

SIN- BASIC BIBLE DEFINITION

INTRODUCTION

SATAN HAS CREATED MANY DECEPTIONS AGAINST THE DOCTRINE OF CHRIST WHICH SHOULD ORIGINATE FROM THE BIBLE.

ONE OF SATAN'S GREATEST DECEPTION IS IN THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN - WHERE SINFUL MAN DEFINES SIN FROM THE WISDOM OF THIS WORLD APART FROM GOD'S WORD – THE BIBLE.

MANY FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST CANNOT PROVE FROM THEIR OWN BIBLE ALONE THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN. THEY MAY HAVE AN INTELLECTUAL OR WORLDLY DEFINITION OF SIN; BUT NOT A PROVEN BASIC BIBLICAL DEFINITION FROM THE BIBLE USING SCRIPTURES ALONE TO FORM THEIR CONCLUSION.

SATAN'S STRATEGY IS TO DECEIVE SINFUL MAN INTO DEFINING SIN APART FROM GOD AND HIS WORD AND TO BELIEVE IN A DEFINITION WITHIN OURSELVES AND IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD.

OUR ETERNAL LIFE DEPENDS ON THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN WE UPHOLD.

BUT WE MUST FIRST BELIEVE THAT THE BIBLE IS THE ONLY AUTHORITY TO DEFINE SIN IN ORDER TO HAVE THE TRUE BASIC BIBLE DEFINITION OF SIN.

GOD HATES SIN AND ALL SIN WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.
GOD DOES NOT TAKE SIN LIGHTLY AND NEITHER SHOULD WE.

SIN COSTS THE ETERNAL KINGDOM OF HEAVEN - AN ETERNAL SPIRIT BEING IN GOD THE WORD – CREATOR OF ALL THINGS INCLUDING MAN - WHO CAME IN SINFUL FLESH AS JESUS CHRIST TO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD AND WHO DIED A HORRIBLE DEATH TO REDEEM MAN FROM THE ETERNAL PENALTY OF SIN – WHICH IS ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE – WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.

THEREFORE, WE MUST BE CONSCIOUS OF THE FOLLOWING:

- GOD HATES SIN!
- MAN'S SIN HAS COST THE ETERNAL KINGDOM OF HEAVEN THE PHYSICAL DEATH OF AN ETERNAL SPIRIT BEING IN GOD THE WORD COMING AS JESUS CHRIST IN THE FLESH TO REDEEM US FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH – WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.
- WE TO MUST **HATE SIN** IN OUR LIVES AND ASK GOD THE FATHER TO REMOVE ALL SIN IN OUR LIVES IN JESUS NAME.

KEY QUESTIONS THAT MUST BE ANSWERED:

- ❖ WHO **ALONE** HAS THE AUTHORITY TO DEFINE SIN?
- ❖ WHERE **ALONE** DO WE NEED TO LOOK FOR THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?
- ❖ WHERE DID SIN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE ORIGINATE IN THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN?
- ❖ HOW WAS ADAM CREATED IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD?
- ❖ HOW DID SIN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH ENTER INTO THE WORLD?
- ❖ WHY DID JESUS CHRIST COME INTO THE WORLD IN SINFUL FLESH?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE BIBLE'S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?
- ❖ WHAT DID THE APOSTLE PAUL STATE ABOUT THIS LAW OF GOD THAT DEFINES THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?
- ❖ WHICH LAW DID JESUS CHRIST DECLARE WE MUST KEEP IN ORDER TO ENTER INTO ETERNAL LIFE?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE DECEPTION IN HOW ONE MUST KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD?
- ❖ HOW DO WE COME FROM UNDER THE PENALTY OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE PROCESS WE MUST UNDERGO TO COME FROM UNDER THE ETERNAL PENALTY OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD TO THE GRACE OF GOD FOR OUR PAST SINS?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE EVIDENCE THAT WE ARE BORN AGAIN OR BORN OF GOD?

- ❖ HOW DO WE COME FROM BEING A SINNER UNDER THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH TO A SAINT OF GOD UNDER THE GRACE OF GOD IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?
- ❖ HOW DO WE IDENTIFY TRUE SAINTS OF GOD IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?
- ❖ WHAT IF A SAINT SIN AFTER BEING BORN AGAIN OR BORN OF GOD?
- ❖ WHAT ARE THE SPIRITUAL BENEFITS OF BECOMING A TRUE SAINT OF GOD WHO KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD AND HAVE THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST?
- ❖ WILL THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD BE PERSECUTED IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?
- ❖ DID THE APOSTLES TEACH THAT THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE CONSEQUENCE OF HAVING THE WRONG DEFINITION OF SIN APART FROM THE BIBLE?
- ❖ WHAT IS THE SPIRITUAL DECEPTION CALLED THE MYSTERY OF INIQUITY?

❖ WHO ALONE HAS THE AUTHORITY TO DEFINE SIN?

MANY MAY SPEND TIME DEBATING WHICH VERSION OF THE BIBLE IS THE TRUE VERSION TO ADHERE TOO; BECAUSE OF **GRAMMATICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL** ERRORS.

BUT GRAMMATICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL ERRORS DO NOT EQUATE TO SPIRITUAL ERRORS. WE HAVE TO, **BY THE HELP OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**, TAKE ALL THE SCRIPTURES ON A SUBJECT INTO CONSIDERATION BEFORE WE CAN COME TO A CONCLUSION.

GOD ALONE HAS **THE AUTHORITY TO DEFINE SIN** BY HIS WORD IN THE BIBLE. GOD'S WORD AND WISDOM IN THE BIBLE IS ABOVE EVERY OTHER WORD OR LANGUAGE IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD. WE PERISH FOR LACK OF TRUE SPIRITUAL KNOWLEDGE FROM THE WORD OF GOD – THE BIBLE.

DIVINE KNOWLEDGE IS ONLY REVEALED FROM GOD AND HIS WORD. THERE IS NO DIVINE TRUTH OUTSIDE THE WORD OF GOD.

IT IS THEREFORE IMPERATIVE THAT **WE DEFINE SIN ONLY FROM THE BIBLE ALONE.**

❖ WHERE ALONE DO WE NEED TO LOOK FOR THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?

THE SCRIPTURES THAT SUPPORT THE BIBLE AS THE ONLY AUTHORITY WHICH CAN DEFINE SIN IS:

Psa 119:11(KJV) 11 THY WORD HAVE I HID IN MINE HEART, THAT I MIGHT NOT SIN AGAINST THEE.

THE WAY THAT SEEMS RIGHT TO SINFUL MAN APART FROM GOD AND HIS WORD ENDS IN ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.

Prov 14:12 (KJV) 12 There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, BUT THE END THEREOF ARE THE WAYS OF DEATH.

Prov 16:25 (KJV) 25 There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, BUT THE END THEREOF ARE THE WAYS OF DEATH.

THERE IS A CONSEQUENCE FOR NOT SEARCHING OUT THE BIBLE ALONE AS THE ONLY AUTHORITY AND SOURCE OF TRUE SPIRITUAL KNOWLEDGE.

Hosea 4:6 (KJV) 6 MY PEOPLE ARE DESTROYED FOR LACK OF KNOWLEDGE: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: **SEEING THOU HAST FORGOTTEN THE LAW OF THY GOD,** I will also forget thy children.

John 17:17 (KJV) 17 Sanctify them through thy truth: THY WORD IS TRUTH.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR GOD TO LIE; THEREFORE WE CAN WHOLEHEARTEDLY TRUST IN THE BIBLE.

Num 23:19 (KJV) 19 GOD IS NOT A MAN, THAT HE SHOULD LIE; neither the son of man, that he should repent: hath he said, and shall he not do it? or hath he spoken, and shall he not make it good?

Rom 3:4 (KJV) 4 God forbid: yea, LET GOD BE TRUE, BUT EVERY MAN A LIAR; as it is written, That thou mightest be justified in thy sayings, and mightest overcome when thou art judged.

Titus 1:2 (KJV) 2 In hope of eternal life, WHICH GOD, THAT CANNOT LIE, promised before the world began;

Heb 6:18 (KJV) 18 That by two immutable things, IN WHICH IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE FOR GOD TO LIE, we might have a strong consolation, who have fled for refuge to lay hold upon the hope set before us:

SCRIPTURES CONCLUDE THAT MAN CAN LIE; BUT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE WORD OF GOD IN THE BIBLE TO LIE; THEREFORE WE CAN DEPEND ON THE BIBLE FOR THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN.

❖ WHERE DID SIN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE ORIGINATE IN THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN?

SIN DID NOT ORIGINATE FROM ANY OF THE ETERNAL SPIRIT BEINGS OF THE GODHEAD:

- GOD THE FATHER
- GOD THE SON – JESUS CHRIST WHO IS THE WORD
- GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT

JESUS IS THE ONE WHO CAN REVEAL FROM WHERE **SIN ORIGINATED** BECAUSE HE IS THE CREATOR OF ALL THINGS VISIBLE AND INVISIBLE **COLOSSIANS 1:16**.

SIN **ORIGINATED** FROM A CREATED SPIRIT BEING IN **LUCIFER** WHO WAS CREATED AS AN ARCHANGEL OF GOD AND WAS A SPIRITUAL SON OF GOD. LUCIFER SINNED WHEN SPIRITUAL PRIDE WAS CONCEIVED IN HIM AND WAS EVENTUALLY NAMED BY GOD **SATAN – THE DEVIL** – MEANING ADVERSARY.

John 8:44 (KJV) 44 Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. HE WAS A MURDERER FROM THE BEGINNING, and abode not in the truth, because THERE IS NO TRUTH IN HIM. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: FOR HE IS A LIAR, and the father of it.

THE BOOK OF ISAIAH ON THE FALL OF LUCIFER

THE PROPHET ISAIAH RECEIVED THE REVELATION BY THE LORD GOD ON THE FALL OF THE CREATED SPIRIT BEING CALLED LUCIFER.

Isa 14:12-14 (KJV) 12 HOW ART THOU FALLEN FROM HEAVEN, O LUCIFER, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!

Isa 14:13 (KJV) 13 For thou hast said in thine heart, I WILL ASCEND INTO HEAVEN, I WILL EXALT MY THRONE ABOVE THE STARS OF GOD: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north:

Isa 14:14 (KJV) 14 I WILL ASCEND ABOVE THE HEIGHTS OF THE CLOUDS; I WILL BE LIKE THE MOST HIGH.

Isa 14:15 (KJV) 15 Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit.

THE BOOK OF EZEKIEL ON THE FALL OF LUCIFER

THE PROPHET EZEKIEL RECEIVED THE REVELATION BY THE LORD GOD ON THE FALL OF THE CREATED SPIRIT BEING CALLED LUCIFER.

Eze 28:1-19 (KJV) 1The word of the Lord came again unto me, saying, Eze 28:2 (KJV) 2 Son of man, say unto the prince of Tyrus, Thus saith the Lord God; BECAUSE THINE HEART IS LIFTED UP, AND THOU HAST SAID, I AM A GOD, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas; yet thou art a man, and not God, though thou set thine heart as the heart of God:

Eze 28:3 (KJV) 3 Behold, thou art wiser than Daniel; there is no secret that they can hide from thee:

Eze 28:4 (KJV) 4 With thy wisdom and with thine understanding thou hast gotten thee riches, and hast gotten gold and silver into thy treasures:

Eze 28:5 (KJV) 5 By thy great wisdom and by thy traffick hast thou increased thy riches, and thine heart is lifted up because of thy riches:

Eze 28:6 (KJV) 6 Therefore thus saith the Lord God; Because thou hast set thine heart as the heart of God;

Eze 28:7 (KJV) 7 Behold, therefore I will bring strangers upon thee, the terrible of the nations: and they shall draw their swords against the beauty of thy wisdom, and they shall defile thy brightness.

Eze 28:8 (KJV) 8 They shall bring thee down to the pit, and thou shalt die the deaths of them that are slain in the midst of the seas.

Eze 28:9 (KJV) 9 Wilt thou yet say before him that slayeth thee, I am God? BUT THOU SHALT BE A MAN, AND NO GOD, IN THE HAND OF HIM THAT SLAYETH THEE.

Eze 28:10 (KJV) 10 THOU SHALT DIE THE DEATHS OF THE UNCIRCUMCISED BY THE HAND OF STRANGERS: for I have spoken it, saith the Lord God.

LUCIFER WAS A CREATED SPIRIT BEING AS AN ARCHANGEL AND WAS A SPIRITUAL SON OF GOD WHO REBELLED AGAINST THE MOST HIGH GOD AND WAS NAMED SATAN, THE DEVIL, THE SERPENT, THE DRAGON.

Eze 28:11-18 (KJV) 11 Moreover the word of the Lord came unto me, saying,

THE SPIRIT OF SATAN WAS IN THE KING OF TYRUS.

Eze 28:12 (KJV) 12 Son of man, take up a lamentation upon THE KING OF TYRUS, and say unto him, Thus saith the Lord God; THOU SEALEST UP THE SUM, FULL OF WISDOM, AND PERFECT IN BEAUTY.

Eze 28:13 (KJV) 13 THOU HAST BEEN IN EDEN THE GARDEN OF GOD; every precious stone was thy covering, the sardius, topaz, and the diamond, the beryl, the onyx, and the jasper, the sapphire, the emerald, and the carbuncle, and gold: the workmanship of thy tabrets and of thy pipes was prepared in thee IN THE DAY THAT THOU WAST CREATED.

Eze 28:14 (KJV) 14 Thou art THE ANOINTED CHERUB THAT COVERETH; and I have set thee so: thou wast upon the holy mountain of God; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire. Eze 28:15 (KJV) 15 THOU WAST PERFECT IN THY WAYS FROM THE DAY THAT THOU WAST CREATED, TILL INIQUITY WAS FOUND IN THEE.

Eze 28:16 (KJV) 16 By the multitude of thy merchandise they have filled the midst of thee with violence, and thou hast sinned: therefore I will cast thee as profane out of the mountain of God: and I will destroy thee, O covering cherub, from the midst of the stones of fire.

Eze 28:17 (KJV) 17 THINE HEART WAS LIFTED UP BECAUSE OF THY BEAUTY, thou hast corrupted thy wisdom by reason of thy brightness: I will cast thee to the ground, I will lay thee before kings, that they may behold thee.

