

The Revelation of
Yeshua (Jesus) The Messiah To Yochanan (John)

Study Notes

Introduction PT. 2

Note from previous class:

- You can give a two-year-old steak; you just have to cut it up. Don't back up from the Word because of the age of the recipient.

Revelation 1:1-3- “¹ The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave Him to show to His **bond-servants**, the things which must soon take place; and He sent and communicated it by His angel to His **bond-servant** John, ² who testified to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw. ³ Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of the prophecy, and heed the things which are written in it; for the time is near.”

Facts About John: Title-Law of 1st Reference

Revelation 1:1-(NASB)-Bond-Servant- (READ-Biblical Times-Duet. 15:12-17)

- They have already been faithfully serving their Master for 6 years.
- They have a relationship with the Master.
- After 7 Years set them free.
- The Master is commanded to send them away with part of the blessing that the Lord has already given to them.
- Commanded to not forget to remember when you were a slave in Egypt and the Lord redeemed them and sent them out of that land with the spoils of that land. **(Exo. 12:35-36 fulfilled the promise to Abraham Gen. 15:13)**
- If the servant chooses to stay with the Master because of the love for the Master then you have the mark the servant.
- The servant is marked with an awl through his ear into the door.
- The servant male and female are permanently dedicated to the Master.

Ancient Awls -vs- Modern



John 10:9-10 (AMP)- “⁹ **I am the Door**; anyone who enters in through Me will be saved (will live). He will come in and he will go out [freely], and will find pasture.
¹⁰ The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance (to the full, till it overflows).”

- **Yeshua IS the door for John!**

- **He HAS to keep His promises** (Numbers 19:23).
- **“My sheep hear My voice...”** (John 10:27). Don’t forget to remember. Keep your ear pierced to the door.

A Message To All The Seven Churches Before Their Specific Message

Rev. 1:4-5-(CJB)- “⁴ From: Yochanan To: The seven Messianic communities in the province of Asia: Grace and *shalom* to you from the One who is, who was and who is coming; from the sevenfold Spirit before his throne; ⁵ and from Yeshua the Messiah, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead and the ruler of the earth’s kings. To him, the one who loves us, who has freed us from our sins at the cost of his blood,”

This Prophecy Had Three Sources:

From the only God that continuously existed before the beginning of all things...Eternal God -**YHWH**. (**John 1:1**)

Spirit-Greek)-*pnuema*-a current of air, i.e. breath (blast) or a breeze; by analogy or figuratively, a spirit, i.e. (human) the rational soul, (by implication) vital principle, mental disposition, etc., or (superhuman) an angel, demon, or (divine) God, **Christ's spirit, the Holy Spirit**: —ghost, life, spirit (-ual, -ually), mind.

Seven- (Biblical numerology)-completion or perfection.

Understanding: these aren’t seven distinct Spirits, but one Holy Spirit in His seven-fold activity. The Messiah will possess an anointing in its fullness and perfection of the seven-fold Spirit of God.

Reference:

The Seven Spirits Before The Throne- (**Isaiah 11:1-2**)

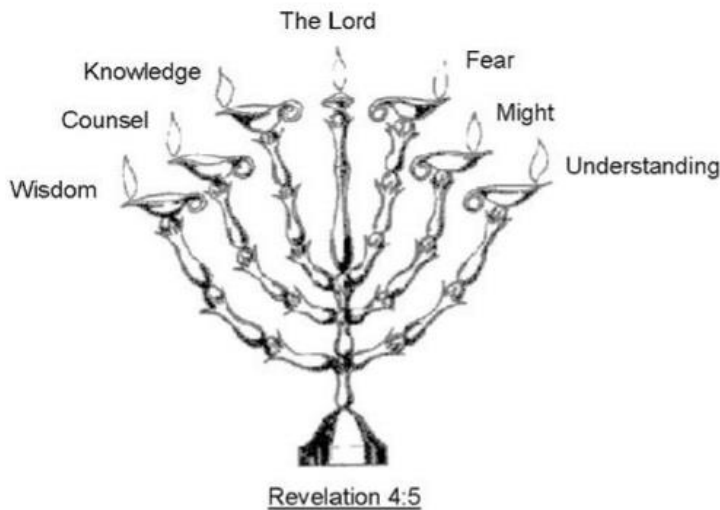
¹Then a Shoot (the Messiah) will spring from the stock of Jesse [David’s father],
And a Branch from his roots will bear fruit.

²And the Spirit of the LORD (YAHWEH-THE HEBREW GOD) will rest on Him—
The Spirit of wisdom and understanding,
The Spirit of counsel and strength,
The Spirit of knowledge and of the [reverential and obedient] fear of the LORD—

The Original Menorah: Seven Branches

- Used in the Tabernacle Of Moses.
- The Menorah was made from pure gold.
- Lit with fresh, pure, kosher (meeting requirements of Jewish Law) olive oil.

Isaiah 11:2



Matthew 5:14-16- “¹⁴ You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden.¹⁵ Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a peck measure, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house.¹⁶ Let your light so shine before men that they may see your moral excellence and your praiseworthy, noble, and good deeds and recognize and honor and praise and glorify your Father Who is in heaven.”

- The menorah was to remind the children of Israel that they are a light to the nations all around them. When it is given light in the tabernacle, it reminds them of this. Yeshua reiterates this in the New Testament to those that are grafted in that they, too must be these lights to the world out compromise.

Note: The Messiah will be empowered by the perfect and complete manifold work of the Holy Spirit.

Revelation 1:6-(CJB)- “⁶ who has caused us to be a kingdom, that is, *cohanim* for God, his Father — to him be the glory and the rulership forever and ever. *Amen.*”

Cohanim-(Plueral))-(Hebrew)-Chohen-(Singular)-Jewish priesthood-
 Descendants of Zadok founder of the priest hood in Jerusalem. Zadok was a High Priest and a descendant of Aaron.

- He is telling us that WE are now the priests of the temple – US. We are both priests AND kings.

Revelation 1:7-8-(NASB)- “Behold, he cometh with the clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they that pierced him; and all the tribes of the earth shall mourn over him. Even so, Amen. ⁸I am the Alpha and the Omega, saith the Lord God, who is and who was and ⁱⁱwho is to come, the Almighty.”

- This is Father God, making it clear **who** this message is coming from.

Repeated Assurance:

Rev. 1:9- “I, John, your brother and companion in the tribulation and kingdom and patient endurance *which are* in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos, [exiled there] because of [my preaching of] the word of God [regarding eternal salvation] and the testimony of Jesus *Christ*.”

Was-(Greek)-*ginomai*- Something that takes you off guard.

A better translation:

“I find myself being on the Isle due to circumstances that I could not have predicted.”

- John is totally taken by surprise, finding himself on the Isle of Patmos.

Note: The battle is over the Word of God. Keep your witness and remain faithful, for you **will** have trouble. **But, BE ENCOURAGED!**

John 16:33 (NASB)- “These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.”

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