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GALATIANS

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A Study Through The Book Of GALATIANS

Revelation 2:9

I know thy works, and tribulation, and poverty, (but thou art rich) and I know the blasphemy of them which **say they are Jews, and are not, but are the synagogue of Satan.**

5 He therefore that ministereth to you the Spirit, and worketh miracles among you, doeth he it by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith?

6 Even as Abraham believed Yahweh, and it was accounted to him for righteousness.

7 Know ye therefore that they which are of faith, the same are the children of Abraham.

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Abraham began in the spirit by faith, he did not follow his flesh but he followed the words of Yahweh, it was not Ishmael of the flesh but Isaac by the spirit and promise, it was not Esau, who desire was of the flesh but Jacob by the spirit who reached the place of promise.

Spirit to Spirit to Spirit

2 Corinthians 3:1-18

1 Do we begin again to commend ourselves? or need we, as some others, epistles of commendation to you, or letters of commendation from you?

2 Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men:

3 Forasmuch as ye are manifestly declared to be the epistle of Messiah ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living Elohim; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.

4 And such trust have we
through Messiah to Elohim:
5 Not that we are sufficient of
ourselves to think any thing as
of ourselves; but our
sufficiency is of Elohim;
6 Who also hath made us able
ministers of the new
testament; not of the letter,
but of the spirit: for the letter
killeth, but the spirit giveth life.

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7 But if the ministration of death,
written and engraven in stones, was
glorious, so that the children of
Israel could not stedfastly behold
the face of Moses for the glory of
his countenance; which glory was to
be done away:

8 How shall not the ministration of
the spirit be rather glorious?

9 For if the ministration of
condemnation be glory, much more
doth the ministration of
righteousness exceed in glory.

10 For even that which was made glorious had no glory in this respect, by reason of the glory that excelleth.

11 For if that which is done away was glorious, much more that which remaineth is glorious.

12 Seeing then that we have such hope, we use great plainness of speech:

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13 And not as Moses, which put a vail over his face, that the children of Israel could not stedfastly look to the end of that which is abolished:

14 But their minds were blinded: for until this day remaineth the same vail untaken away in the reading of the old testament; which vail is done away in Messiah.

15 But even unto this day, when Moses is read, the vail is upon their heart.

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16 Nevertheless when it shall turn to Yahweh, the vail shall be taken away.

17 Now Yahweh is that Spirit: and where the Spirit of Yahweh is, there is liberty.

18 But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of Yahweh, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of Yahweh.

8 And the scripture,
foreseeing that Elohim
would justify the heathen
through faith, preached
before the good news unto
Abraham, saying, In thee
shall all nations be blessed.

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9 So then they which be of
faith are blessed with
faithful Abraham.

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10 For as many as are of the
works of the law are under
the curse: for it is written,
Cursed is every one that
continueth not in all things
which are written in the
book of the law to do them.

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Deuteronomy 27:26

Cursed be he that
confirmeth not all the
words of this law to do
them. And all the people
shall say, Amen.

Natural Amphitheater at Shechem

Scientists have tested this natural amphitheater many times and it works

Mt. Gerizim
Blessings

Town of Shechem
(Modern Nablus)

1 mile
1.6 km

Mt. Ebal
Curses

Joshua's
Altar 2 km

Ceremony in Shechem

Deuteronomy 11:22-30; 27:1-13; Joshua 8:30-35

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Galatians 5:1-4

1 Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Messiah hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.

2 Behold, I Paul say unto you, that if ye be circumcised, Messiah shall profit you nothing.

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3 For I testify again to every man that is circumcised, that he is a debtor to do the whole law.

4 **Messiah is become of no effect unto you, whosoever of you are justified by the law; ye are fallen from grace.**

11 But that no man is
justified by the law in the
sight of Elohim, it is evident:
for, **The just shall live by
faith.**

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Habakkuk 2:4

Behold, his soul which is
lifted up is not upright in
him: but **the just shall
live by his faith.**

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Talmud - Makkoth 24a

THEREFORE GAVE HE
THEM TORAH (TEACHINGS)
AND MANY
COMMANDMENTS.

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R. Simlai when preaching said:
Six hundred and thirteen
precepts were communicated
to Moses, three hundred and
sixty-five negative precepts,
corresponding to the number
of solar days [in the year], and
two hundred and forty-eight
positive precepts,
corresponding to the number
of the members of man's body.

