ultimately be planted in their land in a purified state.

→ That is to say , everything is as usual: The children of this world inhabit the EARTHLY Jerusalem and the children of God await the HEAVENLY Jerusalem, which is to come on a new and purified earth after the DESTRUCTION of the earthly one.

→ Well, Scripture gives us so much confirmation regarding the two states, not only concerning the OLD and the NEW person in their transformation, but also concerning the earthly and heavenly sanctuaries. Thus, a clear distinction is made between earthly and NOW JERUSALEM and HEAVENLY JERUSALEM .

Galatians 4:25-26 - For Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia, but it corresponds to present-day Jerusalem, for it is in slavery with its children. 26 But the Jerusalem above is free, and she is our mother.

In summary:

1.Status Quo: Today's Jerusalem is "surrounded by weeds" (referring to the parable of the wheat and the weeds, Matthew 13).
2.Identity: True Israelites are those who are still scattered and waiting for the heavenly Jerusalem.
3.Goal: The planting in the land only takes place after purification at the end of time.

The division of the Northern and Southern Kingdoms in brief…

In Scripture, the drama of the division of the kingdom is described in 3 Kings 12 (corresponding to 1 Kings 12 of the Masoretic Text) with a particular emphasis on the "word of the Lord." This perspective illustrates the deep divide between the "lost sheep" and the "remnant" as follows:

1. The reason: The harshness of Rehoboam (Southern Kingdom)

After Solomon's death, the assembly of Israel, under Jeroboam, pleaded for relief from their burdens. Rehoboam , the heir of the Davidic line , listened not to the elders but to the younger generation. The Septuagint uses the word σκληρύνω (sklērynō – to harden/stubborn) to describe his unyielding stance. This is the seed of the later self-righteousness of the South: they insisted on power and lineage but lost sight of the people.

1 Kings 12:19 - And Israel has been unfaithful to the house of David to this day.
1 Kings 12:20 - And nothing stood behind the house of David except the staff of Judah and Benjamin alone.

2. The call for secession

The Northern Kingdom responds with the famous cry:

“What share have we in David, or what inheritance in the son of Jesse ? ... To your tents, Israel!” (3 Kings 12:16 LXX)

Here the physical separation occurs. The ten tribes break with the House of David. In the prophecy of the Septuagint (e.g., in Ezekiel), they are often referred to as Ephraim – those who mingled among the nations and were “lost.”

Note: The word "lost" appears later in the video when discussing the parable of the prodigal son, as those who appeared lost were to be found again. Furthermore, in the next video segment, we will learn more about the parallels to Ephraim and the nations …

3. The “Sin of Jeroboam ” (The Spiritual Root of the Northern Kingdom)

To prevent the people from returning to Jerusalem (in the south) for worship, Jeroboam erected two golden calves in the north . The Septuagint calls this a hamartia (transgression/sin) that led Israel into sin. This marks the beginning of the northern kingdom's spiritual homelessness: they were still physically in the land, but alienated from the covenant with God.

4. God's Judgment: The Dispersion

God permits the division (“for it is the Lord’s will,” 3 Kings 12:15). The Northern Kingdom is finally scattered to the winds by the Assyrians in 722 BC. In the terminology of the Septuagint, they become the δι ασπορά (diaspora), the scattered ones.

Connection:

Northern Kingdom (Israel): Was "lost" from the beginning due to idol worship and eventually mixed in with the pagan peoples. These are the sheep that Jesus first sought in Galilee (the border region).

Southern Kingdom (Judah): Although it retained the Temple, it fell into an inner hardening (the “righteous”), which later manifested itself in the rejection of Jesus and the preference for human statutes.

Scripture thus shows that the schism was not merely political, but a divine judgment that paved the way for the one "Good Shepherd" who would mend what was broken. Later, we will discuss the relationship between the two children, namely the Northern Kingdom and the Southern Kingdom. explain in more detail.

Summary:

I. The Root of the Rupture: The Divided House (930 BC)

•**The starting point:** The people split under Rehoboam (south) and Jeroboam (north) .

•**The Northern Kingdom (Israel/Ephraim – "Lost Ones"):** They immediately fall into idol worship (golden calves). They are the first "Lost Ones" to be scattered among all nations by Assyria in 722 BC .

•**The Southern Kingdom (Judah+Benjamin – "True Ones"):** They remain at the Temple, but develop a dangerous self-righteousness and legalism.

II. The arrival of the shepherd: The search for the lost (Matthew 15:24)

•**Jesus' mission:** Jesus explains that he was sent *only* for the "lost sheep of the house of Israel" (the scattered northern kingdom). He gathers the weary and burdened in Galilee – territories of the ancient northern kingdom.

•**The confrontation:** The Southern Kingdom (the religious elite in Jerusalem) rejects him. Jesus exposes them: Their father is not God, but the devil (**John 8:44**), because they place their traditions above God's word (see Talmud).

III. The Subversion: The Triumph of Human Statute (70 AD – 500 AD)

•**The end of the Old Covenant:** With the destruction of the Temple, there are no more sacrifices. The Old Covenant is a thing of the past.
•**The birth of the Talmudic system:** The Pharisees (who rejected Jesus) revived the old teachings. They codified their oral doctrines in the Talmud. and disregard the words of God.

•**The deception:** The Talmud becomes the new authority. It reviles Jesus (Sanhedrin 43a) and places the rabbis above God (Baba Mezia 59b). This is the subversion: A man-made, anti-Christian system imposes the name "Israel" upon itself.

IV. Today's Deception: The Earthly vs. the Heavenly Jerusalem

•**The Hagar Principle (Galatians 4):** Present-day, physical Israel is not the fulfillment of the promise, but rather earthly Jerusalem , living in bondage. It is "Sodom and Egypt" (**Revelation 11:8**).

•**The false identity:** Whoever follows the Talmud is not spiritually a child of Abraham. The current entity is the "weed" that grows under the name of Israel, but bears the spirit of Satan.

V. The Finale: The Selection (The Harvest)

•**The hardening of heart:** God allows this deception until the " full number of the nations" (the spiritually gathered lost sheep) has come in (**Romans 11:25**), then the rest of the seed (Southern Kingdom) will also see again.

•**The judgment:** The earthly system (the "many") will ultimately be destroyed (**Zechariah 13:8**). Only a small, purified remnant (the remainder of the seed) will be saved.

•**The goal:** Only when the old (the earthly Jerusalem) passes away will the Heavenly Jerusalem appear – the true mother of the children of God. More detailed information on this will follow at a later time.

Note:

Now that the topic of the FALSE JEWS and their DISPROPTION among the NATIONS is known, we will now turn to the true identity of the nations IN CHRIST . Many connections to Holy Scripture await you below, and therefore I ask you to examine the following information in light of the Word of God. Ideally, use a Septuagint (LXX), as the entire video is based on the Old Testament of the Septuagint.

THE NATIONS in Christ – EPHRAIM (NORTHERN KINGDOM)

Genesis 48:19 – (The Promise of the Nations): Jacob blesses the young Ephraim and prophesies that his descendants will become a "fullness of nations." **This is the foundation for the doctrine that Ephraim represents the world of nations.**

Hosea 7:8 – (Mixing with the Nations): "Ephraim is mingled with the nations; Ephraim is like a cake that is not turned over." This verse directly shows that Ephraim loses its identity and is absorbed into the nations. **Recall the scattering of the Northern Kingdom among the nations.**

Hosea 5:3 & 13:1 - (Ephraim as a synonym for the Northern Kingdom): In the prophetic books, "Ephraim" is often **used synonymously for the entire Northern Kingdom** , as it was the dominant tribe. When God speaks of Ephraim, he usually means the **entirety of the ten tribes.**

Isaiah 11:13 (The Separation of Judah): Here the contrast is clearly stated: "Ephraim's envy will depart… Ephraim will no longer envy Judah , nor will Judah oppress Ephraim." This confirms **Ephraim as the official counterpart to the southern kingdom of Judah .**

Jeremiah 31:9 & 20 - (God's firstborn in the dispersion): **God calls Ephraim his "firstborn son"** and promises to gather him from the "land of the north" and from the ends of the earth.

Introduction: The alienation of the Northern

Galatians 2:15 - We are Jews by nature and not sinners from ⟨the⟩ nations,

Why sinners from the nations? Who is meant? The lost ten tribes as well as Ephraim himself, who mingled among the nations …

The transition: The secret of Ephraim – From the last to the first

1. The prophetic blessing (Genesis 48:19 LXX):

It all begins with the patriarch Jacob. When he blesses Ephraim (the younger), he lays his right hand on him and prophesies: *"His seed will become the abundance of the nations (πλήθος εθνών – plēthos ethnōn) will be."* This is exactly the same term that Paul later uses in **Romans 11:25** used (πλήρωμα των εθνών).

•**The realization:** Ephraim was destined from the beginning to be "merged" into the nations.

2. "Scattering" as strategic sowing:

When the northern kingdom (Ephraim) was deported by the Assyrians in 722 BC, something unique happened: unlike Judah (which retained its identity – "the faithful son"), Ephraim completely mixed with the Gentiles (the "prodigal son").

•They lost their name, their circumcision, and their laws.
•They were literally turned into the "heathens" (nations).
•God's plan: He "sown" Israel into the world in order to later harvest them again as the "fullness of the nations", in order to then finally devote himself to the "remnant" of the seed (Southern Kingdom).

3. The turning of the tables (Hosea 1:10 & 2:25 LXX):

The prophet Hosea describes this process for the Northern Kingdom :

•First God says: *"You are not my people"* (**Lo- Ammi**).
•Then he turns the tables: *"In the place where they were told, 'You are not my people,'* they will be told, 'Sons of the living God!'"

•**The fulfillment:** The Northern Kingdom (the last, the apostates) is reached first by the Gospel. They, who no longer had any identity, receive the highest identity in Christ.

4. The First Will Be Last (The Southern Kingdom):

While Ephraim (the lost) in the nations accepts the grace of Jesus, the southern kingdom (Judah) remains stuck in its "righteousness" and its pride.

•They, the **"First"** (the physical keepers of the law), become the **"Last"** because through their obstinacy and the Talmud they reject the Messiah.

•Ephraim, however – the prodigal son who had been among the swine (heathens) – returns home and receives the festive robe.

5. The reunification in the "House of Israel":

When Jesus says, *"I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel* ," he means the **revival of that Ephraimian portion** that is scattered throughout the world (in the abundance of nations).

•The "True Israel" therefore consists of those who are called out from the nations (Ephraim/the believers in Christ), as well as the rest of the seed (Southern Kingdom), which, however, may only experience the truth in Christ after the full number of the nations.

Matthew 15:24 - But he answered and said: I was sent only to the lost Sheep of the House of Israel.

John 10:16 - And I have other sheep that are not of this sheepfold; I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice , and there will be one flock and one shepherd.

1. The tax collectors and the prostitutes go first (Mt 21:31)

Luke 19:10: *"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save* ***the lost*** *."*

This verse is almost a direct parallel to the passages you mentioned. It comes at the end of the story of Zacchaeus , a prototype of the "lost sheep" (tax collector/sinner), and summarizes Jesus' entire mission.

2. The image of the doctor

Matthew 9:12-13: *"It is not the strong who need a doctor, but the sick. [...] I have not come to call the righteous , but sinners. "*

→ Yes, not the righteous (Southern Kingdom) but sinners (Northern Kingdom) . Yes, let us remember the words of the Apostle Paul.

Galatians 2:15 - We are Jews by nature and not sinners from ⟨the⟩ nations,

→ Whoever comes to the Good Shepherd will find healing. The words of Jesus and the Apostle Paul harmonize beautifully and reflect the interplay of the two realms.

3. The joy of conversion

Luke 15:32: *"But you should be joyful and of good cheer, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found ."*

→ The parable of the prodigal son will reappear. It is the quintessential parable, representing the two kingdoms as children. It perfectly illustrates the process: The father (God) justifies accepting the "sinner" over the "righteous one" (the older brother/symbolizing the southern kingdom) with sheer joy at the new life.

4. Mercy and NOT sacrifice

Matthew 9:13 - Go and learn what this means: "I desire mercy , not sacrifice ." For I have not come to call the righteous , but sinners.

→ This statement by Jesus also clearly reveals the difference between the two kingdoms: the Kingdom of Mercy (northern kingdom – prostitutes and tax collectors who precede the Kingdom of God because of the fruits of their repentance worthy of repentance) and the Southern kingdom – stubborn and oriented only towards the outward worship of the letter).

The Nations – The Tribe of Ephraim…

Now, after a brief introduction, I would like to delve a little deeper into the Scriptures and, with one or two parallels, show that the nations in Christ are the tribe of Ephraim. To depict. Yes, that from a LOST SON who followed the silent idols, a FOUND SON has now become. This and more in the following minutes.

IT IS APPLIED: Test everything; hold fast to what is good (1 Thessalonians 5:21).

The foreshadows of Jesus…

Before we discuss the nations and their connection to the tribe of Ephraim in more detail, it is first necessary to better understand the origin of Ephraim. This will be further illustrated by the following comparisons. Indeed, it is the foreshadowings in the Old Testament of the Lord Jesus Christ that pave the way to truth for us and confirm certain assumptions.

ABRAHAM & ISAAK:

Yes, Abraham and Isaac foreshadow the greatest act of love in human history. How so? Well, Abraham received the command from God to sacrifice his son Isaac. Now, what Abraham didn't know until that moment was that he was being tested by God on his obedience, and he passed this test with flying colors . But what did God want to show Abraham with this test? That it wasn't Abraham who should give up his son, but God himself, by sending him from heaven to earth so that he would taste death for all.

JOSEPH & HIS BROTHERS (the Israelites):

The next foreshadowing of the person of the Lord Jesus Christ is of great relevance and now directs the video in the right direction, because the story of JOSEPH and his BROTHERS (the Israelites) gives us further IMPORTANT clues on the path to knowledge.

Which ones exactly?

Well, Joseph was Jacob's beloved son. Thus, we see in the person of Joseph (Jesus) and in the person of Jacob (God). So, similar to point 1, we see a parallel to Abraham and Isaac. Yes, note the wording: it is "the beloved son."

Abraham & Isaac:

Genesis 22:16 - By me I have sworn, says the Lord, because you have done this deed and your beloved son You didn't spare me, for all I care.

Jacob and Joseph:

Genesis 37:3 - But Jacob loved Joseph more than all his sons , because he was the son of old age.

God and his Christ, the Lord Jesus:

Matthew 17:5 - "This is my beloved Son , in whom I am well pleased; listen to him!"

→ Of course, this is not the definitive answer; therefore, pay particular attention to the following parallels regarding JOSEPH and JESUS.

1. The delivery…

Joseph was sold/betrayed to the Egyptians by his brothers (the Israelites) because of their jealousy . Likewise, Jesus was betrayed/sold by Judas and handed over to the jealous scribes/Pharisees.

Recognize: Just as Joseph provoked his brothers to jealousy, so too should we, as followers of the Lord Jesus, urge those unbelieving/disobedient people to emulate him.

2. The increase after the decrease...

Joseph, after being sold by his brothers, was initially humiliated and had to endure a short period of suffering. After this trial, however, he was exalted beyond measure by our God and Father, so that he became Pharaoh's right hand. was appointed and thus held the second-highest rank in Egypt. Yes, Jesus the Christ, the Son of God, likewise humbled himself for our sake, but then, after the time of trial, was exalted immeasurably and now sits at the right hand of God the Father.

3. Preservation...

What's also interesting is the fact that God's protection was always upon Joseph . Certainly, his faithfulness was tested, but we see that this short period of suffering was nothing compared to what he received through his faithfulness.

Even Jesus, as depicted in the Gospels, was consistently protected from the attacks of the scribes/Pharisees , but was also exposed to the "enemy" at the hour of trial. At the end of this trial, however, as already mentioned, he was exalted immeasurably.

4. The son who was born at a very old age...

that Jacob loved Joseph more than his other sons . Now, there's another great parallel: Jacob loved Joseph even in his old age. had received.

Parallel?

→ Abraham received Isaac in his old age . Thus, Isaac was the younger, and Jacob was the younger. Likewise, Joseph's son, Ephraim, was the last to receive the blessing of the promise. More information on this will follow on the next slide.

And where is the parallel to Jesus? Jesus also came as the LAST one...

Hebrews 1:1-2 - In the past God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets at many times and in various ways, 2 but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom also he made the universe;

Mark 12:6 - He had one more, a beloved son, whom he sent last to them , saying: They will respect my son.

→ Yes, first God revealed himself in/through the prophets, and finally God revealed himself through his Son, the Lord Jesus Christ.

→ The multitude born from above, especially those who were called to the vineyard later, also provide us with fascinating insights. The parable of the prodigal son shows that the younger son had a different mindset than the older one . Similarly, the parable of the vineyard demonstrates that the mindset of the multitude called earlier differed from that of those who joined later .

→ Yes, the prophets in the Old Testament also differ from the Son of God in the New Testament. Just as the Israelites differ from the nations in their outlook. At least they still do.

→ Thus, the OLDER son represents the SOUTHERN KINGDOM ; these are the ones who, as the so-called REMAINDER of the seed, are allowed to enter into the promised rest after reaching the FULL NUMBER (Rom 11:25) of the NATIONS (of the NORTHERN KINGDOM) .

EPHRAIM and MANASSE – The children of JOSEPH…

Genesis 41:50 - But before the seven years of famine came , two sons were born to Joseph , who were borne to him by Asenneth , the daughter of Petephres , the priest of Heliopolis.

First, it's interesting that Joseph's two children were born before the seven years of famine, i.e., before the tribulation. A clue? Possibly. So Joseph had two sons. Sons he fathered with an Egyptian woman. Yes, Asenath
She is an Egyptian woman who, according to the apocryphal writing (Joseph and Asenath), converted to the living God, the God of gods, the God of Israel.

Source: https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Josef_und_Asenat

This information about her conversion isn't really explored in more detail in Exodus (Second Moses); in any case, she is NOT an Israelite woman. So who were Joseph's two children? Ephraim and Manasseh .

Two children by a PAGAN woman. A clue to the special status of the two children? The blending of the nations and Israel? The WILD OIL BRANCH (Asenath) grafted into the NOBLE OIL TREE (Joseph) ? At least parallels are evident.

So what else is so special about it?

Namely, that from Joseph's seed sprang a blessing for a multitude of tribes . A blessing that primarily passed to **Ephraim .**

Yes, Joseph fathered Ephraim, and Jesus, through the Spirit of promise which he received from the Father, fathered the nations.

John 12:24 - Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.

Now we come to discuss other important questions, namely:

a.) What was the blessing promise of Ephraim and Manasseh?

b.) What do the two names mean?

Genesis 48:17-20 - When Joseph saw that his father [Jacob] had laid his right hand on Ephraim's head, it seemed difficult to him, and Joseph took hold of his father's hand to move it from Ephraim's head to Manasseh's. 18 But Joseph said to his father, “Not so, + Father! This is the firstborn! Lay your right hand on his head!” But he would not. Instead, he said, “I know, + child, I know. This man also will be a nation, this man also will be great, but **his younger brother will be greater than he.”** and his descendants will be **a multitude of tribes** 20 And on that day he blessed them, saying, “In you Israel will be blessed, with people saying, ‘May God make you like Ephraim and like Manasseh!’” And he set Ephraim before Manasseh.

- → Ephraim (the second-born) was given preference over Manasseh (the firstborn). Likewise, Jacob was given preference over Esau. Therefore, Jacob did the same with the blessing as had been done to him.
- → The second-born child alludes to the prodigal son (northern kingdom). The first-born child, in turn, refers to the rest of the seed (southern kingdom) .
- → Ephraim will be a multitude of tribes. Now, a multitude of tribes does indeed sound like the promise of Abraham, which was apparently to be fulfilled by both Ephraim and Manasseh.
- → **The name Manasseh means:** "he who makes one forget" or "God has made me forget".

Der Name Ephraim hat seinen Ursprung im Hebräischen und bedeutet "fruchtbar" oder "doppelt fruchtbar". Im Alten Testament ist Ephraim der Name eines Sohnes Josefs und gilt als Gründer eines der zwölf Stämme Israels.

What is the meaning of the name Ephraim?

EPHRAIM – The Son and the Image of the Nations…

Well, the parallels to Joseph and Jesus, as well as to the nations and Ephraim, are gradually becoming apparent; this connection will be explored further below . To this end, I will show you some verses that confirm that Ephraim is the seed with the promise, destined to be numerous , for it is not without reason that it says:

Isaiah 54:1 - Rejoice, O barren woman who never bore; break forth into shouts of joy, O you who are not in labor, for the children of the destitute are more numerous. as + of the one who has (her) husband , for the Lord has said (it).

= Yes, the sheer number of children of the infertile is greater than the one that has the man . A clear reflection of the PEOPLES/NATIONS and the ISRAELITES . Yes, the countless multitude from each nation sounds more than 144,000 sealed ones from each tribe of Israel, doesn't it?

Genesis 48:19 - but his younger brother will be taller than he and his descendants will be **a multitude of tribes** be. *[Note: Ephraim will become a multitude of tribes]*

And what is God's promise to Abraham? Recognize the parallels…

Genesis 17:5 - You will no longer be called Abram, but your name will be Abraham, because I will make you the father of many nations .

Genesis 22:17 - I will surely bless you with my blessing, and I will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as the sand on the seashore ; and your descendants will possess the cities of the enemy.

Genesis 32:12 - But you have said, "I will be exceedingly good to you, and **I will make your descendants like the sand of the sea , which cannot be numbered because of its abundance ."**

Yes , the children of the abandoned are more numerous.

Hosea 1:10 (LXX) - And **the number of the sons of Israel was** like **the sand of the sea,** which cannot be measured or counted. And it will come to pass:

→ If Israel was like the sand on the beach, then who is like the sand on the beach? Clearly, the nations. This fact is made abundantly clear in several places in the Holy Scriptures.

Hebrews 11:12 - Therefore, from one [grain of wheat] , who died, came [many] fruits as numerous as the stars in heaven and as countless as the sand on the seashore.

Romans 4:18 - Abraham, where there was no hope, nevertheless held fast to his faith in hope, so that he might become the father of many nations according to the promise[13]: "So shall your offspring be (innumerable)";

Revelation 7:9 - After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, tribe, people and language , standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands.

→ Is Ephraim, then, a representation of the nations? I say – yes. It is said of Ephraim that he is to become " **a multitude of tribes** " (Genesis 48:19). The older one is to serve the younger one, and the nations (the younger ones) are to incite jealousy in the remnant of the Israelites. Again: Think of the parable of the prodigal son, for there the age differences were also clearly established. The younger one, who was previously lost in the world and ultimately found, while the older one, although constantly with the father, remained in a state of spiritual hardening.

But many who are first will be last, and many who are last will be first (Matthew 19:30).

“Not my people” – the nations (Ephraim)…

Hosea 1:8-9 - And she weaned the unmerciful, conceived again, and bore a son . 9 And he said, “Call him Not My People, for you are not My people , and I am not yours.”

→ Who are "not my people"? The nations. Those who were called prematurely into the vineyard. Those who are like branches on the vine, that is, in Christ Jesus.

Confirmation can be found in the NT where it says:

1 Peter 2:10 - you who once were “not a people” but now are a people of God; you who “had not received mercy” but now have received mercy.

Romans 9:24-25 - ⟨namely to⟩ us whom he has called, not only from the Jews but also from the Gentiles . 25 As he also says in Hosea : “I will call not my people my people, and she whom I do not love my love.”

→“Not my people” is therefore clearly a representation of the nations, as this is evident in several places in the Holy Scriptures. Interestingly, “not my people” is no longer referred to by this name in the following chapters of the Book of Hosea . Instead, the name Ephraim appears alongside Israel and Judah .

→So what other information can we find about Ephraim?

Further verses from Ephraim that can be applied to the nations…

Hosea 7:8 - Ephraim , among the nations [or among his peoples it has mingled.] it has mingled itself , Ephraim has become like a cake that has not been turned over.

Hosea 14:9 - Ephraim , what is the status of idols? I have brought it down, and I will make it strong again. I am like a juniper with thick leaves. Your fruit has been found to have come from me .

→ Yes, what do we still have to do with the idols of the world? Friendship with the world is enmity against God (James 4:4).

1 Thessalonians 1:9 For they themselves tell of us, of the reception we had among you, and how you turned from idols to God , to serve the living and true God.

→ A person who follows Christ has nothing to do with the world anymore. Even Asenath , the mother of Ephraim, initially served the silent idols and then seemed to have converted as well.

→ Furthermore, there is the reference to FRUIT. A FRUIT given by GOD, or rather to us, through the Spirit of Christ. NOT from within ourselves, but through GRACE. A grace that leads us to the works prepared by God (Ephesians 2:10). Yes, remember, what does "Ephraim" mean? FRUIT.

John 15:8 - "This is to my Father's glory , that you bear much fruit , showing yourselves to be my disciples."

Galatians 3:14 - so that the blessing of Abraham might come to the nations in Christ Jesus , so that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.