Eze 28:18 (KJV) 18 Thou hast defiled thy sanctuaries by the multitude of thine iniquities, by the iniquity of thy traffick; therefore will I bring forth a fire from the midst of thee, it shall devour thee, AND I WILL

BRING THEE TO ASHES UPON THE EARTH IN THE SIGHT OF ALL THEM THAT BEHOLD THEE.

WHEN LUCIFER SINNED, HE WAS NAMED SATAN AND INHERITED THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH AND WILL EVENTUALLY BE CAST INTO THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.

Eze 28:19 (KJV) 19 All they that know thee among the people shall be astonished at thee: thou shalt be a terror, and never shalt thou be any more.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES:

SATAN INHERITED ETERNAL DEATH BECAUSE OF SIN

Matt 25:41 (KJV) 41 Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, INTO EVERLASTING FIRE, PREPARED FOR THE DEVIL AND HIS ANGELS:

SATAN WAS CAST OUT FROM THE THIRD HEAVEN AFTER HIS FIRST ATTEMPT TO OVERTHROW THE THRONE OF GOD.
HE HOWEVER STILL HAS ACCESS TO THE SECOND HEAVEN WHICH IS THE HABITATION FOR ANGELS.

Luke 10:18 (KJV) 18 And he said unto them, I BEHELD SATAN AS LIGHTNING FALL FROM HEAVEN.

SATAN WAS ABLE TO DRAW A THIRD OF THE ANGELS INTO SIN AND REBELLION AGAINST GOD.

Rev 12:3-4 (KJV) 3 And there appeared another wonder in heaven; and behold a great red dragon, having seven heads and ten horns, and seven crowns upon his heads.

Rev 12:4 (KJV) 4 AND HIS TAIL DREW THE THIRD PART OF THE STARS OF HEAVEN, AND DID CAST THEM TO THE EARTH: and the dragon stood before the woman which was ready to be delivered, for to devour her child as soon as it was born.

THERE IS YET ANOTHER FUTURE PROPHESED ATTEMPT BY SATAN TO ONCE AGAIN ATTEMPT TO OVERTHROW THE THRONE OF GOD

THE FATHER BEFORE THE GREAT TRIBULATION PERIOD AND THIS TIME HE WILL BE CAST DOWN TO THE EARTH WITH NO FURTHER ACCESS TO THE SECOND HEAVEN.

Rev 12:7-9 (KJV) 7 And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, Rev 12:8 (KJV) 8 And prevailed not; NEITHER WAS THEIR PLACE FOUND ANY MORE IN HEAVEN.

Rev 12:9 (KJV) 9 And THE GREAT DRAGON WAS CAST OUT, THAT OLD SERPENT, CALLED THE DEVIL, AND SATAN, WHICH DECEIVETH THE WHOLE WORLD: HE WAS CAST OUT INTO THE EARTH, AND HIS ANGELS WERE CAST OUT WITH HIM.

ANGELS ARE SPIRIT BEINGS ALSO CALLED PRINCES.

SATAN AND HIS ANGELS CALLED PRINCES OF THIS WORLD HAVE BEEN ALLOWED BY GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST TO RULE THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD UNTIL THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST TO THE EARTH; WHEN HE (SATAN) AND HIS ANGELS WILL BE BOUNDED FOR ONE THOUSAND (1000) YEARS.

Dan 10:13 (KJV) 13 BUT THE PRINCE OF THE KINGDOM OF PERSIA withstood me one and twenty days: but, lo, MICHAEL, ONE OF THE CHIEF PRINCES, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia.

Dan 10:20-21 (KJV) 20 Then said he, Knowest thou wherefore I come unto thee? and NOW WILL I RETURN TO FIGHT WITH THE PRINCE OF PERSIA: and WHEN I AM GONE FORTH, LO, THE PRINCE OF GRECIA SHALL COME.

Dan 10:21 (KJV) 21 But I will shew thee that which is noted in the scripture of truth: and there is none that holdeth with me in these things, BUT MICHAEL YOUR PRINCE.

Dan 12:1 (KJV) 1 And at that time shall MICHAEL STAND UP, THE GREAT PRINCE which standeth for the children of thy people: and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation even to that same time: and at that time thy people shall be delivered, every one that shall be found written in the book.

John 12:31 (KJV) 31 Now is the judgment of this world: now shall THE PRINCE OF THIS WORLD be cast out.

John 14:30 (KJV) 30 Hereafter I will not talk much with you: for THE PRINCE OF THIS WORLD cometh, and hath nothing in me.

John 16:11 (KJV) 11 Of judgment, because THE PRINCE OF THIS WORLD is judged.

1 Cor 2:6-8 (KJV) 6 Howbeit we speak wisdom among them that are perfect: yet not the wisdom of this world, nor of THE PRINCES OF THIS WORLD, that come to nought:

1 Cor 2:7 (KJV) 7 But we speak the wisdom of God in a mystery, even the hidden wisdom, which God ordained before the world unto our glory:

1 Cor 2:8 (KJV) 8 Which none of THE PRINCES OF THIS WORLD knew: for had they known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.

2 Cor 4:4 (KJV) 4 In whom THE GOD OF THIS WORLD hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.

Eph 2:2 (KJV) 2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to THE PRINCE OF THE POWER OF THE AIR, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:

❖ HOW WAS ADAM CREATED IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD?

GOD'S PURPOSE IN MAN IS TO CONTINUE HIS ETERNAL PURPOSE OF CREATING SPIRITUAL SONS OF GOD IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD.

ADAM WAS CREATED IN FLESH LOWER THAN THE ANGELS IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD.

MAN WAS CREATED LOWER THAN THE ANGELS IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD.

GOD THE FATHER, JESUS CHRIST AND THE HOLY SPIRIT ARE CONTINUING THEIR PURPOSE OF BRINGING SPIRITUAL SONS OF GOD TO THE KINGDOM OF GOD IN THEIR OWN IMAGE AND LIKENESS.

THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD:

- **GOD IS AN ETERNAL SPIRIT**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL SPIRIT**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL HEART**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL SOUL**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL MIND**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL WILL**
- **GOD HAS ETERNAL UNDERSTANDING**
- **GOD HAS ETERNAL EMOTIONS**
- **GOD HAS AN ETERNAL SPIRITUAL BODY**

Gen 1:26-27 (KJV) 26 AND GOD SAID, LET US MAKE MAN IN OUR IMAGE, AFTER OUR LIKENESS: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

Gen 1:27 (KJV) 27 SO GOD CREATED MAN IN HIS OWN IMAGE, IN THE IMAGE OF GOD CREATED HE HIM; male and female created he them.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES:

MAN WAS CREATED LOWER THAN THE ANGELS IN FLESH AND BLOOD IN THE EARTH.

Psa 8:4-5 (KJV) 4 What is man, that thou art mindful of him? and the son of man, that thou visitest him?

Psa 8:5 (KJV) 5 FOR THOU HAST MADE HIM A LITTLE LOWER THAN THE ANGELS, and hast crowned him with glory and honour.

THE APOSTLE JOHN DECLARED THE PURPOSE OF GOD TO BRING MANY SONS OF GOD TO GLORY.

1 John 3:1-3 (KJV) 1 Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, THAT WE SHOULD BE CALLED THE SONS OF GOD: therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew him not.

1 John 3:2 (KJV) 2 Beloved, NOW ARE WE THE SONS OF GOD, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.

1 John 3:3 (KJV) 3 And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as he is pure.

John 10:34-35 (KJV) 34 Jesus answered them, Is it not written in your law, I said, YE ARE GODS?

John 10:35 (KJV) 35 IF HE CALLED THEM GODS, unto whom the word of God came, and the scripture cannot be broken;

Psa 82:6-7 (KJV) 6 I have said, YE ARE GODS; AND ALL OF YOU ARE CHILDREN OF THE MOST HIGH.

Psa 82:7 (KJV) 7 But ye shall die like men, and fall like one of the princes.

❖ HOW DID SIN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH ENTER INTO THE WORLD?

MANY DO NOT UNDERSTAND THE SPIRITUAL MYSTERY BEHIND THE TWO TREES WHICH THE LORD GOD PLANTED IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN.

GOD WAS ABOUT TO PROVE MAN'S OBEDIENCE TO HIS WORD IN THE TWO TREES IN ORDER FOR MAN TO INHERIT ETERNAL LIFE.

I. THE TREE OF LIFE

- REPRESENTED THE HOLY SPIRIT
- REPRESENTED ETERNAL LIFE
- REPRESENTED TRUE SPIRITUAL KNOWLEDGE FROM GOD AND HIS WORD ALONE

II. THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL

- REPRESENTED THE SPIRIT OF SATAN
- REPRESENTED ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE
- REPRESENTED A SPIRITUAL KNOWLEDGE APART FROM GOD AND HIS WORD ALONE.

SIN ENTERED INTO THE WORLD THROUGH ADAM'S SIN AND ADAM INHERITED THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH WAS PREPARED FOR THE DEVIL AND HIS ANGELS.

THIS SPIRIT OF ETERNAL DEATH FROM SATAN HAS BEEN PASSED DOWN TO ALL ADAM'S DESCENDANTS WHO ARE CONCEIVED INTO THE WORLD.

Gen 2:9 (KJV) 9 And out of the ground made the Lord God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food; THE TREE OF LIFE also in the midst of the garden, and THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL.

ADAM WAS COMMANDED BY GOD NOT TO EAT FROM THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL.

HE WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR TEACHING EVE HIS WIFE THE COMMANDMENT OF GOD IN REGARD TO THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL.

Gen 2:16-17 (KJV) 16 And THE LORD GOD COMMANDED THE MAN, saying, Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat:

Gen 2:17 (KJV) 17 BUT OF THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL, THOU SHALT NOT EAT OF IT: FOR IN THE DAY THAT THOU EATEST THEREOF THOU SHALT SURELY DIE.

ADAM SINNED: DISOBEDIENCE TO THE AUTHORITY OF GOD'S WORD.

Gen 3:6 (KJV) 6 And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, AND GAVE ALSO UNTO HER HUSBAND WITH HER; AND HE DID EAT.

THE SPIRIT OF SATAN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH WERE INHERITED BY ADAM AND SATAN BECAME HIS FATHER.

ADAM WAS NO LONGER THE SON OF GOD BUT WAS NOW THE SON OF SATAN.

ADAM AND EVE WERE PREVENTED BY GOD AND THE LOVE OF GOD FROM PARTAKING OF THE TREE OF LIFE AFTER THEY PARTOOK OF THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL. THIS PREVENTED ADAM AND HIS DESCENDANTS FROM LIVING ETERNALLY AS SONS OF SATAN.

Gen 3:22-24 (KJV) 22 And the Lord God said, Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and TAKE ALSO OF THE TREE OF LIFE, AND EAT, AND LIVE FOR EVER:

Gen 3:23 (KJV) 23 Therefore the Lord God sent him forth from the garden of Eden, to till the ground from whence he was taken.

Gen 3:24 (KJV) 24 So he drove out the man; and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden Cherubims, and a flaming sword which turned every way, TO KEEP THE WAY OF THE TREE OF LIFE.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE

John 8:44 (KJV) 44 YE ARE OF YOUR FATHER THE DEVIL, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

THE SPIRIT OF SATAN AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH WAS INHERITED BY SETH WHO WAS CONCEIVED IN THE LIKENESS AND IMAGE OF ADAM.

SETH WAS CONCEIVED IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF SINFUL ADAM WHICH IS THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF SATAN AND NOT IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD OF WHICH ADAM WAS CREATED BEFORE HE SINNED.

HE INHERITED THE SPIRIT OF SATAN FROM ADAM AT CONCEPTION; WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF ETERNAL DEATH.

Gen 5:1-3 (KJV) 1 This is the book of the generations of Adam. In the day that God created man, IN THE LIKENESS OF GOD MADE HE HIM;

Gen 5:2 (KJV) 2 Male and female created he them; and blessed them, and called their name Adam, in the day when they were created.

Gen 5:3 (KJV) 3 And Adam lived an hundred and thirty years, AND BEGAT A SON IN HIS OWN LIKENESS, AND AFTER HIS IMAGE; and called his name Seth:

WE ARE CONCEIVED INTO THE WORLD WITH THE SPIRIT OF SATAN WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF ETERNAL DEATH.

Psa 51:5 (KJV) 5 Behold, I WAS SHAPEN IN INIQUITY; AND IN SIN DID MY MOTHER CONCEIVE ME.

Rom 3:23 (KJV) 23 FOR ALL HAVE SINNED, and come short of the glory of God;

ETERNAL DEATH WAS INHERITED BY ALL MANKIND FROM ADAM.

ONLY BY RECEIVING THE SPIRIT OF ADAM WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF SATAN, WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF ETERNAL DEATH, COULD WE DIE IN ADAM.

Rom 5:12-21 (KJV) 12 Wherefore, as BY ONE MAN SIN ENTERED INTO THE WORLD, AND DEATH BY SIN; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:

Rom 5:13 (KJV) 13 (For until the law sin was in the world: but sin is not imputed when there is no law.

Rom 5:14 (KJV) 14 Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over them that had not sinned after the similitude of Adam's transgression, who is the figure of him that was to come.

Rom 5:15 (KJV) 15 But not as the offence, so also is the free gift. For if through the offence of one many be dead, much more the grace of God, and the gift by grace, which is by one man, Jesus Christ, hath abounded unto many.

Rom 5:16 (KJV) 16 And not as it was by one that sinned, so is the gift: for the judgment was by one to condemnation, but the free gift is of many offences unto justification.

Rom 5:17 (KJV) 17 For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ.)

Rom 5:18 (KJV) 18 Therefore as by the offence of one judgment came upon all men to condemnation; even so by the righteousness of one the free gift came upon all men unto justification of life.

WE ALL HAVE INHERITED THE TITLE OF SINNER FROM ADAM.

Rom 5:19 (KJV) 19 For as BY ONE MAN'S DISOBEDIENCE MANY WERE MADE SINNERS, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous.

Rom 5:20 (KJV) 20 Moreover the law entered, that the offence might abound. But where sin abounded, grace did much more abound:

Rom 5:21 (KJV) 21 That as sin hath reigned unto death, even so might grace reign through righteousness unto eternal life by Jesus Christ our Lord.

THE PENALTY OF SIN IS ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.

Rom 6:23 (KJV) 23 For THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

WE ALL HAVE INHERITED THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH WHICH WAS DESCENDED FROM ADAM.