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David came and reduced them
to eleven [principles], as it is
written, A Psalm of David.
Lord, who shall sojourn in Thy
tabernacle?(Psalms 15)

Psalms 15

1 Yahweh, who shall abide in thy
tabernacle? who shall dwell in
thy holy hill?

2 ¹He that walketh uprightly, and
²worketh righteousness, and
³speaketh the truth in his heart.

3 ⁴He that backbiteth not with
his tongue, ⁵nor doeth evil to his
neighbour, ⁶nor taketh up a
reproach against his neighbour.

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4 **7**In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but **8**he honoureth them that fear Yahweh. **9**He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not.

5 **10**He that putteth not out his money to usury, **11**nor taketh reward against the innocent. **He that doeth these things shall never be moved.**

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Isaiah came and reduced them
to six [principles], as it is
written, (Isaiah 33:15-16)

Isaiah 33:15-16

15 **1**He that walketh righteously,
and **2**speaketh uprightly; **3**he that
despiseth the gain of oppressions,
4that shaketh his hands from
holding of bribes, **5**that stoppeth
his ears from hearing of blood, and
6shutteth his eyes from seeing evil;
16 **He shall dwell on high: his place
of defence shall be the munitions
of rocks: bread shall be given him;
his waters shall be sure.**

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Micah came and reduced them
to three [principles], as it is
written, It hath been told thee,
O man, what is good, and what
the Lord doth require of thee:
(Micah 6:8)

Micah 6:8

He hath shewed thee, O
man, what is good; **and**
what doth Yahweh
require of thee, ¹but to
do justly, and ²to love
mercy, and ³to walk
humbly with thy Elohim?

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Again came Isaiah and reduced
them to two [principles](Isaiah
56:1)

Isaiah 56:1

Thus saith Yahweh, **1**Keep
ye judgment, and **2**do
justice: **for my salvation
is near to come, and my
righteousness to be
revealed.**

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Amos came and reduced them
to one [principle], (Amos 5:4)

Amos 5:4

For thus saith Yahweh
unto the house of Israel,
1Seek ye me, and **ye shall**
live:

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To this R. Nahman b. Isaac
demurred, saying: [Might it not
be taken as,] Seek Me by
observing the whole Torah and
live?

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But it is Habakkuk who came
and based them all on one
[principle](Habakuk 2:4)

Habakkuk 2:4

Behold, his soul which is
lifted up is not upright in
him: but **the just shall
live by his faith.**

12 And the law is not of
faith: but, The man that
does them shall live in
them.

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Leviticus 18:1-5

1 And Yahweh spake unto Moses,
saying,

2 Speak unto the children of
Israel, and say unto them, I am
Yahweh your Elohim.

3 After the doings of the land of
Egypt, wherein ye dwelt, shall ye
not do: and after the doings of
the land of Canaan, whither I
bring you, shall ye not do: neither
shall ye walk in their ordinances.

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4 Ye shall do my
judgments, and keep mine
ordinances, to walk therein:
I am Yahweh your Elohim.

5 Ye shall therefore keep
my statutes, and my
judgments: **which if a man
does, he shall live in them:**
I am Yahweh.

Nehemiah 9:29

And testifiedst against them,
that thou mightest bring them
again unto thy law: yet they
dealt proudly, and hearkened not
unto thy commandments, but
sinned against thy judgments,
(which if a man does, he shall
live in them;) and withdrew the
shoulder, and hardened their
neck, and would not hear.

Galatians 6:7

Be not deceived; Elohim
is not mocked: **for
whatsoever a man
soweth, that shall he also
reap.**

Ezekiel 20:1-13

1 And it came to pass in the seventh year, in the fifth month, the tenth day of the month, that certain of the elders of Israel came to enquire of Yahweh, and sat before me.

2 Then came the word of Yahweh unto me, saying,

3 Son of man, speak unto the elders of Israel, and say unto them, Thus saith my Sovereign Yahweh; Are ye come to enquire of me? As I live, saith my Sovereign Yahweh, I will not be enquired of by you.

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4 Wilt thou judge them, son of man,
wilt thou judge them? cause them
to know the abominations of their
fathers:

5 And say unto them, Thus saith my
Sovereign Yahweh; In the day when
I chose Israel, and lifted up mine
hand unto the seed of the house of
Jacob, and made myself known
unto them in the land of Egypt,
when I lifted up mine hand unto
them, saying, I am Yahweh your
Elohim;

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6 In the day that I lifted up mine hand unto them, to bring them forth of the land of Egypt into a land that I had espied for them, flowing with milk and honey, which is the glory of all lands:
7 Then said I unto them, Cast ye away every man the abominations of his eyes, and defile not yourselves with the idols of Egypt: I am Yahweh your Elohim.