Mt 21:43 Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a nation that will produce its fruit.

Titus 2:14 - He gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people that are his own , who are eager to do good.

Parallel?

Hosea 1:8-9 - And she weaned the unmerciful, conceived again, and bore a son . 9 And he said, "Call him Not My People , for you are not My people , and I am not yours."

1 Peter 2:9 - But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people to possess, so that you may proclaim the excellencies[8] of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light;

1. eine Rasse (mit gleichen Gewohnheiten), d. h. ein Stamm

2. (speziell) ein Fremder (Nichtjude), Heide

3. (in der Regel impliziert) Heide

Strong's Exhaustive Concordance

Heide, Ungläubiger

Wahrscheinlich von etho; eine Rasse (mit denselben Gewohnheiten), d. h. ein Stamm; speziell ein fremder (nichtjüdischer) (in der Regel impliziert heidnisch) – Heide, Ungläubiger, Nation, Volk.

siehe GRIECHISCH etho

HELPS Wortstudien

1484 *éthnos* (von *ethō*, „eine Sitte, Kultur bilden") – eigentlich Menschen, die durch ähnliche Sitten oder eine gemeinsame Kultur verbunden sind; *Nation(en)*, normalerweise in Bezug auf ungläubige *Heiden* (Nichtjuden).

Please note: In the In the Book of Hosea, Jesus speaks of "NOT MY PEOPLE," and in the Gospels, he speaks of "ONE NATION" or "ONE PEOPLE," while the Epistle to Titus speaks of "THE PEOPLE'S OWN PEOPLE." The parallels are unmistakable.

Why did Jesus use the NUMBER in Matthew 21:43 and not speak of NATIONS/PEMEN? Well, many nations were to come from Ephraim. Ephraim was the child of the promise. Through/from Abraham, the nations were to be blessed. The promise of Abraham was passed on from Isaac through Jacob to Ephraim. Yes, and from the ONE SEED (Jesus) much fruit was to spring up (John 12:24). Remember: EPHRAIM means "FRUIT."

The beloved son, because he keeps the word…

Jeremiah 38:20 - Ephraim is my beloved son , a proud child, because my words are in him I will remember him well . Therefore I hastened to him; I will have compassion on him, says the Lord.

→ It says that the words are in him [Ephraim]. What happens when the words of God have taken up residence in us? They produce fruit. No, it is not from us, it is God's gift (Eph 2:8). Yes, as already described on the previous slide.

Hosea 14:9 – […] Your fruit has been found to be from me .

→ **We know:** The Word of God is the seed, the Son of God. To whom did the Son primarily reveal himself? To the nations.

Romans 15:18 For I will not dare to speak of anything that Christ has not accomplished through me to bring about the obedience of the Gentiles by word and deed ,

Acts 14:27 - When they arrived and gathered the church together, they told all that God had done for them and how he had opened a door of faith to the Gentiles .

Colossians 1:10 - to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, to please him in every way, bearing fruit in every good work and growing in the knowledge of God

Hearers and doers – when the will of God is in us…

Luke 8:21 - But he answered and said to them, "My mother and my brothers are those who hear the word of God and do it."

John 8:29 - And he who sent me is with me; he has not left me alone, because I am always with you that which pleases him .

Yes , the Son, guided by the Holy Spirit, always did what the Father inspired him to do. He obediently carried out the Father's word. Word and deed. Listening and doing. Always!

Who closed themselves off to the word? The scribes and Pharisees…

John 8:37 - I know that you are Abraham's descendants; but you are trying to kill me because my word has no place in you .

John 8:43 - Why do you not understand my language? Because you cannot hear my word .

→ Yes, Esau sought repentance but did not find it. Why? Because he did not have the word within him, for faith is not for everyone (2 Thessalonians 3:2).

But Ephraim had the word of God within him…

Ephraim is the beloved son because he received the beloved Son, the Word, the Son of God into himself (John 1:12). Thus, through the Holy Spirit, the nations carry God's will within them and have become beloved children.

Further links:

- Ephraim is referred to as "son" (reference to "Not my people" - Hosea 1:8-9)
- The book of Hosea is primarily about the 3 children (Israel, Judah and Ephraim)
- The words of God are found in Ephraim (the word of life, the word of truth - The Lord Jesus Christ), and likewise the word, the faith, is found among/in the nations at the present time.

Jeremiah 38:9 - With weeping they went out, and with encouragement I will bring them up; I will let them camp by the canals in the right way, and they will not go astray on it. For I became a father to Israel, ***and Ephraim [nations] is my firstborn.***

IMPORTANT: How did it actually come about that Joseph was given the birthright so that Ephraim and Manasseh could receive the blessing?

1 Chronicles 5:1 - And the sons of Reuben, the firstborn of Israel; he was indeed the firstborn, (but) because he (Reuben) ascended into his father's bed, he gave his blessing to his son Joseph, the son of Israel , and he (Reuben) was not Counted as the firstborn.

Yes , through Ruben's [Leia's firstborn – the unloved one] transgression, the blessing passed to Joseph [Rachel's firstborn – the beloved one] and his house. This is then confirmed, as described above, in Jeremiah 38:9 . Esau also lost his birthright by selling it. Remarkable parallels emerge once again. Now, the wording "firstborn" could also be applied to Ephraim in a different way.

→ If Ephraim stands for the nations, then the term "firstborn" could also be applied in a spiritual sense. Yes, the firstborn from the dead, the Lord Jesus Christ, leads the new creation, so that, like the grain of wheat that died, many fruit (followers/sons) should arise. Yes, we are speaking of the church of the firstborn , the many (firstborn) who sprang from the one (firstborn).

This is what the New Testament says about those who were born from above :

Hebrews 12:23 - and to the community of the firstborn , whose names are written in heaven; and to God, the judge of all; and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect;

Romans 8:23 - Not only they, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit , groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies.

“NOT MY PEOPLE” (the nations) → EPHRAIM…

1 Peter 2:10 - **you who once were “not a people”** but **now are a people of God;** who “had not received mercy” but have now received mercy.

Ephesians 2:12-14 - at that time you were without Christ, excluded[7] from the citizenship of Israel and strangers to the covenants of the promise; and you had no hope and were without God in the world.13 But now in Christ Jesus you **who once were far away** **have been brought near by the blood of Christ.14** For he himself is our peace, from **both** made **one** and broke the dividing wall of the enclosure,[8] the enmity, in his flesh.

John 10:16 And I **have other sheep that are not of this sheepfold;** I must bring these too, and **they will hear my voice** , **and there will be one flock** and **one shepherd.** be.

Romans 9:24-25 - ⟨namely to⟩ us whom he has also called, not only from the Jews **but also from the Gentiles** . 25 As he also says in Hosea : 'I will call not my people my people, and she whom I do not love my beloved.'

Romans 11:16-18 - If the firstfruits are holy, then so is the dough; and if the root is holy, so are the branches. 17 But if some of the branches have been broken off, and you, **who were a wild olive tree** , **have been grafted in among them and have become partakers of the root and the nourishing oil of the olive tree,** 18 do not boast against the branches. For if you do boast against them, you do not support the root, but the root supports you.

Here are five more verses from four different books of the New Testament, which show that the nations went from being "not a people" to "God's people ." Through? Through the firstfruits of the Spirit.

Peter confirms this with a verse from Hosea that reads: “Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God;” yes, saved by grace. Paul, in his letter to the Ephesians, shows that the nations have drawn near to the Holy Spirit through the blood of Christ, grace. Yes, He has made two into one. Yes, thus the enmity between the two was eliminated ; that is, the nations were cleansed by the “washing with water by the word.” Yes, the nations were given preferential treatment through the conception of the Holy Spirit.

Similarly, Jesus himself already hinted in the Gospel of John that there is a second flock, hence the reference to the two flocks . Furthermore, the two verses in Romans, chapters 9 and 11, confirm Paul's statements with Peter. Interestingly, both (i.e., Peter and Paul) quote from Hosea , and the book of Hosea is primarily about Israel, Judah , and Ephraim.

Those who are called, primarily from the nations, have now found grace and have been grafted as wild branches into the cultivated olive tree, that is, into Israel (God's people). The wild olive tree represents the world [NOT MY PEOPLE] , serving its silent idols, and the cultivated olive tree [MY PEOPLE – ISRAEL] represents the promised good in Christ Jesus, the incorporation into ISRAEL.

Reasons why the tribe of "Ephraim" represents the nations/peoples...

1.) God's promise to Abraham and Jacob's blessing to Ephraim

The ultimate clue is the promise God gave to Abraham....

Genesis 17:5 - You will no longer be called Abram, but your name will be Abraham, because I will make you **the father of many nations .**

→ & Jacob's blessing upon Ephraim as a clear parallel...

Genesis 48:19 - but **his younger brother will be taller than he** and his descendants will be **a multitude of tribes** be.

2.) The fracture & the integration of the bars (explained in detail on the following slides)

Another important reason for the parallel between the nations and Ephraim can be found in Zechariah chapter 11 and Ezekiel chapter 37. There, the text refers to the staff of the nations, which is first broken (based on Zechariah 11:11), and then the staff, which is called Ephraim in **Ezekiel 37:16-19, is to** be incorporated into Israel.

3.) Ephraim is not among the sealed crowd from Revelation 7.

Yes , that's a point worth considering. Why might Ephraim not have been listed among the 144,000 Israelites? Perhaps because "Ephraim" represents the nations, that is, the countless multitude from Revelation 7:9, and was sealed **before** his brothers ?

Yes, because the nations received the Holy Spirit beforehand; that is why it is also referred to as the church of the firstborn (Heb 12:23).

4.) Ephraim – a beloved son

Jeremiah 38:20 - Ephraim is my beloved son , + a proud child, who, because my words are in him , + I will remember him very well .

→ Also check: Zechariah 10:6-7 / Jeremiah 38:20 / Ephesians 5:25 / Revelation 3:9

The tribe of Joseph (Ephraim) is considered beloved, just like the church in Philadelphia, which is to be preserved from the hour of temptation (the appearance of the Antichrist/Beast). Those who are beloved have always held a special status. Be it Isaac, as the beloved son of Abraham, or Joseph, the beloved son of Jacob. Likewise, the beloved of God, the Son of God, was Jesus Christ. And even John, the beloved disciple of Jesus, had a different outcome than the other disciples

5.) The name Ephraim means "FRUIT-RICH"

Matthew 21:43 - Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a nation that will produce its fruit.

John 15:8 - This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.

Titus 2:14 - He gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people that are his own, who are eager to do good.

6.) Ephraim is referred to as the firstborn.

Yes, Joseph was granted the birthright so that his sons could receive the blessing. Similarly, through the Israelites' transgression, the nations also received the birthright in a spiritual sense—those who walk in obedience and act as role models.

Hebrews 12:23 - and to the church of the firstborn, whose names are written in heaven; and to God, the judge of all; and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect;

Ephesians 2:11-13 - Therefore, remember that you, once Gentiles according to the flesh[6]—called “uncircumcised” because of the so-called “circumcision” performed in the flesh by human hands—12 at that time were separate from Christ, excluded[7] from citizenship in Israel and aliens to the covenants of the promise; and without hope, and without God in the world. 13 But now in Christ Jesus, you who once were far away have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

→ Back then, far from Israeli citizenship, and now close. ALL who are ruled by the Spirit are CHILDREN OF GOD and belong to ISRAEL.

Why is this about Ephraim so important?

In one word: **IDENTITY.**

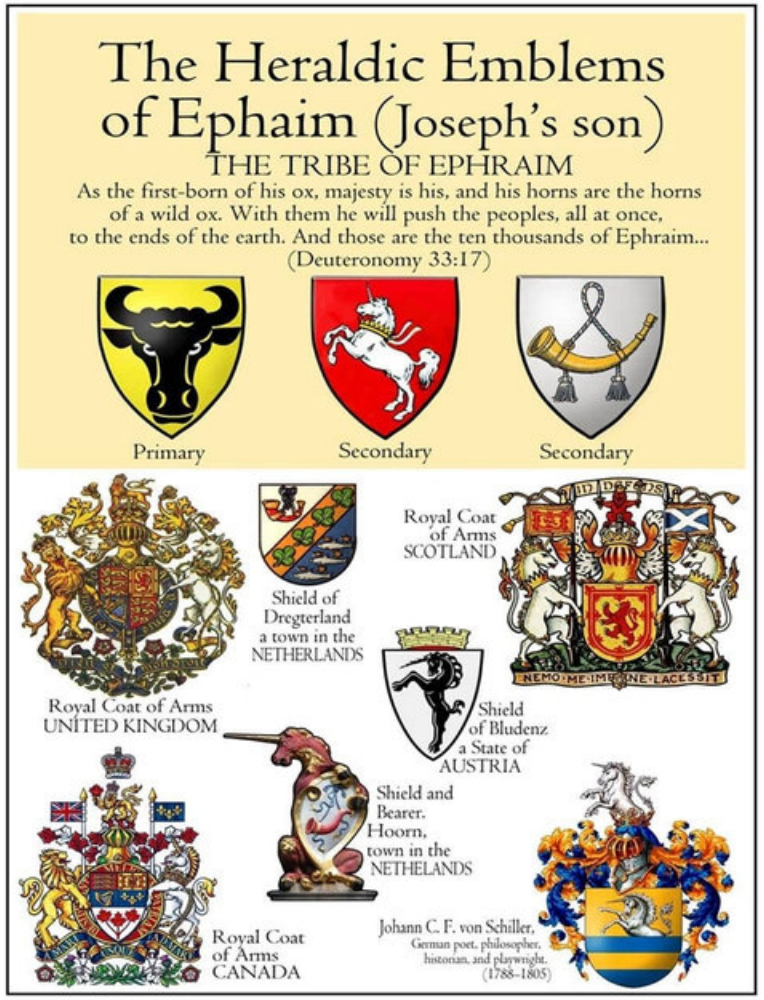
Yes, one is not simply a pagan who has found Jesus, but a **child of the promise** . Yes, when one has received the Holy Spirit, one has been grafted into the noble olive tree. Thus, the simple pagan suddenly became part of Israel, and this is precisely where the **tribe of Ephraim comes** into play. Ephraim is a tribe with a special status and a particular task: to be a good example to its brothers and to inspire them to follow its example.

Yes, **Ephraim (the Northern Kingdom)** was meant to make the **stubborn ones (the Southern Kingdom)** jealous, just as Joseph made his brothers jealous. Joseph was elevated to an extraordinary degree, and so Ephraim is also granted this special status. Ephraim thus has the important role of a role model and is the first gift – valuable and deserving of his reputation.

This topic probably has many more parallels, but at some point I decided to draw a line. Yes, for now it should be enough to have recognized what it means to be summoned.

Further insights that come into play once one has recognized the parallel between the nations and Ephraim:

→ This realization gives greater expression to the significance and responsibility of the community of the firstborn.
→ The nations are given names.
→ Ephraim is the spiritual "big brother" of the other tribes.



Ephesians 2:18-19 - For through him we both have access to the Father through one Spirit. Therefore you are no longer strangers and aliens, **but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God.**

Deuteronomy 33:17 - His glory (is) **a firstborn** of a bull + his horns (are) the horns of a unicorn.
With them he attacks (several) peoples at once, to the ends of the earth;
These are the tens of thousands of Ephraim.
and these thousands of Manasseh.

Ezekiel 29:21 - "On that day **a horn will grow up for all the house of Israel** , and I will give you a mouth that will be opened among them, so that they will know that I am the Lord."

a) Horn: Symbol of power and strength.

Psalm 28:6 - and he will crush them like the calf, Lebanon,
and the beloved will be like a son of unicorns.

Summary:

In the genealogical chain of the patriarchs, Ephraim is the endpoint of the directly passed-down blessing from Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. While Jacob blessed all twelve of his sons on his deathbed, the scene with Ephraim and Manasseh (Genesis 48) is so special because it marks the official transfer of the birthright .

Here are the key facts:

The last "patriarchal blessing": After Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, Ephraim (together with Manasseh) is the last one on whom the hands are laid to bestow the blessing in the style of the patriarchs.

The "fullness of the nations": In this final blessing, Jacob prophesies that Ephraim's descendants will become the "fullness of the nations" (*melo ha- goyim*) – a phrase directly linked in the New Testament (Romans 11:25) to the entry of the nations into the church. is linked.

Confirmation by God: That this blessing “arrived” is later confirmed by God in Jeremiah 31:9 , by officially designating Ephraim as his firstborn .

Thus the circle is complete: What began with Abraham as a promise for “all the families of the earth” finds its provisional hereditary endpoint in Ephraim and culminates spiritually in the community of the firstborn.

The NORTHERN KINGDOM- and the Southern Kingdom

Acts 1:8 […] and you will be my witnesses in **Jerusalem, and in all Judea** and **Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.**

The first will be the last:

1. Judea/Jerusalem: The preserved southern kingdom as the righteous but stubborn son.

2. Samaria / End of the Earth (Nations): The lost northern kingdom, as the "lost sheep of the house of Israel", the prodigal son (Ephraim), who was to be found again.

& The LAST will be FIRST:

Acts 15:14-16 - Simon told how God **first** looked to **the Gentiles** to make a people for his name.15 And the words of the prophets agree with this, as it is written:

16 " **After this** I will return to them and rebuild **David's ruined tabernacle** ; I will rebuild its ruins and raise it up."

Jeremiah 3:8-11 - And I saw that concerning all the things [in which she committed adultery] the congregation of Israel was convicted. And I sent her away and gave her a certificate of divorce. But unfaithful Judah was not afraid, but she also went away and practiced adultery.

9 And her fornication was in vain; with wood and stone she committed adultery.

10 And in all this, unfaithful Judah did not return to me from her whole heart, but only in appearance.

11 And the Lord said to me: **Israel + was more inclined to justice** than **unfaithful Judah .**

Who are the 10 tribes of the Northern Kingdom?

Das Nordreich Israel bestand aus zehn der zwölf Stämme Israels. Nach dem Tod König Salomos wurde das Reich geteilt, und die nördlichen Stämme bildeten das eigenständige Königreich Israel, während die südlichen Stämme Juda und Benjamin das Königreich Juda gründeten.

Die zehn Stämme des Nordreichs waren:

Ascher, Dan, Ephraim, Gad, Issachar, Manasse, Naftali, Ruben, Sebulon, Simeon.

Revelation 7:4-8

Gottes an ihren Stirnen versiegelt haben. 4 Und ich hörte die Zahl der Versiegelten: 144 000 Versiegelte, aus jedem Stamm der Söhne Israel. 5 Aus dem Stamm Juda 12 000 Versiegelte, aus dem Stamm Ruben 12 000, aus dem Stamm Gad 12 000, 6 aus dem Stamm Asser 12 000, aus dem Stamm Naftali 12 000, aus dem Stamm Manasse 12 000, 7 aus dem Stamm Simeon 12 000, aus dem Stamm Levi 12 000, aus dem Stamm Issaschar 12 000, 8 aus dem Stamm Sebulon 12 000, aus dem Stamm Josef 12 000, aus dem Stamm Benjamin 12 000 Versiegelte. 9 Nach diesem sah ich: Und siehe, eine große Volks-

→ However, it should be noted that the tribes **"DAN"** and **"EPHRAIM"** are not mentioned by name in this list regarding the sealing in Revelation chapters 7:4-8 .

→ **"LEVI" and "JOSEF"** are now found there . The special status of the tribe **"EPHRAIM"** has already been explained in detail.

So, once again, the sealing of the 144,000 in its updated form based on Revelation 7:4-8 :

→ From the tribe of Reuben 12,000, from the tribe of Gad 12,000, from the tribe of Asher 12,000, from the tribe of Naphtali 12,000, from the tribe of Manasseh 12,000, 7 from the tribe of Simeon 12,000, from the tribe of Levi 12,000, from the tribe of Issachar 12,000, from the tribe of Zebulun 12,000, from the tribe of Joseph 12,000, from the tribe of Benjamin 12,000 sealed.

→ I also find it very interesting that in the list on Revelation 7:4-8 Judah is mentioned first and Benjamin last . Both tribes belong not to the North but to the South.

→ In total, there were 144,000 Israelites from the 12 tribes listed. Ten tribes from the Northern Kingdom (Reuben, Gad, Asher, Naphtali, Manasseh, Simeon, Levi, Issachar, Zebulun , Joseph) and two tribes from the Southern Kingdom (Judah and Benjamin).

The currently sighted part of the Israelites…

Can it be found? AMONG THE NATIONS – the lost tribes
→ THE NORTHERN KINGDOM. Below is some important information…

Die Bewohner des Landes nannten sich Samariter. Die Juden wollten mit den Samaritern nichts zu tun haben, denn sie waren in ihren Augen „Heiden"; das sind Menschen, die keiner Religion angehören. Die Samariter hatten einen eigenen Tempel und besuchten nicht den Tempel in Jerusalem.

Lehrerfortbildung-bw.de
https://lehrerfortbildung-bw.de › 9_bspl › 2_jugend › 7_...

Info-Blatt zum Gleichnis „Der barmherzige Samariter" (Lukas ...

Ja, das Gebiet Samaria (Biblische Region) war das Kerngebiet und später die Hauptstadt des Nordreichs Israel nach der Teilung des Königreichs im 10. Jahrhundert v. Chr. Die Stadt Samaria wurde von König Omri als Hauptstadt des Nordreichs ausgebaut, und die Region wurde zum politischen und kulturellen Zentrum dieses Königreichs, bevor sie von den Assyrern erobert wurde.

Entstehung des Nordreichs Israel:

- Nach der Herrschaft von König Salomo spaltete sich das Königreich Israel im Jahr 926 v. Chr. in zwei Teile: das Nordreich (Israel) und das Südreich (Juda).
- Das Nordreich umfasste zehn der zwölf israelitischen Stämme, und sein politisches Zentrum lag in Samaria.

Ja, die samaritanische Gemeinschaft hat ihre Wurzeln im Nordreich Israel und versteht sich als Nachfahren der Israeliten aus dieser Region, die nicht ins Exil nach Babylon gingen oder bei der Rückkehr zu einer anderen Gruppe gehörten. Daher haben sie auch ihre eigene religiöse Tradition, die sich auf die fünf Bücher Mose konzentriert und den Berg Garizim als heiligen Ort ehrt, anstatt Jerusalem, dem zentralen Ort der jüdischen Pilgerfahrt.

A notice:

Yes, in the eyes of the "Jews," the Samaritans are "Gentiles." The parable of the prodigal son conveys a similar sentiment, as does the parable of the two sons. Thus, among the nations, we find the ten tribes of the Northern Kingdom , as well as the countless multitude of converts in Christ Jesus, as the tribe of "Ephraim."

But what distinguishes the Northern Kingdom from the Southern Kingdom?

→ Receptivity to the Word of God , to the Gospel, faith in the Lord Jesus combined/resulting in good fruit in deed . The Samaritans, therefore, as described on the left, represent the Northern Kingdom .

→ Yes, those people had a good, penitent fruit to show for themselves…

Luke 17:16 - and he fell on his face at his feet and thanked him ; and he was a Samaritan.

John 4:39 - But many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony: " He told me everything I ever did."

Acts 8:5-6 - Philip went down to a town in Samaria and preached Christ to them. 6 The crowds together paid attention to what Philip said , listening and seeing the signs he performed.

Acts 8:14 - When the apostles in Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God , they sent Peter and John to them.

Acts 8:25 - After they had testified and spoken the word of the Lord, they returned to Jerusalem and proclaimed the gospel to many Samaritan villages.

→ Consider also the parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37). He did what was required, while the priest and Levite remained stubborn in their legalistic zeal. Here, too, is a clear indication of the difference between the Northern and Southern Kingdoms. The former practice worship pleasing to God by serving one another (spiritual), while the latter remain in their old ways and insist on self-righteousness (carnal).

The prodigal son – the Lost Sheep of Israel...

Yes , it is not only the nations that represent the prodigal son, but also the Northern Kingdom (Samaria). Why? Well, both had given themselves over to idolatry. Both had gone astray but were now to be found again.

Luke 15:4 - Which of you, having a hundred sheep, and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it?

Matthew 10:6 - but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel!

Mt 15:24 - But he answered and said: I was only sent to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.

John 10:16 And I have other sheep that are not of this sheepfold ; I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice , and there will be one flock and one shepherd.

Der Ausdruck "die verlorenen Schafe Israels" bezieht sich auf das Volk Israel, das sich von Gott entfernt hat und dadurch "verloren" ist, ähnlich wie ein Schaf, das von der Herde abkommt. Jesus wurde gesandt, um diese Menschen – die als "verlorene Schafe" bezeichnet werden – zu finden und zurückzubringen, da Gott nicht wünscht, dass ein Mensch verloren geht. Der Begriff ist im Neuen Testament zu finden und hat seinen Ursprung in der Vorstellung des Volkes Israel als Gottes auserwähltem Volk, das nun fehlgeleitet oder abtrünnig geworden ist.

Important NOTE:

The nations are of course not all Ephraim, but only those who **are in Christ Jesus.** were allowed to accept the truth.