1 Cor 15:22 (KJV) 22 FOR AS IN ADAM ALL DIE, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE:

THE SPIRIT THAT ADAM INHERITED FROM SATAN – WHICH IS A SPIRIT OF UNGODLY FEAR - HAS BEEN PAST DOWN TO ALL THE DESCENDANTS OF ADAM AT CONCEPTION INTO THE WORLD.

WHEN ADAM SINNED SATAN BECAME HIS SPIRITUAL FATHER AND HE WAS NO LONGER IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD. WE ALL ARE CONCEIVED AS THE SPIRITUAL SONS OF SATAN INTO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD.

Eph 2:2 (KJV) 2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to THE COURSE OF THIS WORLD, according to the prince of the power of the air, THE SPIRIT THAT NOW WORKETH IN THE CHILDREN OF DISOBEDIENCE:

THE GODHEAD HAD ALREADY DECIDED BEFORE THE WORLD FOR MAN AND MAN WERE CREATED THAT GOD THE WORD WHO BECAME JESUS CHRIST IN THE FLESH; WOULD COME AND EXPERIENCE PHYSICAL DEATH ON THE CROSS TO REDEEM MAN FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE; WHICH WAS PREPARED FOR THE DEVIL AND HIS ANGELS.

1 Peter 1:18-20 (KJV) 18 Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers;

1 Peter 1:19 (KJV) 19 BUT WITH THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF CHRIST, as of A LAMB WITHOUT BLEMISH AND WITHOUT SPOT:

1 Peter 1:20 (KJV) 20 WHO VERILY WAS FOREORDAINED BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD, but was manifest in these last times for you,

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES

Eph 1:3-4 (KJV) 3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

Eph 1:4 (KJV) 4 ACCORDING AS HE HATH CHOSEN US IN HIM BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love:

❖ WHY DID JESUS CHRIST COME INTO THE WORLD IN SINFUL FLESH?

THE ETERNAL BEING CALLED GOD THE WORD CAME IN SINFUL FLESH AS JESUS CHRIST TO DELIVER OUR SOULS FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH WE INHERITED FROM ADAM'S SIN.

JESUS CHRIST GAVE HIMSELF FOR US THAT HE MIGHT DELIVER US FROM THE PENALTY OF TRANSGRESSING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

THE SOUL THAT SINNETH SHALL RECEIVE ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.

Eze 18:4 (KJV) 4 Behold, ALL SOULS ARE MINE; as the soul of the father, so also the soul of the son is mine: THE SOUL THAT SINNETH, IT SHALL DIE.

Eze 18:20 (KJV) 20 THE SOUL THAT SINNETH, IT SHALL DIE. The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, neither shall the father bear the

iniquity of the son: the righteousness of the righteous shall be upon him, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him.

THE SIN OF MAN BROUGHT JESUS CHRIST – AN ETERNAL SPIRIT BEING AND OUR CREATOR WHO NEVER EXPERIENCED PHYSICAL DEATH TO SHED HIS BLOOD AND DIE FOR OUR SINS. JESUS CHRIST CAME IN THE LIKENESS OF SINFUL FLESH FOR SIN TO **REDEEM US** FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH.

THE PRICE THE ETERNAL SPIRIT GODHEAD PAID FOR SIN IS OF ETERNAL VALUE; THEREFORE, IT IS VERY ESSENTIAL THAT WE HAVE THE CORRECT BASIC BIBLICAL DEFINITION OF SIN.

Titus 2:14 (KJV) WHO GAVE HIMSELF FOR US, THAT HE MIGHT REDEEM US FROM ALL INIQUITY, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES

Rom 8:3 (KJV) 3 For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, GOD SENDING HIS OWN SON IN THE LIKENESS OF SINFUL FLESH, AND FOR SIN, condemned sin in the flesh:

1 Cor 15:3 (KJV) 3 For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, HOW THAT CHRIST DIED FOR OUR SINS according to the scriptures;

Gal 1:4 (KJV) 4 WHO GAVE HIMSELF FOR OUR SINS, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father:

1 Tim 1:15 (KJV) 15 This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, THAT CHRIST JESUS CAME INTO THE WORLD TO SAVE SINNERS; of whom I am chief.

❖ WHAT IS THE BIBLE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?

MANY MAY KNOW THAT THE BIBLE HAS CONCLUDED THAT **ALL HAVE SINNED**; AND THE WAGES OF SIN IS ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE

OF FIRE WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH; BUT THESE TRUTHS **DO NOT CONCLUDE** THE BIBLICAL DEFINITION OF SIN.

Rom 3:23 (KJV) 23 **FOR ALL HAVE SINNED**, and come short of the glory of God;

Rom 6:23 (KJV) 23 **FOR THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH; BUT THE GIFT OF GOD IS ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD.**

WE CAN ONLY KNOW THE BIBLE'S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN WHEN IT IS REVEALED BY GOD.

MANY DO NOT KNOW THE FOLLOWING:

- ❖ SINFUL MAN **CANNOT DEFINE SIN** OR HAVE ANY KNOWLEDGE OF WHAT IS SIN APART FROM WHAT GOD REVEALS IN THE BIBLE TO US:
- ❖ GOD **ALONE** MUST DEFINE SIN FROM THE BIBLE:
 - SIN MUST BE DEFINED BY GOD.
 - GOD DEFINES KNOWN SIN TO US BY THE HOLY SPIRIT AS WE STUDY HIS WORD.
- ❖ GOD **ALONE** CAN REVEAL SIN:
 - SIN MUST BE REVEALED BY GOD.
 - GOD REVEALS UNKNOWN SIN TO US BY THE HOLY SPIRIT AND THEN SHOWS US IN HIS WORD.
- ❖ **GOD PROGRESSIVELY REVEALS SIN IN BIBLE.**

WHEN WE ARE CALLED BY GOD THE FATHER TO JESUS CHRIST OUR MINDS ARE STILL **CARNAL MINDS** AND THEREFORE GOD THE FATHER WILL TEACH US **A BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN IN THE BIBLE** IN **THE LETTER** FIRST AND THEN PROGRESSIVELY REVEAL THE DEFINITION OF SIN IN **THE SPIRIT** AS WE GROW IN THE GRACE AND KNOWLEDGE OF GOD FROM STAGE TO STAGE IN OUR WALK WITH JESUS CHRIST.

THE SPIRITUAL STAGES OF OUR WALK WITH GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST AFTER WE ARE CALLED AND ARE **BORN AGAIN** ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- **BABES IN CHRIST**

- INFANTS IN CHRIST
- CHILDREN IN CHRIST OR CHILDREN OF GOD
- IMMATURE SONS OF GOD
- MATURE SONS OF GOD

THERE IS A PROGRESSIVE REVELATION OF SIN IN THE BIBLE.

GOD WILL CONTINUE TO PROGRESSIVELY REVEAL SIN TO US AS WE GROW SPIRITUALLY IN HIM.

AS WE GROW IN THE GRACE AND THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE BIBLE AS WE ARE LED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, WE WILL BE FED PROGRESSIVELY ON THE DEEPER SPIRITUAL UNDERSTANDING OF THE DEFINITION OF SIN.

Heb 5:11-14 (KJV) 11 Of whom we have many things to say, and hard to be uttered, seeing ye are dull of hearing.

Heb 5:12 (KJV) 12 For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which be the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat.

Heb 5:13 (KJV) 13 For every one that useth milk is unskilful in the word of righteousness: for he is a babe.

Heb 5:14 (KJV) 14 BUT STRONG MEAT BELONGETH TO THEM THAT ARE OF FULL AGE, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

❖ THERE ARE MANY STATEMENTS IN THE BIBLE THAT RESULT IN SIN; BUT DOES NOT CONCLUSIVELY STATE “SIN IS”.

THERE ARE SOME SCRIPTURES IN THE BIBLE WHICH DEFINE A SPIRITUAL CONDITION THAT CAN RESULT IN SIN TO ONE WHO HAS ALREADY BEEN BORN AGAIN – HAVING A NEW SPIRIT AND A NEW HEART AND THE INDWELLING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND ARE KEEPING THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH AND HAVING THE FAITH IN CHRIST AND IS WALKING IN THE SPIRIT; BUT THESE STATEMENTS ARE NOT GOD’S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN FOR ONE NOW CALLED TO CHRIST BY GOD THE FATHER WITH A CARNAL MIND AND THE SPIRIT OF SATAN AND HAVE NOT YET BEEN BORN AGAIN.

I. FOR REBELLION IS AS THE SIN OF WITCHCRAFT

1 Sam 15:23 (KJV) 23 FOR REBELLION IS AS THE SIN OF WITCHCRAFT, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry. Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from being king.

II. WHATSOEVER IS NOT OF FAITH IS DEFINED AS SIN; THE RESULT OF NOT LIVING BY FAITH WILL RESULT IN SIN.

Rom 14:23 (KJV) 23 And he that doubteth is damned if he eat, because he eateth not of faith: FOR WHATSOEVER IS NOT OF FAITH IS SIN.

III. WHEN WE KNOW TO DO GOOD AND WE DO NOT DO IT; THE RESULT OF NOT DOING GOOD WHEN WE KNOW TO DO GOOD IS SIN.

James 4:17 (KJV) 17 THEREFORE TO HIM THAT KNOWETH TO DO GOOD, AND DOETH IT NOT, TO HIM IT IS SIN.

ALL UNRIGHTEOUSNESS IS SIN; THE RESULT OF NOT LIVING A RIGHTEOUS LIFE WILL RESULT IN SIN.

1 John 5:17 (KJV) 17 ALL UNRIGHTEOUSNESS IS SIN: AND THERE IS A SIN NOT UNTO DEATH.

ALL THE ABOVE DEFINITIONS RESULT IN SIN; BUT DO NOT GIVE A **BASIC BIBILICAL DEFINITION** OF WHAT IS SIN.

❖ WHAT IS THE BIBLE'S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY SIN IS?

THERE ARE MANY STATEMENTS OF TRUTH IN THE BIBLE.

FOR EXAMPLE:

- THE BIBLE SAYS: GOD IS LOVE 1 John 4:8; 16.

THERE IS **NO DIVINE LOVE** APART FROM GOD.

- THE BIBLE SAYS: GOD'S WORD IS TRUTH: THY WORD IS TRUTH: John 17:17.

THERE IS NO DIVINE TRUTH OUTSIDE THE WORD OF GOD.

❖ THE KEY SCRIPTURES THAT DEFINE THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN IN THE BIBLE.

WHEN WE ARE CONCEIVED INTO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD, WE ARE UNDER THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE. WE CANNOT COME OUT FROM UNDER THE PENALTY OF SIN – ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE – UNLESS WE ACCEPT GOD'S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN FROM THE BIBLE FOR THE **CARNAL MIND** IN **THE LETTER FIRST** AND THEN PROGRESSIVELY IN OUR **SPIRITUAL MIND** IN THE SPIRIT AFTER WE ARE **BORN AGAIN** AND GROWING IN THE GRACE AND KNOWLEDGE OF GOD.

THE **ONLY** PLACE IN THE BIBLE WHICH STATES THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN - "**SIN IS**" - IS IN **1 JOHN 3:4**.

THE BIBLE STATES IN THE NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURES BY THE APOSTLE JOHN IN **1 JOHN 3:4** - "**SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LAW**".

BUT WE NEED TO SEARCH THE BIBLE TO PROVE FROM ALL ADDITIONAL SCRIPTURES **IN THE BIBLE ALONE** WHICH LAW (**THE LAW**) THE APOSTLE JOHN IS REFERRING TOO.

THERE IS A **RELATIONSHIP** BETWEEN **SIN; TRANSGRESSION** AND **THE LAW**.

1 John 3:4 (KJV) 4 Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law: FOR SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LAW.

THE BIBLE STATES THERE IS **A LAW** WHICH CONTAINS **THE BASIC KNOWLEDGE OF SIN** FOR ONE WHO HAS NOW COME TO CHRIST WITH **A CARNAL MIND**: BUT WE NEED TO CONTINUE TO SEARCH ADDITIONAL SCRIPTURES TO PROVE WHICH **LAW** DEFINES SIN.

THE APOSTLE PAUL WAS FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT WHEN HE WROTE THAT THERE IS **A LAW** THAT PROVIDES **THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN**.

THERE IS A RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN **THE LAW** AND **THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN**.

THE APOSTLE PAUL STATES THAT KEEPING THE DEEDS OF THIS **LAW** WILL NOT **JUSTIFY** US FROM THE PENALTY OF BREAKING THE **LAW**.

HOWEVER, THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE LAW DEFINES SIN.

Rom 3:20 (KJV) 20 Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: FOR BY THE LAW IS THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN.

THE APOSTLE PAUL ADDITIONALLY STATES; WHERE THERE IS NO **LAW** - IF A LAW IS NOT REVEALED BY THE WORD OF GOD -THERE CANNOT BE **ANY KNOWLEDGE** OF TRANSGRESSION OR LAW BREAKING RESULTING IN SIN.

WE CANNOT **IDENTIFY SIN** OUTSIDE OF **THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE LAW OF GOD** IN THE BIBLE. THEREFORE IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT WE FIND **THE LAW WHICH DEFINES SIN**.

Rom 4:15 (KJV) 15 Because the law worketh wrath: FOR WHERE NO LAW IS, THERE IS NO TRANSGRESSION.

THE APOSTLE PAUL STATED THAT SIN CANNOT BE **IMPUTED (CHARGED)** AS SIN; IF THERE IS NO LAW.

SIN MUST BE REFERENCED TO A LAW TO BE JUDGED AS SIN.

THERE IS A RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN **A LAW** AND **THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN**.

THE GOD OF THE BIBLE STATE THAT HE WOULD **NOT IMPUTE (LAY TO ONE'S CHARGE)** SIN WITHOUT A LAW THAT DEFINES SIN.

Rom 5:13 (KJV) 13 (For until the law sin was in the world: BUT SIN IS NOT IMPUTED WHEN THERE IS NO LAW.

THERE IS A LAW THAT HAS THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN AND WE MUST CONTINUE OUR SEARCH IN THE BIBLE TO DETERMINE THE LAW WHICH HAS THE KNOWLEDGE OF SIN.

THERE IS A RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SIN AND A LAW AND THEREFORE SIN CANNOT BE DEFINED WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF THIS LAW.

❖ THE SCRIPTURE THAT CONCLUDES WHICH LAW DEFINES THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN IN THE BIBLE IS IN ROMANS 7:7.