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8 But they rebelled against me, and would not hearken unto me: they did not every man cast away the abominations of their eyes, neither did they forsake the idols of Egypt: then I said, I will pour out my fury upon them, to accomplish my anger against them in the midst of the land of Egypt.

9 But I wrought for my name's sake, that it should not be polluted before the heathen, among whom they were, in whose sight I made myself known unto them, in bringing them forth out of the land of Egypt.

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10 Wherefore I caused them to go forth out of the land of Egypt, and brought them into the wilderness.

11 And I gave them my statutes, and shewed them my judgments, **which if a man does, he shall even live in them.**

12 Moreover also I gave them my sabbaths, to be a sign between me and them, that they might know that I am Yahweh that sanctify them.

13 But the house of Israel rebelled against me in the wilderness: they walked not in my statutes, and they despised my judgments, **which if a man does, he shall even live in them;** and my sabbaths they greatly polluted: then I said, I would pour out my fury upon them in the wilderness, to consume them.

10 For as many as are of the
works of the law are under
the curse: for it is written,
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13 Messiah hath redeemed
us from the curse of the
law, being made a curse for
us: for it is written, Cursed
is every one that hangeth
on a tree:

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Deuteronomy 21:22-23

22 And if a man have committed a sin worthy of death, and he be to be put to death, and thou hang him on a tree:

23 His body shall not remain all night upon the tree, but thou shalt in any wise bury him that day; (for he that is hanged is accursed of Elohim;) that thy land be not defiled, which Yahweh thy Elohim giveth thee for an inheritance.

14 That the blessing of
Abraham might come on the
Gentiles **through Yahshua
Messiah**; that we might
receive the promise of the
Spirit through **faith**.

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Colossians 2:1-14

1 For I would that ye knew what great conflict I have for you, and for them at Laodicea, and for as many as have not seen my face in the flesh;

2 That their hearts might be comforted, being knit together in love, and unto all riches of the full assurance of understanding, to the acknowledgement of the mystery of Yahweh, and of the Father, and of Messiah;

3 In whom are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

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4 And this I say, lest any man should beguile you with enticing words.

5 For though I be absent in the flesh, yet am I with you in the spirit, joying and beholding your order, and the steadfastness of your faith in Messiah.

6 As ye have therefore received Messiah Yahshua the Master, so walk ye in him:

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7 Rooted and built up in him,
and stablished in the faith, as ye
have been taught, abounding
therein with thanksgiving.

8 Beware lest any man spoil you
through philosophy and vain
deceit, after the tradition of
men, after the rudiments of the
world, and not after Messiah.

9 For in him dwelleth all the
fulness of the Majesty in person
bodily.

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10 And ye are complete in him,
which is the head of all principality
and power:

11 In whom also ye are circumcised
with the circumcision made without
hands, in putting off the body of the
sins of the flesh by the circumcision
of Messiah:

12 Buried with him in baptism,
wherein also ye are risen with him
through the faith of the operation of
Yahweh, who hath raised him from
the dead.

13 And you, being dead in
your sins and the
uncircumcision of your flesh,
hath he quickened together
with him, having forgiven you
all trespasses;

14 Blotting out the handwriting
of ordinances that was against
us, which was contrary to us,
and took it out of the way,
nailing it to his stake;

Exodus 4:18-26

18 And Moses went and returned to Jethro his father in law, and said unto him, Let me go, I pray thee, and return unto my brethren which are in Egypt, and see whether they be yet alive. And

Jethro said to Moses, Go in peace.

19 And Yahweh said unto Moses in Midian, Go, return into Egypt: for all the men are dead which sought thy life.

20 And Moses took his wife and his sons, and set them upon a donkey, and he returned to the land of Egypt: and Moses took the rod of Elohim in his hand.

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21 And Yahweh said unto Moses,
When thou goest to return into Egypt,
see that thou do all those wonders
before Pharaoh, which I have put in
thine hand: but I will harden his heart,
that he shall not let the people go.

22 And thou shalt say unto Pharaoh,
Thus saith Yahweh, Israel is my son,
even my firstborn:

23 And I say unto thee, Let my son
go, that he may serve me: and if thou
refuse to let him go, behold, I will slay
thy son, even thy firstborn.

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24 And it came to pass by the way in the inn, that Yahweh met him, and sought to kill him.
25 Then Zipporah took a sharp stone, and cut off the foreskin of her son, and cast it at his feet, and said, Surely a bloody husband art thou to me.
26 So he let him go: then she said, A bloody husband thou art, because of the circumcision.