→ The Northern Kingdom was predominantly rebellious throughout the history of the kings of Israel , and this is clearly and evidently depicted in the Old Testament. Indeed, all those kings who acted and walked impiously. A lost and false mindset, just like that of the pagans/nations . Therefore, the younger prodigal son can be applied to the nations (Ephraim) as well as to the rest of the Northern Kingdom of Israel .

→ A fascinating parallel: The Northern Kingdom was lost/scattered from its identity and homeland due to its disobedience, but through the tribulation it suffered, it received mercy and was allowed to return spiritually (lost and found). The Southern Kingdom , on the other hand, was faithful to the law, but its mind was still clearly hardened . Yes, do you also recognize the parable of the prodigal son? Why are they called the Lost Tribes of Israel ? Think for yourselves...

Wikipedia
https://de.wikipedia.org › wiki › Verlorene_Stämme_Isr...

Verlorene Stämme Israels

Als die Verlorenen Stämme Israels (hebräisch עשרת השבטים aseret ha-schvatim oder השבטים ha-shvatim) bezeichnet man die zehn israelitischen Stämme, ...

The idolatry of the Northern Kingdom:

Hosea 4:17-18 - By partaking in idols, Ephraim prepared stumbling blocks for himself . 18 It has the Canaanites They chose. They gave themselves completely to lust. They loved the shame that arose from their pride.

3 Kings 12:28-30 - And the king consulted with himself, and went and made two golden calves, and said to the people, "It is enough for you to go up to Jerusalem! Behold, your gods, O Israel , who brought you up out of the land of Egypt."

3 Kings 16:2 - Because I raised you from the ground and appointed you ruler over my people Israel, and you walked in the way of Jeroboam , and my people Israel You have led me to sin, to provoke me to anger with your idols,

→ *" Ephraim is seen in prophecy as the "heart" of idolatry in the northern kingdom, since the rulers who initiated the change in cult came from this tribe (Jeroboam I from the tribe of Ephraim)"*

Before the scattering, the 10 tribes (with Ephraim) - AT

Das Nordreich Israel bestand aus **zehn** der zwölf Stämme Israels. Nach dem Tod König Salomos wurde das Reich geteilt, und die nördlichen Stämme bildeten das eigenständige Königreich Israel, während die südlichen Stämme Juda und Benjamin das Königreich Juda gründeten.

Die zehn Stämme des Nordreichs waren:

Ascher, Dan, Ephraim, Gad, Issachar, Manasse, Naftali, Ruben, Sebulon, Simeon.

After the scattering, the 10 tribes (WITHOUT EPHRAIM) – NT

Gottes an ihren Stirnen versiegelt haben. 4 Und ich hörte die Zahl der Versiegelten: 144 000 Versiegelte, aus jedem Stamm der Söhne Israel. 5 Aus dem Stamm Juda 12 000 Versiegelte, aus dem Stamm Ruben 12 000, aus dem Stamm Gad 12 000, 6 aus dem Stamm Asser 12 000, aus dem Stamm Naftali 12 000, aus dem Stamm Manasse 12 000, 7 aus dem Stamm Simeon 12 000, aus dem Stamm Levi 12 000, aus dem Stamm Issaschar 12 000, 8 aus dem Stamm Sebulon 12 000, aus dem Stamm Josef 12 000, aus dem Stamm Benjamin 12 000 Versiegelte. 9 Nach diesem sah ich: Und siehe, eine große Volks-

So, after the scattering, the cards were reshuffled, and Ephraim, as the "lost" one, was now to become the image in the New Testament for the "found" peoples/nations in Christ . Intriguing, and who was appointed to represent the lost and the found? Paul. He, too, was initially lost, but then found grace.

The promise is indeed fulfilled…

Genesis 48:19-20 - And he was unwilling, but he said, “I know, + child, I know. This man also will be a nation, this man also will be great, but his younger brother [Ephraim] will be greater than he, and his descendants will be a multitude of tribes .” 20 And on that day he blessed them, saying, “In you Israel will be blessed, with the words, ‘May God make you like Ephraim and like Manasseh!’” **And he set Ephraim before Manasseh.**

- While other tribes were meant to grow large, Ephraim was meant to grow directly into the nations or become a "multitude of peoples." The curse of Ephraim in the Old Testament became a blessing for the nations in the New Testament.
- Thus, in the Old Testament, Ephraim was “allied with the idols” (Hosea 4:17). But in the New Testament, Jacob’s prophecy of the “fullness of the nations” is fulfilled. When Paul speaks of the fullness of the nations in **Romans 11:25** , he is speaking of the return of the “lost.”

What did the Lord Jesus himself say?

John 10:16 - And I have other sheep that are not of this sheepfold ; I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice, and there will be one flock and one shepherd.

- Yes, and these other sheep (the northern kingdom) are to be united with the other flock (the southern kingdom) in the end. This image is conveyed not only by the two flocks and the two sons, but also by the two staffs, which will be explained in more detail later. Yes, not two nations, but one nation.

Ezekiel 37:21-23 - and you shall say to them, “This is what the Lord says: Behold, I will take all the house of Israel from among the nations where they have gone, and I will gather them from all the nations around them and bring them into the land of Israel. 22 Then I will make them one people in my land and on the mountains of Israel, and one ruler will be their leader. They will no longer be two nations , nor will they be divided into two kingdoms . 23 They will no longer be defiled by their idols. I will rescue them from all the iniquities they have committed, and I will cleanse them, and they will be my people, and I, the Lord, will be their God.”

In a few bullet points:

- The lost sheep, the so-called "other hurdle" (NORTHERN KINGDOM), will preempt the sheep from the SOUTHERN KINGDOM.
- The “heart of idolatry” has thus become the vessel for grace, which now floods all nations. Ephraim is therefore the perfect example of the principle: “ Where sin abounded, grace abounded all the more” (Romans 5:20).
- In the new testament, Ephraim is no longer the “heart” of idolatry but has become the FULLNESS for the nations, as prophesied.
- **Remember:** In the Old Testament, Ephraim was part of the northern tribes; in the New Testament, he is no longer mentioned, which highlights his "special status." From curse (Old Testament) to blessing (New Testament).

A notice:

The kingdom of Israel distanced itself from the kingdom of Judah, just as the prodigal son in the parable distanced himself from his father [God] and his brother (Judah/Benjamin)

More links…

Matthew 10:5-6 - Jesus sent these twelve out, instructing them, “ Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans . 6 But go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.”

The Samaritans and nations are mentioned together, which would also indicate the connection between the two. The disciples were therefore supposed to preach to the Southern Kingdom first before going to the Samaritans or nations .

Who came to faith in the Gospels?

Matthew 21:31-32 - Which of the two did the will of the Father? They said, "The first." Jesus said to them, " Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are going ahead of you into the kingdom of God . For John came to you in the way of righteousness, and you did not believe him. But the tax collectors and the prostitutes did believe him , and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him."

Hebrews 4:2 - For the good news was proclaimed to us,[3] just as it was to them; but the word[4] they heard was of no benefit to them , because those who heard it did not combine it with faith.

Yes…

Matthew 23:3 - Therefore do and observe everything they tell you, but do not do what they do, for they preach and do not practice.

Yes, FAITH and WORKS. WORD and DEED. The deed was lacking in those who acted through disobedience/unbelief. Thus, the nations, or rather the Northern Kingdom, were receptive to the Gospel of salvation, while the "Jews" remained obstinate.

→ THE LAST (NATIONS/NORTHERN KINGDOM) will be the FIRST and the FIRST (JUDA/JUDAEA – SOUTHERN KINGDOM) will be the LAST.

The scattered Israelites (among the nations) are to be gathered in the FUTURE …

Isaiah 11:12 - He will raise up a banner for the nations and gather the lost of Israel ; he will gather the scattered of Judah from the four corners of the earth.

Psalm 8:28 - Gather the scattered Israel with compassion and kindness, for your faithfulness is with us.

Psalm 9:2 - Israel was scattered among every nation according to the word of God, so that you, God, might be justified in your righteousness because of our transgressions.

Micah 2:12 - I will gather, yes, Jacob will be gathered completely . I will receive, yes, I will receive the remnant of Israel. Then I will make their return, as sheep in distress, like a flock in the midst of their bed they will leap up before men.

Jeremiah 23:3 - "But I will gather the remnant of my people from all the land where I have driven them , and I will restore them to their pasture, and they will prosper and increase in number."

Jeremiah 38:8 - Behold, I will bring them from the north, and I will gather them from the ends of the earth at the festival of Phaseka . And you will bear a great multitude, and they will return here.

Jeremiah 38:10 - Hear the word of the Lord, you nations; report it in the distant coastlands. + Say: He who has sifted Israel will gather them and will protect them like a shepherd protects his flock.

First one group, then the other…

→ After the Kingdom of Judah Since the majority were not receptive to the message of salvation, the proclamation, or rather salvation, came to the nations. After the completion of the Gentiles, however, the gospel is once again called to the conscience of the Judeans as the REMAINING SEED, but now no longer in PEACE & RELAXATION , but in TRIGGERS .

AT:

Amos 9:11-12 - " On that day I will raise up the fallen tabernacle of David, and I will rebuild its ruins and raise up its rubble, and I will rebuild it as in the days of old, 12 so that the remnant of mankind and all the nations that bear my name will seek it out," says the Lord who does this.

NT:

Acts 15:13-16 - After this, when they were silent, James answered and said: "Brothers, listen to me! 14 Simon has told how God first looked upon the Gentiles as a people for his name . 15 And the words of the prophets agree with this, as it is written:

16 » After that I will turn to them again and rebuild David's ruined hut ; I will rebuild its ruins and raise it up.

The distinction between the two kingdoms – Samaria and Jerusalem. Left & Right – North & South…

→ The following words in the Book of Ezekiel also make it clear: Everything happens in a certain order.

Ezekiel 4:3-6 - And you, take an iron pan and set it as an iron wall between you and the city, and set your face against it; and it will be surrounded , and you shall surround it. This will be a sign for the children of Israel.

4 You shall lie down on your left side and lay the iniquities of the house of Israel upon it for the number of days: 150 (days) that you shall sleep on it, and you shall take their iniquities upon yourself.

→ left side: "Left" stands for north and thus refers to Israel as the northern kingdom; cf. 16:46.

5 And I have given you their two iniquities, for a total of 190 days. And you shall bear the iniquities of the house of Israel.

→ 190 days: The 190 days result from the 150 days for Israel (v. 4) and a further 40 days for Judah (v. 6).

6 and complete this. And you shall lie on your right side and bear upon yourself the iniquities of the house of Judah for 40 days. Day by day I have appointed for you.

Ezekiel 16:46 - Your older sister, Samaria , and her daughters, who lives on your left, is Samaria. Your younger sister, who lives on your right, is Sodom and her daughters.

a) Left: This refers to the north. See 4.4.
b) Right: This refers to the south. See 4.6.

So, SAMARIA stands for the HOUSE OF ISRAEL and JERUSALEM for the HOUSE OF JUDAH.

→ The parable of the Good Samaritan gives an impression of who the forerunner will be who brings the law to fulfillment.
→ We find the word "SODOM" in reference to the YOUNGER sister Judah , which makes perfect sense because a similar wording can be found in the Book of Revelation:

Revelation 11:8 - And their body will lie in the street of the great city , **which, spiritually speaking, is called Sodom and Egypt** , where their Lord was crucified.

→ The bodies of the two prophets, the sons of fatness, the two olive trees, are found in the great city, which is Jerusalem, and spiritually speaking, that is Sodom and Egypt, because the present Jerusalem is still in slavery. Why is this important to know? Well, primarily when it comes to identifying the whore of Babylon .

Ezekiel 23:4 - Their names were Oola (for) the elder and Ooliba (for) her sister. They came into my possession and bore sons and daughters. Their names were Samaria (for) Oola and Jerusalem (for) Ooliba .

Galatians 4:25 - for Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia, but corresponds to **present-day Jerusalem** , for it is in slavery with its children.

→ If one follows your line of reasoning from Ezekiel, where Jerusalem is described as the sister of Sodom and the "whore" is Oholibah , then the identification of **Babylon as the apostate Jerusalem is** A very coherent biblical argument. It is the city that has broken its covenant with God.

The Southern Kingdom - The Kingdom of Judah - The Stubborn and Jealous Son…

Romans 11:11 - I ask then: Did they stumble and fall? By no means! Rather, it was through their fall that salvation came to the Gentiles, to provoke them to **jealousy** .

Romans 10:19 - But I ask: Did Israel not understand? First Moses said: **"I will provoke you to jealousy** over a non-nation; I will enrage you over a nation without understanding."

Acts 5:17 - The high priest stood up, and all those who were with him, namely the sect of the Sadducees, were filled **with jealousy ;**

Acts 13:45-46 - But **when the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and contradicted them** They criticized what Paul had said and blasphemed. 46 But Paul and Barnabas spoke boldly: "It was necessary that the word of God be spoken first to you; **but because you reject it and do not consider yourselves worthy of eternal life, behold, we turn to the Gentiles."**

Acts 28:24-29 - And some were convinced by what was said, but others did not believe. 25 When they differed among themselves, they departed after Paul spoke a word: 26 The Holy Spirit spoke eloquently to your ancestors through Isaiah the prophet, saying, "Go to this people and say: 'You will hear but not understand, and you will see but not perceive.' 27 For this people's heart has grown dull, and they have slowed their hearing with their ears, and they have closed their eyes, lest they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts and turn, and I would heal them." 28-29 Therefore, let it be known to you **that this salvation of God has been sent to the Gentiles; they too will listen.**

Romans 15:31 - so that I may be saved from the disobedient in Judea , and that my service in Jerusalem may be acceptable to the saints,

Hebrews 4:6-7 - Since it continues that some enter into it, and those to whom the good news was first proclaimed[8] did not enter because of their disobedience ,[7 he again sets a day, a "Today," and says through David, after a long time, as before: "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts."

Matthew 22:3 – And he sent his servants to call those who had been invited to the wedding ; but **they would not come.**

→ Yes, both the first group of those invited (from the parable of the wedding feast) and the stubborn son (from the parable of the prodigal son) represent the southern kingdom , who did not want to go through the door (Jesus Christ).

→ The plan was to preach first to the Southern Kingdom , and this did happen, but they largely rejected the message of salvation, so salvation then passed to the "lost," that is, to the nations (Northern Kingdom). Shortly before the end and the Second Coming of Jesus, however, a small remnant of the seed (Southern Kingdom) will be given the chance for redemption.

→ Yes, those invited were not WORTHY and therefore "other guests" were summoned – who are worthy – THE LOST TRIBUTE among them EPHRAIM → THE LOST SON among the NATIONS.

THE PARABLES AND THE OPEN DOOR

Revelation 3:20 - Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door , I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me.

Luke 13:24-25 - Strive to enter through the narrow gate , for many, I tell you, will try to enter and will not be able. 25 As soon as the owner of the house gets up and shuts the door, and you begin to stand outside knocking and saying, " Lord, open to us!" he will answer you, "I do not know you or where you are from."

John 10:9 - I am the door ; whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out, and find pasture.

Matthew 25:10-12 - As they went to buy the bridegroom, she arrived, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding banquet. But the door was shut. 11 Later the other virgins also came and said, " Lord, Lord, open the door for us!" 12 But he answered, "Truly I tell you, I do not know you."

The Letter to Philadelphia – Will Obedience Be Rewarded?

Now that the identity of the saints from the NORTH and SOUTHERN KINGDOM has been discussed, we move immediately on to another very important topic: How long will the door of salvation remain open, and when will it close? To begin with, the Book of Revelation, in its letter to the church in Philadelphia, provides an interesting clue .

Revelation 3:7-8 - To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: These are the words of him who is holy and true, who has the key of David, which opens and no one will shut, and shuts and no one will open: 8 I know your works. See, I have set before you an open door that no one can shut ; for you have little strength, yet you have kept my word. and you did not deny my name.

Could the open door also be associated with the door to the wedding? I say quite clearly – YES. Only those clever virgins entered through that door …

Matthew 25:10 - But as they went to buy the bridegroom, he came; and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding banquet , and the door was shut.

→ Yes, and WHO is the DOOR?

John 10:9 - I [Jesus] am the door; whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out, and find pasture.

If the door (Jesus) is closed, that is, if the full number of nations has entered, then all who have not received the love of the truth, the Lord Jesus Christ, will be hardened (2 Thessalonians 2:10-12) and delivered into the hands of the evil shepherd, following him. More information on this will follow in a later section.

It goes on to say:

Revelation 3:9 - Behold, I will give 'people' out of the synagogue of Satan, from those who call themselves Jews and are not, but lie; behold, I will cause them to come and worship at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you.

The wording, "That I have loved you," is extremely interesting because, in Zechariah, referring to the house of Joseph, it says:

Zechariah 10:6-7 - I will strengthen the house of Judah and save the house of Joseph and bring them back , for I love them , and they will be as if I had not rejected them.

Jeremiah 38:20 - Ephraim is my beloved son , a proud child, because my words are in him I will remember him well . Therefore I hastened to him; I will have compassion on him, says the Lord.

Joseph was loved by God so much that he found grace in Egypt and was exalted immeasurably in his humility. His brothers, who abandoned him in his tribulation, ultimately had to submit to him. Yes, once again a parallel: the older will submit to the younger.

Ephesians 5:25 - Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her

→ It should be kept in mind that the tribe of Ephraim (one of Joseph's two sons) was blessed by Jacob and is very likely a representation of the NATIONS/PEOPLES .

Further in context (Re: Revelation 3:10):

10 Because you have kept the word about patient endurance for me , I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come on the whole world,[5] to test those who live on the earth.

→ Here again, described very clearly: Those who HELD UP Those who believe in the Word of Life will also be preserved BEFORE the darkest hour. The hour of temptation is for those who refused to accept the love of truth and the Son of God as their Savior/Shepherd/King. In this darkest time, they will be mistreated by a different kind of Shepherd , just as they desired. The hour of temptation heralds the coming of the Antichrist and false prophets and refers to the final period of the great tribulation, where the REMAINING SEED (SOUTHERN KINGDOM) is to be purified and tested.

Further in context (Rev 3:11-13):

11 I am coming soon. Hold on to what you have, so that no one takes your crown. 12 The one who overcomes, I will make him a pillar in the temple of my God, and he will never leave it again. I will write on him the name of my God and the name of the city of my God, the new Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from my God, and my new name. 13 He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.

→ Finally, a renewed appeal not to relinquish the entrusted treasure of the spirit.

Revelation 2:25 But hold on to what you have until I come!

Hebrews 3:6 - But Christ is his Son over his house. We are his house, if we hold fast to

The parable of the virgins, like **Revelation 3:10, shows** that those faithful servants in Christ [those who were receptive to the message of salvation] will perceive the open door because they have kept the word, the Holy Spirit, while the unfaithful servants , i.e., those who walked in disobedience, will not be allowed in.

Those are the ones who will say:

Matthew 25:11-12 - Later the other virgins also came and said, " Lord, Lord, open the door for us!" 12 But he answered and said, "Truly I tell you, I do not know you."

Why doesn't the Lord know them? Because they didn't do what He commanded them. Because they enjoyed themselves in the world and did NOT do God's will.

Luke 6:46 - Why do you call me ' Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say?

Therefore, whoever keeps the word will be rewarded and spared. But whoever remains disobedient…

John 3:36 - Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life; but whoever does not obey the Son will not see life, but the wrath of God remains on him.

The Open Door and its Parallels: The Parable of the Prodigal Son and the Unequal Sons #1

This is a digression at this point, with further important connections. Just on the last slides, I drew attention to the "OPEN DOOR ," which reveals wonderful parallels in both the church in Philadelphia and the parable of the virgins.

However, one can also connect other parables , namely the parable of the prodigal son. as well as the parable of the wedding feast .

This again concerns ENTRY through the (still) OPEN DOOR...

We begin with the parable of the prodigal son...

The Lost Younger Son is a representation of the Nations , specifically the Northern Kingdom , which was lost but later found, while the Older Son , who always remained with his father, is a representation of the Southern Kingdom . Now, it's very interesting because after the Younger Son was found, a feast was held in a house . Yes, a feast was prepared for the Younger Son (of the Nations/Ephraim). prepared and he went into the house while the older son was in his indwelling was unable to get into the house i.e., to enter the OPEN DOOR .

Luke 15:25-28 - His older son was in the field, and when he came near the house, he heard music and dancing . So he called one of the servants and asked him what was going on.

27 But he said to him, “Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has received him back safe and sound.” 28 But he became angry and refused to go in . So his father went out and pleaded with him.

→ The YOUNGER son (the NORTHERN KINGDOM) entered the house (the PURIFIED son, who did penance and now had a new, healthy attitude).

→ The older son (the southern kingdom) is the still stubborn multitude, or the remnant of the seed, who could not enter the house because of their false mind. He is therefore not yet worthy to enter the house . Indeed, everyone who does not yet have the mind of Christ will be chastised, provided he belongs to the flock.

→ What's also very interesting is that there are again two sons. Just like in the parable of the two sons, which can also be applied to the parable of the prodigal son.

→ Son 1 SÜREICH (the OLDER son) and...

→ Son 2 NATIONS/EPHRAIM or the NORTHERN KINGDOM (the YOUNGER son).

Luke 15:32 - But now we must be joyful and glad, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; **he** was lost and is found.

Yes, there is joy when someone repents and is found. There is also joy when someone is called to the vineyard late in the day. The behavior of the older son is similar to that of the prophet Jonah, who also had no joy when the nation (Nineveh) repented and was spared. Jonah as the faithful son and Nineveh as the prodigal son . Yes, many parallels.

The Open Door and Its Parallels: The Parable of the Wedding Feast # 2

also offers similar parallels. The parable initially focuses on the invited crowd, which in the first instance refers to the stubborn . ISRAELITS , who to date have NOT Those who were worthy to enter and much preferred to remain stubborn (as we already clearly saw in the previous parable) . Therefore, new guests were sought in place of those people . Who are these guests? The nations, or rather, the Northern Kingdom.

Matthew 22:9-10 - Go therefore to the crossroads of the highways, and invite as many as you find to the wedding banquet. 10 And those servants went out into the highways and gathered all they found , both bad and good . And the wedding hall was filled with guests.

Yes , both good and bad servants were found. Here we immediately find the parallel to the faithful and disloyal servant (Matthew 24:48) . The parable of the talents also speaks of a bad servant who knew the master's will but, out of fear, did not carry it out (Luke 19:22). The parable of the unmerciful servant also shows people who knew their master but did not act according to his will (Matthew 18:32). Indeed, many parallels refer to one and the same event. Thus, in the "wedding banquet parable," on the one hand, it is about those who had no connection to sin and did not serve the world, while the others, holding hands, were subject to the world and did not do their master's will. Yes, the latter are known as "Lord, Lord, believers . " **EVIL SERVANTS.**

Matthew 22:11-14 - When the king came in to see the guests, he saw a man there who was not wearing a wedding garment. 12 And he said to him, “Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?” But he fell silent. 13 Then the king said to the servants, “Bind his hands and feet and throw him out into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. 14 For many are called, but few are chosen.”

So what do we recognize?

During the king's selection, those wearing wedding dresses —that is, those with oil in their lamps (parable of the virgins) and a changed, repentant attitude (parable of the prodigal son)—were allowed to enter the hall, while those without wedding dresses represented the group of "Lord Lord " believers, or the evil servants , who, as in the parable of the virgins, were not recognized and, in the parable of the wedding feast/talents, were cast into outer darkness . Yes, left behind in the darkest, final days...

Remember: Whoever does not enter through the door that is Christ Jesus is a robber and a thief (John 10:1). Indeed, whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him (Romans 8:9).

Clear indications are emerging...

Jesus' previous statements regarding the church in Philadelphia and the open door thus overlap with...

1. The parable of the virgins : 5 faithful virgins with faith and works who were allowed to enter the wedding hall and 5 unfaithful virgins who were left behind.

Yes, the unfaithful servants [nominal Christians] are therefore no better than the Pharisees and scribes (Matthew 23:3) or than the large number of stubborn Israelites today. They talk a lot, but do nothing.

2. The parable of the prodigal son follows on from the parable of the virgins, with the only difference being that here the distinction is not between wise and foolish followers/servants, but between the two kingdoms as the sons: the older son (representing the southern kingdom) and the younger son (representing the northern kingdom) . The younger son , with a sound and repentant heart, was allowed to enter the house (wedding hall?), while the older son, due to his false and unrepentant heart, stayed away.

The parable of the wedding feast can thus be linked to the following parables…

1. **The parable of the prodigal son:** The aforementioned parable of the prodigal son follows on from the parable of the wedding feast, as the latter also reflects the differentiation between the NORTHERN and SOUTHERN KINGDOM .
2. **The parable of the virgins:** This also distinguishes between the FAITHFUL (GOOD) and UNFAITHFUL (EVIL) servants - the one READY and CLOTHED and the other UNPREPARED and UNCLOTHED.