IN ROMAN 7:7, THE APOSTLE PAUL CONCLUDED THAT HE WOULD NOT HAVE KNOWN SIN BUT BY THE LAW.
HE HAD NOT KNOWN LUST (WHICH IS SIN IN THE SPIRIT OF THE LAW) EXCEPT THE LAW HAD SAID: “THOU SHALT NOT COVET”.

THE APOSTLE PAUL CONCLUDED THAT HE WOULD NOT HAVE KNOWN “LUST” – THE SPIRIT OF THE COMMANDMENT OF THE LAW – EXCEPT THE LAW HAD SAID – “THOU SHALT NOT COVET” – WHICH IS THE LETTER OF THE COMMANDMENT OF THE LAW.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON ROMAN 7:7:

TO CONCLUDE OUR SEARCH TO PROVE WHICH LAW DEFINES SIN IN THE BIBLE, WE STILL NEED TO OBTAIN THE SCRIPTURE IN THE BIBLE TO DETERMINE WHICH LAW HAD SAID: “THOU SHALT NOT COVET”.

THE ONLY LAW IN THE BIBLE WHICH STATES: “THOU SHALT NOT COVET” IS THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IN EXODUS 20:1-17.

THE LORD GOD SPOKE THE WORDS OF THE TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR ALL ISRAEL TO HEAR FROM MOUNT SINAI.

EX 20:17 (KJV) 17 THOU SHALT NOT COVET thy neighbour's house, THOU SHALT NOT COVET thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant,

nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.

MOSES ALSO REITERATED THE WORDS OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IN THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY.

Deut 5:21 (KJV) 21 Neither shalt thou desire thy neighbour's wife, neither SHALT THOU COVET thy neighbour's house, his field, or his manservant, or his maidservant, his ox, or his ass, or any thing that is thy neighbour's.

SIN IS DEFINED FIRST IN THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND THEN AFTER WE ARE **BORN AGAIN**; OUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IS MAGNIFIED IN THE SPIRIT OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD AS WE FOLLOW CHRIST BY FAITH.

- I. WE LEARN ABOUT SIN IN THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD FIRST WHEN WE NOW START TO FOLLOW CHRIST WITH A **CARNAL MIND**.
- II. WE THEN LEARN ABOUT SIN IN THE SPIRIT OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD AFTER WE ARE **BORN AGAIN** AND RECEIVE THE NEW SPIRIT AND THE NEW HEART OF CHRIST AND THE INDWELLING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND OUR MINDS ARE TRANSFORMED FROM **CARNAL MIND** TO **SPIRITUAL MIND**.

Rom 7:7 (KJV) 7 What shall we say then? Is the law sin? God forbid. Nay, I HAD NOT KNOWN SIN, BUT BY THE LAW: FOR I HAD NOT KNOWN LUST, EXCEPT THE LAW HAD SAID, THOU SHALT NOT COVET.

IN THE CONCLUSION: WE SEE THAT THE BIBLE'S BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN IS BY THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS STATES IN THE TENTH COMMANDMENT: "THOU SHALT NOT COVET". THIS COMMANDMENT IS IN THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD; BUT WE MUST PROGRESS INTO THE SPIRIT OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD AS WE FOLLOW CHRIST IN FAITH.

THE APOSTLE PAUL PROGRESSED FROM THE LETTER OF THE COMMANDMENT OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD; "THOU SHALT NOT COVET"; TO THE SPIRIT OF THE COMMANDMENT OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD; LUST.

THE LAW REFERED TO IN 1 JOHN 3:4 WHICH DEFINES SIN IS THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

❖ **WHAT DID THE APOSTLE PAUL STATE ABOUT THIS LAW OF GOD THAT DEFINES THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN?**

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WRITTEN ON THE TWO TABLES OF STONE BY THE FINGER OF GOD IS THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS REQUIRED TO BE KEPT IN THE LETTER BEFORE THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST IS APPLIED BY GOD THE FATHER TO CLEANSE ONE OF PAST SINS.

WITHOUT THE LAW SIN IS DEAD; SIN HAS NO POWER UNLESS IT IS DEFINED BY THE LAW.

Rom 7:8-9 (KJV) 8 But sin, taking occasion by the commandment, wrought in me all manner of concupiscence. FOR WITHOUT THE LAW SIN WAS DEAD.

Rom 7:9 (KJV) 9 FOR I WAS ALIVE WITHOUT THE LAW ONCE: BUT WHEN THE COMMANDMENT CAME, SIN REVIVED, AND I DIED.

1 Cor 15:56 (KJV) 56 The sting of death is sin; and THE STRENGTH OF SIN IS THE LAW.

THE LAW IS HOLY; THE COMMANDMENT OF THE LAW ARE ALSO HOLY AND JUST AND GOOD. ONLY GOD CAN MAKE ANYTHING HOLY AND THEREFORE UNDER THE NEW COVENANT THE APOSTLE PAUL IS STILL UPHOLDING A LAW THAT IS HOLY, JUST AND GOOD.

Rom 7:12 (KJV) 12 Wherefore THE LAW IS HOLY, and THE COMMANDMENT HOLY, and JUST, and GOOD.

THE APOSTLE PAUL CONCLUDES THAT THE LAW WHICH DEFINES SIN IS A SPIRITUAL LAW: THE PROBLEM IS NOT WITH THE LAW BUT WITH SINFUL MAN.

Rom 7:14 (KJV) 14 For we know that THE LAW is SPIRITUAL: but I am carnal, sold under sin.

Rom 7:22 (KJV) 22 For I delight in THE LAW OF GOD after the inward man:

Rom 7:25 (KJV) 25 I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord. So then with the mind I myself serve THE LAW OF GOD; but with the flesh the law of sin.

THE APOSTLE PAUL STATES THAT SINFUL MAN WHO HAS A CARNAL MIND WILL NOT SUBJECT THEMSELVES TO THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WHICH DEFINES SIN.

Rom 8:6-8 (KJV) 6 For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.

Rom 8:7 (KJV) 7 Because the carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to THE LAW OF GOD, neither indeed can be.

Rom 8:8 (KJV) 8 So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God.

❖ WHICH LAW DID JESUS CHRIST DECLARE WE MUST KEEP IN ORDER TO ENTER INTO ETERNAL LIFE?

THERE ARE TWO DISTINCT LAWS THE LORD GOD GAVE TO THE PHYSICAL NATION OF ISRAEL:

- I. **THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – WHICH IS THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS EX 20:1-17.**
- II. **THE LAW OF MOSES - WHICH WAS A CARNAL LAW ESTABLISHED UNDER THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS – FOR THE LAND OF CANAAN AND WAS INITIALLY CALLED THE BOOK OF THE COVENANT IN EXODUS 24:4-8 AND EVENTUALLY CALLED THE LAW OF MOSES. THE WORDS OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS – WERE ALSO WRITTEN BY THE HAND OF MOSES INTO THE BOOK OF THE COVENANT. EX 34:27-28; LUKE 24:44; JOHN 7:23; ACTS 13:39.**

JESUS IDENTIFIED THAT THE LAW WE NEED TO KEEP TO ENTER INTO ETERNAL LIFE IS THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD.

Matt 19:16-21 (KJV) 16 And, behold, one came and said unto him, Good Master, WHAT GOOD THING SHALL I DO, THAT I MAY HAVE ETERNAL LIFE?

Matt 19:17 (KJV) 17 And he said unto him, Why callest thou me good? there is none good but one, that is, God: BUT IF THOU WILT ENTER INTO LIFE, KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS.

Matt 19:18 (KJV) 18 He saith unto him, Which? Jesus said, THOU SHALT DO NO MURDER, THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY, THOU SHALT NOT STEAL, THOU SHALT NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS,

Matt 19:19 (KJV) 19 HONOUR THY FATHER AND THY MOTHER: and, THOU SHALT LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR AS THYSELF.

Matt 19:20 (KJV) 20 The young man saith unto him, All these things have I kept from my youth up: what lack I yet?

Matt 19:21 (KJV) 21 Jesus said unto him, If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come and follow me.

THE GREATEST COMMANDMENTS IN THE LAW OF MOSES AND THE PROPHETS.

MANY CONFUSE THE SCRIPTURES IN **MATTHEW 22:36-40** WHICH JESUS CHRIST QUOTED AS A REASON **NOT** TO KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS; NOT REALIZING THAT CHRIST WAS QUOTING FROM **THE LAW OF MOSES** WHICH IS **NOT REQUIRED** TO BE KEPT UNDER THE NEW COVENANT.

THE LAW OF MOSES WAS GIVEN AS A LAW OF RIGHTEOUSNESS (**DEUT 6:24-25**) AFTER THE FLESH FOR THE LAND OF CANAAN UNTIL CHRIST CAME TO ESTABLISH THE WORDS OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD WHICH ARE **THE WORDS THAT ARE WRITTEN INTO OUR NEW HEARTS AND OUR MIND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT UNDER THE NEW COVENANT.**

Matt 22:36-40 (KJV) 36 Master, which is the great commandment in THE LAW?

Matt 22:37 (KJV) 37 Jesus said unto him, THOU SHALT LOVE THE LORD THY GOD WITH ALL THY HEART, AND WITH ALL THY SOUL, AND WITH ALL THY MIND.

Matt 22:38 (KJV) 38 This is the first and great commandment.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE TO **MATTHEW 22:37**:

JESUS WAS QUOTING FROM **THE LAW OF MOSES** IN WHICH ONE OF THE BOOKS IS **THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY**:

Deut 6:4-5 (KJV) 4 Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord:

Deut 6:5 (KJV) 5 And THOU SHALT LOVE THE LORD THY GOD WITH ALL THINE HEART, AND WITH ALL THY SOUL, AND WITH ALL THY MIGHT.

Matt 22:39 (KJV) 39 And the second is like unto it, THOU SHALT LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR AS THYSELF.

Matt 22:40 (KJV) 40 On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES TO **MATTHEW 22:39**:

JESUS WAS QUOTING FROM THE LAW OF MOSES IN WHICH ONE OF THE BOOKS IS THE BOOK OF LEVITICUS:

Lev 19:18 (KJV) 18 Thou shalt not avenge, nor bear any grudge against the children of thy people, BUT THOU SHALT LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR AS THYSELF: I am the Lord.

Lev 19:34 (KJV) 34 But the stranger that dwelleth with you shall be unto you as one born among you, and THOU SHALT LOVE HIM AS THYSELF; for ye were strangers in the land of Egypt: I am the Lord your God.

#	<u>THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS (CARNAL MIND)</u>	<u>THE TWO GREATEST COMMANDMENTS OF THE LAW OF MOSES (SPIRITUAL MIND)</u>
1	Thou shalt have no other gods before me.	<u>Love imparted as a fruit of the Holy Spirit (Gal 5:22) fulfils the spirit of the ten commandments:</u> I. Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all they heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. <u>Matt 22:37; Deut 6:4-5;</u>
2	Thou shalt not make any graven image to worship.	
3	Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain.	
4	Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.	
5	Honour thy father and thy mother.	II. <u>Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.</u> <u>Matt 22:39; Lev 19:18; Lev 19:34</u>
6	Thou shalt do no murder.	
7	Thou shalt not commit adultery.	
8	Thou shalt not steal.	
9	Thou shalt not bear false witness.	
10	Thou shalt not covet.	

John 14:15 (KJV) 15 IF YE LOVE ME, KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS.

John 14:21 (KJV) 21 HE THAT HATH MY COMMANDMENTS, AND KEEPETH THEM, HE IT IS THAT LOVETH ME: AND HE THAT LOVETH

ME SHALL BE LOVED OF MY FATHER, and I will love him, and WILL MANIFEST MYSELF TO HIM.

THE GODHEAD WILL NOT REVEAL THEMSELVES TO THOSE WHO DO NOT KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH.

1 John 2:3-4 (KJV) 3 And HEREBY WE DO KNOW THAT WE KNOW HIM, IF WE KEEP HIS COMMANDMENTS.

1 John 2:4 (KJV) 4 HE THAT SAITH, I KNOW HIM, AND KEEPETH NOT HIS COMMANDMENTS, IS A LIAR, and the truth is not in him.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE ON 1 JOHN 2:3-4.

Psa 111:10 (KJV) 10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: A GOOD UNDERSTANDING HAVE ALL THEY THAT DO HIS COMMANDMENTS: his praise endureth for ever.

1 John 5:2-3 (KJV) 2 By this WE KNOW THAT WE LOVE THE CHILDREN OF GOD, WHEN WE LOVE GOD, AND KEEP HIS COMMANDMENTS.

1 John 5:3 (KJV) 3 FOR THIS IS THE LOVE OF GOD, THAT WE KEEP HIS COMMANDMENTS: and his commandments are not grievous.

❖ WHAT IS THE DECEPTION IN HOW ONE MUST KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD?

ONLY AFTER WE COME TO THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN CORRECTLY; WE CAN NOW DEMONSTRATE TRUE REPENTANCE BY KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

IN MATT 19:17 JESUS QUOTED THAT WE MUST KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS IN ORDER TO ENTER INTO LIFE.

BUT HOW DO WE KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS?

GOD NEVER INTENDED FOR HIS SPIRITUAL LAW – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS TO BE KEPT BY AVOIDING SIN; BUT BY DOING GOOD.

REPENTANCE REQUIRES **EVIDENCE** AND THERE MUST BE OUTWARD MANIFESTATION.

FALSE CONCEPTS:

- MANY BELIEVE THAT BY JUST **AVOIDING** BREAKING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS MEANS THEY ARE KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.
- OTHERS DECEIVE THEMSELVES INTO BELIEVING SOMEHOW, THEY CAN KEEP THE TWO GREATEST COMMANDMENTS; LOVE FOR GOD AND LOVE FOR NEIGHBOUR WITHOUT ADHERING TO THE DETAILS OF ALL OF THE LEAST OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS (**MATTHEW 5:19**).
THEY BELIEVE THEY CAN SOMEHOW LOVE GOD WITH ALL THEIR HEART, SOUL AND MIND APART FROM HOW GOD STATES WE MUST DEMONSTRATE OUR LOVE FOR HIM BY KEEPING HIS TEN COMMANDMENTS. JOHN 14:15; JOHN 14:21.

WE CAN ATTEMPT TO KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS BY:

- I. **AVOIDING SIN IN THE LETTER:** WHEN WE ARE CALLED BY GOD THE FATHER TO JESUS CHRIST OUR MINDS ARE STILL CARNAL AND THEREFORE, WE CANNOT START OFF BY KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IN **THE SPIRIT**. WE THEREFORE WILL START KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IN THE **LETTER** FIRST LEARNING WHAT IS SIN AND AVOIDING SIN. OUR FOCUS WOULD BE ON **AVOIDING SIN** RATHER THAN BEING LED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT IN **DOING GOOD**.
- II. **AVOIDING SIN IN THE SPIRIT:** AFTER WE HAVE LEARNT WHAT SIN IS AND THEN RECEIVE WATER BAPTISM BY **HAVING FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST** WE BEGIN LEARNING HOW TO AVOID SIN IN THE SPIRIT; IN OUR THOUGHTS.

III. **DOING GOOD AND DOING RIGHTEOUSNESS IN THE SPIRIT:**
AFTER WE HAVE LEARNT WHAT SIN IS IN THE LETTER AND THE
SPIRIT AND HAVE RECEIVED WATER BAPTISM BY HAVING
FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST; WE BEGIN LEARNING AND DOING
RIGHTEOUSNESS IN THE SPIRIT BY THE INDWELLING OF THE
HOLY SPIRIT.

1 John 2:29 (KJV) 29 If ye know that he is righteous, ye know that
EVERY ONE THAT DOETH RIGHTEOUSNESS IS BORN OF HIM.

1 John 3:7 (KJV) 7 Little children, let no man deceive you: HE THAT
DOETH RIGHTEOUSNESS IS RIGHTEOUS, even as he is righteous.

Matt 25:31-40 (KJV) 31 When the Son of man shall come in his glory,
and all the holy angels with him, then shall he sit upon the throne of his
glory:

Matt 25:32 (KJV) 32 And before him shall be gathered all nations: and
he shall separate them one from another, as a shepherd divideth his
sheep from the goats:

Matt 25:33 (KJV) 33 And he shall set the sheep on his right hand, but
the goats on the left.

Matt 25:34 (KJV) 34 Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand,
Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you
from the foundation of the world:

Matt 25:35 (KJV) 35 For I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat: I was
thirsty, and ye gave me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me in:

Matt 25:36 (KJV) 36 Naked, and ye clothed me: I was sick, and ye visited
me: I was in prison, and ye came unto me.

Matt 25:37 (KJV) 37 Then shall the righteous answer him, saying, Lord,
when saw we thee an hungred, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee
drink?

Matt 25:38 (KJV) 38 When saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in? or
naked, and clothed thee?

Matt 25:39 (KJV) 39 Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came
unto thee?

Matt 25:40 (KJV) 40 And the King shall answer and say unto them,
Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least
of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.

❖ HOW DO WE COME FROM UNDER THE PENALTY OF LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD WHICH IS THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE?

THERE IS A DECEPTION BEING PROMOTED BY FOLLOWERS OF A FALSE CHRIST; THAT ONCE ONE GIVES THEIR HEART TO THE LORD BY FAITH THEY ARE UNDER THE GRACE OF GOD WITH NO EVIDENCE OF KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH - WHICH IS THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN.

THERE MUST BE TRUE EVIDENCE OF REPENTANCE; BUT ALTHOUGH WE ARE REPENTING AND HAVE STARTED KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH; WE ARE STILL UNDER LAW - WHICH IS THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE; BECAUSE OF OUR PAST SINS. WE NEED HELP FROM GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST TO REMOVE OUR PAST SINS.

- I. UNDER LAW: MEANS WE ARE STILL UNDER THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.
- II. UNDER GRACE: MEANS WE ARE JUSTIFIED OR PARDON BECAUSE THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE HAS BEEN REMOVE FROM OVER US.

Rom 6:14-15 (KJV) 14 For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not UNDER THE LAW, but UNDER GRACE.

Rom 6:15 (KJV) 15 What then? shall we sin, because we are not under the law, but under grace? God forbid.

HAVING THE WRONG UNDERSTANDING OF HOW ONE MOVES FROM UNDER THE LAW - THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH - TO UNDER GRACE - ENTERING INTO ETERNAL LIFE WILL RESULT IN ONE EXPERIENCING THE ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.

WE WILL ONLY BE JUSTIFIED FROM THE PENALTY OF SIN WHICH IS ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE OR BE DECLARED

RIGHTEOUS OF OUR **PAST SINS** BY GOD THE FATHER THROUGH THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST; WHEN WE **FIRST** BECOME **DOERS OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.**

Rom 2:13 (KJV) 13 (For not the hearers of the law are just before God, but THE DOERS OF THE LAW SHALL BE JUSTIFIED.

THE KEEPING OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD (THE TEN COMMANDMENTS) CAN BE DONE IN OUR CARNAL NATURE WHICH WILL STILL RESULT IN ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.

WE CANNOT ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF GOD BY JUST KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD.

Rom 2:14-15 (KJV) 14 For when the Gentiles, which have not the law, DO BY NATURE THE THINGS CONTAINED IN THE LAW, these, having not the law, are a law unto themselves:

Rom 2:15 (KJV) 15 Which shew THE WORK OF THE LAW WRITTEN IN THEIR HEARTS, their conscience also bearing witness, and their thoughts the mean while accusing or else excusing one another;)

WE SEE THE APOSTLE PAUL CLEARLY IDENTIFYING WHICH LAW OF GOD DEFINES SIN.

THE APOSTLE PAUL IS IDENTIFYING WHICH LAW WE MUST KEEP **TO BE JUSTIFIED** FROM SIN BY FAITH IN THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST.

Rom 2:20-23 (KJV) 20 An instructor of the foolish, a teacher of babes, which hast the form of knowledge and of the truth in the law.

Rom 2:21 (KJV) 21 Thou therefore which teachest another, teachest thou not thyself? thou that preachest a man should not steal, dost thou steal?

Rom 2:22 (KJV) 22 Thou that sayest a man should not commit adultery, dost thou commit adultery? thou that abhorrest idols, dost thou commit sacrilege?

Rom 2:23 (KJV) 23 Thou that makest thy boast of the law, through breaking the law dishonourest thou God?

KEEPING THE DEEDS OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH WILL NOT JUSTIFY OR REMOVE THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH OVER ANYONE FOR THEIR PAST SINS. GOD THE FATHER ONLY APPLIES HIS GRACE TO THOSE WHO ARE WILLINGLY KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – WHICH IS THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH.

Rom 3:20-26 (KJV) 20 THEREFORE BY THE DEEDS OF THE LAW THERE SHALL NO FLESH BE JUSTIFIED IN HIS SIGHT: for by the law is the knowledge of sin.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS REQUIRES A RIGHTEOUSNESS APART FROM THE THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD.

THE LAW OF MOSES AND THE PROPHETS WERE A WITNESS OF THIS RIGHTEOUSNESS REQUIRED BY THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL THE LAW OF GOD TO COME ONLY IN JESUS CHRIST.

Rom 3:21 (KJV) 21 But now the righteousness of God WITHOUT THE LAW IS MANIFESTED, being witnessed by THE LAW AND THE PROPHETS;

Rom 3:22 (KJV) 22 Even THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD WHICH IS BY FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST unto all and upon all them that believe: for there is no difference:

Rom 3:23 (KJV) 23 For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

Rom 3:24 (KJV) 24 BEING JUSTIFIED FREELY BY HIS GRACE through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus:

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE TO FORGIVENESS OF PAST SINS BY THE GRACE OF GOD:

Eph 2:8-9 (KJV) 8 FOR BY GRACE ARE YE SAVED THROUGH FAITH; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

Eph 2:9 (KJV) 9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.

ONCE WE ARE KEEPING THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH AND HAVE FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST; WE WILL BE FORGIVEN OF OUR PAST SINS.

Rom 3:25 (KJV) 25 Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, TO DECLARE HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS THAT ARE PAST, through the forbearance of God;

GOD THE FATHER IS THE JUSTIFIER OF THOSE WHO BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST.

Rom 3:26 (KJV) 26 To declare, I say, at this time his righteousness: that he might be just, and THE JUSTIFIER of him which believeth in Jesus.

MANY FALSELY BELIEVE THAT ONCE WE HAVE FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST THERE IS NO LONGER ANY REQUIREMENT TO KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH.

Rom 6:1 (KJV) 1 What shall we say then? SHALL WE CONTINUE IN SIN, THAT GRACE MAY ABOUND?

BOTH THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND THE LAW OF FAITH ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT FOR ANYONE TO ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

THE LAW OF FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST ESTABLISHES THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD.

THERE IS AN ETERNAL INTERRELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND THE LAW OF FAITH.

Rom 3:27-31 (KJV) 27 Where is boasting then? It is excluded. By what law? of works? Nay: but by THE LAW OF FAITH.

Rom 3:28 (KJV) 28 Therefore WE CONCLUDE THAT A MAN IS JUSTIFIED BY FAITH WITHOUT THE DEEDS OF THE LAW.

Rom 3:29 (KJV) 29 Is he the God of the Jews only? is he not also of the Gentiles? Yes, of the Gentiles also:

WHY DID THE APOSTLE PAUL USE THE STATEMENT BY FAITH AND THROUGH FAITH?

- I. BY FAITH: THE CIRCUMCISION IS THE NATION OF ISRAEL WHO HAD ALREADY RECEIVED THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH AND REQUIRED TO BE JUSTIFIED BY THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST.
- II. THROUGH FAITH: THE UNCIRCUMCISION WHO ARE US GENTILES WHO NEVER RECEIVED THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH AND CAME TO BE JUSTIFIED THROUGH THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST; BUT ARE REQUIRED THROUGH FAITH TO KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

Rom 3:30 (KJV) 30 Seeing it is one God, which shall justify THE CIRCUMCISION BY FAITH, and UNCIRCUMCISION THROUGH FAITH.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IS NOT MADE VOID BY THE LAW OF FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD IS ESTABLISHED BY THE LAW OF FAITH.

Rom 3:31 (KJV) 31 DO WE THEN MAKE VOID THE LAW THROUGH FAITH? God forbid: yea, WE ESTABLISH THE LAW.

❖ WHAT IS THE PROCESS WE MUST UNDERGO TO COME FROM UNDER THE ETERNAL PENALTY OF TRANSGRESSING THE

LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD TO THE GRACE OF GOD FOR OUR PAST SINS?

TO OVERCOME THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF
FIRE WE MUST BE BORN AGAIN OR BORN OF GOD OR BORN FROM
ABOVE.

THE STEPS TO BE REMOVED FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL
DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE TO ENTER INTO ETERNAL LIFE ARE AS
FOLLOWS:

I. THE TRUE GOSPEL MESSAGE MUST BE HEARD

THE TRUE GOSPEL MESSAGE IS ABOUT BELONGING TO THE
KINGDOM OF GOD AND NOT THE KINGDOMS OF THIS PRESENT EVIL
WORLD.

Mar 1:14-15 (KJV) 14 Now after that John was put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, PREACHING THE GOSPEL OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD,
Mar 1:15 (KJV) 15 And saying, The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: REPENT YE, AND BELIEVE THE GOSPEL.

Acts 2:37-38 (KJV) 37 Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do?

Acts 2:38 (KJV) 38 Then Peter said unto them, REPENT, AND BE BAPTIZED every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive THE GIFT OF THE HOLY GHOST.

II. TRUE REPENTANCE

TRUE REPENTANCE WITH EVIDENCE MUST BE DEMONSTRATED BY
THE KEEPING IN THE LETTER THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL
LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE
SEVENTH DAY SABATH.

THIS IS THE CONDITION THAT IS REQUIRED BEFORE ANYONE CAN
BECOME JUSTIFIED BY GOD THE FATHER.

Acts 26:20 (KJV) 20 But shewed first unto them of Damascus, and at Jerusalem, and throughout all the coasts of Judaea, and then to the

Gentiles, that they should repent and turn to God, and DO WORKS MEET FOR REPENTANCE.

Rom 2:13 (KJV) 13 (For not the hearers of the law are just before God, BUT THE DOERS OF THE LAW SHALL BE JUSTIFIED.

III. FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST

WE ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE FAITH IN THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST WHICH IS REQUIRED FOR US TO BE JUSTIFIED OF OUR PAST SINS.

Rom 3:25 (KJV) 25 Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his righteousness FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS THAT ARE PAST, through the forbearance of God;

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE:

Psa 103:12 (KJV) 12 As far as the east is from the west, SO FAR HATH HE REMOVED OUR TRANSGRESSIONS FROM US.

IV. BORN OF WATER

BORN OF WATER IS RECEIVING WATER BAPTISM AND THE REMOVAL OF THE SPIRIT OF SATAN WE INHERITED FROM ADAM AND THE RECEIVING OF A NEW SPIRIT OF CHRIST WHICH IS THE SPIRIT IN MAN OR THE SPIRIT OF MAN AND A NEW HEART.

THIS SPIRIT DOES NOT POSSESS OUR IDENTITY; BECAUSE OUR IDENTITY STILL RESIDES IN OUR SOUL: MIND; WILL AND EMOTIONS. WITH THIS NEW SPIRIT OF CHRIST WE WILL BE WILLING TO FOLLOW AFTER CHRIST; BUT THIS SPIRIT IS WEAK AND DOES NOT HAVE THE POWER TO OVERCOME.

WE ARE NOW SET UP FOR RECEIVING THE INDWELLING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

John 3:5 (KJV) 5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be BORN OF WATER AND OF THE SPIRIT, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

Matt 26:41 (KJV) 41 Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: THE SPIRIT INDEED IS WILLING, but the flesh is weak.

ALL THAT HAD CHANGED IN THE DISCIPLES AFTER WATER BAPTISM AND BEFORE CHRIST HAD DIED AND WAS RESURRECTED WAS THE SPIRIT OF MAN.

John 7:37-39 (KJV) 37 In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink.

John 7:38 (KJV) 38 He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.

John 7:39 (KJV) 39 (But this spake he of THE SPIRIT, which they that believe on him should receive: FOR THE HOLY GHOST WAS NOT YET GIVEN; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)

V. BORN OF SPIRIT

BORN OF THE SPIRIT IS THE RECEIVING OF THE INDWELLING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

THE HOLY SPIRIT WILL NOW TRANSFORM OUR SOUL: MIND; WILL AND EMOTIONS THROUGH THE NEW SPIRIT OF CHRIST WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF MAN IN US.