→ So, in Group 1, the SOUTHERN KINGDOM is the (still) UNWORTHY invited guests who were invited FIRST but were NOT worthy to enter the wedding hall up to that point.

→ Group 2 logically refers to the NORTHERN KINGDOM as the PARTIALLY WORTHY servants (wise virgins) and PARTIALLY UNWORTHY servants (foolish virgins). The WORTHY ones possessed the WEDDING DRESS (with the down payment of the Holy Spirit), while the UNWORTHY ones , lacking the wedding dress (no Holy Spirit, no living faith), were separated from the healthy crowd and cast into darkness.

Matthew 22:14 - For many are called, but few are chosen.

→ In this context, it means that while many are invited (e.g., to faith or to the "kingdom of heaven"), only those who also bring the corresponding inner attitude or preparation are "chosen".

→ Yes, whoever knows but does not act will not be recognized by his Lord.

Luke 13:27 - And he will say, "I tell you, I do not know you or where you come from. Away from me, all you evildoers!"

James 4:6 - But he gives greater grace. Therefore he says: "God opposes the proud [OLDER SON], but gives grace to the humble [JOIN SON] ."

Eph 2:17 - And he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off [THE LOST and now FOUND SON / NATIONS or the NORTHERN KINGDOM] , and peace to those who were near [OLDER SON or the SOUTHERN KINGDOM].

→ Yes, the parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector points in the same direction (Luke 18:9-14).

→ Thus, the Southern Kingdom was the first to have the chance to accept the Gospel , but they rejected the message and immediately the Lord Jesus Christ, so now the Northern Kingdom, as the last, had the chance to do better. The last (Northern Kingdom) will therefore become the first, while those who were previously the first (Southern Kingdom) will now be the last to enter the promised rest.

Luke 13:28-30 - And behold, the last will be first, and the first will be last.

One final thought on this topic:

The parable of the laborers in the vineyard also confirms the aforementioned contrasts. In this parable, the laborers were summoned to the vineyard at specific times. Here, too, the order is evident from their attitudes: the Southern Kingdom was the first, and the Northern Kingdom the last . Both received the same wages, while the Southern Kingdom looked jealously at the landowner's mercy. Yes, similar to the parable of the prodigal son, right? The parables very often lead in the same direction.

And how long will this door remain open?

Well, once the door is closed, there is NO escape. When will the door be closed? Most likely when the FULL NUMBER of the nations has been reached (Romans 11:25), or when the MYSTERY has been completed.

→ The secret that both Paul and John spoke of. This secret probably refers to the rapture of the wise virgins, who are allowed to escape before the final period of wrath (the last 3 ½ years) begins.

→ Yes, Paul did say that the church is NOT meant for wrath (1 Thessalonians 1:10 / 1 Thessalonians 5:9 / Romans 5:9).

→ Revelation 10, 11, and 12 provide important clues here. Chapter 10 hints at the imminent fulfillment of God's mystery, while in chapter 11 it is then realized with the seventh trumpet. In chapter 12, the term "raptured" is used, which would be very applicable to the events of chapter 11, since the two witnesses are also taken up to heaven.

Revelation 10:7 - but in the days when the seventh angel sounds his trumpet, **the mystery of God will also be fulfilled** , as he announced to his servants the prophets.[3]

Revelation 11:18 - And the nations were angry, and your anger has come, and the time of the dead to be judged, and the time to give a reward to your servants the prophets and to your saints and to those who fear your name, both small and great, and to destroy those who destroy the earth.

Revelation 12:5 - She gave birth to a son, a male child , who will guard all nations with an iron rod; and her child was caught up to God and to his throne.

The LAST (seventh) trumpet – the transition into the LAST half of the TRIGGERS…

1 Corinthians 15:51-53 - Behold, I tell you a **mystery** : We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed, 52 in an instant, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet ; for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. 53 For this perishable thing must put on imperishability, and this mortal thing on immortality.

→ The secret is solved, or rather, COMPLETED. through the full number of nations, or rather the completion of the Northern Empire , so that the transition to the Southern Empire , the so-called " Remnant of the Seed," can be initiated. Yes, after the first 3 ½ years, the obstinacy of the Rest of the Southern Empire should now be resolved.

Romans 11:25 - For I do not want you to be ignorant of this mystery, brothers and sisters, so that you may not be conceited: Israel has experienced a hardening in part, **until the full number of the Gentiles has come in;**

therefore the "escape window" before the time of divine wrath begins. This door will close, however, when the mystery is solved, for then the full number of nations (the Northern Kingdom) will have entered.

Yes, everyone gets their chance – their time to change course…

→ **BACK THEN:** In the Old Testament, Israel was accepted and the nations became hardened.

→ **TODAY (Present Day):** In the NT the nations were now accepted, but some of the Israelites became hardened.

→ **FUTURE:** In the coming time, after the full number of nations has entered, the REST of the nations will be blinded, all those who have not accepted the "love of truth", while the rest of the seed (SOUTHERN KINGDOM) is now to be purified/tested.

Once again in a verse…

Acts 15:14-17 - Simon told how God first He looked to take from the nations a people for his name. 15 And the words of the prophets agree with this, as it is written: 16 “ After this I will return and rebuild the tabernacle[5] of David that has fallen down, and I will rebuild its ruins and raise it up again; 17 so that the remnant of mankind may seek the Lord, and all the nations that bear my name, says the Lord who does these things.”

→ The first will be the last, and the last will be the first. As you can see, it begins with the nations, the northern kingdom in the first 3 1/2 years, and then transitions to the southern kingdom in the last 3 1/2 years. Everything in its proper order.

The Rapture – The Exchange to the Center

Romans 11:25 - For I do not want you to be ignorant of this mystery, brothers and sisters, so that you may not be conceited: Israel has experienced a partial hardening[18] until the full number [19] of the Gentiles has come in;

2 Thessalonians 2:6-7 - And now you know what is restraining him, so that he may be revealed in due time. For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work, until the one who now restrains it is taken away from among them.

Revelation 11:7 - And when they have finished their testimony, the beast that comes up out of the abyss will make war against them and will overcome them and kill them.

The Open and the Closed Door - The Letter to Philadelphia - Is Obedience Rewarded? ...

Only in the last chapter did we learn about the "DOOR" and the many parables. Now, previously mentioned content will overlap and be expanded upon.

Revelation 3:7-8 - To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: These are the words of him who is holy and true, who has the key of David, which opens and no one will shut, and shuts and no one will open: 8 I know your works; see, I have opened a door Given before you, which no one can close ; for you have little strength and have kept my word. and you did not deny my name.

→ Could the open door also be connected to the wedding door in the parable of the ten virgins? I say quite clearly – **YES** . Only the wise virgins,
that is, those with oil (faith) in their lamps, entered through this door...

Matthew 25:10 - But as they went to buy the bridegroom, he came; and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding banquet , and the door was shut.

We see those who are watchful, that is, those who walk in the Holy Spirit and have not again become intoxicated by the world and its desires; these are welcomed. They were allowed to enter, while the foolish virgins were not ready to reach the saving door.

→ Yes, WHO is the DOOR?

John 10:9 - I am the door ; whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out, and find pasture.

If the door (Jesus) is closed, then faith, the light, will depart from the world. Yes, then, when the **full number** of nations has entered, all who have not received the love of the truth, the Word , the Lord Jesus Christ, will be hardened (2 Thessalonians 2:10-12) and delivered into the hands of the evil shepherd (the beast, the Antichrist) and follow him.

→ WHEN will this door close? When the FULL NUMBER It will have been received, for then the REST of the SEED (SOUTHERN KINGDOM) will also be tested. But there is still "someone" who is preventing this event, i.e., the coming of the beast (Antichrist)...

2 Thessalonians 2:7 - For already the mystery of lawlessness is at work, but only until he who now restrains it is removed.

→ Who **COULD** this **"THE"** be who must be eliminated or removed from the midst **"BEFORE"** the beast can be revealed, or rather, Satan and his angels can be cast out of heaven? Who holds the door open? Christ in the believers, that is, his body; therefore, the Son must first disappear.

→ Who is the Son? The full number of nations in Christ represent this Son. We recognize this in the Book **of Hosea,** for there, among other things, the Son is spoken of as "not my people," who demonstrably refers to the nations . "Not my people" is the lost Son in unbelief, and "my people" **(Romans 9:25)** is the found Son in faith. Yes, they are the conquerors in Christ, the Son who is to be taken from the world shortly before the beginning of the last three and a half years .

→ How? I will explain that in more detail on the next slide.

The Secret – The Statements of Paul #1…

= Well, before I show you the many pieces of evidence that the
DOOR leads to the CENTER I would like to tell you that the tribulation will be closed off and that this will initiate the transition into the end times. BEFORE that , as announced, I will show, based on Scripture, why the Son refers to the nations in Christ and why this Son must first be REMOVED BEFORE the darkness can spread. First, one should know…

Paul spoke of two guiding mysteries.

1. The FULL NUMBER of NATIONS before the REST OF THE SEEDS of Israel see…

Romans 11:25 - For I do not want you to be unaware of this mystery , brothers and sisters, so that you may not be conceited: Israel was hardened **in part** , until the full number of nations has entered;

2. The mystery of God (see Rev 10+11) beginning with the LAST (7) trumpet.

1 Corinthians 15:51-52 - Listen, I tell you a mystery : We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed— 52 in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet . For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.

Both secrets inevitably lead to one event – a "rapture"…

→ Thus, the mystery of the FULL NUMBER goes hand in hand with the mystery of the LAST (7) TROMBONE as well as with the end of the prophecy of the 2 PROPHETS . Why? Because with the LAST TROUBLES, not only will the FULL NUMBER of the nations be reached, but also the time of the prophecy of the 2 prophets/witnesses. And what happens irrevocably after the 3 ½ years of prophecy? A male CHILD will be raptured . The following verses show that the OVERCOMERS in Christ (i.e., those with the Holy Spirit, seal) depict/represent **THIS SON** (note again the added arrows).

Hosea 1:8-9 - And she weaned the unmerciful, conceived again, and bore a son . 9 And he said, "Call him Not My People , for you are not My people, and I am not yours."

NT affirmations that the "NOT-MY-PEOPLE" represent the nations in Christ (ARROWS/COLORS):

Romans 9:24-25 - namely to us, whom he has also called, not only from among the Jews but also from among the Gentiles. 25 As he also says in Hosea : "I will call not my people my people, and she whom I do not love my beloved."

1 Peter 2:9-10 - But you are a chosen race , a royal priesthood , a holy nation, a people for God's special possession, that you may declare the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are a people of God ; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

And now the connection to what happens after or at the time of the 7th trumpet, when the full number has been reached and the doors of faith gradually close…

Revelation 12:5 - And she bore a son , a male 'child', who will shepherd all the nations. with an iron rod ; and her child was caught up to God and to his throne.

The Rapture is therefore connected with the full number as well as the seventh trumpet . Now, but doesn't it say here that this son is to shepherd the nations with an iron rod? That applies to the Lord Jesus Christ, doesn't it? Correct, but we too are to rule over the nations with an iron rod in Christ . Yes, we are to rule together with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation 2:26-27 - And to the one who overcomes and keeps my works to the end, to him I will give authority over the nations ; 27 and he will rule them with an iron rod , as pottery vessels are smashed to pieces,

Yes, the saints will reign…

Daniel 7:18 - And the saints of the Most High will assume the kingdom , and they will retain the kingdom forever and ever.

Daniel 7:27 - And he gave to the holy people of the Most High the authority and the kingdom and the majesty of all the kings under heaven , to be kings in an everlasting kingdom, and all authority shall be subject to him and obey him. So far the passage.

Yes, the iron rod analogy from **Revelation 12:5** can equally be applied to the overcoming multitude in Christ. **Logically** , because we are the body of Christ, and he has made us what we are—a kingdom and priests to **his God** and Father.

Revelation 5:10 - and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God , and they will rule over the earth!

Revelation 1:6 - and has made us to be a kingdom and priests to his God and Father : To him be glory and power for ever and ever! Amen.

Revelation 20:6 - Blessed and holy are those who share in the first resurrection! The second death has no power over them, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with him for a thousand years.

Romans 5:17 - For if, through the trespass of the one, death reigned in that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ.

Isaiah 61:6 - but you will be called priests of the Lord , ministers of God ; you will consume the power of the nations and be marveled at in their riches.

The Secret - The Statements of Revelation/John #2...

Yes, Paul's statements and "his" mystery harmonize perfectly with the mystery from the Book of Revelation. We will now examine the statements of the Apostle Paul in more detail.

1 Corinthians 15:51-52 - Listen, I tell you a mystery : We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed—52 in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet . For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.

→ He speaks of the last trumpet . The conclusion or completion of the mystery is also introduced in the Book of Revelation as the LAST trumpet, the seventh trumpet .

Revelation 10:7 - but in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he sounds his trumpet, the mystery of God will also be fulfilled , as he announced to his own servants the prophets.

Revelation 11:18 - And the nations were angry, and your anger has come, and the time of the dead to be judged, and the time to give reward to your servants the prophets and to your saints and to those who fear your name, both small and great, and to destroy those who destroy the earth.

Revelation 12:5 - She gave birth to a son, a male child , who will guard all nations with an iron rod; and her child was caught up to God and to his throne.

→ COMPLETION of the mystery most likely refers to the COMPLETION of the NATIONS, the FULL NUMBER , the COMPLETION of the spiritual temple – CHRIST WITHIN US . The mystery is therefore COMPLETED when the PREDECIDED multitude of NATIONS has all been made PERFECT , that is, OVERCOME .

The LAST trumpet – the transition into the LAST half of the TRIGGERS...

Revelation 6:11 - And each of them was given a white robe; and they were told to wait a little while longer, until their fellow servants and their brothers , who were to be killed like them, had been completed.

Eph 5:32 - This mystery is profound, but I am referring to Christ and to the church .

Colossians 1:27 - To them God wanted to make known among the Gentiles the riches of the glory of this mystery , which is Christ in you , the hope of glory.

→ Chapter 10 of Revelation hints at the EASTERING completion of the mystery of the seventh trumpet, while that trumpet is actually sounded in chapter 11. Chapter 12 describes the effect of the seventh trumpet . What is the effect, or what happens at or after the seventh trumpet? **A male child, a son, is raptured.** I have already shown you who this son is on the previous slides, using parallels. It will most likely be the FULL NUMBER of the COMPLETERS , indeed, the NATIONS in CHRIST .

→ The secret of the nations who received the firstfruits and, as faithful servants, are to be rewarded for their faithfulness in the end, to be preserved before the darkest hour? **I say yes.** The beloved son, the faithful servant, will be preserved. The body of the Lord—all who have truly walked in the Spirit and borne fruit . Is the open door, then, the "escape window" before the time of God's wrath begins? **Very possibly.**

First some, then others...

As we can see, then, the overcomers in Christ will face the wrath of God. They will be removed.
Those who are to be preserved from the worst time that will come upon the earth will be saved. After the Rapture, that is, when the Son (Ephraim, the Church/nations – the Northern Kingdom) has been removed/fallen asleep, the time for the Daughter Jerusalem, that is, the remainder of the seed (Southern Kingdom) , begins immediately . Yes, the remaining Israelites will likewise be tested for their worthiness in a time of greatest distress, for while the Son was taken up to heaven, Satan and his angels were cast down to earth to pursue the Daughter.

A kind of "exchange" is taking place. The church/the children in Christ Jesus will be taken away, while darkness, Satan, and his angels will come to earth.

Below is another verse that illustrates this SEPARATION of the two times/groups.

Micah 5:3 - Therefore he will give them [Israel] over until the time of the birth for the woman in labor . She will give birth, and then the rest of her brothers return to the sons of Israel.

Israel (Kingdom of Israel/Northern Kingdom) will be abandoned until [date]. The woman giving birth, and then the rest of the brothers (alluding to the rest of the seed - southern kingdom) are to return, but only after being purified/tested. Yes, first some, then others.

Revelation 12:2 - And she is pregnant and cries out in labor pains and in agony (and is about to give birth .

Revelation 12:17 - And the dragon was angry with the woman and went to wage war against the rest of her offspring , who keep the commandments of God and hold to the testimony of Jesus.

This describes the birth of the woman in labor. The son who is taken up to God AND the rest of the SEED who, after the expulsion of the dragon/Satan, are still to be purified/tested. Now, we who have been grafted into the noble olive tree also belong to Israel. Yes, not according to the flesh, but according to the spirit. The rest of the seed, the rest of the brothers, most likely represents the Kingdom of Judah . Just think of the parable of the prodigal son. We are those who WERE LOST but WERE FOUND, while the OLDER SON remained stubborn and refused to go through the door. This door has now been closed after the son was removed; that is, now it is up to the OLDER/FAITHFUL brother (SOUTHERN KINGDOM) to emulate the YOUNGER/LOST BROTHER (NATIONS/NORTHERN KINGDOM) .

The parable of the prodigal son...

In the Old Testament, Joseph is also described, in a sense, as the prodigal and younger son. While the other brothers were considered stubborn, bearing no good fruit—only hatred and anger (jealousy) against their own brother. This will repeat itself in the end times, so that the church (the younger one), or rather, the people in Christ, will set the "pace" so that even the remaining seed of the Israelites can be driven to insight and emulation. It should be noted here that, as mentioned, only a small portion remains, for not all of Israel are Israel (Romans 9:6-7). You can see that many parallels point to the parable of the prodigal son and how important it is for differentiating between the two kingdoms.

Zechariah 13:8 - And it will be in all the land, says the Lord, two-thirds will perish and disappear , but the third will remain in it.

Romans 9:27 - But Isaiah says concerning Israel: "Though the number of the sons of Israel be like the sand of the sea, only the remnant will be saved."

Romans 11:5-7 - So also at the present time a remnant has been chosen by grace. 6 Now if by grace, then no longer by works; otherwise grace is no longer grace. 7 What then? What Israel seeks,[4] it has not obtained; but the elect have obtained it , while the rest have been hardened.

The Open Door and its Parallels: The Parable of the Prodigal Son #1 (Review)

Now, after a slightly longer digression, we return to the "OPEN DOOR" and its parallels to the nations and the Israelites. Yes, this door of faith, as already mentioned, will be CLOSED at a certain time . However, we can also draw on other parables that would confirm the previous assumptions. Besides the parable of the virgins, we have the parable of the prodigal son and the parable of the wedding feast.

Because it's also about ENTRY through the (still) OPEN DOOR...

We begin with the parable of the prodigal son (CHECK CONTEXT)

→ The LOST YOUNGER The younger son gives us the image of the nations/northern kingdom , for they were lost in the world but were spiritually "revived" by grace. The older son, on the other hand, who in that parable always remained with the father (God) , gives us the image of the southern kingdom . Now, it is very interesting, because after the younger son (nations/northern kingdom) was found, a **feast was** prepared, which took place in a **house** . Here, one can already hear the wedding feast in certain parts, can't one? Yes, a **meal was prepared for the** younger son (nations) , and he entered **the** house **,** while the older son (southern kingdom), in his stubbornness (or because of his jealousy/anger), was not worthy to enter the **house (the open door)** .

Luke 15:25-28 - Now his older son was in the field, and as he came near the house, he heard music and dancing . And he called one of the servants and asked him what was going on. 27 The servant replied, “Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has received him back safe and sound.” 28 But he became angry and refused to go in . So his father went out and pleaded with him.

→ **“And would not go in”** – Yes, the older son’s stubbornness shows that, due to his false spiritual attitude, he was unable to enter through the door. Similarly, it is our task as the younger son(s) to provoke the older son (s) to jealousy. The younger son succeeded in this in the parable, because the older son remained unwilling/uncooperative after the younger son had spoken. was found.

→ The younger son entered the house. Why? Because he repented and demonstrated a new, sound mind. The older son, however, did not want to enter the house; that is, his mind is still wrong, he was angry/jealous . Thus, he is not yet worthy to enter the house . Indeed, everyone who does not yet have the mind of Christ will be disciplined, provided they belong to the flock. Yes, he "did not want to go in," and therefore the older son will also be exposed in the darkest hour for testing/purification.

→ What's also very interesting is that there are again two sons . Just like in the parable of the two sons, which can also be applied to the parable of the prodigal son.

→ Son 1 the SOUTHERN KINGDOM (the FAITHFUL son) and

→ Son 2 NATIONS (EPHRAIM) or the NORTHERN KINGDOM as the LOST Son .

The Open Door and its Parallels: The Parable of the Wedding Feast # 2 (Review)

The parable of the wedding feast also offers similar parallels. Initially, the parable focuses on the invited crowd. This refers, first and foremost , to the **stubborn ones . ISRAELITS** , who to date have NOT Those who were worthy to enter and much preferred to remain stubborn (as we already clearly saw in the previous parable) . Therefore, new guests were sought in place of those people . Who are these guests? The nations, or rather, the Northern Kingdom.

Matthew 22:9-10 - Go therefore to the crossroads of the highways, and invite as many as you find to the wedding banquet. 10 And those servants went out into the highways and gathered all they found , both bad and good . And the wedding hall was filled with guests.

Yes, both good and bad servants were found. Here we immediately find the parallel to the faithful and disloyal servant (Matthew 24:48) . The parable of the talents also speaks of a bad servant who knew the master's will but, out of fear, did not carry it out (Luke 19:22). The parable of the unmerciful servant also shows people who knew their master but did not act according to his will (Matthew 18:32). Indeed, many parallels refer to one and the same event. Thus, in the "wedding banquet parable," on the one hand, it is about those who had no connection to sin and did not serve the world, while on the other hand, holding hands, they were subject to the world and did not do their master's will. Yes, the latter are known as "Lord, Lord, believers . " **EVIL SERVANTS.**

Matthew 22:11-14 - When the king came in to see the guests, he saw a man there who was not wearing a wedding garment. 12 And he said to him, “Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?” But he fell silent. 13 Then the king said to the servants, “Bind his hands and feet and throw him out into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. 14 For many are called, but few are chosen.”

So what do we recognize?

During the king's selection, those wearing wedding dresses —that is, those with oil in their lamps (parable of the virgins) and a changed, repentant attitude (parable of the prodigal son)—were allowed to enter the hall, while those without wedding dresses represented the group of "Lord Lord " believers, or the evil servants , who, as in the parable of the virgins, were not recognized and, in the parable of the wedding feast/talents, were cast into outer darkness . Yes, left behind in the darkest, final days...

Remember: Whoever does not enter through the door that is Christ Jesus is a robber and a thief (John 10:1). Indeed, whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him (Romans 8:9).

Clear indications are emerging...

Jesus' previous statements regarding the church in Philadelphia and the open door thus overlap with...

1. The parable of the virgins : 5 faithful virgins with faith and works who were allowed to enter the wedding hall and 5 unfaithful virgins who were left behind.

Yes, the unfaithful servants [nominal Christians] are therefore no better than the Pharisees and scribes (Matthew 23:3) or than the large number of stubborn Israelites today. They talk a lot, but do nothing.

2. The parable of the prodigal son follows on from the parable of the virgins, with the only difference being that here the distinction is not between wise and foolish followers/servants, but between the two kingdoms as the sons: the older son (representing the southern kingdom) and the younger son (representing the northern kingdom) . The younger son , with a sound and repentant heart, was allowed to enter the house (wedding hall?), while the older son, due to his false and unrepentant heart, stayed away.

3. The parable of the wedding feast…

… connects to both parables and is a blend of the Parable of the Virgins and the Parable of the Prodigal Son. The unworthy invited guests represent the Southern Kingdom and the Nations/Northern Kingdom, who were clothed in wedding garments. Here, too, are the unworthy servants , who, due to the lack of a wedding garment (and consequently, no living faith and therefore no Holy Spirit), are left in darkness.

And other groundbreaking parables…

4. The Parable of the Weeds and the Wheat

Matthew 13:30 - Let both grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will say to the reapers: First gather the weeds and tie them in bundles to be burned ; but gather the wheat into my barn.

→ The wheat in the barn . Could the barn here also be a representation of the wedding hall (the gathering of the overcomers in Christ)? Quite possibly .

5. The Narrow Gate

Luke 13:24-25 - Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will try to enter and will not be able. 25 As soon as the owner of the house gets up and shuts the door, and you begin to stand outside knocking And if you say, " **Lord, open to us!",** he will answer and say to you, " I do not know you or where you are from."

The narrow gate is the door – Christ Jesus. When that door is closed, the disobedient remain in darkness. They are exposed to the wrath of God. Who knocks at the door? The foolish virgins . Here, too, a direct parallel emerges. When does the Lord know us? Everyone who has the Spirit of Christ belongs to Him. The Holy Spirit is the seal that allows us entry through the door, so that we can ultimately enter and be clothed.

Romans 8:9 - But you are not in the realm of the flesh but in the realm of the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Christ.

Speaking of outerwear: The PROMINENT son was also "clothed" in some way after he was found.

Luke 15:22 - The father said to his slaves, "Quickly bring out the best robe and put it on him, and put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet;

→ The best garment? In my opinion, there is also a parallel here to the wedding dress from the parable of the wedding feast. Yes, the outer garment for whoever holds fast to the entrusted treasure until the end.