John 3:5 (KJV) 5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be BORN OF WATER AND OF THE SPIRIT, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

John 14:16-17 (KJV) 16 And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you ANOTHER COMFORTER, that he may abide with you for ever;

John 14:17 (KJV) 17 Even THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for HE DWELLETH WITH YOU, and SHALL BE IN YOU.

VI. RENEWAL OF THE MIND

THE NEXT STEP IN THE PROCESS IS THE RENEWAL OF OUR MINDS FROM CARNAL MINDS TO SPIRITUAL MINDS BY THE LEADING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

Rom 12:2 (KJV) 2 And be not conformed to this world: BUT BE YE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MIND, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Eph 4:23 (KJV) 23 And BE RENEWED IN THE SPIRIT OF YOUR MIND;

❖ WHAT IS THE EVIDENCE THAT WE ARE BORN AGAIN OR BORN OF GOD?

WHEN WE ARE BORN OF WATER – WATER BAPTISM – RECEIVING THE NEW SPIRIT IN MAN FROM CHRIST AND BORN OF THE SPIRIT – RECEIVING THE INDWELLING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT - WE STILL HAVE A SINFUL SOUL THAT IS NOW BEING RENEWED AND STILL POSSESS SINFUL FLESH.

WE WILL NOT BE WILLFULLY SINNING; BUT WILL NOW BE ABLE TO OVERCOME SIN AS WE SUBMIT TO THE LEAD OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

1 John 3:9 (KJV) 9 Whosoever is BORN OF GOD DOTH NOT COMMIT SIN; for his seed remaineth in him: and HE CANNOT SIN, because he is BORN OF GOD.

1 John 4:7 (KJV) 7 Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is BORN OF GOD, and knoweth God.

1 John 5:4 (KJV) 4 For whatsoever is BORN OF GOD OVERCOMETH THE WORLD: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.

1 John 5:18 (KJV) 18 We know that whosoever is BORN OF GOD SINNETH NOT; but he that is begotten of God keepeth himself, and THAT WICKED ONE TOUCHETH HIM NOT.

❖ HOW DO WE COME FROM BEING A SINNER UNDER THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH TO A SAINT OF GOD UNDER THE GRACE OF GOD IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?

MANY DO NOT KNOW THAT WE ARE CALLED SINNERS AT THE POINT OF CONCEPTION INTO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD.

WE INHERIT THE SPIRIT OF ADAM WHICH IS THE SPIRIT OF SATAN AT CONCEPTION AND ARE SET FOR ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.

SATAN IS OUR SPIRITUAL FATHER ONCE WE ARE CONCEIVED INTO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD.

John 8:44 (KJV) 44 YE ARE OF YOUR FATHER THE DEVIL, AND THE LUSTS OF YOUR FATHER YE WILL DO. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

Eph 2:1-2 (KJV) 1 And you hath he quickened, who were dead in trespasses and sins;

Eph 2:2 (KJV) 2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, THE SPIRIT THAT NOW WORKETH IN THE CHILDREN OF DISOBEDIENCE:

Rom 5:8 (KJV) 8 But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while WE WERE YET SINNERS, Christ died for us.

WE HAVE INHERITED THE NAME SINNER AT CONCEPTION INTO THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD AS A RESULT OF ADAM'S SIN.

Rom 5:19 (KJV) 19 For as by one man's disobedience MANY WERE MADE SINNERS, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous.

John 9:31 (KJV) 31 Now WE KNOW THAT GOD HEARETH NOT SINNERS: BUT IF ANY MAN BE A WORSHIPPER OF GOD, AND DOETH HIS WILL, HIM HE HEARETH.

JESUS CHRIST CAME TO CALL SINNERS TO REPENTANCE

1 Tim 1:15 (KJV) 15 This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, THAT CHRIST JESUS CAME INTO THE WORLD TO SAVE SINNERS; of whom I am chief.

Matt 9:13 (KJV) 13 But go ye and learn what that meaneth, I will have mercy, and not sacrifice: for I am not come to call the righteous, BUT SINNERS TO REPENTANCE.

Mar 2:17 (KJV) 17 When Jesus heard it, he saith unto them, They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick: I came not to call the righteous, BUT SINNERS TO REPENTANCE.

Luke 5:32 (KJV) I came not to call the righteous, BUT SINNERS TO REPENTANCE.

WHEN WE ARE CALLED BY GOD THE FATHER TO JESUS CHRIST AND HAVE UNDERGONE THE PROCESS TO BE BORN AGAIN WE ARE CALLED SAINTS OF GOD.

John 6:44 (KJV) 44 NO MAN CAN COME TO ME, EXCEPT THE FATHER WHICH HATH SENT ME DRAW HIM: and I will raise him up at the last day.

John 6:65 (KJV) 65 And he said, Therefore said I unto you, that NO MAN CAN COME UNTO ME, EXCEPT IT WERE GIVEN UNTO HIM OF MY FATHER.

1 Cor 1:2 (KJV) 2 Unto the church of God which is at Corinth, to them that are sanctified in Christ Jesus, CALLED TO BE SAINTS, with all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, both their's and our's:

Rom 1:7 (KJV) 7 To all that be in Rome, beloved of God, CALLED TO BE SAINTS: Grace to you and peace from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ.

THE HOLY SPIRIT MUST BE DWELLING IN ALL WHO ARE CALLED SAINTS OF GOD AND WILL MAKE INTERCESSIONS ON BEHALF OF THE SAINTS.

Rom 8:26-27 (KJV) 26 Likewise THE SPIRIT also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but THE SPIRIT ITSELF MAKETH INTERCESSION FOR US with groanings which cannot be uttered.

Rom 8:27 (KJV) 27 And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth WHAT IS THE MIND OF THE SPIRIT, because HE MAKETH INTERCESSION FOR THE SAINTS ACCORDING TO THE WILL OF GOD.

❖ HOW DO WE IDENTIFY TRUE SAINTS OF GOD IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?

SAINTS OF GOD MUST KNOW THEIR IDENTITY IN GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST. SAINTS OF GOD ARE STILL LIVING WITH SINFUL FLESH WHICH MUST DIE DAILY AND HAVING THEIR CARNAL MIND RENEWED TO A SPIRITUAL MIND.

Rom 7:18 (KJV) 18 For I know that in me (THAT IS, IN MY FLESH,) DWELLETH NO GOOD THING: for to will is present with me; but how to perform that which is good I find not.

Rom 8:3 (KJV) 3 For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, CONDEMNED SIN IN THE FLESH:

SAINTS OF GOD ARE NO LONGER CALLED SINNERS BY GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST.

TRUE SAINTS OF GOD WILL BE IDENTIFIED BY:

- I. KEEPING THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD INCLUDING THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH**

II. KEEPING THE LAW OF FAITH - HAVING THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST

Rev 14:12 (KJV) 12 HERE IS THE PATIENCE OF THE SAINTS: here are they that KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS OF GOD, and THE FAITH OF JESUS.

❖ WHAT IF A SAINT SIN AFTER BEING BORN AGAIN OR BORN OF GOD?

A SAINT OF GOD WHO IS BORN AGAIN CANNOT SIN ONCE BEING SUBMISIVE IN OBEDIENCE TO THE LEADING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. A SAINT SHOULD NOT BE SINNING WILFULLY AFTER COMING TO THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE TRUTH.

1 John 3:9 (KJV) 9 Whosoever is BORN OF GOD DOTH NOT COMMIT SIN; for his seed remaineth in him: and HE CANNOT SIN, because HE IS BORN OF GOD.

GOD HAS MADE A PROVISION FOR THE CASES IN WHICH A SAINT DO SIN; BUT THIS PROVISION SHOULD NOT BE USED AS A REASON FOR ONE TO SIN WILFULLY.

WE SHOULD HATE SIN AND RESIST SIN UNTO DEATH; AS WE SUBMIT IN OBEDIENCE TO THE HOLY SPIRIT TO ERADICATE SIN FROM OUR LIVES.

1 John 1:7-10 (KJV) 7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

1 John 3:8 (KJV) 8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

1 John 1:9 (KJV) 9 IF WE CONFESS OUR SINS, HE IS FAITHFUL AND JUST TO FORGIVE US OUR SINS, AND TO CLEANSE US FROM ALL UNRIGHTEOUSNESS.

1 John 1:10 (KJV) 10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE:

Heb 12:4 (KJV) 4 Ye have not yet resisted unto blood, STRIVING AGAINST SIN.

IF A SAINT OF GOD DO SIN; IT IS REQUIRED FOR THE SAINT OF GOD TO CONFESS THE SIN TO GOD AND NOT DEPEND ON PAST RIGHTEOUSNESS BEFORE GOD.

AS A SAINT OF GOD WE NEED TO BE ALWAYS SEEKING THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF GOD.

Eze 33:10-21 (KJV) 10 Therefore, O thou son of man, speak unto the house of Israel; Thus ye speak, saying, If our transgressions and our sins be upon us, and we pine away in them, how should we then live? Eze 33:11 (KJV) 11 Say unto them, As I live, saith the Lord God, I HAVE NO PLEASURE IN THE DEATH OF THE WICKED; but that the wicked turn from his way and live: turn ye, turn ye from your evil ways; for why will ye die, O house of Israel?

Eze 33:12 (KJV) 12 Therefore, thou son of man, say unto the children of thy people, THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF THE RIGHTEOUS SHALL NOT DELIVER HIM IN THE DAY OF HIS TRANSGRESSION: as for the wickedness of the wicked, he shall not fall thereby in the day that he turneth from his wickedness; NEITHER SHALL THE RIGHTEOUS BE ABLE TO LIVE FOR HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS IN THE DAY THAT HE SINNETH.

Eze 33:13 (KJV) 13 WHEN I SHALL SAY TO THE RIGHTEOUS, THAT HE SHALL SURELY LIVE; IF HE TRUST TO HIS OWN RIGHTEOUSNESS, AND COMMIT INIQUITY, ALL HIS RIGHTEOUSNESSES SHALL NOT BE REMEMBERED; but for his iniquity that he hath committed, HE SHALL DIE FOR IT.

Eze 33:14 (KJV) 14 Again, when I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; if he turn from his sin, and do that which is lawful and right;

Eze 33:15 (KJV) 15 If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity; he shall surely live, he shall not die.

Eze 33:16 (KJV) 16 None of his sins that he hath committed shall be mentioned unto him: he hath done that which is lawful and right; he shall surely live.

Eze 33:17 (KJV) 17 Yet the children of thy people say, The way of the Lord is not equal: but as for them, their way is not equal.

Eze 33:18 (KJV) 18 WHEN THE RIGHTEOUS TURNETH FROM HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS, and COMMITTETH INIQUITY, HE SHALL EVEN DIE THEREBY.

Eze 33:19 (KJV) 19 But if the wicked turn from his wickedness, and do that which is lawful and right, he shall live thereby.

Eze 33:20 (KJV) 20 Yet ye say, The way of the Lord is not equal. O ye house of Israel, I will judge you every one after his ways.

❖ WHAT ARE THE SPIRITUAL BENEFITS OF BECOMING A TRUE SAINT OF GOD WHO KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD AND HAVE THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST?

THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD SHOULD ALWAYS GUARD AGAINST THE SINNERS IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD LEADING THEM AWAY FROM GOD THE FATHER WHO HAVE DELIVERED THEM FROM THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD.

Prov 1:10 (KJV) 10 My son, IF SINNERS ENTICE THEE, consent thou not.

Prov 23:17 (KJV) 17 LET NOT THINE HEART ENVY SINNERS: BUT BE THOU IN THE FEAR OF THE LORD ALL THE DAY LONG.

Psa 1:1 (KJV) 1 Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, NOR STANDETH IN THE WAY OF SINNERS, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.

Psa 1:5 (KJV) 5 Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, NOR SINNERS IN THE CONGREGATION OF THE RIGHTEOUS.

GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST HAVE REVEALED IN THE BIBLE THE BENEFITS OF LIVING AS SAINTS OF GOD.

Prov 13:21 (KJV) 21 Evil pursueth sinners: but to the righteous good shall be repayed.

THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD WILL JUDGE THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD WITH CHRIST AFTER THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST.

1 Cor 6:1-2 (KJV) 1 Dare any of you, having a matter against another, go to law before the unjust, and not before THE SAINTS?

1 Cor 6:2 (KJV) 2 Do ye not know that THE SAINTS SHALL JUDGE THE WORLD? and if the world shall be judged by you, are ye unworthy to judge the smallest matters?

Eph 1:18 (KJV) 18 The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and WHAT THE RICHES OF THE GLORY OF HIS INHERITANCE IN THE SAINTS,

Eph 4:11-12 (KJV) 11 And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers;

Eph 4:12 (KJV) 12 For THE PERFECTING OF THE SAINTS, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ:

Col 1:2 (KJV) 2 To THE SAINTS and faithful brethren in Christ which are at Colosse: Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Col 1:12 (KJV) 12 Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of THE INHERITANCE OF THE SAINTS in light:

Col 1:26 (KJV) 26 Even THE MYSTERY which hath been hid from ages and from generations, BUT NOW IS MADE MANIFEST TO HIS SAINTS:

❖ WILL THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD BE PERSECUTED IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD?

THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD MUST BE MINDFUL THAT THEY WILL BE PERSECUTED IN THIS PRESENT EVIL WORLD; BECAUSE THEY BELONG TO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

THE PROPHET DANIEL PROPHESED OF THE PERSECUTION OF THE SAINTS OF GOD.

Dan 7:18 (KJV) 18 But the saints of the most High shall take the kingdom, and possess the kingdom for ever, even for ever and ever.

Dan 7:21-22 (KJV) 21 I beheld, and the same horn made war with the saints, and prevailed against them;

Dan 7:22 (KJV) 22 Until the Ancient of days came, and judgment was given to the saints of the most High; and the time came that the saints possessed the kingdom.

Dan 7:25 (KJV) 25 And he shall speak great words against the most High, AND SHALL WEAR OUT THE SAINTS OF THE MOST HIGH, and think to change times and laws: and they shall be given into his hand until a time and times and the dividing of time.

Dan 7:27 (KJV) 27 And the kingdom and dominion, and the greatness of the kingdom under the whole heaven, shall be given to the people of the saints of the most High, whose kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey him.

JESUS CHRIST DECLARED THAT THE WORLD WILL HATE THE TRUE SAINTS OF GOD.

John 15:18-19 (KJV) 18 If the world hate you, ye know that it hated me before it hated you.

John 15:19 (KJV) 19 If ye were of the world, the world would love his own: but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore THE WORLD HATETH YOU.

John 16:33 (KJV) 33 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.

1 Peter 2:19-25 (KJV) 19 For this is thankworthy, IF A MAN FOR CONSCIENCE TOWARD GOD ENDURE GRIEF, SUFFERING WRONGFULLY.

1 Peter 2:20 (KJV) 20 For what glory is it, if, when ye be buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? but if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, ye take it patiently, this is acceptable with God.

1 Peter 2:21 (KJV) 21 For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps:

1 Peter 2:22 (KJV) 22 Who did no sin, neither was guile found in his mouth:

1 Peter 2:23 (KJV) 23 Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously:

1 Peter 2:24 (KJV) 24 Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

1 Peter 2:25 (KJV) 25 For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls.

1 Peter 4:12-17 (KJV) 12 Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you:

1 Peter 4:13 (KJV) 13 But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

1 Peter 4:14 (KJV) 14 If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified.

1 Peter 4:15 (KJV) 15 But let none of you suffer as a murderer, or as a thief, or as an evildoer, or as a busybody in other men's matters.

1 Peter 4:16 (KJV) 16 Yet if any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God on this behalf.

1 Peter 4:17 (KJV) 17 For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if it first begin at us, what shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel of God?

1 John 3:13 (KJV) Marvel not, my brethren, IF THE WORLD HATE YOU.

❖ DID THE APOSTLES TEACH THAT THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WERE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT?

THE APOSTLES CONTINUALLY TAUGHT ADHERENCE TO THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

▪ **THE APOSTLE PAUL:**

Rom 13:8-10 (KJV) 8 Owe no man any thing, but to love one another: FOR HE THAT LOVETH ANOTHER HATH FULFILLED THE LAW.

Rom 13:9 (KJV) 9 For this, Thou shalt not commit adultery, Thou shalt not kill, Thou shalt not steal, Thou shalt not bear false witness, THOU SHALT NOT COVET; and if there be any other commandment, it is briefly comprehended in this saying, namely, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.

Rom 13:10 (KJV) 10 Love worketh no ill to his neighbour: THEREFORE LOVE IS THE FULFILLING OF THE LAW.

THE APOSTLE PAUL WENT UNTO THE GENTILES WHO DID NOT RECEIVE THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD TO BRING THEM TO CHRIST. BUT HE NEVER TAUGHT THEM THAT THEY SHOULD NOT KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD, BECAUSE HE UNDERSTOOD THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE LAW AND SIN.

1 Cor 9:21 (KJV) 21 To them that are without law, as without law, (BEING NOT WITHOUT LAW TO GOD, BUT UNDER THE LAW TO CHRIST,) that I might gain them that are without law.

THE KNOWLEDGE AND THE POWER OF SIN COMES FROM THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS; SIN IS NOT IMPUTED WHEN THERE IS NO LAW.

**1 Cor 15:56 (KJV) ^{G1161} THE STING ^{G2759} OF DEATH ^{G2288} IS SIN; ^{G266}
and ^{G1161} THE STRENGTH ^{G1411} OF SIN ^{G266} IS THE LAW. ^{G3551}**

▪ THE APOSTLE JAMES

THE APOSTLE JAMES ALSO ADDRESSED THE ISSUE OF SIN IN HIS EPISTLE.

THE APOSTLE JAMES ALSO UNDERSTOOD THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SIN AND THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD. HE UNDERSTOOD THAT SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IS KNOWN AS **THE PERFECT LAW OF LIBERTY.**

THERE IS A RIGHTEOUS WORK REQUIRED BY THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WHICH CAN ONLY BE DONE THROUGH US BY THE LEADING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

James 1:25 (KJV) 25 But whoso looketh into THE PERFECT LAW OF LIBERTY, and continueth therein, HE BEING NOT A FORGETFUL HEARER, BUT A DOER OF THE WORK, THIS MAN SHALL BE BLESSED IN HIS DEED.

BOTH THE APOSTLE JAMES AND THE APOSTLE PAUL AGREED THAT ONLY THOSE WHO ARE WILLING TO KEEP THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD ARE UNDER GOD'S SPIRITUAL COVENANT AND WILL BE JUSTIFIED BY GOD THE FATHER FROM THE PENALTY OF SIN.

Rom 2:13 (KJV) 13 (For not the hearers of the law are just before God, BUT THE DOERS OF THE LAW SHALL BE JUSTIFIED.

THE LAST SIX OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS ARE **SUMMED** UP IN THE SCRIPTURE: THOU SHALT LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR AS THYSELF; AND IS PROVIDED TO HELP US IN OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH EACH OTHER.

James 2:8-12 (KJV) 8 If ye fulfil THE ROYAL LAW according to the scripture, THOU SHALT LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR AS THYSELF, ye do well:

RESPECT FOR PERSONS CAN RESULT IN SIN; FOR GOD IS NOT A RESPECTOR OF PERSONS.

THE APOSTLE JAMES ALSO UNDERSTOOD THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SIN AND THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

James 2:9 (KJV) 9 BUT IF YE HAVE RESPECT TO PERSONS, YE COMMIT SIN, and are convinced of THE LAW AS TRANSGRESSORS.

WE MUST KEEP THE WHOLE OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD- THE TEN COMMANDMENTS; IN THE LETTER FIRST AND THEN PROGRESS TO IN THE SPIRIT AS WE FOLLOW CHRIST IN FAITH.

James 2:10 (KJV) 10 FOR WHOSOEVER SHALL KEEP THE WHOLE LAW, and YET OFFEND IN ONE POINT, HE IS GUILTY OF ALL.

James 2:11 (KJV) 11 For he that said, Do not commit adultery, said also, Do not kill. NOW IF THOU COMMIT NO ADULTERY, YET IF THOU KILL, THOU ART BECOME A TRANSGRESSOR OF THE LAW.

THE APOSTLE JAMES ALSO CONCLUDED THAT THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS DEFINES SIN.

SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

James 2:11 (KJV) 11 For HE THAT SAID, DO NOT COMMIT ADULTERY, SAID ALSO, DO NOT KILL. Now if thou commit no adultery, yet if thou kill, THOU ART BECOME A TRANSGRESSOR OF THE LAW.

WE OUGHT TO SPEAK AND DO (KEEP) THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD; KNOWN AS THE LAW OF LIBERTY.

- SPEAK YE
- SO DO
- THE LAW OF LIBERTY

James 2:11 (KJV) 11 So SPEAK YE, and SO DO, as they that shall be judged by THE LAW OF LIBERTY.

❖ WHAT IS THE CONSEQUENCE OF HAVING THE WRONG DEFINITION OF SIN APART FROM THE BIBLE?

WE MUST HAVE THE CORRECT DEFINITION OF SIN FROM THE BIBLE IN ORDER TO ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF GOD.

THERE IS AN ETERNAL CONSEQUENCE OF THE SECOND DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE FOR NOT HAVING THE CORRECT DEFINITION OF SIN FROM THE BIBLE.

THIS PRONOUNCEMENT WILL BE BY THE SAME JESUS CHRIST WHO PAID THE PRICE TO REDEEM US FROM THE PENALTY OF SIN WHICH IS ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE – THE SECOND DEATH.

Matt 7:21-23 (KJV) 21 Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

Matt 7:22 (KJV) 22 Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works?

Matt 7:23 (KJV) 23 And then will I PROFESS UNTO THEM, I NEVER KNEW YOU: depart from me, ye that work INIQUITY.

THE FOCUS OF THE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST SHOULD BE ON PROVING THE TRUTH OF THE WORD OF GOD – FROM THE BIBLE TO ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN AND NOT JUST ON THE MIRACLES WHICH HAPPENS IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

Luke 10:19-20 (KJV) 19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Luke 10:20 (KJV) 20 NOTWITHSTANDING IN THIS REJOICE NOT, THAT THE SPIRITS ARE SUBJECT UNTO YOU; BUT RATHER REJOICE, BECAUSE YOUR NAMES ARE WRITTEN IN HEAVEN.

Matt 25:41 (KJV) 41 Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, DEPART FROM ME, YE CURSED, INTO EVERLASTING FIRE, PREPARED FOR THE DEVIL AND HIS ANGELS:

Rev 20:12 (KJV) 12 And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and THE BOOKS WERE OPENED: AND ANOTHER BOOK WAS OPENED, WHICH IS THE BOOK OF LIFE: and THE DEAD WERE JUDGED OUT OF THOSE THINGS WHICH WERE WRITTEN IN THE BOOKS, according to their works.

❖ WHAT IS THE SPIRITUAL DECEPTION CALLED THE MYSTERY OF INIQUITY?

THERE IS A SPIRITUAL DECEPTION LED BY SATAN ALREADY IN EXISTENCE TO PROMOTE LAWS AND TIMES ABOVE THE WRITTEN WORD OF GOD IN THE BIBLE.

SATAN IS AGAINST THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND BIBLICAL TIMES OUTLINED BY GOD IN THE BIBLE.

THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WHICH DEFINES SIN ALSO INCLUDES THE SEVENTH DAY **SABBATH** WORSHIP TOWARDS THE TRUE AND LIVING GOD; WHICH IS NOT THE DAY THE WORLD HAS ESTABLISHED AS THE DAY OF WORSHIP.

THE WORLD HAS ESTABLISHED THE FIRST (1ST) DAY OF THE WEEK AS THE DAY OF WORSHIP CONTRARY TO THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD - THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

IN THE BOOK OF DANIEL THERE IS AN END TIME PROHECY FOR THE GREAT TRIBULATION PERIOD WHICH LIES AHEAD.

Dan 7:25 (KJV) 25 And he shall speak great words against the most High, and shall wear out the saints of the most High, and THINK TO CHANGE TIMES AND LAWS: and they shall be given into his hand until a time and times and the dividing of time.

2 Thess 2:3-4 (KJV) 3 Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

2 Thess 2:4 (KJV) 4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.

2 Thess 2:7 (KJV) 7 For THE MYSTERY OF INIQUITY doth already work: only he who now letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES USING THE WORD “INIQUITY”.

Matt 7:23 (KJV) 23 And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, YE THAT WORK INIQUITY.

Matt 13:41 (KJV) 41 The Son of man shall send forth his angels, and they shall gather out of his kingdom all things that offend, and THEM WHICH DO INIQUITY;

1 John 3:4 (KJV) 4 Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law: FOR SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LAW.

CONCLUSION

SIN BROUGHT AN ETERNAL SPIRIT BEING NAMED GOD THE WORD WHO BECAME FLESH – IN SINFUL FLESH – TO EXPERIENCE PHYSICAL DEATH TO SAVE SINFUL MAN FROM THE PENALTY OF ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE.

SIN CAUSED DIVISION IN THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN AMONGST CREATED SPIRIT BEINGS CALLED THE SPIRITUAL SONS OF GOD.

THE GODHEAD WILL NOT ALLOW SIN TO EXIST IN THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

ONCE WE HAVE CONCLUDED THE BASIC BIBLE DEFINITION OF SIN AND NOT AS SINFUL MAN WHO DEFINES SIN APART FROM GOD; WE CAN NOW TRULY REPENT.

THE FOLLOWING CAN BE CONCLUDED:

- **SINFUL MAN CANNOT DEFINE SIN APART FROM GOD AND HIS WORD.**
- **OUR CONSCIENCE MAY TELL US WE HAVE DONE SOMETHING WRONG; BUT OUR CONSCIENCE CANNOT DEFINE SIN OR REVEAL SIN.**
- **SIN IS THE TRANSGRESSION OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.**
- **THE BASIC KNOWLEDGE OF SIN COMES ONLY BY THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS IN THE LETTER FIRST AND THEN MAGNIFIED IN THE SPIRIT AS WE FOLLOW CHRIST BY FAITH.**
- **SIN MUST BE DEFINED BY GOD IN THE BIBLE ALONE.**
- **SIN MUST BE REVEALED BY GOD IN THE BIBLE ALONE.**

- IF SIN IS NOT DEFINED BY GOD AND REVEALED BY GOD WE **CANNOT** TRULY REPENT WITH GODLY REPENTANCE.
- THE LAW OF GOD WHICH DEFINES SIN ARE THE WORDS OF THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF GOD WHICH ARE THE WORDS OF THE LETTER OF THE COVENANT OF THE SPIRITUAL LAW OF GOD – THE TEN COMMANDMENTS – WHICH WAS SEALED BY THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST.

ADAM BEFORE SIN

ADAM WAS CREATED AS A SON OF GOD IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD

Gen 1:26-27; Luke 3:38; 1 Thess 5:23

THE ETERNAL ATTRIBUTES OF GOD

God is ETERNAL and has the following:

God is an eternal Spirit and God has an eternal spirit;

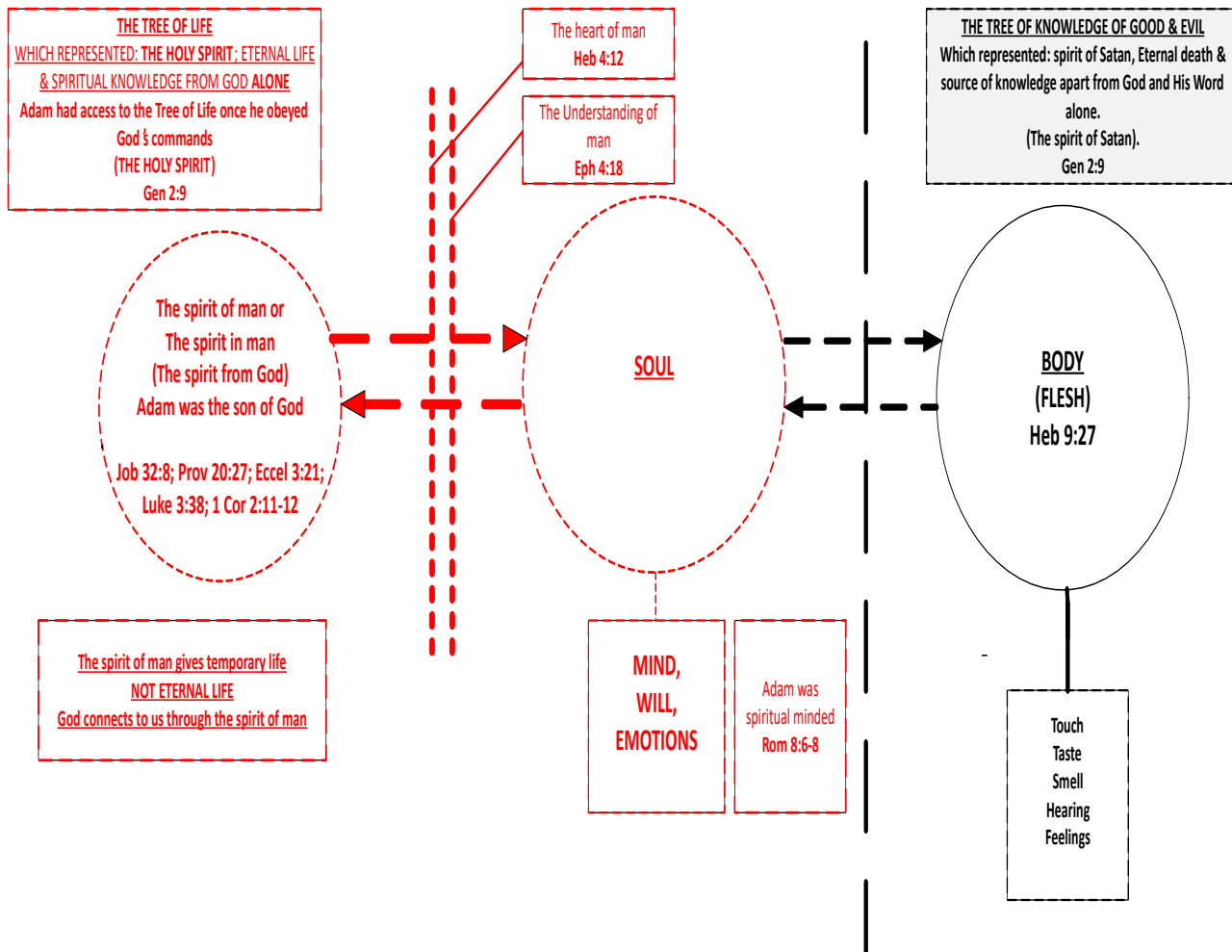
God has an eternal soul; God has an eternal will; God has an eternal mind; God has an eternal heart; God has eternal Life.