1 Tim 1:12 - For this reason I also suffer these things; but I am not ashamed, because I know whom I have believed and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.

1 Timothy 1:14 - Guard the precious treasure entrusted to you through the Holy Spirit who dwells in us!

Revelation 2:25 - But hold on to what you have until I come!

6. The parable of the fishing net…

Matthew 13:47-48 - Again , the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and **gathered fish of every kind** . 48 When it was full, they hauled it up on the shore. Then they sat down and sorted the good fish into baskets, **but threw out the bad ones.**

→ This parable goes hand in hand with the " **Wedding Feast Parable"** as well as with the parable of the **"Faithful and Faithless Servant".**

→ Good and bad fish (faithful and disloyal servants). Good and evil. The **lazy, evil, and unworthy** are removed.

→ **Matthew 22:10** - **Evil** like **Good** . And the wedding hall became full of guests.

Yes, the first will be last….

The following refers to the distinction between ISRAEL and the NATIONS:

The older son in the parable of the prodigal son is the best example of this, for he, with his stubbornness, gives us a direct reflection of the present situation. They **were the first** , but because of their **stubbornness , they will** now be **the last** to enter into that peace. Now, how can this **stubbornness** be overcome? Through **tribulation/trial** . The **older son** will receive blows of chastisement to bring him back to the right path, just as the **younger son** had to endure beforehand to get back on the right path.

The statement:

The saying "The first will be last" can therefore refer to the change in power, where the **older one** will emulate the **younger one . The nations/northern empire** , which were initially rejected, are now the **pioneers/role models** for **the southern empire** . Yes, the **younger one** is meant to inspire the **older one** to emulate him.

Regarding attitude: The phrase "the first will be last and the last will be first" also appears in the parable of the unmerciful servant. But why? There, too, it clearly refers to the attitude that must be present in order to be accepted at all. An unrepentant attitude leaves us in the darkness of the world – see foolish virgins/people without wedding attire.

Therefore: Bear fruit worthy of repentance, for when these good fruits appear, nothing usually stands in the way of salvation.

Luke 13:29-30 - And they will come from east and west and from north and south, and will recline at the feast in the kingdom of God. 30 **And behold, some are last who** will be first, **and some are first who will be last.**

Matthew 8:11-12 - But I tell you **that many will come from east and west and will recline at the feast with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob** in the kingdom of heaven.[4] But **the sons of the kingdom will be thrown out into outer darkness** , where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Yes, here too is the promise that the countless multitude, the nations, as LAST in the world, are now FIRST in spirit. The community of the firstborn.

In summary: "THE ONE WHO HOLDS BACK" – The events unfold in tandem:

a .) The two prophets, after completing their testimony following the three and a half years, will be killed and resurrected (Revelation 11:7/Revelation 11:12). Immediately…

b.) The mystery will be completed (Rev 10:7) and the seventh trumpet will be blown (Rev 11:15 / 1 Cor 15:52), what does that mean…

c.) The full number of nations will be reached (Romans 11:25) and…

d.) The Rapture of the Son (Rev 12:5) will be initiated, and Satan and his angels will be removed from heaven.

→ All events are irrevocably linked and occur at a similar/same time.
→ Therefore, before the Antichrist can come, the light of the world must disappear. Who is the light of the world? All those who have the Holy Spirit dwelling within them.
→ Then, when the LIGHT is removed, people will feel hunger…

Amos 8:11 - "Behold, the days are coming," declares the Lord, "when I will send a hunger upon the earth, not a hunger for bread, nor a thirst for water, but a hunger to hear the word of the Lord."

→ Logically, because it's not called that for nothing…

Matthew 4:4 - But he answered and said: It is written: "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

Some are COMPLETED, others TESTED…

2 Thessalonians 2:5-8 - Do you not remember that I said these things to you while I was still with you? 6 And now you know what restrains him, so that he may be revealed in due time. 7 For already the mystery of lawlessness is at work, but only until he who now restrains it is removed . 8 Then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will remove with the breath of his mouth and destroy by the splendor of his coming.

Revelation 11:7 - And when they have finished their testimony , the beast that comes up out of the abyss will make war against them and will overcome them and kill them.

→ THE 2 PROPHETS. THE FULL NUMBER of NATIONS. THE 7TH TROMBONE that reveals the MYSTERY. What secret? THE CHURCH . When this FULL NUMBER has arrived, then the following verse(s) will very likely also apply, for then the covenant with the NATIONS will be lifted, as it is written in **Zechariah 11:10-11 .**

The Antichrist

& the time of arrival

Ezekiel 23:22-23 - Therefore, O Ooliba [Jerusalem] , the Lord says this: “Behold, I will make your lovers rise up against you , from whom your soul has turned away, and I will bring them against you from every side,

23 sons of Babylon and all the Chaldeans, Phakud and Sue and Kue and all the sons of the Assyrians with them , chosen and young men, all princes and officers, triple, renowned, riding on horses:

Revelation 17:16 - and the ten horns that you saw, and the beast, these will hate the prostitute and will make her desolate and naked, and will eat her flesh and burn her with fire.

Whore of Babylon (JERUSALEM) = Because she committed adultery with Babylon (MUSLIMS). The “Whore of Babylon” is Jerusalem that has become like Babylon.

Why the Antichrist (the BEAST) will be MUSLIM…

If one reads Ezekiel 23 carefully, one can see that the “lovers” whom Oholah (Samaria) and Oholibah (Jerusalem) are eagerly seeking come from the very regions that today form the heartland of the Muslim world.

Here is the evidence from the text that supports the thesis of a Muslim beast/leader:

1. The Origin of the Lovers (Verses 5-6 & 23)

Ezekiel names the nations with whom the sisters [NORTH-SOUTHERN KINGDOM] "harlot":

Assyrians (Ashhur): Present-day northern Iraq and Syria.
Babylonians (Chaldeans): Present-day central and southern Iraq.
Pekod , Shoa and Koa: Tribes from the Mesopotamian region (present-day Iraq/Iran).
Persians: Modern-day Iran.

The conclusion: These regions today constitute the "Shiite Crescent" and the Sunni heartland. In end-times typology, this means that Jerusalem (Oholibah) relies on political alliances with these powers (or is fascinated by their power) instead of trusting in God.

2. The pattern of betrayal (verses 22-25)

This is the most important parallel to Revelation 17:16 (where the beast devours the prostitute):
In Ezekiel 23:22 God says: “Behold, I will stir up against you those you love, from whom you have turned away.”

The lovers with whom she had previously "whored" turned against her. They came with chariots and noise, took off her nose and ears (defilement), and burned the rest with fire (verse 25).

The parallel: The Beast (the Muslim leader/alliance) is initially the partner with whom Jerusalem makes a pact, but then this very power becomes the cruel executor of judgment. The siege of Jerusalem has been carried out by the Beast for the last three and a half years.

3. The “beauty” of the oriental warriors (verses 12-15)

Ezekiel describes how Oholibah was fascinated by the magnificently dressed horsemen and princes from the East (Assyrians/Babylonians).
In a modern interpretation, this could represent the fascination with the power, oil, or geopolitical strength of the Islamic bloc. Jerusalem is attempting to secure its position through diplomacy with these powers, but the scripture warns: These "lovers" will hate the city.

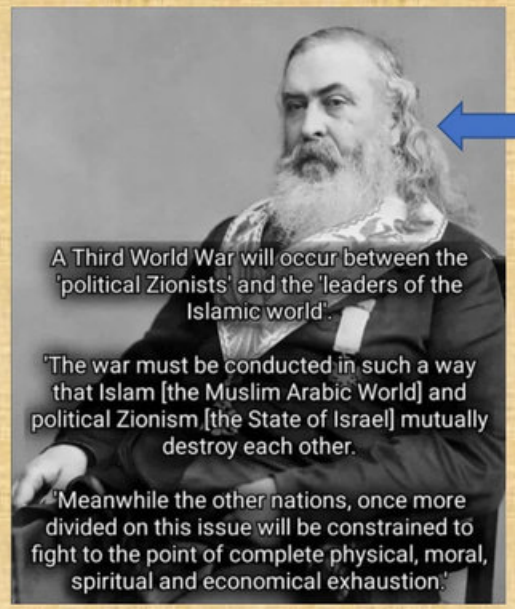
4. The “Beast from the Rising Sun”

Since these peoples are all located east of Israel, this fits perfectly with the biblical image of the "kings from the rising sun" (Revelation 16:12), for whom the Euphrates dries up so that they can march against Jerusalem.

The conclusion: The whore (present-day Jerusalem) rides on a power made up of her old “lovers” (the oriental/Muslim peoples), only to be devastated by them in the end.

ANIMAL → MUSLIM WORLD
WHORE → EARTHLY JERUSALEM

Before we discuss the changes of the first and last 3 1/2 years, some important information from around the world…



"There will be a Third World War between the 'political Zionists' and the 'leaders of the Islamic world'."

The war **must** be waged in such a way that **Islam** [the Muslim-Arab world] and **political Zionism** [the State of Israel] destroy each other.

Meanwhile, the other nations, **once again divided on this issue**, will be forced to fight to the point of total physical, moral, intellectual, and economic exhaustion." – Albert Pike

An excerpt from a letter by Albert Pike to Mazzini, dated August 15, 1871

These quotes/statements already reveal all the "protagonists".

The Beast [the Muslim world], the Whore of Babylon [the earthly Jerusalem / Synagogue of Satan] & Christendom as the "suffering Messiah".

Von 1859 bis 1871 hatte Pike an seinem Masterplan gearbeitet für die Weltregierung der Freimaurerei. Er formulierte das Programm mit drei inbegriffenen Weltkriegen. Der erste, um den Zaren zu stürzen und einen kommunistischen Staat zu begründen, der zweite Weltkrieg, um das kommunistische Reich zu erschaffen und der dritte Weltkrieg würde die christliche Zivilisation vernichten für alle Zeit auf der ganzen Welt. Am 15. August 1871 schrieb er einen Brief an Mazzini, der nun im Britischen Museum ausgestellt ist, über sein Programm der Luziferischen Welteroberung, mit dem Plan zu entfesseln „die Nihilisten und die Atheisten ... überall werden die Bürger das eine reine Licht empfangen durch die universale Manifestation der reinen Luziferischen Doktrin ... welche der Vernichtung des Christentums und des Atheismus folgen wird, beide besiegt und ausgelöscht zur gleichen Zeit." war Pike, der die geheime Technik entwarf, wonach die Eingeweihten der Blauen Loge lediglich

Book: The Curse of Canaan

Note: Maschiach Ben Joseph (son of Joseph) is considered the "suffering Messiah" or " war Messiah ." According to the Talmud (Tractate Sukkah 52a), he is killed in the apocalyptic battle against the enemies of Israel (Gog and Magog). His death serves as preparation and atonement for the coming of the ultimate redeemer. Now, this suffering Messiah, according to Talmudic Jews, is Christendom. More information on this shortly.

Europe, Israel, and the ball that will (soon) start rolling...



A few words about the video clip:

Well, the introductory video clearly shows which direction this is headed. Not only was the stone set in motion by Satan's own synagogue (who would have thought it?), but they also want to be worshipped as "saviors." There are already many followers who support the EARTHLY, enslaved Jerusalem, unaware that they are all liars serving another master. In the video, the GIANT (ISRAEL) holds back the STONE (MUSLIMS). But if Israel wants to, it can (at any time) unleash the STONE (MUSLIMS) on EUROPE, as can be clearly seen in the animated film. This again demonstrates the "power" of the Whore of Babylon (earthly Jerusalem) over the "Beast" (the Muslim world). So, when the stone starts rolling, the test begins for BEN JOSEPH, Christendom, the suffering Messiah from the perspective of Satan's synagogue.

We note:

"Israel" (the synagogue of Satan) is currently holding back the stone (the Muslims). But if Israel wants to, it can unleash the stone on Europe.

Remember:

The Whore of Babylon (the earthly Jerusalem) has control over the beast (Muslims) and is instrumentalizing them for a certain period of time. But there will also be a time in the last three and a half years when the beast will turn against the woman and devour her. Thus, the Muslim world has assumed the role of the "chasters." First, the followers of Jesus will be destroyed, and in the end, Jerusalem itself. Everything happens according to God's will.

The Whore of Babylon uses the beast for her own purposes



"We are dying for your sins because the Jewish people in Israel are the bulwark against the orcs [Muslims]."

The “orcs” [Muslims] were smuggled into Europe to corrupt the good seed [Ephraim – the nations in Christ]. The woman, the whore of Babylon [earthly Jerusalem], rides the beast [Muslims] to manipulate it for her own purposes. This only works until the beast turns against the woman – the siege of Jerusalem.

familiar with the term "orcs" ...







Isaiah 14:20-21 - So you will not be clean, because you have destroyed my land and killed my people ; you will certainly not endure forever, you evil seed . 21 Prepare your children to be slaughtered for the sins of your father [Devil/Satan] , so that they may not rise up and inherit the earth and fill the earth with wars.

Pike's statements , we will now hear from a number of so-called "rabbis" who confirm Pike's claims . This shouldn't be surprising, since **Freemasonry originates from Judaism.**





" **Freemasonry is a Jewish institution** whose history, degrees, official appointments, passwords and declarations are Jewish from beginning to end."

- Rabbi Isaac Wise

The newspaper Jewish The Tribune explained in an editorial in 1927:

" **Freemasonry is based on Judaism** . Remove the teachings of Judaism from the Masonic ritual, and what remains?"



Matthew 24:6 - You will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not alarmed, for this must happen, but the end is not yet.

Through wars and their consequences, EDOM (according to these people, Europe/USA) is to be weakened and ultimately destroyed. Economically, some signs of this are already emerging, and not only in Germany. These wars are mentioned in **Revelation 6** and pave the way for chaos. This chaos must prevail before "peace" can emerge under the guise of destruction. Here, the Freemasons' motto applies: Ordo ab Chao – like the phoenix from the ashes, indeed, think of Albert Pike. Thus, it is confirmed here as well that Europe must first collapse, as Albert Pike already announced on the previous slide, so that the Messiah of the Jews, i.e., the son of perdition – Ben David – can appear. The collapse marks the first half of the tribulation, while the second half is the reign of the Antichrist.

The Noahide Laws will be the laws of the antichristian kingdom during the last 3½ years , after the predetermined multitude has been tested and purified in Christ. What will remain at the end of these last 3½ years? Stubborn souls who have not embraced the love of truth. They will cling to the Evil Shepherd until the very end...

Below is a VERY IMPORTANT slide regarding future times and to better understand the connection with

Messiah BEN JOSEF and Messiah BEN DAVID – The FIRST and the LAST 3 ½ years?

The concept of **two Messiahs** — **Messiah ben David** (Messiah son of David) and **Messiah ben Yosef** (Messiah son of Joseph) — is a rich and ancient theme found in Jewish eschatological and mystical writings, especially in Talmudic and Kabbalistic traditions. They are sometimes understood as two roles or phases in the Messianic process, and sometimes even as two distinct figures. Here's a breakdown, including the idea of them as "two scapegoats":

Messiah ben Yosef (Son of Joseph) – The Suffering Servant

Identity & Role:

Associated with **Joseph**, son of Jacob (the patriarch sold by his brothers, who later rose to power in Egypt).

Seen as the **forerunner** to Messiah ben David.

Often depicted as a **military or political leader** who fights the enemies of Israel (like Gog and Magog).

He **suffers and dies** (in most versions) in battle or as part of a redemptive act for the sins of Israel.

Themes:

Messias Sohn Davids,

KAPWING

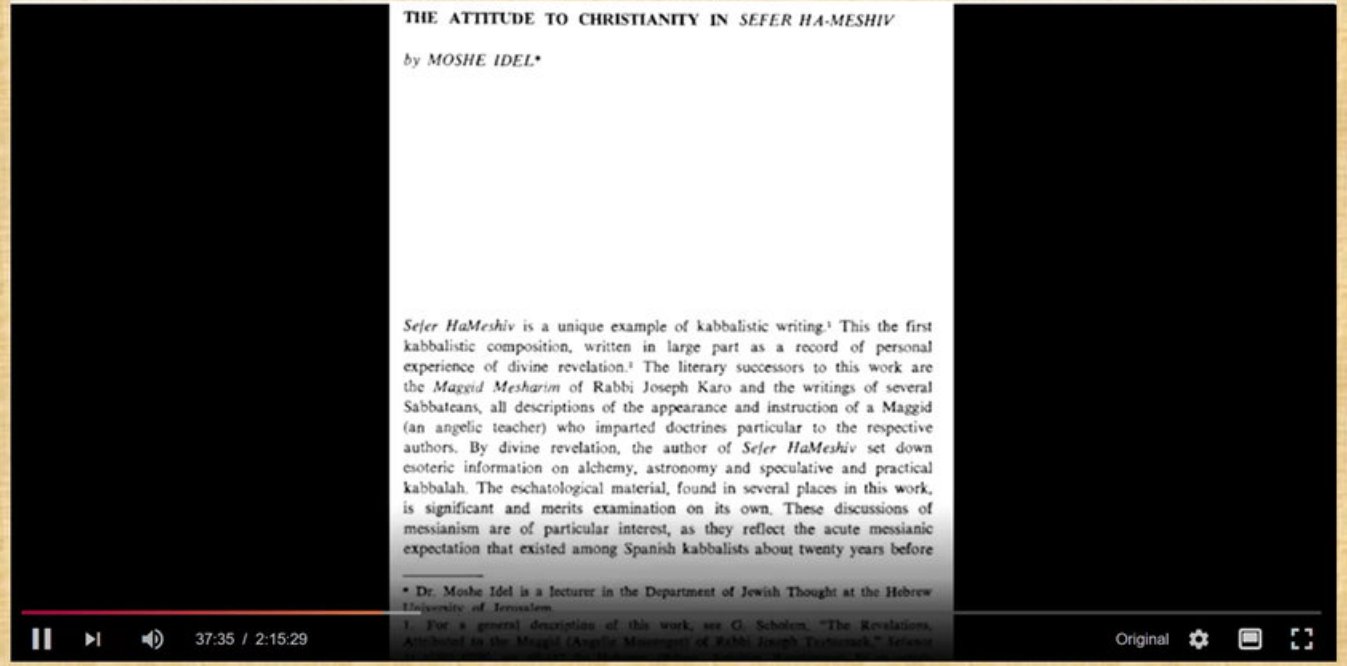
Key points:

Ben JOSEF [Ephraim]:

- Precursors before the Jewish Messiah (Ben David)
- Ben Joseph dies as an act of redemption for the sins of Israel (sacrificial lamb)
- Scapegoat who bears the sins and sufferings
- SELF-SACRIFICATION for the common good (Jesus was also handed over by the Jews for the "common good")

BEN DAVID [Beast from the Sea – "Antichrist"]:

- Brings "world peace".
- Rebuild the (physical) temple.
- The scapegoat, consecrated to God, brings salvation.
- Jews see the two messiahs as SEPARATE or as separate "roles".



"In a time of relentless persecution and forced conversion, the author imagined an eschatological future in which Christianity would be forced to enter into the covenant of circumcision and transform itself into a defender of the Jews. This converted Christianity would ultimately meet its end in the war whose outcome would pave the way for the complete redemption of Israel . The Christians mock the Jews for waiting for a Messiah who, in their belief, has already come. These same Christians will become the saviors of the Jews. This doctrine appears to be an ironic interpretation of the Christian claim that the Messiah has already come."

Indeed, the Messiah has come, "the Messiah, son of Joseph," that is, Christianity, to pave the way for the Jewish Messiah, the son of David! Perhaps this is the meaning of Sefer HaMeshiv 's assertion that salvation will not come until Esau is destroyed in the spiritual and earthly realm. **The death of the Messiah, son of Ephraim** (of Joseph), will be part of the process of eradicating evil from the world, a preparatory phase for the coming of the Messiah, son of David.

- THE ATTITUDE TO CHRISTIANITY IN SEFER HA-MESHIV

transformation of the prosecutor into an advocate for the defense, but also Samael's active participation in the redemption of Israel. This conception is of particular interest, given the historical background of *Sefer HaMeshiv*. At a time of relentless persecution and forced conversion, the author envisioned an eschatological future when Christianity would be forced to enter the covenant of circumcision and would be transformed into a defender of the Jews. Christianity, so converted, would finally meet its death in the war whose outcome will pave the way for the complete redemption of Israel. The Christians mock the Jews for waiting for a Messiah[72] that in their belief has already come. Those same Christians will be transformed into the saviors of the Jews. This doctrine appears to be an ironic interpretation of the Christian claim that the messiah has already come. Indeed the Messiah has come, "the Messiah son of Joseph," that is Christianity, to pave the way for the Jewish Messiah son of David! Perhaps this is the meaning of the claim of *Sefer HaMeshiv* that redemption will not come

until Esau is destroyed in the spiritual and terrestrial realms. In this, the death of the Messiah son of Ephraim (of Joseph) will be part of its process

Gemäß Erzählung war es **Juda**, der die gewinnbringende Idee hatte, seinen zweitjüngsten Bruder **Josef** nach Ägypten zu **verkaufen**, nachdem der älteste Bruder Ruben gegen eine Tötung des von den elf Brüdern verhassten Lieblingssohns des Vaters war (Gen 37, 26f).

Wikipedia
https://de.wikipedia.org › wiki › Juda_(Bibel)

Juda (Bibel) - Wikipedia

Note: Christianity = Messiah, the son of Joseph as the PRECURSOR-MESSIAH, who must be destroyed. Yes, **Joseph** was sold to the Egyptians by **his brothers** , just like Judah Iscariot, whom the Lord **Jesus sold** to the **"Jews"** .

Which of Jacob's/Israel's brothers had the idea to sell **Joseph for money? Judah** . Will history repeat itself? Will **Joseph** (a representation of Christians, i.e., the child of the free) be sold by **Judah** , or rather the **false Jews** , to the Gentiles (including Muslims)? Well, it's conceivable. In this way, the Christian becomes the scapegoat for the sins of the "Jews," in order to bring forth their Messiah.

"The transformation of the accuser into a defender, but also Samael's active participation in the redemption of Israel. This idea is of particular interest given the historical background of the Sefer HaMeshiv . In a time of relentless persecution and forced conversion, the author envisioned an eschatological future in which Christianity would be compelled to join the covenant of circumcision and transform itself into a defender of the Jews. **This converted Christianity would ultimately meet its end in the war whose outcome would pave the way for the complete redemption of Israel."**

Christians mock the Jews for waiting for a Messiah who, according to their belief, has already come. These same Christians will transform themselves into the saviors of the Jews. This teaching seems to be an ironic interpretation of the Christian claim that the Messiah has already come. **In fact, the Messiah, "the Messiah, the son of Joseph"—that is, Christianity—has come to pave the way for the Jewish Messiah, the son of David!** Perhaps this is the meaning of the statement in the Sefer HaMeshiv that salvation will not come **until Esau is destroyed in both the spiritual and earthly realms.** The death of the Messiah, the son of Ephraim (of Joseph), will be part of this process.

judgment, before the advent of the Kingdom of God. This will be in accordance with the prophecy of Obadiah: "And saviours shall come up on mount Zion to judge the mount of Esay; and the kingdom shall be the Lord's." [212] Another group of wicked nations, as typified in the traditional Edom and Rome, will suffer the same fate as the first group. Their unrighteousness will be characterized by corrupt governments, and by their oppressions of Israel. These nations will not exist in the ideal era, and their rule will be abolished before the advent of the Messianic age.[213] Allied with these unrighteous nations are those peoples who possess the wicked traits of the traditional Amalekites, Ishmaelites, and Gibeonites. Before the dawn of the new era, their end will come.[214]

The advent of the new era will thus be preceded by the "travail" of the Messianic time, namely, great distress, foreign invasions, confusions, and moral decline.[215] According

"This will happen in accordance with the prophecy of Obadiah: 'Saviors will come up to Mount Zion to judge Mount Esay , and the kingdom will be the Lord's.' 212 Another group of wicked nations, embodied **by the traditional Edom and Rome, will suffer the same fate as the first group.** Their injustice will be characterized by corrupt governments and their oppression of Israel. **These nations will no longer exist in the ideal age, and their rule will be abolished before the Messianic Age begins** . 213 Allied with these unjust nations are those peoples who possess the evil traits of the traditional Amalekites , Ishmaelites , and Gibeonites . **Their end will come before the new age begins.** 214 Thus, the 'trouble' of the Messianic Age precedes the new age: great distress, foreign invasions, confusion, and moral decay."

Bewegung die Freimaurerei war. Er schrieb im Jahre 1884, dass das New Age erschaffen wurde mit dem Ziel der Erscheinung des Neuen Messias, eines falschen; dass der Tempel von Salomon in Wirklichkeit zerstört wurde in Erfüllung der Prophezeiung von Christus und der Große Orient und die Logen des Schottischen Ritus waren die Quellen der modernen revolutionären Aktivitäten. Papst Leo XIII brandmarkte die Freimaurerei als Naturalismus:

Book: The Curse of Canaan

Isaiah 14:20 - so you will not be clean + because you have destroyed my land and killed my people; **you will certainly not endure forever, (you) evil seed**

The Whore of Babylon, the Beast & the End-Times System…

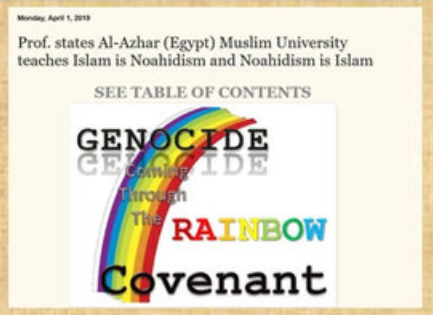
" Chabad-Lubavitch is perhaps the most radical Noahide evangelical organization in the world, with many attempts and organizations **to convert non-Jews to Noahideism** . Recently, there have been many attempts **to merge Noah's Law and Sharia** . When the King of Morocco, Mohammed VI, walked through the streets of his country, he met a Chabad rabbi who told him about Noah's Law. Who knows if the king took this to heart, but if he did, and if he recognizes the connection between Noah and Sharia, this could be a bad alliance for non-Jews."

https://stopnoahidelaw.blogspot.com/2019/09/chabad-lubavitch-teaches-king-of.html

Note: What if those laws were actually merged with Sharia? Well, it would fit the concept, since the false Jews and the Muslims are essentially pursuing the same goal.

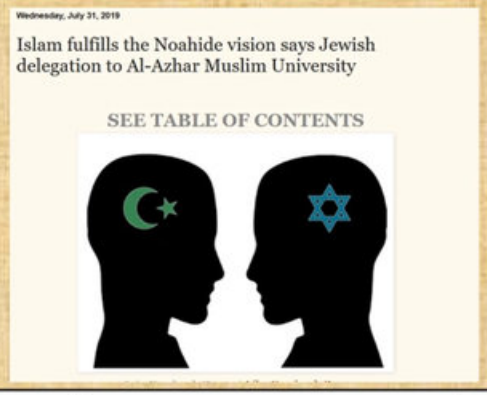
→ to spoil/destroy the good seed.

"The professor explains that the Muslim university Al-Azhar (Egypt) teaches that Islam is Noahideism and Noahideism is Islam."



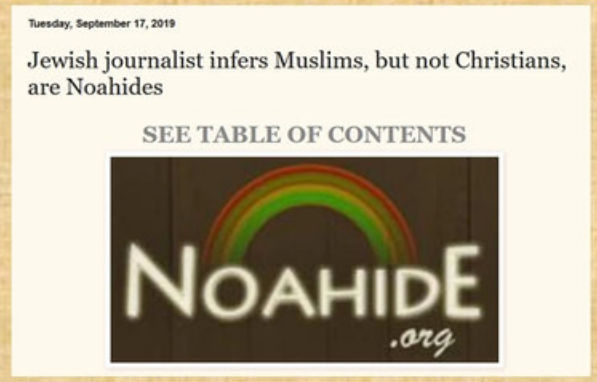
https://stopnoahidelaw.blogspot.com/2019/04/prof-states-al-azhar-egypt-muslim.html

"Islam fulfills Noah's vision, says the Jewish delegation from Al-Azhar Muslim University"



https://stopnoahidelaw.blogspot.com/2019/07/islam-fulfills-noahide-vision-says.html

"Jewish journalist suggests that Muslims, but not Christians, are Noahides"



https://stopnoahidelaw.blogspot.com/2019/09/jewish-journalist-infers-muslims-but.html

The PRESENTATION of the revelation of the Antichrist…

2 Thessalonians 2:3 - Let no one deceive you in any way! For ' that day will not come, ' unless first the rebellion occurs. came and the man of lawlessness was revealed, the son of destruction;

Yes , there are CONDITIONS that must be followed.

So REMEMBER:

falling away must first occur . What "falling away"? The falling away of the Israelites from God's commandments.

What might this fall from grace look like? Well, we have a very striking example from ancient times, involving a ruler who will resemble the coming Antichrist. Indeed, there are surprisingly many parallels. The following is about Antiochus Epiphanes .

So how will this waste disposal process take place?

1 Maccabees 1:11-15 - In those days, a rebel arose in Israel and persuaded many , saying, “Let us go and make a covenant with the nations around us, for since we separated ourselves from them, much evil has come upon us.” 12 This idea pleased them. 13 Some of the people agreed and went to the king, and he gave them permission to implement the customs of the Gentiles. 14 So they built a gymnasium in Jerusalem according to the customs of the Gentiles. 15 They made foreskins for themselves, rebelled against the holy covenant , consorted with the Gentiles, and sold themselves to do evil.

- **2 Corinthians 6:15-17** - And what accord has Christ with Belial?[8] Or what share has a believer with an unbeliever?16 And what association has the temple of God with idols? For we are the temple of the living God; as God has said, “I will live among them and walk among them, and I will be their God, and they will be my people.”17 Therefore, “Come out from among them and be separate,” says the Lord. “Do not touch what is unclean, and I will receive you.”
- Well, in those times, people will not separate themselves but, in their multitude, will give themselves over to the filth of the world. Yes, they will no longer follow God's commandments but will follow their own desires. Very likely similar to what was communicated in **1 Mark 1:11-15** .
- **Note:** Thus, both the apostasy AND the man of lawlessness must be revealed before the day of the Lord can come.
- The Book of Daniel gives us a 1:1 parallel to the verses already mentioned, regarding the coming Antichrist.

Daniel 11:30 - And the Romans will come and drive him out and rebuke him , and he will return [and he will be angry] against the covenant of the Holy One; and he will do it and will return and plot against them—(as punishment) for breaking the covenant of the Holy One have left.

Thus, God the Father will appoint the Son of Destruction against the disobedient people to initiate the purification of the last three and a half years and to pour out his wrath upon those who would not heed the words of salvation. Yes, kings of the world, rulers are appointed by God. All of them! Be they good or evil.

It goes on to say:

2.Thess 2,4-5 - who opposes and exalts himself above[4] every thing that is called God or that is worshiped ⟨ , so that he sits in the temple of God **and proves himself to be God** . 5 Don't you remember that I said this to you when I was still with you?

→ Here, the son of perdition is described in more detail. He will claim to be God. **Nebuchadnezzar, Antiochus Epiphanes , and Herod also** exalted themselves above God, and their punishment was ultimately great. The coming outlaw will also exalt himself above the **God of Gods** .

The evil rulers all have one thing in common: **ARROGANCE.**

Sirach 21:4 - Tyranny and pride will ruin wealth; thus the house of the arrogant will be uprooted.

Dan 11:36-38 - The king will do as he pleases and will be provoked to anger and will **exalt himself against every god, and against the God of gods** he will speak extraordinary things, and he will be successful until the anger is ended; for it is for this that the end will come.

Revelation 13:5 - And a mouth was given to him **that spoke great things and blasphemies** ; and authority was given to him **to work for 42 months. [4]**

V.36: Dan 7:8, 25; 2 Thess 2:4; Rev 13:5f

Yes, 42 months, the last 3 ½ years. The time of divine wrath against those who refused to accept the love of truth.

It goes on to say:

2 Thessalonians 2:6-7 - And now you know what restrains him, so that he may be revealed in his time. - For already the mystery of lawlessness is at work, but only until he who now restrains it is removed . becomes

[w. is done from the middle ;]

→ Thus, the LAWLESS ONE will only **be** revealed **WHEN the one who is currently** hindering him has been "taken out of the midst" .

Hebrews 4:1 - Let us therefore take care that none of you, since the promise of entering his rest is still pending, should appear to be behind.

→ Yes, the point is not to STAY AWAY but TO ENTER **while it is still possible** , because the gates will close when the full number of nations has entered.

2 Thessalonians 2:6-7 - And now you know what is restraining him , so that he may be revealed in his time. - For already the mystery of lawlessness is at work, but only until he who now restrains it **is removed** . will

[w. is done from the middle]

9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
MONON	O	KATEXWN	APTI	EWC	EK	MECOY	GENHTAI
MONON	O	KATEXWN	APTI	EWC	EK	MECOY	GENHTAI
MONON	O	KATEXWN	APTI	EWC	EK	MECOY	GENHTAI
MONON	O	KATEXWN	APTI	EWC	EK	MECOY	GENHTAI
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι,	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται.
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται.
μονον	ο	κατεχων	αρτι	εως	εκ	μεσου	γενηται
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται.
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι,	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται,
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται,)
μόνον	ὁ	κατέχων	ἄρτι,	ἕως	ἐκ	μέσου	γένηται.
3440	3588	2722	737	2193	1537	3319	1096
D	R-NMS	V-PPANMS	D	C	P	S-GNS	V-SAM3S
only	the *one*	restraining *it*	now *there is*	until	out of	*the* midst	it may become

"The healthiest translation is from the middle." The wording "to be eliminated" sounds somewhat inappropriate.

So now back to the IMPORTANT QUESTION...

→ So who needs to be removed from the center? Who is holding back?

In short: The two prophets/witnesses . The nations as "not my people" (Ephraim), or the northern kingdom, which was scattered among the nations. These are the mystery of the fullness , or the mystery of God, which will be completed by the seventh trumpet. When this fullness is reached, the door of faith will immediately close, and the Antichrist and the false prophet can operate for the last three and a half years (42 months).

It goes on to say:

2 Thessalonians 2:8 - **and then** The lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will destroy by the **breath of his mouth.** and destroy by the appearance of his arrival;

→ So ONLY when the one who **is currently holding things back** has been removed, only **THEN** can the outlaw be revealed.

As a brief aside: "The breath of his mouth" – what does that mean?

Isaiah 11:4 - but he will bring justice to the lowly and will rebuke the lowly of the land; and he will strike the land **with the word of his mouth** , and with **the breath of his lips he will slay the wicked** ;

Psalm 17:35 - **For he will strike the earth with the word of his mouth** forever, and he will bless the people of the Lord with wisdom and joy;

Yes , the **WORD OF GOD** is not called the **SWORD OF THE SPIRIT for nothing** , which keeps the adversary and his children in check. At a word, God's will will be done, and thus the end of the lawless will be initiated.

A parallel that provides strength…

Revelation 11:7 - And when they [the two prophets/witnesses] have finished their testimony [the time when the one who holds back is to be removed from the midst] , the beast that comes up out of the abyss [the lawless one, the son of destruction] will wage war against them [the two prophets] and will overcome them and kill them.

→ Intriguingly, the two witnesses are literally **"removed" from the middle** after being killed by the animal.

Revelation 11:11-12 - After three and a half days, the Spirit of life from God entered them , and they stood on their feet, and great fear fell upon those who saw them. 12 Then they heard a loud voice from heaven saying to them, " Come up here!" So they went up into heaven in a cloud, and their enemies saw them.

Rapture refer only to the two prophets/witnesses? I say no, because the mystery that both Paul and John spoke of is more comprehensive, and therefore the two prophets also depict the two sons who represent the northern kingdom of Israel.

→ These events occur at approximately the same time. The beast comes, kills the two witnesses, then they will be dead for three and a half days and then immediately resurrected and taken up into the wild.

→ The son will therefore be taken away, while Satan and his angels will be cast down. A kind of exchange will take place . The wheat will go into the barn, and the weeds (those who refused to accept the love of truth) will be exposed to tribulation.

→ 2 Thessalonians 2:7-8 therefore goes hand in hand with Revelation 11:7.

Again:

2 Thessalonians 2:7-8 - For already the mystery of lawlessness is at work, but only until he who now restrains it is removed [i.e., taken out of the midst of it] ;
8 and then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will overthrow with the breath of his mouth and destroy by the splendor of his coming;

→ This means the LAWLESS ONE can only come WHEN the Witnesses have completed their testimony. The time of the COMPLETION OF THE WITNESS is also the COMPLETION of the FULLNESS of the spiritual temple, meaning the Light is ready to leave the earth so that the "exchange" can take place. The children of God will be removed while Satan and his angels are cast down to earth and allowed to reign for 42 months . The multitude who have not accepted the love of the truth will be hardened/blinded and will cling to the evil shepherd.

Luke 17:29 - On the day Lot left Sodom, fire and sulfur rained down from heaven and destroyed them all.

→ Only when the last righteous one has been removed will the wrath of God be unleashed. Yes, it will be like the days of Noah…

Matthew 24:38 - For as they were in those days before the flood: eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark

→ When the temple is complete, that is, when the full number of nations has been reached, then the door will close—then the door of the Ark—today the door of faith. Who is the door? The Lord Jesus Christ (John 10:9).

Those who act against God's will will suffer tribulation…

Daniel 2:20-21 - Blessed be the name of the Lord, the Great, forever! For to him belongs wisdom and greatness; 21 he changes seasons and periods, he deposes and sets up kings , he gives wisdom to the wise, and understanding to those who have knowledge.

God appoints the authorities, meaning he also permits the appearance of the son of perdition (Antichrist) and his servants. They will carry out God's will and, consequently, the wrath of the last days.

Revelation 17:17 - For God has put it into their hearts to do his purpose and to act in accordance with one purpose[11], and to give their kingdom[12] to the beast, until the words of God are fulfilled. 18 And the woman you saw is the great city that has dominion over the kings of the earth.

What is the deal with the big city? Who is it?

Revelation 11:8 - And their body will lie in the street of the great city , which, spiritually speaking, is called Sodom and Egypt, where their Lord was crucified.

In spiritual terms, "Sodom" and who is associated with Sodom?
Rome? No, that's the "mainstream" interpretation, designed to distract from the synagogue of Satan. Sodom is clearly named in Scripture; one only needs to read between the lines. It is the earthly Jerusalem, one of the two adulterous daughters. Indeed, where was the Lord Jesus crucified? JERUSALEM!

Ezekiel 16:46 - Your older sister is Samaria, she and her daughters, who lives on your left. And your younger sister , who lives on your right , is Sodom , and her daughters.

Ezekiel 16:55 - Your sister Sodom and her daughters will be restored as they were in the beginning, and Samaria and her daughters will be restored as they were in the beginning, and you and your daughters will be restored as you were in the beginning.

Genesis 13:13 - Now the people of Sodom were exceedingly wicked and sinful in the sight of God.

→ Likewise, today's earthly Jerusalem…

Galatians 4:25 - for Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia, but corresponds to present-day Jerusalem, for it is in slavery with its children.

Therefore it is punished and burned, so that the heavenly may come after. For we know that the earthly comes first, then the heavenly (Jerusalem).

Revelation 18:18 - and when they saw the smoke of its burning, they cried out, "Who was the master of the **great city?"** even?

→ Yes, who will set the woman on fire? The beast that will enter her. The great siege , just as under Nebuchadnezzar, so too in the times to come.

Revelation 12:4 - and his tail dragged a third of the stars out of the sky and threw them to the earth. And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she had given birth he might devour her child.

Daniel 11:30 - And the Romans will come and drive him out and rebuke him , and he will return [and he will be angry] against the covenant of the Holy One; and he will do it and will return and plot against them—(as punishment) for breaking the covenant of the Holy One have left.

→ Yes, the son of perdition, the lawless one, will rise up against the disobedient because they have fallen away from the covenant of the Holy One, or have abandoned it.

It goes on to say:

2 Thessalonians 2:9 - ⟨ him, ⟩ whose coming will be according to the working of Satan, with all mighty works and signs and wonders of lies

→ The arrival of Satan (EARTHLY) after the SON (HEAVENLY) was "removed".

→ The adoption of the Son (Northern Kingdom) and the expulsion of Satan and his angels. Some occupy the heavenly dwellings while Satan is cast down to earth and takes up residence among the earthly ones. As mentioned, a kind of "exchange" takes place.

2 Thessalonians 2:10-12 - and with every deception of unrighteousness for those who are perishing, because they did not receive the love of the truth and were saved. 11 And for this reason God sends them a powerful delusion,[6] so that they will believe the lie, 12 so that all may be judged who have not believed the truth but have delighted in wickedness.

1 Peter 4:17 - 17 For the time has come for judgment to begin with the house of God ; and if it begins with us, what will be the end of those who do not obey the gospel of God ?

→ First, the house of God is tested, that is, the individual members of Christ. When the building is complete, that is, when the full number has been reached, then those who refused to obey the gospel of God will be tested.

→ Therefore, if the Son has been taken away, Satan will also be able to work in the hour of temptation with all his wonders and signs of lies. The church in Philadelphia, however, is to be preserved precisely from this hour of temptation, which again indicates that the righteous will not perish with the wicked .

→ Thus, signs and wonders occurred for all those who refused to accept the love of truth.

More verses to ponder…

1 Corinthians 11:32 - But when we are judged by the Lord , we are disciplined so that we will not be condemned with the world.

→ Therefore, whoever is not disciplined does not belong to the flock , for discipline serves the ESCAPE of the flesh and the conception of the Holy Spirit.

Hebrews 12:6 - For the Lord disciplines those he loves, but he strikes every son whom he receives.

Who will be primarily tested in the end times? The Europeans by the Muslims.

→ TALMUD + KORAN = Jews and Muslims go hand in hand. Just like the Whore of Babylon and the Beast.

John 3:18 - Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name of the one and only Son of God.[12]

1 Corinthians 1:18 - For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing , but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

2 Corinthians 4:3 - But if our gospel is indeed veiled, it is veiled only to those who are perishing .

THE WASTE – The reason for taking in the animal…

What happened physically at Nebuchadnezzar's time is being repeated spiritually and globally in the end times.

Here is the comparison:

1. The Warning by the Prophets (Jeremiah vs. Two Witnesses)

At that time: God sent Jeremiah to warn the southern kingdom (Judah) of Babylon's coming wrath. Jeremiah called for a return to the Law and exposed the false prophets who said "Peace, peace" where there was no peace.

Today: In the first 3 1/2 years, the two witnesses (possibly Moses and Elijah) send the same warning to Talmudic Jerusalem. They confront the Southern Kingdom with the true word of God and warn of the coming wrath.

2. The rejection of the word

At that time: The elite in Jerusalem (King Jehoiakim) burned the scroll of Jeremiah (Jeremiah 36). They thought that if they destroyed the word, the disaster would not come. They trusted in their walls and their alliances (Egypt).

Today: Earthly, Talmudic Jerusalem rejects the testimony of the two witnesses. They kill them symbolically and physically (Revelation 11:7-10) because the truth threatens their system. They trust in their own "statutes of the elders" and their political power.

3. The disaster at the gates (Nebuchadnezzar vs. The Beast)

Back then: Because they did not listen, Nebuchadnezzar became the "servant of God" (Jeremiah 25:9) to carry out judgment. Jerusalem was besieged, the temple destroyed, and the people taken away.

Today: Disaster is already at the gates. As soon as the two witnesses (the warning) are eliminated, the protective wall will finally collapse.

Daniel 11:30 - And the Romans will come and drive him out and rebuke him , and he will return [and he will be angry] against the covenant of the Holy One; and he will do it and will return and plot against them – (as punishment) for their abandonment of the covenant of the Holy One.

Summary:

The Southern Kingdom (Judah /Jerusalem) will repeat the same mistake. They will ignore the warnings (issued during the first phase of the 3 1/2 years) and cling to their "apostasy" (the Talmud). They will not realize that the "disaster" (the beast) is already preparing the siege.

THE TWO STAFFS – SPECTACLE – AND PLOT OF LAND

Zechariah 11:7-8 - And I will tend the sheep to be slaughtered for Canaan . And I will prepare for myself **two staffs** I will take one; I called the other **"Praise Piece"** and the other **"Parcel"** . And I will tend the sheep.

Ezekiel 37:15-24 - And the word of the Lord came to me: 16 “Son of man, take **a staff** and write on it **Judah** and the **Israelites** who are loyal to him. And take another staff and write on it, ‘For Joseph, the staff of Ephraim , and all the Israelites who are loyal to him.’ 17 Bind them **together with one staff** to keep them in your hand.”

A magnificent piece of land and a plot of land – The time of the nations and the Israelites..

1 Peter 4:17 - For the time has come for judgment to **begin with the house of God;** But if it happens to us first, what will be the end of those who do not obey the gospel of God **?**

- → As the opening verse already indicates, the JUDGMENT begins with the house of God. First with the nations in Christ (the northern kingdom) until their full number is reached, and then also with the southern kingdom, the so-called remnant of the seed.
- → For believers, judgment is for **purification and testing** , and for the godless who refused to accept the love of truth, **it is for destruction** .

Romans 11:25 - For I do not want you to be ignorant of this **mystery , brothers and sisters,** so that you may not be conceited: **Israel has experienced a hardening in part, until the full number of the Gentiles has come in;**

Here again, in full detail, the Apostle Paul communicates that the full number of the nations must first pass in **BEFORE** the **stubbornness can be lifted** from the **rest** . Based on the Gospels, or rather...

Thus, in the Acts of the Apostles as well as in the letters of Paul, one can see that there was, on the one hand, the group of Gentiles (Paul, Barnabas, Timothy, Titus, etc.) and, on the other hand, the group of Jews (John, Peter, James). A useful division regarding the Northern and Southern Kingdoms.

evidence of this can be found **in the Book of Zechariah,** specifically in very impressive verses that once again confirm the separation between the northern and southern kingdoms. Yes, there is a clear division.

FIRST the NORTHERN KINGDOM/MASTERPIECE (among the nations) – in their full number ...

Then...

The SOUTHERN KINGDOM/PLACE (remainder of the seed)

- → the meaning of " prime piece " and "plot of land" in more detail on the following slides. But first, an important reminder...
- → When reading the Old Testament, use the Septuagint (LXX), because the Masoretic Text has deliberately altered several verses. You will only encounter problems if you prefer the more common, younger Masoretic Text to the older Septuagint (LXX).

The division of the kingdoms and the two sons…

As explained in the first chapters, both Israel (the northern kingdom) and Judah (the southern kingdom) have been scattered among the nations to this day. However, both were to be reunited as a whole at the end of the age. The separation of the two kingdoms occurred because King Rehebeam did not know how to properly deal with God's people. Indeed, he was **not a** king after God's will.

The result?

3. Kings 12:19 - And Israel [Northern Kingdom] has been unfaithful to the House of David [Southern Kingdom] **to this day.**

The parable of the prodigal son provides a wonderful illustration of the two kingdoms. Here, the difference between the two kingdoms is more than clearly demonstrated.

The younger "LOST" son (NORTH KINGDOM), who became alienated and followed the silent idols, but was then brought back to life through his affliction .

The "FAIR" and ELDER son On the other side, which remained constantly at the father's side, is the name given to the kingdom of Judah (Southern Kingdom).

What characteristic was evident in the older son? **Envy, jealousy, the wrong spiritual attitude…**

Luke 15:27-28 - He answered him, ' **Your brother has come home,** and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has received him back safe and sound.' **At this, he became angry and refused to go into the house,** but his father came out and spoke kindly to him.

→ Just like the righteous son in the parable of the prodigal son. **JEALOUS** If his brother was jealous, then the NORTHERN KINGDOM (nations) should in the end provoke the REST OF THE SEED of the SOUTHERN KINGDOM (Judah) to jealousy!

→ Yes, this anger, which originated from the older son, is also evident in the Book of Jonah, where God the Father brought the ungodly people of Nineveh to repentance; they too were initially lost but then found (i.e., they repented). Jonah here provides a model for the stubborn righteous/older son from the parable of the prodigal son.

Romans 11:11 - I ask then: Did they stumble and fall? By no means! **Rather, it was through their fall that salvation came to the Gentiles, to provoke them to jealousy.**

Thus, the fall of ONE [SOUTHERN KINGDOM] ensured the entry or acceptance of the OTHER [NORTHERN KINGDOM] . Yes, the first become last, and the last become first.

Why is the faithful son now the faithful one?

Galatians 2:15 - We are Jews by nature and not sinners from ⟨the⟩ nations,

both the parable of the two sons and the parable of the prodigal son. Two children, two paths. The faithful son, who has always been with the father (Southern Kingdom), and the prodigal son, who served idols or the world until he was moved to repentance through tribulation (Northern Kingdom). Yes, after Jesus fulfilled the law, there was immediately no longer any dividing wall, for all became one in Christ Jesus. Yes, **those who see .** Heart-eyes for the Northern Kingdom and (temporary) **BLINDNESS** for the Southern Kingdom.

The parable of the unequal sons (as a supplement to Galatians 2:15):

Matthew 21:28-32 - "What do you think? A man had two sons. He went to the first and said, 'Son, go and work today in the vineyard.' 29 **He answered, 'Yes, sir,' but he did not go.** 30 Then he went to the second and said the same thing to him. He replied, **'I will not.' But later he changed his mind and went** . 31 Which of the two did what his father wanted?" They answered, "The second." Jesus said to them, "Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God ahead of you. 32 For John came to you with the teaching of righteousness, and you did not believe him, whereas the tax collectors and the prostitutes did." But you, although you saw this , did not afterwards reflect on it and believe him.

→ **The FIRST SON (a representation of the SOUTHERN KINGDOM) and the SECOND SON (as the repentant prodigal son – the NORTHERN KINGDOM).** Why is this so? Well, here we have further clues – for just as in the parable of the prodigal son, here too the fruit reveals the sound disposition. The first son said he would go into the vineyard and work, **But it didn't...**

Yes **, they talk a lot, but don't do it themselves!** People of the world, of the law – the delusion, the veil. A person who still needs the educator (the law) because they still serve the flesh.

Matthew 23:3 - Therefore do and observe everything they tell you, but do not do what they do , for they preach and do not practice . (Deuteronomy 17:10; Malachi 2:7; Romans 2:17)

The second son, however...

He initially said he wouldn't work in the vineyard, but then he did. Yes, he was initially lost in his convictions, but then he repented (changed his mind) and was found again; that is, he decided to serve after all. Another example? Think of the parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector (Luke 18:9-14) . The Pharisee is the image of the blinded, self-righteous son. The tax collector, on the other hand, is the image of the Gentile, humble and in faith. **Yes, the image on the heathen shows spiritual zeal, for here the heavy burdens are not only preached with lips but also put into action.**

Revelation 2:3 - You also have perseverance; you have **borne heavy burdens for my name's sake.** and you didn't get tired.

→ **Burdens borne, work done in the vineyard! One simply talks and does nothing, while the other talks and acts. Not just in word, but also in deed. Possible in spirit, not in flesh. The nations (the Northern Kingdom) show the way so that the rest of the seed can eventually follow.**

Romans 15:18 - For I will not dare to speak of anything that Christ has not accomplished through me **to bring the Gentiles to obedience by word and deed,**

Matthew 21:43 . Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will **be taken away from you and given to a nation that will produce its fruit.**

A magnificent piece of land and a plot of land – The two staves…

Zechariah 11:7-8 - And I will tend the sheep to be slaughtered for Canaan . And I will prepare for myself **two staffs** I will take one; I called the other **"Praise Piece"** and the other **"Parcel"** . And I will tend the sheep.

And…

Zechariah 11: 10-11 - **And I will use my magnificent staff to take it and throw it away , to break my covenant which I had made with all nations.**

11 **And it will be dissolved on that day** , and **the Canaanites will recognize the sheep that are being watched** , because it is a word from the Lord.

Note:

So, if the "Magnificent Staff" (Magnificent Piece) has been discarded, then the covenant with the peoples/nations will be dissolved, which would imply that from that point on, the full number of nations [Northern Kingdom] will be reached, and now the rest of the seed [Southern Kingdom] will see, or rather, their stubbornness will be lifted. Yes, a change of staffs is imminent. The Magnificent Piece will be "discarded," and all those who have not accepted the love of truth will henceforth be "blinded" and believe the lie. Yes, as it is written…

2 Thessalonians 2:10-12 - and with every deception of wickedness for those who are perishing, because **they did not receive the love of the truth and were saved. 11 And for this reason God sends them a powerful delusion,[6] so that they may believe the lie, 12 in order that all may be condemned who have not believed the truth but have delighted in wickedness.**

→ Yes, and instead of "MULTI-PIECE" (NATIONS – which will now be blinded), it is now the turn of "PIECE OF LANDS" (REMAINING OF THE SEED – SOUTHERN KINGDOM), which will now see. Yes, everything has its order…

Further in this context:

Zechariah 11:14 - And I threw away the second staff, **the plot of land,** to divide the property between **Judah and Israel.**

Note: At this point, we clearly see that the "plot of land" is connected to the Kingdom of Israel and the Kingdom of Judah . The division of the two kingdoms will subsequently herald the coming of the Antichrist.

Further in this context:

Zechariah 11:15-17 - And the Lord said to me, “Take once more the shepherd’s implements of an inexperienced shepherd. 16 For behold, **I am raising up a shepherd over the land** . He will not care for the perishing, nor seek the scattered, nor heal the broken, nor guide the whole. And he will eat the flesh of the destitute and twist out their ankles. 17 O shepherds who feed on worthless things and who forsake the sheep! A sword on his arm and on his right eye! His arm will be completely dry, **and his right eye will be completely blinded.”**

Note: First, **the magnificent thing must** be discarded so that the **evil shepherd** can appear. This is only logical, as everything unfolds in its proper order. First the **northern kingdom** , and then the **southern kingdom** . The Lord Jesus cared for the scattered, provided for/healed the broken, and the evil shepherd, on the other hand, will **not** care for the scattered/broken. Indeed, those who have not accepted the love of the truth will follow this **false shepherd** to their ruin.

The 2 staffs/rods – ISRAEL & JUDAH and EPHRAIM (NATIONS) – The UNITING

→ Now that we've discussed the dissolution of the covenant, I'd like to address the "reunification" of the two staffs. It's important to understand that this reunification will only occur at the END, on or after the Day of the Lord. This will happen only after the Antichrist (the Beast) and the false prophet have been destroyed. In the video "PRESERVE and PLOT – The Time of the Nations and the Israelites," I already discussed many important details. Now, with the background information that "Ephraim," the staff representing the nations, will also be a part of Israel and will have a place in the New Jerusalem.

Ezekiel 37:15-24 - And the word of the Lord came to me: 16 "Son of man, take **a staff** and write on it **Judah** and the **sons of Israel** who are loyal to him; and you shall take a **second staff and write on it,** **"For Joseph, the staff of Ephraim, and all the sons of Israel who are loyal to him** ." 17 You shall bind them **together with one staff** to keep them together, and they shall be in your hand. 18 And it will be when the sons of your people say to you, "Will you not tell us what this means for you?" 19 Then you shall say to them, "This is what the Lord says: Behold, I will take **the tribe of Joseph in the hand of Ephraim and the tribes of Israel who are loyal to him, and I will take them into the tribe of Judah."** incorporate , **and they will be in the hand of Judah.** **a single stick** . 20 And the sticks on which you have written shall be in your hand before their eyes, 21 and you shall say to them, "This is what the Lord says: **Behold, I will take the whole house of Israel from among the nations where they have gone, and I will gather them from all the nations around them and bring them into the land of Israel :** 22 Then I will make them **one people** in my land and on the mountains of Israel, and **one will rule over them** . They will no longer be two nations, nor will they be divided into two kingdoms. 23 They will no longer be defiled by their idols. I will rescue them from all the wickedness they have committed, and I will cleanse them. They will be my people, and I, the Lord, will be their God. **24 My servant David will be ruler over them and will be their shepherd . They will walk according to my decrees and keep my laws and act accordingly.**

→ ***The first section indicates that Ephraim [NORTHERN KINGDOM] is to be incorporated as the SECOND STATION into the FIRST STATION [SOUTHERN KINGDOM]. From two there will become one, and one King over them—the Lord Jesus Christ. Then the new covenant will also be established for them. The law will no longer be written on tablets of stone, but on tablets of the human heart. See Jeremiah 38:31–34.***

Zechariah 10:6-7 - I will strengthen the house of Judah and **save the house of Joseph and bring them back** , for **I love them** , and they will be **as if I had not rejected them** . For I am the Lord their God, and I will listen to them. They will be **like the warriors of Ephraim** , and their hearts will rejoice as with wine. Their children will see it, and their hearts will be glad and exult in the Lord.

Ephesians 2:14 - For he himself is our peace. He has brought forth from **both** He made **one** and broke the dividing wall of the fence, the enmity, in his flesh.

Colossians 3:11 - There is neither Greek nor Jew, neither circumcised nor uncircumcised , nor barbarian, nor Scythian, nor slave nor free, **but Christ is all and is in all.**

Also check Romans 10:12/Galatians 3:28.

Summary:

Here is the in-depth and concise analysis that spans the prophetic arc from dissolution (Zechariah) to completion (Colossians):

1. The Break and the End of the Time of Grace (Zechariah 11)

God acts here as a shepherd who resigns from his post. The breaking of the two staffs is the turning point.

•**Staff of Grace (Magnificent Piece):** Its breaking dissolves the covenant with the nations. This means: The divine **bulwark** that has thus far restrained the nations **falls.**

•**Staff "Unity" (plot of land):** The inner unity (Judah /Israel) **is abolished** . The people are left to themselves and to chaos.

2. The full number of nations and the last 3 1/2 years

The connection to the **full number of nations** (Romans 11:25) is the key:

•Once this spiritual process is complete, the time of general grace ends. God **"throws away the staff".**

•**The delusion: Whoever** has rejected the "love of truth" (2 Thess 2:10) up to this point will be given over to **delusion** .

•**The last 3 ½ years:** In this tribulation , protection is withdrawn. Humanity, which rejected the "Good Shepherd" for **30 pieces of silver** (Zechariah 11:12), now receives the **"foolish shepherd" (the Antichrist)** , who does not heal the flock but devours it.

3. The hierarchical restoration (Ezekiel 37 & Zechariah 10)

God reunites in Ezekiel 37 what he broke in Zechariah 11. The order is crucial:

•**Ephraim (Northern Kingdom) is incorporated into Israel:** The lost tribes are gathered.

•**Israel will be incorporated into Judah :** Everything will be united under the line of Judah (the royal line of the Messiah) (Ezekiel 37:19).

•**Zechariah 10:6:** "I will strengthen the house of Judah and save the house of Joseph (Ephraim)." God restores them as if they had never been cast out. The old guilt of division is erased.

4. Perfect unity in Christ (Ephesians 2 & Colossians 3)

The national restoration of Israel is the prelude to universal unity in Christ:

•**Breaking down the dividing wall:** Christ, in his flesh, has put to death the enmity (the dividing law) (Eph 2:14). He makes one new person out of two groups (Jews and Gentiles).

•**All in all:** In this new creation, earthly distinctions no longer matter. Whether Greek, Jew, barbarian, or slave – these categories no longer exist in Christ (Col 3:11).

•**The one shepherd:** The "servant David" (Ezekiel 37:24) is identical with the Christ who fulfills all things. He is the goal in whom the staffs of "grace" and "harmony" are eternally and unbreakably one.

Extra Parallel: The Two Staffs – the Two Messiahs (The Talmud's View)...

The connection of the two messiahs (Messiah ben Joseph and Messiah ben David) with the symbolism of the two staffs of the Septuagint (LXX).

This logical chain results in the following picture:

1. Messiah ben Joseph as a "masterpiece" (Kallos)

In Jewish tradition, Messiah ben Joseph is the suffering redeemer who dies fighting against the enemies of Israel (Edom / Armilus).

The connection to Christianity: Since Christianity proclaims Jesus as the suffering Messiah (the "son of Joseph"), he embodies for the nations the jewel – the offered grace and beauty of the plan of salvation.

The rupture: If this "masterpiece" (the time of grace of the suffering Messiah) is rejected, or if his witness ends with the consummation of the nations, the staff breaks. The world loses access to the protective "beauty" of God.

Amos 8:11 - "Behold, the days are coming," declares the Lord, "when I will send a hunger upon the earth, not a hunger for bread, nor a thirst for water, **but a hunger to hear the word of the Lord."**

2. The "foolish shepherd" fills the vacuum

Once the magnificent staff is broken, the foolish shepherd prophesied by Zechariah (11:15-17) appears.

The deception: He likely presents himself as a kind of "substitute Messiah." Since the true figure (Messiah ben Joseph/the saints in Christ Jesus) was rejected, this false shepherd is accepted.

The destruction of the plot of land: Under his rule, the plot of land (unity) inevitably breaks down. He does not unite the people, but leads them to catastrophe, which results in their final dispersion and distress in Jerusalem.

The Revelation of John – The Most Important COMPACT

NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN KINGDOM - Judgment begins with the house of God (1 Peter 4:17)

Romans 9:24-25 - namely to us, whom he has also called, not only from the Jews but also from the Gentiles . 25 As he also says in Hosea : “I will call not my people my people, and she whom I do not love my beloved.”

_____

1. The two groups according to Romans 9

Paul quotes Hosea 2:25 and 1:10 to explain the redefinition of God's people:

Group A: “Not-my-people” (οὐ λα ός μου – ou Laos mou) → The Northern Kingdom / Ephraim / The Nations – THE SON (FIRST HALF of the 7 YEARS – “CHAOS”)

This refers to the Northern Kingdom, which had completely lost its identity through its dispersal among the Gentiles. They literally became “non-Jews” (nations). Paul now applies this to the mission to the Gentiles. Ephraim has been absorbed into the nations and is now called back through the gospel as the “fullness of the nations.” They were the “last” (the outcasts) and will now be the “first.”

Group B: “The Unmerciful One” (οὐκ ἠλεημένη – ouk ēleēmēnē) → The Southern Kingdom /
Judah – THE DAUGHTER (SECOND HALF of the 7 YEARS – “ORDER”)

Hosea gave his daughter this name (Lo- Ruchama) to symbolize the fate of Judah (the southern kingdom). God did have mercy on Judah when the northern kingdom fell, but later, when they became hardened in self-righteousness, that mercy was withdrawn from them as well. Paul uses this to show that even the "physical heirs" (Judah /present-day Jerusalem) are under judgment without faith in Christ.

The general sequence of events (according to my understanding):

→ to give you a rough outline of the Revelation of John .

What is important here is:

→ God makes a distinction and divides the seven-year tribulation into the Northern and Southern Kingdoms . I would like to give you a rough overview of the sequence of events, as most points have already been discussed in detail on the previous slides.

1-3 ½ years of the Northern Kingdom . This is the purification or trial for " not-my-people" (nations). From the perspective of the "Synagogue of Satan, " the suffering Messiah Ben Josef [Ephraim]. The first 3 ½ years are characterized by great chaos.

2 - After the first 3 ½ years, the full number of nations is reached, so that the mystery of God can now be completed. The time of the nations/northern kingdom is thus over. A kind of "exchange" takes place in which the son is taken away from the northern kingdom and Satan and his angels are cast down to earth in return.

3 – The last 3 ½ YEARS for the SOUTHERN KINGDOM . It is the reign of the Antichrist and the false prophet. The time of purification for the REMAINING SEED (Southern Kingdom).

4 - Shortly before the end of the 7 years, the 7 Bowls of Wrath are activated . The timing of the Bowls of Wrath depends on the completion of the Holy Ones. Only when the Northern and Southern Kingdoms are complete and perfected are the Bowls of Wrath poured out in turn. Yes, first the wheat is brought into the barn, then the weeds are burned.

Here is a brief aside to reinforce the idea that God only unleashes his wrath when his people are safe...

The divine "blockade": The angel said to Lot, "Hurry, get there, for I can do nothing until you arrive." (Genesis 19:22)

This means that God could not legally and morally carry out his judgment (the fire) as long as the one righteous person was still in the city.

→ Transfer to the 7th Wrath Bowls, because this exact principle is applied there:

Lot = The Saints (the Northern and Southern Kingdoms).
Sodom = The Antichrist's system at the end of the 7 years.
The fire = The 7 bowls of wrath.

The logic is identical: Just as the fire only fell when Lot was safe, so the bowls of wrath will only be unleashed when the saints are "completed" and "brought into the barn".

Confirmation through Jesus…

Jesus himself alluded to the "Sodom and Gomorrah" comparison in a way when he said in **Luke 17:28-30** :

"Just as it was in the days of Lot: they were eating and drinking, buying and selling, planting and building; 29 but on the day Lot left Sodom, fire and sulfur rained down from heaven and destroyed them all. 30 It will be the same on the day the Son of Man is revealed."

→ Only when the **last** saint has been brought to safety will the judgment of fire upon wickedness **begin** . The Apostle Paul made this very clear in one or more verses.

1 Thessalonians 5:9 - For God did **not appoint us to wrath** , but to salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Thessalonians 1:10 - and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead – Jesus, **who saves us from the coming wrath.**

Romans 5:9 - Rather, since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we **be saved from his wrath through him!**

5 – We jump ahead to the sixth bowl of wrath, because that one deals with the mobilization of the kings of the earth and the final battle at Armageddon.

6 - The seventh, i.e., the last bowl of wrath, then heralds the end of the age and points to the **Day of the Lord** , i.e., the return of Jesus with his saints. It is already clear from the following verse that that Day of the Lord will take place amidst great destruction.

2 Peter 3:10 But the **day of the Lord will come** They will come like a thief; in him **the heavens will pass away with a great noise, the elements will be destroyed by fire, and the earth and the works on it will be found in judgment .**

→ **The conclusion:** Immediately after the seventh bowl comes the **Second Coming of Christ.**

Mark 13:24-26 - But in those days, **after that tribulation** , the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; 25 the stars of heaven will fall, and the powers of heaven will be shaken. 26 And then the Son of Man will be seen coming in clouds with power and great glory.

→ The **seventh bowl of wrath** marks the conclusion, for the Lord Jesus will come with all his saints, and the battle of Armageddon will take place. This battle will be between the children of light and the children of this world. In this battle, the Antichrist and the false prophet will be defeated (Daniel 11:45). The first resurrection will then occur immediately (Ezekiel 37:1-14 / Daniel 12:2 / Revelation 20:4-6).

8 – After the destruction of the Antichrist/false prophet in the lake of fire (Rev 19:20), Satan will immediately be bound (Rev 20:1) and out of action during the time of the 1000-year peace.

9 – After 1000 years of peace, Satan is released one last time before his destruction (Revelation 20:7-8). He deceives the nations one last time, and the battle with
Gog and Magog ensues .

10 – After the failed attempt to attack the camp of the saints, Satan and his seed will finally be destroyed (Rev 20:10 ff).

1. The Last 3 ½ Years – The Remainder of the Seed (Southern Kingdom)

Confirmation of the last 3 1/2 years…

Revelation 11:2 - And leave out the court outside the temple [1] and do not measure it, for it has been given to the Gentiles, and they will trample the holy city underfoot for 42 months .

Parallel:

Zechariah 12:2 *Behold, I will make Jerusalem like a sweeping portico for all the surrounding nations. And* ***in Judea*** ***there will be a siege against Jerusalem.*** *take place.*

Revelation 12:6 - And the woman fled into the wilderness, where God had prepared a place for her, so that she might be fed there for 1,260 days.

Revelation 12:14 - And the woman was given the two wings of the great eagle, so that she might fly into the wilderness to her place, where she would be nourished for a time and two times and half a time[7], away from the presence of the serpent.

Revelation 13:5 - And a mouth was given to him that spoke great things and blasphemies; and authority was given to him to work for 42 months. [4]

For 3 ½ years, the Holy City was left to be destroyed.

The timeframe of the last 3 ½ years – until the END

Luke 21:24-25 and they will fall by the edge of the sword and be carried away into captivity among all the nations, and Jerusalem will be trampled underfoot by the Gentiles (Zechariah 12:3) until the times of the Gentiles are over ."

25 » **Then** Signs will appear on the sun, moon, and stars, and on Earth, despair will reign among the peoples in bewildered fear at the roar of the sea and its

→ Pay attention to the parallels in wording between **Revelation 11:2 and Luke 21:24** . It says that Jerusalem will be trampled by the now finally hardened Gentiles until the TIMES (i.e., the last 3 1/2 years) have expired. Once the time has finally passed, **the Day of the Lord will come, that is, the return of the Lord Jesus with all his saints.**

→ During this time of destruction, the LAST 3 ½ years belonging to the SOUTHERN KINGDOM, most will FALL and only the third will be saved BY the fire of purification.

Zechariah 13:8-9 - And it will be in all the land, says the Lord, two-thirds will perish. and disappear, but the third will remain in it. And I will cause the third to pass through fire. And I will test them in the fire as silver is tested by fire, and I will test them as gold is tested. He will call on my name, and I will answer him and say, “These are my people,” and he will say, “Lord, my God.”

The REST verses – the REMAINING ones of the offspring…

→ Below are also **SOME verses** that refer to the **REMNANTS** alluding to the seed.

Revelation 12:17 And the dragon became angry with the woman and went to wage war against the rest of her offspring [w. her seed] , who keep the commandments of God[9] and have the testimony of Jesus.

Zechariah 13:9 And I will cause the third to pass through the fire. And I will test them in the fire as silver is tested by fire, and I will test them as gold is tested. He will call on my name, and I will answer him and say, "These are my people," and he will say, "Lord, my God."

Zechariah 8:6-8 - This is what the Lord Almighty says: "For if it is in the eyes of the remnant of this people "If it is not possible in those days, it will not be possible in my sight either?" says the Lord, the Almighty. 7 This is what the Lord, the Almighty, says: " **Behold, I will save my people from the rising land and from the setting land . "** 8 And I will bring them in, and I will dwell in the midst of Jerusalem. They will be my people, and I will be their God in truth and righteousness.

→ ***Evidence of the deportations/removals after the siege…***

Examples where ONLY a REMNANT was left over…

Mt 24:37 - For as it once was in the days of Noah As it was, so it will be with the Second Coming of the Son of Man. be.

1. As in the DAYS OF NOAH (i.e. only Noah and his family were saved, i.e., **A REMNANT**)

2. Sodom and Gomorrah → Only Lot and his family were saved, i.e., **a remnant** .

3. The besieged and captured city of Jericho → This is also an important image, as it too involved a siege. Here, only the prostitute Rahab and her family were rescued; that is, again, only **a remnant** .

4. The ultimate image: King Nebuchadnezzar and the siege of Jerusalem → Daniel and his companions who were taken away to Babylon – **A REMNANT** .

Yes…

Luke 13:24 - Strive to enter **through the narrow gate** ; for many, I tell you, will seek to enter and will not be able to.

Continued:

Zechariah 12:2-3 - Behold, I am making Jerusalem like a tottering portico for all the surrounding nations. And in Judea there will be a siege against Jerusalem . 3 And it will come to pass on that day that I will make Jerusalem a crushed stone for all nations. Everyone who treads on it will vehemently mock it. And all the nations of the earth will be gathered against it.

Zechariah 14:2 – And I will gather all nations against Jerusalem for war: And the city will be captured, and the houses will be plundered, and the women will be raped, and half the city will go out as prisoners of war . But those who remained My people will not be exterminated from the city.

Zeph 2:7 - The strip of land by the sea will belong to those who remain of the house of Judah ; they will graze among them in the houses of Ashkelon , and in the evening they will rest far from the sons of Judah; for the Lord their God has visited them and brought back their captives.

Isaiah 4:3 And it will happen that what remains in Zion and what remains in Jerusalem will both be called holy, all those who are registered to live in Jerusalem.

Isaiah 10:20-22 - and it will happen on that day , (when) the remnant of Israel will no longer increase, and the saved of Jacob They will no longer place their trust in those who have wronged them, but will truly place their trust in God, the Holy One of Israel. And the remnant of Jacob will turn to the mighty God. 22 And when the people of Israel have become like the sand of the sea, the remnant will be saved ; for (God is) one who fulfills a word and omits it in righteousness;

→ The Rescued of Jacob (Judah/JeruSALEM)

Rejection, but then also salvation/election – AFTER 7 years of torment…

Zechariah 2:12 – And the Lord will Judah to take possession of his share in the Holy Land as an inheritance and to choose Jerusalem again.

Zechariah 10:6 – And I will destroy the house of Judah I will strengthen them and save the house of Joseph and bring them back , for I love them, and they will be as if I had not rejected them. For I am the Lord their God, and I will listen to them.

Zechariah 12:7 – And the Lord will save the tents of Judah as it has been since the beginning, so that the glory of the House of David and the pride of the inhabitants of Jerusalem would not become too great in relation to Judah.

Habakkuk 3:13 - You go out to save your people , to save your anointed . You throw death on the heads of the wicked; you raise up cords to their necks.

The REST of the SEED [Southern Kingdom] in the trial of the LAST YEARS…

Amos 2:4-5 - This is what the Lord says: “Because of the three transgressions of the Judeans and the four, I will not spare them, because they rejected the law of the Lord and did not keep his decrees; because their follies led them astray, the follies they committed, which their ancestors followed. 5 I will send fire on Judah , and it will consume the foundations of Jerusalem.”

Micah 1:5 - Because of Jacob's wickedness, all this happens, and because of the sin of the house of Israel. What is the wickedness of Jacob? Is it not Samaria? And who is the sin of the house of Judah ? Is it not Jerusalem?

Samaria (Northern Kingdom - OLDER) instigated Jerusalem (Southern Kingdom - YOUNGER) to sin.

Micah 5:2 - Therefore he will give them up until the time of the birth for the woman in labor. She will give birth, and then the rest of her brothers will return to the Israelites.

Rev 12:17 - And the dragon was angry with the woman and went to wage war against the rest of her offspring , who keep the commandments of God[9] and hold to the testimony of Jesus.

→ The Northern Kingdom will remain under trial until the woman in labor is ready to give birth. When she gives birth, the remnant of the brothers , the remnant of the seed, will return to those who have already been perfected. Furthermore, it is important to understand that the "remnant verses" relating to Israel refer to Judah.

Jeremiah 38:7 - For this is what the Lord said to Jacob: Rejoice and neigh over the heads of the nations; shout and praise. Say, “The Lord has saved his people, the remnant of Israel.”

Isaiah 46:3 - Listen to me, O house of Jacob, and all the remnant of Israel , who were carried from the womb and brought up from infancy:

Isaiah 11:11 - And it will come to pass in that day that the Lord will continue to show his hand, to be zealous for the remnant of the people who are left behind from the Assyrians, from Egypt, from Babylon, from Ethiopia, from the Aylamites , from the east, and from Arabia.

→ The last verse reveals who the attackers of the last three and a half years will be: Assyrians, Egyptians, Babylonians, Ethiopians, Aylamites , Arabs – Muslims . Very likely. They will also rise up and rebel against Gog and Magog .

→ THE REMAINING SEED, the SMALL QUANTITY at the END. THE SOUTHERN KINGDOM. Back then, it wasn't the many who remained after the attack of Nebuchadnezzar or Antiochus Epiphanes , but merely a small remnant.

→ Daniel's three friends were the only ones who did not bend their knees before the statue.

2. The birth of the "REST OF THE SEED" – in the depths

Who are the rest of the offspring from Revelation 12:17?

→ The Southern Kingdom in Jerusalem still needs to be examined/purified .

The following verse from Micah 5:3 accurately reflects this sequence from NORTH to SOUTH.

Micah 5:3 Therefore, he will give them [Israel] **over until** the time of childbirth for the woman in labor [until the time of childbirth: literally until the time of childbirth]. **She [Jerusalem] will give birth** , and then **the rest of her brothers** return **to the sons of Israel**

→ [The Kingdom] of Israel as the son (Northern Kingdom) will be exposed to testing **until** the time of the birthing [Jerusalem – Kingdom of Judah – of the daughter – remnant of the seed] has come.

→ When will the time of childbirth come? When the full number of the nations has been reached (Romans 11:25), then the dragon will stand before the gates of Jerusalem (Revelation 12:4). Yes, back then the prophet Jeremiah was rejected by King Zedekiah, so Jerusalem was left to destruction, and in the times to come, the killing of the two prophets will herald one and the same event: the siege, the destruction of the woman Jerusalem.

→ So when [Jerusalem – the daughter] has given birth, then the **rest** of the brothers [Kingdom of Judah] will return to the sons of Israel [Kingdom of Israel/Northern Kingdom] or emulate them.

→ It is important to note that the Holy City will be trampled by the godless heathens for the last 3 ½ years . Indeed, only when the Kingdom of Israel (Northern Kingdom) has entered into spiritual rest will the "latecomers," the remnant , which is the Kingdom of Judah (Southern Kingdom), emerge.

The birth and the incubation …

Isaiah 66:6-8 Loud noise from the city, noise from the temple, noise of the Lord, who takes vengeance on his adversaries! **Even before** the woman in labor gave birth **even before** The torment of labor pains began, but she escaped them and **gave birth to a boy.**

8 Who has ever heard of such a thing, and who has ever seen such a thing? Was the Earth only like that for a single day ? In labor? Was an entire nation born all at once ? For Zion was scarcely in labor when she gave birth to her children!

Off 12.5 – And she gave birth **to a son, a male ⟨ child ⟩ ,** who shall guard all nations with an iron rod; and **their child was taken away.** to God and to his throne.

= At this point, consider the transition or the completion of the mystery. It says here **"EVEN BEFORE"** the toil began, meaning before the Beast stood before the gates, the child was born. The son, the boy, representing the Northern Kingdom and the conclusion of the first 3 ½ years.

Other good parallel verses…

Micah 4:10 - Endure pain and be strong, and come near, Daughter Zion, as one in labor ! For now you will go out of the city and dwell in the field, and you will come as far as Babylon. From there the Lord your God will deliver you and from there he will redeem you from the hand of your enemies.

→ The daughter Sion is the one who gives birth from Revelation 12 with the REMAINING SEED .

A brief reminder:

The woman giving birth (woman/Sion): She represents the southern kingdom, which is in labor.

The Rapture to the Throne: In Revelation 12:5, the child is raptured to God and his throne. This corresponds to the moment the door is closed: The northern kingdom is "complete" (its fullness is reached) and is taken out of the world, while the daughter, Zion, the Lady of Jerusalem, is purified and cleansed. As it says, "Even before" the birth pangs begin, the boy is born.

Luke 21:23-24 - But woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing infants in those days! For there will be great distress on the earth and wrath against that people. 24 They will fall by the edge of the sword and will be led captive into all nations, and Jerusalem will be trampled underfoot by the nations until the times of the Gentiles are fulfilled.

Revelation 13:10 - If anyone goes into captivity, he goes into captivity ; if anyone is killed with the sword, he must be killed with the sword . Here is the endurance and faith of the saints.

The references to the verses from Luke and Revelation point to Micah and Zion. Yes, to the rest of the seed…

Isaiah 54:1 Rejoice , **you barren one** who does not bear children; break forth (in jubilation) and shout aloud, **you who have no labor pains** , for **the children of the forsaken are more numerous. [Northern Kingdom]** as + **of those who have (her) husband [Southern Kingdom]** , for the Lord has said (it)

.

→ **Further confirmation that the INFERTILE (Not-My-People) woman is NOT having contractions, as clearly communicated on the previous slide.**

Gal 4:25-28 - because Hagar is Mount Sinai in Arabia, but corresponds to **present-day Jerusalem ,** because it is in slavery with its children. 26 **But Jerusalem above is free, and she is our mother** . 27 For it is written: “Rejoice, you barren woman who does not bear children; break forth into shouts of joy and cry out with a loud voice, **you who are not in labor!”** For many are the children of the lonely, more than those of the woman who has a husband.” 28 But you, brothers, are like Isaac, children of the promise.

→ The Southern Kingdom therefore needs the greatest tribulation (labor pains) to come to repentance. This makes sense, as it also refers to the "stubborn son" based on the parable of the prodigal son. Yes, the "righteous" son, who appears righteous outwardly but is not yet where he should be inwardly.

→ The Northern Kingdom, on the other hand, does not require the same degree of chastisement as the Southern Kingdom; at least this promise applies to all those who adhere to the Lord Jesus Christ with all their heart.

Micah 4:10 Endure **pain** and be strong; draw near, **Daughter Zion, as one in labor** ! For now you will go out of the city and live in the countryside, and you will come to Babylon. From there the Lord your God will deliver you; from there he will redeem you from the hand of your enemies.

Micah 5:3 Therefore, he will give them [Israel] **over until** the time of childbirth for the woman in labor [until the time of childbirth: literally until the time of childbirth]. **She [Jerusalem] will give birth** , and then **the rest of her brothers** return **to the sons of Israel**

Isaiah 66:6-8 Loud noise from the city, noise from the temple, noise of the Lord, who takes vengeance on his adversaries! **Even before** the woman in labor gave birth **even before** The torment of labor pains began, but she escaped them and **gave birth to a boy.**

8 Who has ever heard of such a thing, and who has ever seen such a thing? Was the Earth only like that for **a single day ?** In labor? Was an entire nation **born all at once** ? **For Zion was scarcely in labor when she gave birth to her children!**

3. The reason/trigger for the attack on earthly Jerusalem…

WHY the beast will turn against the woman (Jerusalem – Whore of Babylon)...

The pattern is often repeated in biblical typology:

1.God's witnesses: Jeremiah warned of physical Babylon; the **two witnesses** warn against the spiritual "Babylon" (or the beast).

2.The rejection: Just as Zedekiah threw Jeremiah into the pit and ignored his word, the two witnesses are rejected by the inhabitants of the earth and ultimately by the **beast from the abyss.** killed.

3.The judgment: Immediately after Jeremiah's rejection, Nebuchadnezzar invaded and destroyed the city. In the Book of Revelation, the death and resurrection of the witnesses are followed by a great earthquake and the judgment of the city.

→ **Mt 22:7** - But the king was angry and sent his troops, killed those murderers and burned their city.

→ The parable describes the condition of the prophet-killers, the southern kingdom. It is to be set ablaze because of its continued disobedience – Jerusalem under siege.

→ The following verse confirms the trigger for the siege → The breaking of the covenant with God.

Daniel 11:30 - And the Romans will come and drive him out and rebuke him , and he will return [and he will be angry] against the covenant of the Holy One ; and he will do it and will return and plot against them – (as punishment) for their abandonment of the covenant of the Holy One.

→ Because prostitution has reached its peak, her lovers will immediately turn against her, because it is the will of God...

Revelation 17:16-17 - And the ten horns that you saw, and the beast, these will hate the prostitute and will make her desolate and naked, and will eat her flesh and burn her up with fire. 17 For God has put it into their hearts to do his purpose and to act in one way, and to give their kingdom to the beast, until the words of God are fulfilled.

In the **LXX,** the severity of the rejection is often emphasized by the more drastic language – the word of God is rejected, which removes the city's shield and clears the way for the "executor" (then Nebuchadnezzar, in the future the beast).

It is also interesting that in Jewish tradition Jeremiah is often seen as a role model for one of the two witnesses (alongside Moses or Elijah), since he also delivered an unpopular judgment and was persecuted by his own leadership.

Summary:

The pattern of “destruction from within”
The biblical typology reveals a recurring law:

If God's people (Jerusalem/the whore) abandon the covenant and ally themselves with worldly powers, this ally will ultimately become the executor of judgment.

- **The rejection of the witnesses:** The fate of Jeremiah and the two witnesses marks the “point of " No return." The persecution of those who keep the word of God removes the spiritual sanctuary.
- **The transformation of “love” into hate:** The Whore of Babylon uses the Beast for her power, but the Beast (the political world power) hates the religious bond. Once the Whore has fulfilled her purpose, she is “torn to pieces and burned” by the Beast (Revelation 17:16).
- **Divine sovereignty:** Paradoxically, it is God himself who puts this plan “into the heart” of the beast (Rev 17:17) in order to punish the city’s unfaithfulness.

The supplement: Antiochus IV Epiphanes (The Antichrist type)

Antiochus IV (175–164 BC) is the historical link that truly brings the quotations from Daniel 11 to life. He shows how the process of seduction and subsequent destruction unfolds:

- **The intrigue with the apostates:** Antiochus did not simply come as a conqueror; he was summoned by apostate Jews (Hellenists) who wanted to abandon the holy covenant in order to be "modern" and like the pagans (1 Maccabees 1). This is "fornication" in the political sense.
- **The turning point (Dan 11:30):** When Antiochus was humiliated by the Romans (ships of Kittim), he unleashed his anger on Jerusalem. He turned against the “holy covenant” and made a pact with those who had abandoned it.
- **The abomination:** He desecrated the temple and forced the city to abandon its identity. This is the archetype of the beast that ultimately destroys the religious whore (Jerusalem) in order to be worshipped as a god itself.
- **From lover to executioner:** At first, Antiochus was the “partner” of the Hellenized elite in Jerusalem, but in the end he plundered and burned the city.

Conclusion: Antiochus Epiphanes proves that the beast does not love the whore, but only uses her until it is strong enough to claim absolute power without religious "accessories".

The Maccabean texts provide further confirmation:

1.Daniel 11:30 This provides the prophetic view (the humiliation by the Romans/ Kittim leads to anger against the covenant).
2.1 Maccabees 1 provides the historical facts (the pact with the apostates and the desecration).
3.2 Maccabees 5 It delivers the cruelty of the “beast” that, out of frustration with its political powerlessness against Rome, becomes the butcher of Jerusalem.

The Siege of Jerusalem - PARALLEL VERSE

→ Especially during the coming siege of Jerusalem, remember the times **of OLD** . Yes, here again is a reminder to you:

Nothing new under the sun.

2 Kings 25:1 - In the ninth year of Sedekiah 's reign , in the tenth month, **Nebuchadnezzar** , king of Babylon, and **all his army marched against Jerusalem and surrounded it and built a wall all around it.**

Parallel?

Luke 21:20-21 But when you **see Jerusalem surrounded by armies** , then know that its **desolation is near !** 21 Then the believers **in Judea should flee to the mountains , and the inhabitants of the capital should emigrate.** and prevent those living in the countryside from moving into the city;

Ezekiel 4: 7-8 - You shall set your face against the **encirclement of Jerusalem** , and you shall strengthen your arm and prophesy against it. **8 And behold, I have put chains on you, and you shall not turn from your side to your side until the days of your encirclement are completed.**

Mt 24:15-21 - When you see the **abomination of desolation spoken** of by the prophet Daniel **standing in the holy place –** let the reader pay attention! – 16 then those in Judea shall flee to the mountains; 17 whoever is on the housetop shall not go down to take anything out of his **house** ; 18 and whoever is in the field shall not return to get his cloak. 19 Woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing infants in those days! 20 Pray that your flight may not be in winter or on the Sabbath day, 21 for then there will be great distress, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until now, no, nor ever will be.

Zechariah 12:2-3 - Behold, I will make Jerusalem like a toppling portico for all the surrounding nations. And in Judea there will **be a siege against Jerusalem** . And it will come to pass on that day that I will make Jerusalem a crushed stone for all nations. Everyone who treads upon it will vehemently mock it. And all the nations of the earth will be gathered against it.

4. The Day of the Lord – The End

The introduction from the Lord's Day...

→ After the last 3 ½ years of testing, when the time of the (stubborn) nations will be fulfilled, the end of the tribulation period (7 years) will be initiated immediately.

Yes, now comes the **DAY OF THE LORD.** and it announces itself as follows...

Luke 21:24-25 - » And **they will fall by the edge of the sword and be led away captive.** among all nations; and Jerusalem will be trampled underfoot by the nations **until the times of the nations are fulfilled.**

Then Signs will appear in the sun, moon, and stars, and on earth there will be despair among the nations in perplexed fear at the roaring of the sea and its surge , 26 as people give up their spirits in fear and in anxious anticipation of the things that will come upon the world; for (even) the powers of heaven will be shaken (Isaiah 34:4).

→ *After the 7 years have passed, the Day of the Lord is heralded by heavenly events.*

→ *The following are further important parallels to the Lord's Day.*

Cosmic events...

Joe 2.2 A day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and mist . Like dawn, a multitude and mighty army will pour out over the mountains; its like has not existed from eternity, nor will any be added after it for years to come, even forever.

Joe 2.9-10 They will attack the city, run on its walls, climb its houses, and enter through its windows like thieves. 10 The earth will be shaken in their presence, the heavens will be shaken, the sun and moon will be darkened , and the stars will not give their light.

Joe 2,31-32 The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord . 32 [5] And it will be that everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved; for on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem they will be saved, as the Lord has said: And those whom the Lord has called will receive glad tidings.

Zeph 1:15 - That day will be a day of wrath, a day of distress and hardship, a day of gloom and destruction, a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and fog,

2 Peter 3:10 But the day of the Lord will come like a thief ; in it the heavens will pass away with a great noise, the elements will be destroyed by fire, and the earth and the works done on it will be found in judgment .

More verses follow on the next page...

The return of the king with all his saints

Mark 13:24-28 - But in **those days** , **after that tribulation** , **The sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light** ; 25 the stars of heaven will fall, and the powers of heaven will be shaken. 26 And then the Son of Man will be seen coming in the clouds with power and great glory.

On 5.20 Is not the **day of the Lord** **darkness without light, and gloom without lamps?**

Amos 8:9 - And on **that day** it will happen, says the Lord: " **The sun will set at noon, and the light will be dark on the earth in the daylight."**

Yes , as already mentioned, the Lord Jesus will come with all his saints on the **Day of the Lord** after the seven years have elapsed ! This day will be dark. The ALL DAY? Not quite...

Zechariah 14:6-7 - On that day **there will be neither light nor cold nor frost. 7 + It will be like this for one day .** And that day is known to the Lord. There will be neither day nor night, and **at evening there will be light.**

→ The **DARKNESS** It will become **LIGHT** when the Lord JESUS comes with his saints.

→ The following (secular) video clip from the film "Lord of the Rings" depicts the Lord's Day very well in my opinion.

→ First the siege/oppression of the remnant of the Israelites, and then the return of the Lord Jesus Christ for salvation. The godless Gentiles are depicted (as orcs – the living dead, without the Holy Spirit).



A YouTube comment under the video above sums it up very well:

"This scene is the culmination of all 'good versus evil' concepts in the entire history of film, and that's why it's so powerful; the symbolism of the light extinguishing the darkness as they descend from the mountain is simply incredible."

The WRATH against the GODLESS HERITAGE...

1 Peter 4:17-18 - For the time has come for judgment to **begin with the house of God.** But if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God? And if the righteous are saved with difficulty, **where will the wicked and sinner appear?**

→ **The judgment begins at the house of God (7-year tribulation)**

→ Shortly before the end of the 7-year period, the end is initiated with the 7 bowls of wrath for all those who refused to obey the Gospel.

Zephaniah 2:1-3 Assemble yourselves and unite , you unteachable people, 2 before you become like a flower that fades, before **the wrath of the Lord comes upon you, before the day of the Lord's anger** comes upon you. 3 Seek the Lord, all you humble of the earth! Do what is just and seek righteousness; answer for it, **that you may be protected on the day of the Lord's anger.**

Isaiah 34:2 - For the **wrath of the Lord will come upon all nations, and his anger upon their number, to destroy them** and deliver them over to slaughter.

Zephaniah 2: 8 " Therefore wait for me," says the Lord, "until the day I rise to testify; for **my judgment will be against the assemblies of the nations, to receive the kings and pour out on them all the wrath of my fury; for in the fire of my jealousy the whole earth will be consumed."**

Sirach 16:6 - **Against the band of the godless the fire flared up** , and against a disobedient people the wrath of God (g) was kindled;

What are the anger bowls intended for?

For all those who did not embrace the love of truth and instead chose the mark of the beast for their destruction.

The **wrath bowls are** only used when the **full number** of saints (northern and southern kingdoms) has been reached. Yes, first the wheat is brought into the barn, and then the weeds are burned in the fire .

Matthew 13:30 - Let both grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will say to the reapers: **First gather the weeds and tie them in bundles to be burned** ; **but gather the wheat into my barn.**

Yes, a beautiful picture emerges once again. Only when Noah was safe in the ark was the world flooded. Only when Lot was evacuated from the city of Sodom did the city perish. At the end of these days, when all the saints are present, the bowls of wrath will be poured out upon this world.

Armageddon – The saints against the unholy...

Revelation 16:15 "Look, I come like a thief! Blessed is the one who stays awake and keeps his clothes on, so that he does not go about naked and be shamefully exposed!" 16 And he **gathered them together at the place , which in Hebrew is called Armageddon[5] .** 17 And the seventh poured out his bowl into the air; and a loud voice came from the temple, from the throne, saying, "It is done!"

→ *The seventh Bowl of Wrath initiates the final battle. Who will fight at Armageddon? On one side, the ten kings with the Beast...*

Revelation 17:12-14 - And **the ten horns** you saw are **ten kings ,** who have not yet received a kingdom[5] but have received authority[7] like kings for one hour[6] with the **beast . 13 These have a purpose and give their power and authority[8] to the beast. 14 These will make war against the Lamb** , and the Lamb will overcome them, for he is Lord of lords and King of kings; **and those who are with him are called , chosen, and faithful.**

→ *And on the other side, the Lord Jesus with his saints...*

Revelation 19:13 - and he was clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and his name is called The Word of God. 14 **And the armies that are in heaven followed** him on white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and pure.

Lord Jesus Christ with all his saints against the godless

Joel 3:11-13 - "Gather yourselves and march in, **all you surrounding nations, and assemble there** ; let the gentle one be a warrior! 12 Let all the nations be roused and go up into the Valley of Jehoshaphat , for there I will sit to judge all the surrounding nations."

Revelation 19:19-21 - **And I saw the beast and the kings of the earth and their armies gathered together** to wage war **against the one who sat on the horse and his army .** 20 And the beast was captured, and so was the false prophet who was with it and performed the signs in its presence, by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast and worshiped its image. The two of them were thrown alive into the lake of fire that burns with sulfur. 21 **And the rest were killed with the sword that came out of the mouth of him** who sat on the horse, and all the birds were filled with their flesh.

Psalm 2:2 - The kings of the earth have taken up positions, and the rulers have **gathered together in one place against the Lord and against his anointed one.**

Psalm 149 , 6-9 The exaltations of God will be in their throats and double-edged swords **in their hands** , 7 to execute vengeance on the nations, judgments on the peoples, 8 **to bind their kings with chains and their dignitaries with iron shackles, 9 to execute on them the written judgment; glory for all his faithful ones.**

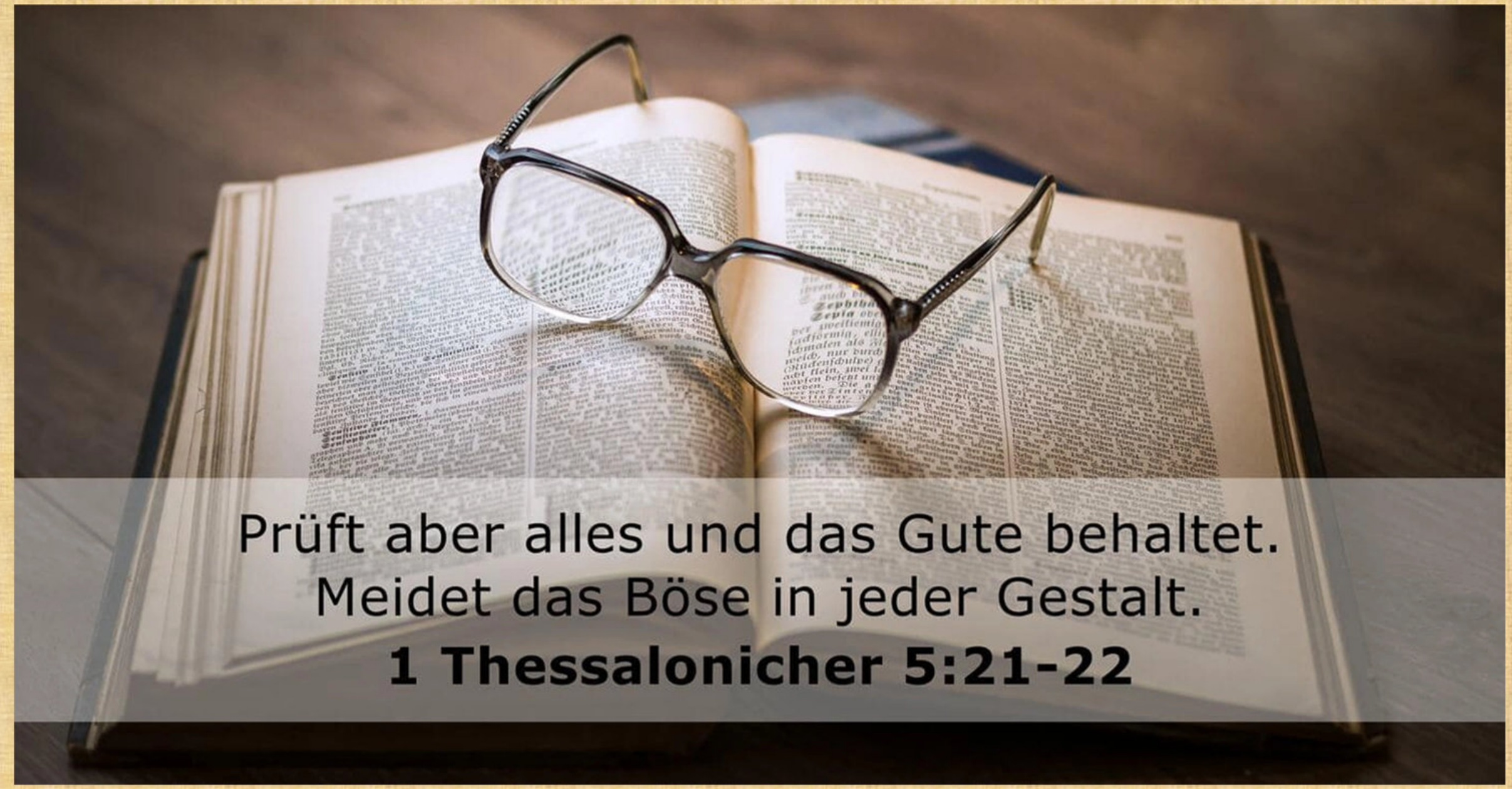
2 Thessalonians 2:8 - and then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will destroy **with the breath of his mouth and will destroy by the appearance of his coming ;**

Dan 11:45 - And he will **pitch his royal tents** [44] between the sea [45] and the mountain of the sacred ornament [46]. **Then he will come to his end, and no one will help him.**

Armageddon is the assembly point that seals the end and destruction of godlessness and ushers in the 1000-year reign of peace. The seventh bowl of wrath represents the finale of the old world...

Ovid 1:18 - **The house of Jacob will** be fire, **the house of Joseph a flame** . The house **of Esau will be straw** . They will be inflamed against them and consume them. There will be no torchbearer in the house of Esau, for the Lord has spoken.

2 Esdras 6:9 - For Esau is the end of this age , and Jacob the beginning of the next.


Prüft aber alles und das Gute behaltet.
Meidet das Böse in jeder Gestalt.
1 Thessalonicher 5:21-22