HOW WAS ADAM CREATED IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD ?

Adam was created had the following attribute from God lower than angels :

Man has a spirit of man that is not eternal; man has an temporal soul; man has a will; man has a mind; man has a heart; God has eternal Life.

(Pas 8:4-5)



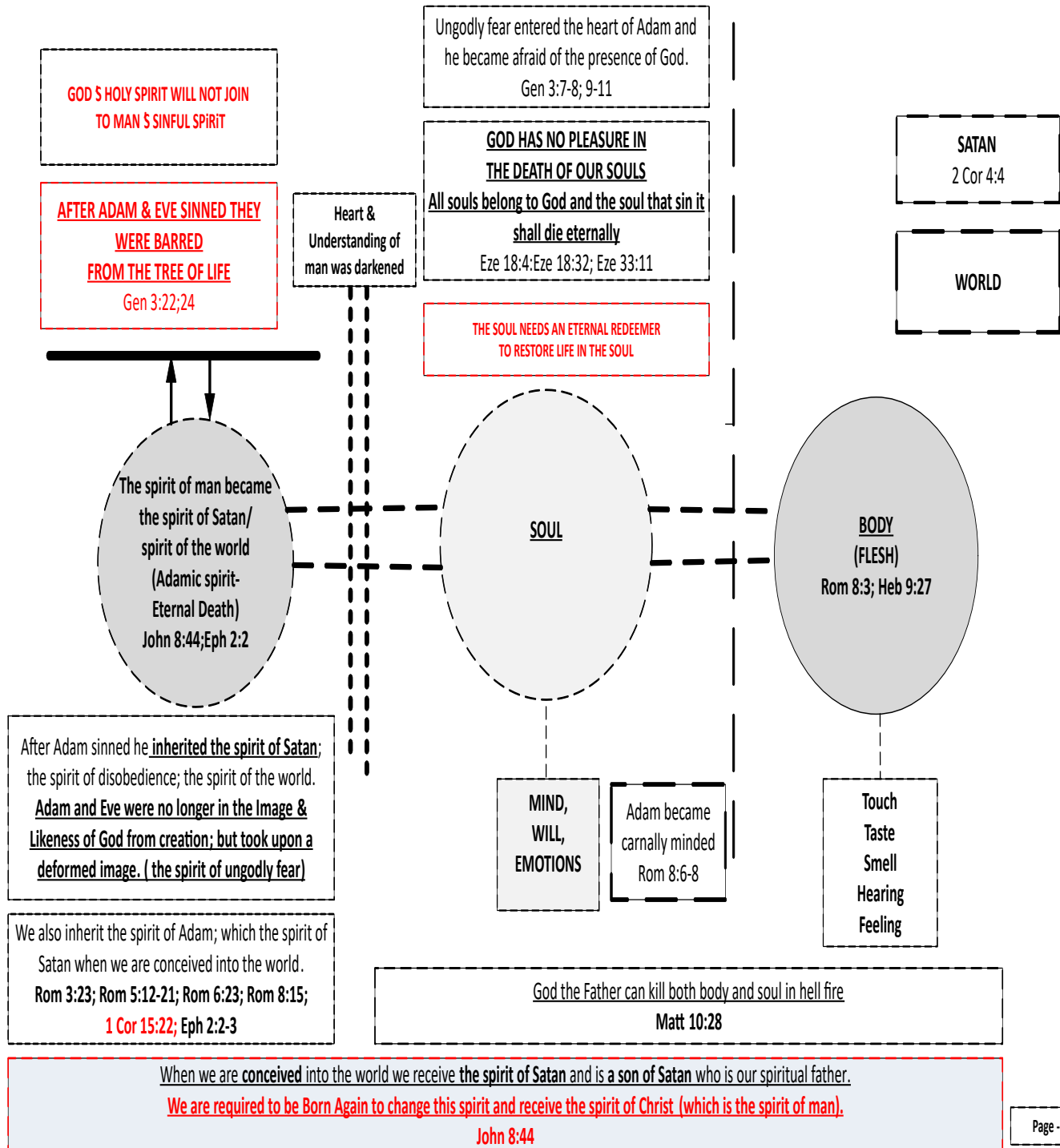
GOD HAS TO REVEAL TO US HOW WE ARE MADE UP IN HIS IMAGE AND LIKENESS

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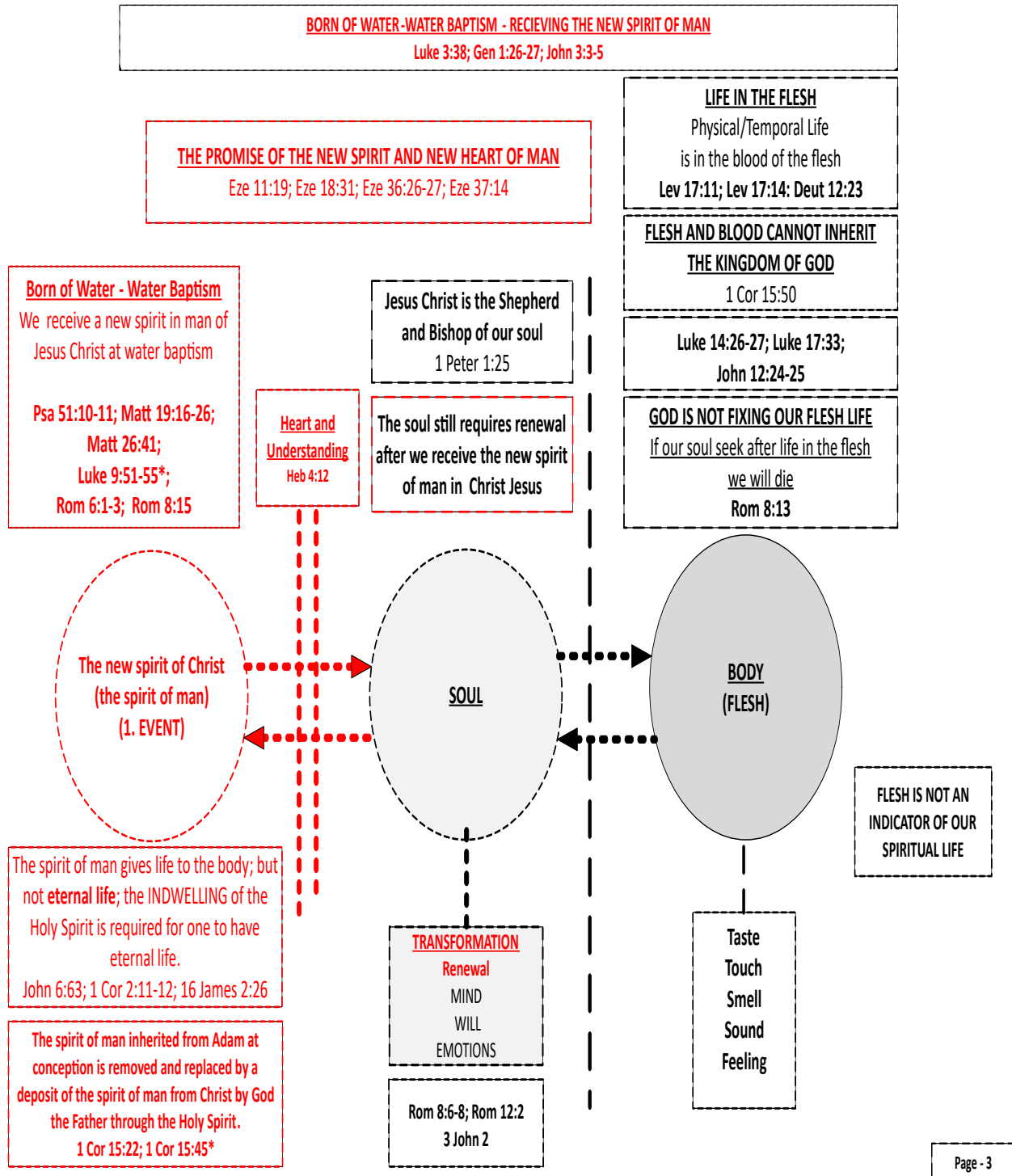
ADAM AFTER HE SINNED INHERITED THE SPIRIT OF SATAN AND HE BECAME THE SON OF SATAN

Gen 5:1-3; 1 Cor 15:22; Eph 2:2-3; **John 8:44**

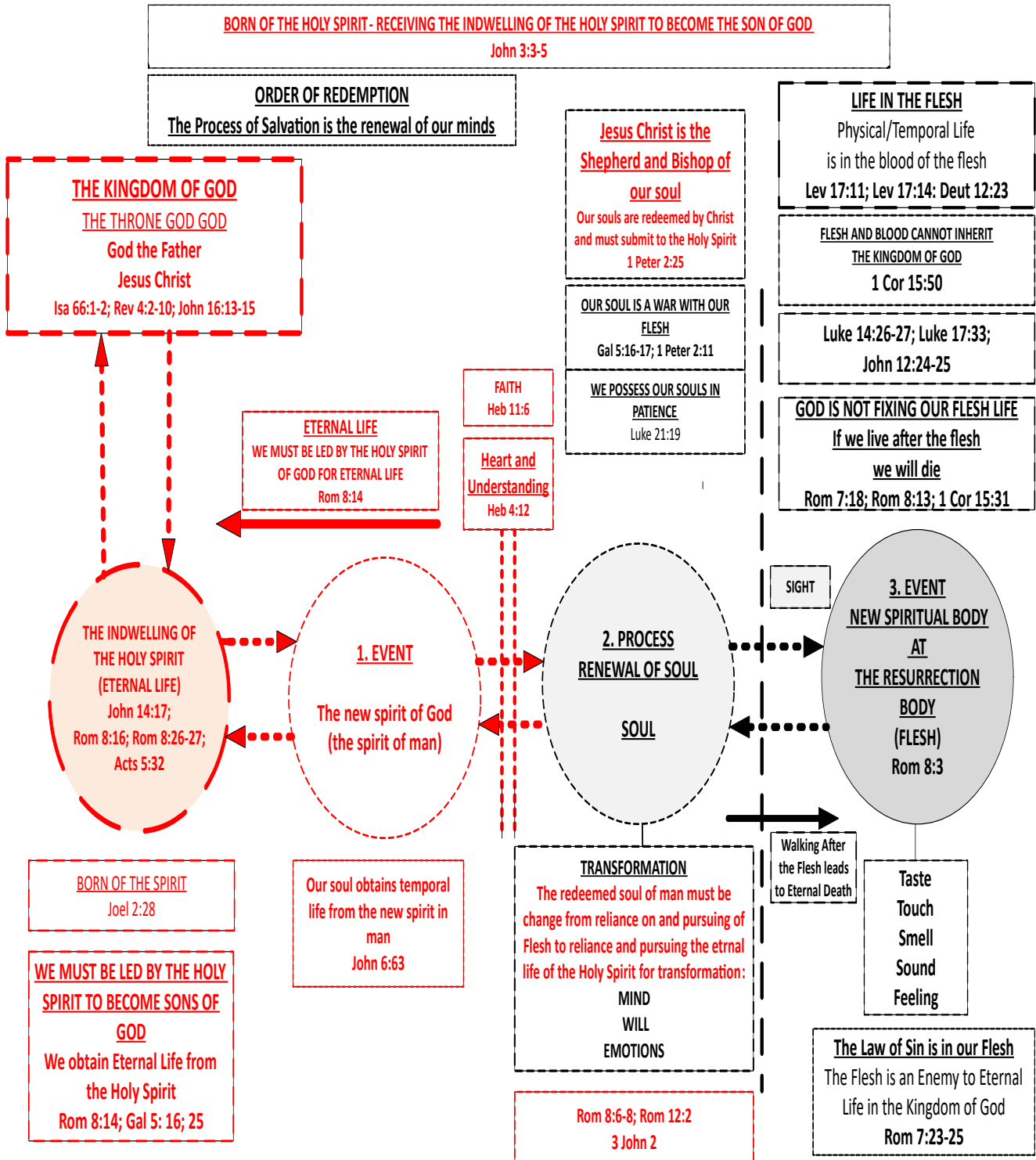


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BORN OF WATER



BORN OF SPIRIT



SPIRITUAL SONS OF GOD

WE BECOME SPIRITUAL SONS OF GOD WITH SPIRITUAL BODIES AFTER THE RESURRECTION FROM THE DEAD TO ETERNAL LIFE IN THE IMAGE AND LIKENESS OF GOD IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD

