

❖ ACTS OF THE APOSTLES CHAPTER 7

IN ACTS CHAPTER 7, LUKE THE PHYSICIAN CONTINUED TO DESCRIBE EVENTS FROM CHAPTER 6 WITH STEPHEN THE EVANGELIST, WHO BEING **FULL OF FAITH** AND **FULL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**, PROVIDED HISTORICAL ACCOUNTS OF THE NATION OF ISRAEL FROM ABRAHAM TO JESUS CHRIST BEFORE THE COUNCIL, IN DEFENSE OF THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST BEING ACCUSED OF BLASPHEMY AGAINST THE FOLLOWING IN **ACTS 6:13-14**, WHICH BOTH ENDED IN JESUS CHRIST:

1. **HOLY PLACE OF THE TEMPLE**
2. **LAW OF MOSES**

STEPHEN WOULD BECOME THE **FIRST MARTYR** BEING STONED TO DEATH IN THE CHURCH OF GOD AT JERUSALEM FOR THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

THE EVENTS DESCRIBED CONCERNING STEPHEN WOULD HAVE OCCURRED IN THE SAME YEAR OF **THE FULFILMENT OF THE PASSEVER AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST** AND **THE DAY OF PENTECOST** IN THE **FULFILLMENT OF THE ACCEPTABLE YEAR OF LORD (YEAR OF JUBILE)**, IN WHICH THE SAME HIGH PRIEST CAIAPHAS WHO WOULD HAVE CONDEMNED JESUS CHRIST TO DEATH AND WAS STILL IN THE HIGH PRIEST OFFICE CONDEMNING STEPHEN TO HIS DEATH.

STEPHEN IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE COUNCIL BY THE LEAD OF THE **HOLY SPIRIT**, PROVIDED A HISTORICAL ACCOUNT OF THE NATION OF ISRAEL FROM THE CALLING OF ABRAHAM, THE REJECTION OF JOSEPH WHO BECAME A DELIVERER, THE REJECTION OF MOSES WHO BECAME A DELIVERER TO ISRAEL FROM THE LAND OF EGYPT AND TO THE REJECTION OF JESUS CHRIST AS THE SON OF GOD, WHO IS THE DELIVERER TO THE NATION OF ISRAEL IN PROVIDING ETERNAL SALVATION.

STEPHEN WOULD HAVE BEEN AN EXAMPLE OF THE FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST UNTO **THE YOUNG MAN SAUL** BEFORE HE BECAME A DISCIPLE OF JESUS CHRIST AND AN APOSTLE NAMED PAUL.

SEE MAPS ATTACHED ON THE CALLING OF ABRAM FROM MESOPOTAMIA INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN.

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 VERSE 1

IN ACTS 7:1, LUKE THE PHYSICIAN DESCRIBED THE ACCOUNT OF **STEPHEN** IN DEFENSE OF THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE HIGH PRIEST, RULERS OF JERUSALEM AND THE FALSE WITNESSES.

THE CHAPTER BEGAN WITH THE HIGH PRIEST CAIAPHAS QUESTIONING **STEPHEN** ABOUT THE ACCUSATIONS OF THE FALSE WITNESSES.

THE HIGH PRIEST THAT YEAR WAS CAIAPHAS THE SON IN LAW OF THE HIGH PRIEST ANNAS.

THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD WAS BEING **DEFILED** BEFORE THE LORD WITH FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS BEING PROMOTED. THE LAW OF MOSES REQUIRED **ONE HIGH PRIEST AT A TIME** WHICH WAS ALLOWED ONLY TO BE CHANGED BY THE DEATH OF THE EXISTING HIGH PRIEST.

Acts 7:1 (KJV) 1 **THEN** [G1161](#) **SAID** [G2036](#) **THE HIGH PRIEST,** [G749](#) **ARE** [G1487](#) [G686](#) [G2192](#) **THESE THINGS** [G5023](#) **SO?** [G3779](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LAW OF MOSES WHICH ONLY ALLOWED ONE HIGH PRIEST AT A TIME IN THE OFFICE UNTIL THE DEATH.

Lev 21:10-12 (KJV) 10 And he that is the high [H1419](#) priest [H3548](#) among his brethren, [H251](#) upon whose head [H7218](#) the anointing [H4888](#) oil [H8081](#) was poured, [H3332](#) and that is consecrated [H4390](#) [H3027](#) to put [H3847](#) on the garments, [H899](#) shall not uncover [H6544](#) his head, [H7218](#) nor rend [H6533](#) his clothes; [H899](#)

Lev 21:11 (KJV) 11 Neither shall he go in [H935](#) to any dead [H4191](#) body, [H5315](#) nor defile [H2930](#) himself for his father, [H1](#) or for his mother; [H517](#)

Lev 21:12 (KJV) 12 Neither shall he go out [H3318](#) of the sanctuary, [H4720](#) nor profane [H2490](#) the sanctuary [H4720](#) of his God; [H430](#) for the crown [H5145](#) of the anointing [H4888](#) oil [H8081](#) of his God [H430](#) is upon him: I am the LORD. [H3068](#)

THE HIGH PRIEST AARON WAS REPLACED BY HIS SON ELEAZAR WHO BELONGED TO THE PRIESTHOOD (BEING A PRIEST BUT NOT AN HIGH PRIEST) BEFORE HIS DEATH.

Num 20:23-29 (KJV) 23 And the LORD [H3068](#) spake [H559](#) unto Moses [H4872](#) and Aaron [H175](#) in mount [H2022](#) Hor, [H2023](#) by the coast [H1366](#) of the land [H776](#) of Edom, [H123](#) saying, [H559](#)

Num 20:24 (KJV) 24 Aaron [H175](#) shall be gathered [H622](#) unto his people: [H5971](#) for he shall not enter [H935](#) into the land [H776](#) which I have given [H5414](#) unto the children [H1121](#) of Israel, [H3478](#) because ye rebelled against [H4784](#) my word [H6310](#) at the water [H4325](#) of Meribah. [H4809](#)

Num 20:25 (KJV) 25 Take [H3947](#) Aaron [H175](#) and Eleazar [H499](#) his son, [H1121](#) and bring them up [H5927](#) unto mount [H2022](#) Hor: [H2023](#)

Num 20:26 (KJV) 26 And strip [H6584](#) Aaron [H175](#) of his garments, [H899](#) and put [H3847](#) them upon Eleazar [H499](#) his son: [H1121](#) and Aaron [H175](#) shall be gathered [H622](#) unto his people, and shall die [H4191](#) there.

Num 20:27 (KJV) 27 And Moses [H4872](#) did [H6213](#) as the LORD [H3068](#) commanded: [H6680](#) and they went up [H5927](#) into mount [H2022](#) Hor [H2023](#) in the sight [H5869](#) of all the congregation. [H5712](#)

Num 20:28 (KJV) 28 And Moses [H4872](#) stripped [H6584](#) Aaron [H175](#) of his garments, [H899](#) and put [H3847](#) them upon Eleazar [H499](#) his son; [H1121](#) and Aaron [H175](#) died [H4191](#) there in the top [H7218](#) of the mount: [H2022](#) and Moses [H4872](#) and Eleazar [H499](#) came down [H3381](#) from the mount. [H2022](#)

Num 20:29 (KJV) 29 And when all the congregation [H5712](#) saw [H7200](#) that Aaron [H175](#) was dead, [H1478](#) they mourned [H1058](#) for Aaron [H175](#) thirty [H7970](#) days, [H3117](#) even all the house [H1004](#) of Israel. [H3478](#)

WE SEE BOTH ANNAS AND CAIAPHAS BEING HIGH PRIESTS IN THE SAME YEAR WHICH IS AGAINST THE LAW OF MOSES.

Luke 3:2 (KJV) 2 ANNAS [G452](#) AND [G2532](#) CAIAPHAS [G2533](#) BEING [G1909](#) THE HIGH PRIESTS, [G749](#) The word [G4487](#) of God [G2316](#) came [G1096](#) unto [G1909](#) John [G2491](#) the son [G5207](#) of Zacharias [G2197](#) in [G1722](#) the wilderness. [G2048](#)

Acts 4:6 (KJV) 6 AND G2532 ANNAS G452 THE HIGH PRIEST, G749
AND G2532 CAIAPHAS, G2533 and G2532 John, G2491 and G2532
Alexander, G223 and G2532 as many as G3745 were G2258 of G1537 the
kindred G1085 of the high priest, G748 were gathered together G4863
at G1519 Jerusalem. G2419

John 11:47-53 (KJV) 47 Then G3767 gathered G4863 the chief
priests G749 and G2532 the Pharisees G5330 a council, G4892 and G2532
said, G3004 What G5101 do we? G4160 for G3754 this G3778 man G444
doeth G4160 many G4183 miracles. G4592

John 11:48 (KJV) 48 If G1437 we let G863 him G846 thus G3779 alone, G863
all G3956 men will believe G4100 on G1519 him: G846 and G2532 the
Romans G4514 shall come G2064 and G2532 take away G142 both G2532
our G2257 place G5117 and G2532 nation. G1484

John 11:49 (KJV) 49 AND G1161 ONE G1520 G5100 OF G1537 THEM, G846
NAMED CAIAPHAS, G2533 BEING G5607 THE HIGH PRIEST G749 THAT
SAME G1565 YEAR, G1763 SAID G2036 UNTO THEM, G846 YE G5210
KNOW G1492 NOTHING AT ALL, G3756 G3762

John 11:50 (KJV) 50 Nor G3761 consider G1260 that G3754 it is
expedient G4851 for us, G2254 that G2443 one G1520 man G444 should
die G599 for G5228 the people, G2992 and G2532 that the whole G3650
nation G1484 perish G622 not. G3361

John 11:51 (KJV) 51 And G1161 this G5124 spake he G2036 not G3756
of G575 himself: G1438 but G235 being G5607 high priest G749 that G1565
year, G1763 he prophesied G4395 that G3754 Jesus G2424 should G3195
die G599 for that G5228 nation; G1484

John 11:52 (KJV) 52 And G2532 not G3756 for that G5228 nation G1484
only, G3440 but G235 that G2443 also G2532 he should gather
together G4863 in G1519 one G1520 the children G5043 of God G2316 that
were scattered abroad. G1287

John 11:53 (KJV) 53 Then G3767 from G575 that G1565 day G2250 forth
they took counsel together G4823 for to G2443 put G615 him G846 to
death. G615

THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD OFFICE BECAME PROFANE BY HAVING
TWO (2) HIGH PRIESTS IN EXISTENCE AT ONCE WHICH IS
AGAINST THE LAW OF MOSES.

John 18:12-14 (KKV) 12 Then [G3767](#) the band [G4686](#) and [G2532](#) the captain [G5506](#) and [G2532](#) officers [G5257](#) of the Jews [G2453](#) took [G4815](#) Jesus, [G2424](#) and [G2532](#) bound [G1210](#) him, [G846](#)

John 18:13 (KKV) 13 AND [G2532](#) LED [G520](#) HIM [G846](#) AWAY [G520](#) TO [G4314](#) ANNAS [G452](#) FIRST; [G4412](#) FOR [G1063](#) HE WAS [G2258](#) FATHER IN LAW [G3995](#) TO CAIAPHAS, [G2533](#) WHICH [G3739](#) WAS [G2258](#) THE HIGH PRIEST [G749](#) THAT SAME [G1565](#) YEAR. [G1763](#)

John 18:14 (KJV) 14 Now [G1161](#) Caiaphas [G2533](#) was he, [G2258](#) which [G3588](#) gave counsel [G4823](#) to the Jews, [G2453](#) that [G3754](#) it was expedient [G4851](#) that one [G1520](#) man [G444](#) should die [G622](#) for [G5228](#) the people. [G299](#)

John 18:24 (KJV) 24 NOW ANNAS [G452](#) HAD SENT [G649](#) HIM [G846](#) BOUND [G1210](#) UNTO [G4314](#) CAIAPHAS [G2533](#) THE HIGH PRIEST. [G749](#)

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 2-8

IN ACTS 7:2-8, STEPHEN BEGAN TO EXPOUND THE WORD OF GOD TO THE COUNCIL OF THE HIGH PRIEST AND RULERS BY POWER AND WISDOM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, STARTING FROM THE CALLING OF ABRAM BY THE LORD GOD TO FORSAKE HIS FATHER'S HOUSE IN UR OF THE CHALDEES IN MESOPOTAMIA, TO GO TO THE PROMISED LAND OF CANAAN IN WHICH THE COUNCIL WERE NOW DWELLING.

WHEN ABRAM RECEIVED THE FIRST CALL FROM THE LORD, HE WAS NOT OBEDIENT TO THE CALL BUT STAYED WITH HIS FATHER TERAN AND MOVED WITH HIS FATHER TO HARAN IN MESOPOTAMIA AND REMAINED IN HIS FATHER'S HOUSE.

ABRAM MAY HAVE TOLD HIS FATHER ABOUT THE CALL OF THE LORD, BUT THE CALL WAS NOT FOR THE REST OF THE FAMILY BUT ONLY FOR HIM AND HIS WIFE SARAI.

IT WAS ONLY AFTER TERAN'S DEATH THAT THE LORD CALLED OUT TO ABRAM A SECOND TIME WITH A REBUKE TO HIM, TO GET OUT OF HIS FATHER'S HOUSE IN HARAN (CHARRAN) AND TO JOURNEY TO THE LAND OF CANAAN, WHICH HE DID AND CARRIED LOT ALONG WITH HIM.

THE LORD EVENTUALLY SEPARATED **ABRAM** FROM **LOT** SO THAT ABRAM COULD BE TRANSFORMED TO RECEIVE THE PROMISES FROM THE LORD.

IN **ACTS 7:4**, STEPHEN STATED THAT ABRAHAM DWELT IN THE LAND OF CANAAN IN WHICH THE COUNCIL WERE NOW DWELLING.

STEPHEN EXPLAINED THAT ABRAM (ABRAHAM) DID NOT RECEIVE **ANY INHERITANCE IN THE LAND OF CANAAN OR EVEN SET FOOT IN THE LAND IN THE STATE OF A LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY** WHEN THE NATION OF ISRAEL INHERITED IT.

THERE IS SCRIPTURAL EVIDENCE THAT ABRAM WAS IN THE LAND OF CANAAN BEFORE IT WAS TRANSFORMED BY THE LORD INTO A LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY.

IN **ACTS 7:6-7**, STEPHEN DESCRIBED THAT IT WAS PROPHESED THAT ISRAEL WOULD BE IN BONDAGE IN THE LAND OF EGYPT FOR **FOUR HUNDRED (400) YEARS** AND THEN WOULD BE DELIVERED TO SERVE THE LORD IN THE LAND OF CANAAN.

STEPHEN **OUTLINED** THE TIMING OF THE FULFILMENT OF THE PROMISE THE LORD MADE TO ABRAHAM THAT THE NATION OF ISRAEL WILL BE DELIVERED AFTER **FOUR HUNDRED (400) YEARS** OF BONDAGE IN THE LAND OF EGYPT.

THE NATION OF ISRAEL WOULD SOJOURN IN THE LAND OF EGYPT FOR A TOTAL OF **FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY (430) YEARS**.

THE FOLLOWING LAWS WERE GIVEN BY THE LORD AFTER **THE FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY (430) YEARS**:

1. **THE LAW OF GOD** – THE LETTER OF THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WHICH OUTLINE THE BASIC DEFINITION OF SIN.

2. THE LAW OF MOSES: WHICH IS THE LAW OF WORKS AFTER THE FLESH GIVEN AS A SCHOOLMASTER TO SATISFY THE LETTER OF THE LAW OF GOD AND WHICH CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING BOOKS: (EXODUS, LEVITICUS, NUMBERS, DEUTERONOMY AND JOSHUA).

THERE IS PROPHECY THAT THE NATION OF EGYPT WILL COME TO SERVE THE TRUE AND LIVING GOD.

Acts 7:2-8 (KJV) 2 And [G1161](#) he said, [G5346](#) Men, [G435](#) brethren, [G80](#) and [G2532](#) fathers, [G3962](#) hearken; [G191](#) THE GOD [G2316](#) OF GLORY [G1391](#) APPEARED [G3700](#) UNTO OUR [G2257](#) FATHER [G3962](#) ABRAHAM, [G11](#) WHEN HE WAS [G5607](#) IN [G1722](#) MESOPOTAMIA, [G3318](#) BEFORE [G4250](#) [G2228](#) HE [G846](#) DWELT [G2730](#) IN [G1722](#) CHARRAN, [G5488](#)

Acts 7:3 (KJV) 3 And [G2532](#) said [G2036](#) unto [G4314](#) him, [G846](#) GET [G1831](#) THEE [G1537](#) OUT OF [G1537](#) THY [G4675](#) COUNTRY, [G1093](#) AND [G2532](#) FROM [G1537](#) THY [G4675](#) KINDRED, [G4772](#) AND [G2532](#) COME [G1204](#) INTO [G1519](#) THE LAND [G1093](#) WHICH [G3739](#) [G302](#) I SHALL SHEW [G1166](#) THEE. [G4671](#)

Acts 7:4 (KJV) 4 Then [G5119](#) came he [G1831](#) out of [G1537](#) the land [G1093](#) of the Chaldeans, [G5466](#) and dwelt [G2730](#) in [G1722](#) Charran: [G5488](#) and from thence, [G2547](#) when [G3326](#) his [G846](#) father [G3962](#) was dead, [G599](#) HE REMOVED [G3351](#) HIM [G846](#) INTO [G1519](#) THIS [G5026](#) LAND, [G1093](#) WHEREIN [G1519](#) [G3739](#) YE [G5210](#) NOW [G3568](#) DWELL. [G2730](#)

Acts 7:5 (KJV) 5 AND [G2532](#) HE GAVE [G1325](#) HIM [G846](#) NONE [G3756](#) INHERITANCE [G2817](#) IN [G1722](#) IT, [G846](#) NO, NOT [G3761](#) SO MUCH AS TO SET [G968](#) HIS FOOT [G4228](#) ON: [G968](#) yet [G2532](#) he promised [G1861](#) that he would give [G1325](#) it [G846](#) to him [G846](#) for [G1519](#) a possession, [G2697](#) and [G2532](#) to his [G846](#) seed [G4690](#) after [G3326](#) him, [G846](#) when as yet he [G846](#) had [G5607](#) no [G3756](#) child. [G5043](#)

Acts 7:6 (KJV) 6 And [G1161](#) God [G2316](#) spake [G2980](#) on this wise, [G3779](#) That [G3754](#) his [G846](#) seed [G4690](#) should [G2071](#) sojourn [G3941](#) in [G1722](#) a strange [G245](#) land; [G1093](#) AND [G2532](#) THAT THEY SHOULD BRING [G1402](#) THEM [G846](#) INTO BONDAGE, [G1402](#) AND [G2532](#) ENTREAT THEM EVIL [G2559](#) FOUR HUNDRED [G5071](#) YEARS. [G2094](#)

Acts 7:7 (KJV) 7 And [G2532](#) the nation [G1484](#) to whom [G3739](#) [G1437](#) they shall be in bondage [G1398](#) will [G2919](#) I [G1473](#) judge, [G2919](#) said [G2036](#) God: [G2316](#) AND [G2532](#) AFTER [G3326](#) THAT [G5023](#) SHALL THEY COME FORTH, [G1831](#) AND [G2532](#) SERVE [G3000](#) ME [G3427](#) IN [G1722](#) THIS [G5129](#) PLACE. [G5117](#)

Acts 7:8 (KJV) 8 And [G2532](#) he gave [G1325](#) him [G846](#) **THE COVENANT** [G1242](#) **OF CIRCUMCISION:** [G4061](#) and [G2532](#) so [G3779](#) Abraham begat [G1080](#) Isaac, [G2464](#) and [G2532](#) circumcised [G4059](#) him [G846](#) the eighth [G3590](#) day; [G2250](#) and [G2532](#) Isaac [G2464](#) begat Jacob; [G2384](#) and [G2532](#) Jacob [G2384](#) begat the twelve [G1427](#) patriarchs. [G3966](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON ABRAM BEING CALLED TWICE BEFORE BEING OBEDIENT TO THE LORD.

ABRAM WOULD HAVE TOLD HIS FATHER OF THE CALL FROM THE LORD TO GO TO THE LAND OF CANAAN, BUT HIS FATHER CHOSE TO LIVE IN THE LAND OF HARAN.

Gen 11:24-32 (KJV 24 And Nahor [H5152](#) lived [H2421](#) nine [H8672](#) and twenty [H6242](#) years, [H8141](#) and begat [H3205](#) Terah: [H8646](#)

Gen 11:25 (KJV 25 And Nahor [H5152](#) lived [H2421](#) after [H310](#) he begat [H3205](#) Terah [H8646](#) an hundred [H3967](#) [H8141](#) and nineteen [H6240](#) [H8672](#) years, [H8141](#) and begat [H3205](#) sons [H1121](#) and daughters. [H1323](#)

Gen 11:26 (KJV 26 And Terah [H8646](#) lived [H2421](#) seventy [H7657](#) years, [H8141](#) and begat [H3205](#) **ABRAM,** [H87](#) **NAHOR,** [H5152](#) **AND HARAN.** [H2039](#)

Gen 11:27 (KJV 27 **NOW THESE ARE THE GENERATIONS** [H8435](#) **OF TERAH:** [H8646](#) **TERAH** [H8646](#) **BEGAT** [H3205](#) **ABRAM,** [H87](#) **NAHOR,** [H5152](#) **AND HARAN;** [H2039](#) **AND HARAN** [H2039](#) **BEGAT** [H3205](#) **LOT.** [H3876](#)

Gen 11:28 (KJV 28 **AND HARAN** [H2039](#) **DIED** [H4191](#) **BEFORE** [H6440](#) **HIS FATHER** [H1](#) **TERAH** [H8646](#) **IN THE LAND** [H776](#) **OF HIS NATIVITY,** [H4138](#) **IN UR** [H218](#) **OF THE CHALDEES.** [H3778](#)

Gen 11:29 (KJV 29 And Abram [H87](#) and Nahor [H5152](#) took [H3947](#) them wives: [H802](#) **THE NAME** [H8034](#) **OF ABRAM'S** [H87](#) **WIFE** [H802](#) **WAS SARAI;** [H8297](#) and the name [H8034](#) of Nahor's [H5152](#) wife, [H802](#) Milcah, [H4435](#) the daughter [H1323](#) of Haran, [H2039](#) the father [H1](#) of Milcah, [H4435](#) and the father [H1](#) of Iscah. [H3252](#)

Gen 11:30 (KJV 30 **BUT SARAI** [H8297](#) **WAS BARREN;** [H6135](#) **SHE HAD NO CHILD.** [H2056](#)

Gen 11:31 (KJV 31 And Terah [H8646](#) took [H3947](#) Abram [H87](#) his son, [H1121](#) and Lot [H3876](#) the son [H1121](#) of Haran [H2039](#) his son's [H1121](#) son, [H1121](#) and Sarai [H8297](#) his daughter in law, [H3618](#) his son [H1121](#) Abram's [H87](#) wife; [H802](#) **AND THEY WENT FORTH** [H3318](#) **WITH THEM FROM UR** [H218](#) **OF THE CHALDEES,** [H3778](#) **TO GO** [H3212](#) **INTO THE LAND** [H776](#) **OF**

CANAAN; ^{H3667} AND THEY CAME ^{H935} UNTO HARAN, ^{H2771} AND DWELT ^{H3427} THERE.

Gen 11:32 (KJV) 32 And the days ^{H3117} of Terah ^{H8646} were two hundred ^{H3967} ^{H8141} and five ^{H2568} years: ^{H8141} AND TERAH ^{H8646} DIED ^{H4191} IN HARAN. ^{H2771}

IN GENESIS CHAPTER 12:1, THE LORD CALLED OUT TO ABRAM A SECOND TIME WITH A REBUKE TO GET OUT FROM HIS FATHER'S HOUSE IN HARAN BECAUSE ABRAM DID NOT OBEY THE FIRST CALL TO LEAVE MESOPOTAMIA, THE LAND OF THE UR OF THE CHALDEES TO COME INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN BUT LISTENED TO HIS FATHER TERAN.

Gen 12:1-7 (KJV) 1 NOW THE LORD ^{H3068} **HAD SAID** ^{H559} UNTO ABRAM, ^{H87} GET THEE OUT ^{H3212} OF THY COUNTRY, ^{H776} AND FROM THY KINDRED, ^{H4138} AND FROM THY FATHER'S ^{H1} HOUSE, ^{H1004} UNTO A LAND ^{H776} THAT I WILL SHEW ^{H7200} THEE:

Gen 12:2 (KJV) 2 And I will make of thee ^{H6213} a great ^{H1419} nation, ^{H1471} and I will bless ^{H1288} thee, and make ^{H1431} thy name ^{H8034} great; ^{H1431} and thou shalt be a blessing: ^{H1293}

Gen 12:3 (KJV) 3 And I will bless ^{H1288} them that bless ^{H1288} thee, and curse ^{H779} him that curseth ^{H7043} thee: and in thee shall all families ^{H4940} of the earth ^{H127} be blessed. ^{H1288}

Gen 12:4 (KJV) 4 So Abram ^{H87} departed, ^{H3212} as the LORD ^{H3068} had spoken ^{H1696} unto him; and Lot ^{H3876} went ^{H3212} with him: and Abram ^{H87} was seventy ^{H7657} ^{H8141} and five ^{H2568} years ^{H8141} old ^{H1121} when he departed ^{H3318} out of Haran. ^{H2771}

Gen 12:5 (KJV) 5 And Abram ^{H87} took ^{H3947} Sarai ^{H8297} his wife, ^{H802} and Lot ^{H3876} his brother's ^{H251} son, ^{H1121} and all their substance ^{H7399} that they had gathered, ^{H7408} and the souls ^{H5315} that they had gotten ^{H6213} in Haran; ^{H2771} AND THEY WENT FORTH ^{H3318} TO GO ^{H3212} INTO THE LAND ^{H776} OF CANAAN; ^{H3667} AND INTO THE LAND ^{H776} OF CANAAN ^{H3667} THEY CAME. ^{H935}

Gen 12:6 (KJV) 6 And Abram ^{H87} passed through ^{H5674} the land ^{H776} unto the place ^{H4725} of Sichem, ^{H7927} unto the plain ^{H436} of Moreh. ^{H4176} And the Canaanite ^{H3669} was then ^{H227} in the land. ^{H776}

Gen 12:7 (KJV) 7 AND THE LORD ^{H3068} APPEARED ^{H7200} UNTO ABRAM, ^{H87} AND SAID, ^{H559} UNTO THY SEED ^{H2233} WILL I GIVE ^{H5414} THIS ^{H2063} LAND: ^{H776} and there builded ^{H1129} he an altar ^{H4196} unto the LORD, ^{H3068} who appeared ^{H7200} unto him.

THE LORD SEPARATED LOT FROM ABRAM IN ORDER TO TRANSFORM ABRAM TO RECEIVE THE PHYSICAL AND SPIRITUAL PROMISES.

ABRAM DWELT IN MAMRE, WHICH IS IN HEBRON WHICH CAME TO BE THE LAND OF JUDAH.

Gen 13:14-18 (KJV) 14 AND THE LORD ^{H3068} SAID ^{H559} UNTO ABRAM, ^{H87} AFTER ^{H310} THAT LOT ^{H3876} WAS SEPARATED ^{H6504} FROM HIM. Lift up ^{H5375} now thine eyes, ^{H5869} and look ^{H7200} from the place ^{H4725} where thou art northward, ^{H6828} and southward, ^{H5045} and eastward, ^{H6924} and westward: ^{H3220}

Gen 13:15 (KJV) 15 For all the land ^{H776} which thou seest, ^{H7200} to thee will I give it, ^{H5414} and to thy seed ^{H2233} for ^{H5704} ever. ^{H5769}

Gen 13:16 (KJV) 16 And I will make ^{H7760} thy seed ^{H2233} as the dust ^{H6083} of the earth: ^{H776} so that ^{H834} if a man ^{H376} can ^{H3201} number ^{H4487} the dust ^{H6083} of the earth, ^{H776} then shall thy seed ^{H2233} also be numbered. ^{H4487}

Gen 13:17 (KJV) 17 ARISE, ^{H6965} WALK ^{H1980} THROUGH THE LAND ^{H776} IN THE LENGTH ^{H753} OF IT AND IN THE BREADTH ^{H7341} OF IT; FOR I WILL GIVE ^{H5414} IT UNTO THEE.

Gen 13:18 (KJV) 18 Then Abram ^{H87} removed his tent, ^{H167} and came ^{H935} and dwelt ^{H3427} in the plain ^{H436} of Mamre, ^{H4471} which is in Hebron, ^{H2275} and built ^{H1129} there an altar ^{H4196} unto the LORD. ^{H3068}

Gen 15:1-7 (KJV) 1 After ^{H310} these things ^{H1697} the word ^{H1697} of the LORD ^{H3068} came ^{H1961} unto Abram ^{H87} in a vision, ^{H4236} saying, ^{H559} Fear ^{H3372} not, Abram: ^{H87} I am thy shield, ^{H4043} and thy exceeding ^{H3966} great ^{H7235} reward.

Gen 15:2 (KJV) 2 And Abram ^{H87} said, ^{H559} Lord ^{H136} GOD, ^{H3069} what wilt thou give ^{H5414} me, seeing I go ^{H1980} childless, ^{H6185} and the steward ^{H1121} ^{H4943} of my house ^{H1004} is this ^{H1931} Eliezer ^{H461} of Damascus?

Gen 15:3 (KJV) 3 And Abram ^{H87} said, ^{H559} Behold, to me thou hast given ^{H5414} no ^{H3808} seed: ^{H2233} and, lo, one born ^{H1121} in my house ^{H1004} is mine heir.

Gen 15:4 (KJV) 4 And, behold, the word ^{H1697} of the LORD ^{H3068} came unto him, saying, ^{H559} This shall not be thine heir; ^{H3423} but

he that shall come forth [H3318](#) out of thine own bowels [H4578](#) shall be thine heir.

Gen 15:5 (KJV) 5 And he brought him forth [H3318](#) abroad, [H2351](#) and said, [H559](#) Look [H5027](#) now toward heaven, [H8064](#) and tell [H5608](#) the stars, [H3556](#) if thou be able [H3201](#) to number [H5608](#) them: and he said [H559](#) unto him, So [H3541](#) shall thy seed [H2233](#) be.

Gen 15:6 (KJV) 6 And he believed [H539](#) in the LORD; [H3068](#) and he counted [H2803](#) it to him for righteousness.

Gen 15:7 (KJV) 7 And he said [H559](#) unto him, I AM THE LORD [H3068](#) THAT BROUGHT THEE OUT [H3318](#) OF UR [H218](#) OF THE CHALDEES, [H3778](#) TO GIVE [H5414](#) THEE THIS LAND [H776](#) TO INHERIT [H3423](#) IT.

Gen 15:8 (KJV) 8 And he said, [H559](#) Lord [H136](#) GOD, [H3069](#) whereby [H4100](#) shall I know [H3045](#) that I shall inherit it? [H3423](#)

Gen 24:10 (KJV) 10 And the servant [H5650](#) took [H3947](#) ten [H6235](#) camels [H1581](#) of the camels [H1581](#) of his master, [H113](#) and departed; [H3212](#) for all the goods [H2898](#) of his master [H113](#) were in his hand: [H3027](#) and he arose, [H6965](#) AND WENT [H3212](#) TO MESOPOTAMIA, [H763](#) UNTO THE CITY [H5892](#) OF NAHOR. [H5152](#)

JACOB WAS A DESCENDANT OF HIS GREAT GRANDFATHER TERAH WHO WAS A SYRIAN.

Deut 26:5 (KJV) 5 And thou shalt speak [H6030](#) and say [H559](#) before [H6440](#) the LORD [H3068](#) thy God, [H430](#) A SYRIAN [H761](#) READY TO PERISH [H6](#) WAS MY FATHER, [H1](#) AND HE WENT DOWN [H3381](#) INTO EGYPT, [H4714](#) and sojourned [H1481](#) there with [H4962](#) a few, [H4592](#) and became there a nation, [H1471](#) great, [H1419](#) mighty, [H6099](#) and populous: [H7227](#)

NEHEMIAH DESCRIBED THE CALLING OF ABRAM BY THE LORD TO BE CALLED ABRAHAM.

Neh 9:7-8 (KJV) 7 Thou art the LORD [H3068](#) the God, [H430](#) who didst choose [H977](#) Abram, [H87](#) and broughtest him forth [H3318](#) out of UR [H218](#) OF THE CHALDEES, [H3778](#) AND GAVEST [H7760](#) HIM THE NAME [H8034](#) OF ABRAHAM;

Neh 9:8 (KJV) 8 AND FOUNDEST [H4672](#) HIS HEART [H3824](#) FAITHFUL [H539](#) BEFORE [H6440](#) THEE, AND MADEST [H3772](#) A COVENANT [H1285](#) WITH HIM TO GIVE [H5414](#) THE LAND [H776](#) OF THE

CANAANITES, [H3669](#) the Hittites, [H2850](#) the Amorites, [H567](#) and the Perizzites, [H6522](#) and the Jebusites, [H2983](#) and the Girgashites, [H1622](#) to give [H5414](#) it, I say, to his seed, [H2233](#) and hast performed [H6965](#) thy words; [H1697](#) for thou art righteous:

THE APOSTLE PAUL STATED THAT ABRAHAM SOJOURNED IN THE LAND OF CANAAN BEFORE IT BECAME IN THE STATE OF A LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY.

Heb 11:8-10 (KJV) 8 By faith [G4102](#) Abraham, [G11](#) when he was called [G2564](#) to go out [G1831](#) into [G1519](#) a place [G5117](#) which [G3739](#) he should after [G3195](#) receive [G2983](#) for [G1519](#) an inheritance, [G2817](#) obeyed; [G5219](#) and [G2532](#) he went out, [G1831](#) not [G3361](#) knowing [G1987](#) whither [G4226](#) he went.

Heb 11:9 (KJV) 9 BY FAITH [G4102](#) HE SOJOURNED [G3939](#) IN [G1519](#) THE LAND [G1093](#) OF PROMISE, [G1860](#) as [G5613](#) in a strange country, [G245](#) dwelling [G2730](#) in [G1722](#) tabernacles [G4633](#) with [G3326](#) Isaac [G2464](#) and [G2532](#) Jacob, [G2384](#) the heirs with him [G4789](#) of the same [G846](#) promise:

Heb 11:10 (KJV) 10 For [G1063](#) he looked for [G1551](#) a city [G4172](#) which hath [G2192](#) foundations, [G2310](#) whose [G3739](#) builder [G5079](#) and [G2532](#) maker [G1217](#) is God.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON FORSAKING FAMILY TO BE OBEDIENT TO THE CALL OF THE LORD.

Luke 14:26-27 (KJV) 26 If any [G1536](#) man come [G2064](#) to [G4314](#) me, [G3165](#) and [G2532](#) hate [G3404](#) not [G3756](#) his [G1438](#) father, [G3962](#) and [G2532](#) mother, [G3384](#) and [G2532](#) wife, [G1135](#) and [G2532](#) children, [G5043](#) and [G2532](#) brethren, [G80](#) and [G2532](#) sisters, [G79](#) yea, [G2089](#) and [G1161](#) his own [G1438](#) life [G5590](#) also, [G2532](#) he cannot [G3756](#) [G1410](#) be [G1511](#) my [G3450](#) disciple. [G3101](#)
Luke 14:27 (KJV) 27 And [G2532](#) whosoever [G3748](#) doth [G941](#) not [G3756](#) bear [G941](#) his [G846](#) cross, [G4716](#) and [G2532](#) come [G2064](#) after [G3694](#) me, [G3450](#) cannot [G3756](#) [G1410](#) be [G1511](#) my [G3450](#) disciple. [G3101](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PROPHECY THAT ISRAEL WILL BE IN BONDAGE FOR FOUR HUNDRED (400) YEARS.

THE APOSTLE PAUL EXPLAINED THAT THE LAW OF MOSES WHICH WAS A LAW OF WORKS TO FULFIL THE LETTER OF THE

LAW OF GOD WAS GIVEN FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY (430) YEARS AFTER THE PROMISE TO ABRAHAM.

THE THIRTY (30) YEARS WAS WHEN JOSEPH AND THE SEVENTY (75) SOULS WERE IN EGYPT BEFORE BONDAGE BY THE NEW PHARAOH.

Gen 15:13-16 (KJV) 13 And he said [H559](#) unto Abram, [H87](#) Know [H3045](#) of a surety [H3045](#) that thy seed [H2233](#) shall be a stranger [H1616](#) in a land [H776](#) that is not theirs, and shall serve [H5647](#) them; **AND THEY SHALL AFFLICT [H6031](#) THEM FOUR [H702](#) HUNDRED [H3967](#) YEARS;** [H8141](#)

Gen 15:14 (KJV) 14 And also that nation, [H1471](#) whom they shall serve, [H5647](#) will I judge: [H1777](#) and afterward [H310](#) [H3651](#) shall they come out [H3318](#) with great [H1419](#) substance. [H7399](#)

Gen 15:15 (KJV) 15 And thou shalt go [H935](#) to thy fathers [H1](#) in peace; [H7965](#) thou shalt be buried [H6912](#) in a good [H2896](#) old age. [H7872](#)

Gen 15:16 (KJV) 16 But in the fourth [H7243](#) generation [H1755](#) they shall come hither [H2008](#) again: [H7725](#) **FOR THE INIQUITY [H5771](#) OF THE AMORITES [H567](#) IS NOT YET [H2008](#) FULL.** [H8003](#)

IT WAS DURING THESE THIRTY (30) YEARS THAT THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL INCREASED IN NUMBERS IN THE LAND OF EGYPT.

EX 1:5-10 (KJV) 5 And all the souls [H5315](#) that came out [H3318](#) of the loins [H3409](#) of Jacob [H3290](#) **WERE SEVENTY [H7657](#) SOULS:** [H5315](#) for Joseph [H3130](#) was in Egypt [H4714](#) already.

EX 1:6 (KJV) 6 And Joseph [H3130](#) died, [H4191](#) and all his brethren, [H251](#) and all that generation. [H1755](#)

EX 1:7 (KJV) 7 And the children [H1121](#) of Israel [H3478](#) were fruitful, [H6509](#) and increased abundantly, [H8317](#) and multiplied, [H7235](#) and waxed exceeding [H3966](#) [H3966](#) mighty; [H6105](#) and the land [H776](#) was filled [H4390](#) with them.

EX 1:8 (KJV) 8 Now there arose up [H6965](#) a new [H2319](#) king [H4428](#) over Egypt, [H4714](#) which knew [H3045](#) not Joseph. [H3130](#)

EX 1:9 (KJV) 9 And he said [H559](#) unto his people, [H5971](#) Behold, the people [H5971](#) of the children [H1121](#) of Israel [H3478](#) are more [H7227](#) and mightier [H6099](#) than we:

EX 1:10 (KJV) 10 Come on, [H3051](#) let us deal wisely [H2449](#) with them; lest they multiply, [H7235](#) and it come to pass, that, when there falleth

out [H7122](#) any war, [H4421](#) they [H1931](#) join [H3254](#) also unto our enemies, [H8130](#) and fight [H3898](#) against us, and so get them up [H5927](#) out of the land. [H776](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PROMISE OF THE LORD TO CARRY THE NATION OF ISRAEL FROM THE BONDAGE OF THE LAND OF EGYPT INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN WHICH WOULD BE A LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY.

EX 3:7-8 (KJV) 7 And the LORD [H3068](#) said, [H559](#) I have surely [H7200](#) seen [H7200](#) the affliction [H6040](#) of my people [H5971](#) which are in Egypt, [H4714](#) and have heard [H8085](#) their cry [H6818](#) by reason [H6440](#) of their taskmasters; [H5065](#) for I know [H3045](#) their sorrows; [H4341](#)

EX 3:8 (KJV) 8 And I am come down [H3381](#) to deliver [H5337](#) them out of the hand [H3027](#) of the Egyptians, [H4714](#) and to bring [H5927](#) them up out of that land [H776](#) UNTO A GOOD [H2896](#) LAND [H776](#) AND A LARGE, [H7342](#) UNTO A LAND [H776](#) FLOWING [H2100](#) WITH MILK [H2461](#) AND HONEY; [H1706](#) unto the place [H4725](#) of the Canaanites, [H3669](#) and the Hittites, [H2850](#) and the Amorites, [H567](#) and the Perizzites, [H6522](#) and the Hivites, [H2340](#) and the Jebusites. [H2983](#)

MOSES WROTE IN THE BOOK OF EXODUS THAT THE SOJOURNING OF THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL IN THE LAND OF EGYPT WAS FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY (430) YEARS:

1. THE LORD MULTIPLIED THE SEVENTY-FIVE (75) SOULS THAT CAME INTO THE LAND OF EGYPT FOR THE FIRST THIRTY (30) YEARS.
2. THE NEXT FOUR HUNDRED (400) YEARS THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL WERE IN BONDAGE.

EX 12:40-41 (KJV) 40 Now the sojourning [H4186](#) of the children [H1121](#) of Israel, [H3478](#) who dwelt [H3427](#) in Egypt, [H4714](#) was FOUR [H702](#) HUNDRED [H3967](#) [H8141](#) AND THIRTY [H7970](#) YEARS. [H8141](#)

EX 12:41 (KJV) 41 AND IT CAME TO PASS AT THE END [H7093](#) OF THE FOUR [H702](#) HUNDRED [H3967](#) [H8141](#) AND THIRTY [H7970](#) YEARS, [H8141](#) EVEN THE SELFSAME [H6106](#) DAY [H3117](#) IT CAME TO PASS, THAT ALL THE HOSTS [H6635](#) OF THE LORD [H3068](#) WENT OUT [H3318](#) FROM THE LAND [H776](#) OF EGYPT. [H4714](#)

Num 33:1-4 (KJV) 1 THESE ARE THE JOURNEYS ^{H4550} OF THE CHILDREN ^{H1121} OF ISRAEL, ^{H3478} WHICH WENT FORTH ^{H3318} OUT OF THE LAND ^{H776} OF EGYPT ^{H4714} WITH THEIR ARMIES ^{H6635} UNDER THE HAND ^{H3027} OF MOSES ^{H4872} AND AARON. ^{H175}

Num 33:2 (KJV) 2 And Moses ^{H4872} wrote ^{H3789} their goings out ^{H4161} according to their journeys ^{H4550} by the commandment ^{H6310} of the LORD: ^{H3068} and these are their journeys ^{H4550} according to their goings out. ^{H4161}

Num 33:3 (KJV) 3 AND THEY DEPARTED ^{H5265} FROM RAMESES ^{H7486} IN THE FIRST ^{H7223} MONTH, ^{H2320} ON THE FIFTEENTH ^{H6240 H2568} DAY ^{H3117} OF THE FIRST ^{H7223} MONTH; ^{H2320} ON THE MORROW ^{H4283} AFTER THE PASSEVER ^{H6453} THE CHILDREN ^{H1121} OF ISRAEL ^{H3478} WENT OUT ^{H3318} WITH AN HIGH ^{H7311} HAND ^{H3027} IN THE SIGHT ^{H5869} OF ALL THE EGYPTIANS. ^{H4714}

Num 33:4 (KJV) 4 For the Egyptians ^{H4714} buried ^{H6912} all *their* firstborn, ^{H1060} which the LORD ^{H3068} had smitten ^{H5221} among them: upon their gods ^{H430} also the LORD ^{H3068} executed ^{H6213} judgments. ^{H8201}

THE APOSTLE PAUL EXPLAINED THAT THE LAW OF MOSES CAME FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY (430) YEARS AFTER THE PROMISE WAS CONFIRMED WITH ABRAHAM.

Gal 3:16-17 (KJV) 16 Now ^{G1161} to Abraham ^{G11} and ^{G2532} his ^{G846} seed ^{G4690} were ^{G4483} the promises ^{G1860} made. ^{G4483} He saith ^{G3004} not, ^{G3756} And ^{G2532} to seeds, ^{G4690} as ^{G5613} of ^{G1909} many; ^{G4183} but ^{G235} as ^{G5613} of ^{G1909} one, ^{G1520} And ^{G2532} to thy ^{G4675} seed, ^{G4690} which ^{G3739} is ^{G2076} Christ. ^{G5547}

Gal 3:17 (KJV) 17 And ^{G1161} this ^{G5124} I say, ^{G3004} that the covenant, ^{G1242} that was confirmed before ^{G4300} of ^{G5259} God ^{G2316} in ^{G1519} Christ, ^{G5547} the law, ^{G3551} WHICH WAS ^{G1096} FOUR HUNDRED ^{G5071} AND ^{G2532} THIRTY ^{G5144} YEARS ^{G2094} AFTER, ^{G3326} cannot ^{G3756} disannul, ^{G208} that ^{G1519} it should make ^{G2673} the promise ^{G1860} of none effect. ^{G2673}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LORD CONFIRMING THE COVENANT IN JACOB ENTERING THE LAND OF EGYPT AND

THAT THE LORD WILL BRING THE NATION OF ISRAEL UP AGAIN INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN.

Gen 46:1-4 (KJV) 1 And Israel [H3478](#) took his journey [H5265](#) with all that he had, and came [H935](#) to Beersheba, [H884](#) and offered [H2076](#) sacrifices [H2077](#) unto the God [H430](#) of his father [H1](#) Isaac. [H3327](#)

Gen 46:2 (KJV) 2 And God [H430](#) spake [H559](#) unto Israel [H3478](#) in the visions [H4759](#) of the night, [H3915](#) and said, [H559](#) Jacob, [H3290](#) Jacob. [H3290](#) And he said, [H559](#) Here am I.

Gen 46:3 (KJV) 3 And he said, [H559](#) I am God, [H410](#) the God [H430](#) of thy father: [H1](#) fear [H3372](#) not to go down [H3381](#) into Egypt; [H4714](#) for I will there make [H7760](#) of thee a great [H1419](#) nation: [H1471](#)

Gen 46:4 (KJV) 4 I WILL GO DOWN [H3381](#) WITH THEE INTO EGYPT; [H4714](#) AND I WILL ALSO SURELY [H5927](#) BRING THEE UP [H5927](#) AGAIN; and Joseph [H3130](#) shall put [H7896](#) his hand [H3027](#) upon thine eyes. [H5869](#)

THE LAW OF MOSES WHICH IS THE FIRST COVENANT BOOK OF THE COVENANT THAT WAS GIVEN TO THE NATION OF ISRAEL AFTER THEY LEFT THE LAND OF CANAAN.

Heb 9:8 (KJV) 8 The Holy [G40](#) Ghost [G4151](#) this [G5124](#) signifying, [G1213](#) that the way [G3598](#) into the holiest of all [G39](#) was [G5319](#) not yet [G3380](#) made manifest, [G5319](#) while as the first [G4413](#) tabernacle [G4633](#) was [G2192](#) yet [G2089](#) standing: [G4714](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PROPHECY THAT EGYPT WILL SERVE THE LORD IN THE LAND OF CANAAN AFTER THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST.

Isa 19:16-25 (KJV) 16 IN THAT DAY [H3117](#) SHALL EGYPT [H4714](#) BE LIKE UNTO WOMEN: [H802](#) and it shall be afraid [H2729](#) and fear [H6342](#) because [H6440](#) of the shaking [H8573](#) of the hand [H3027](#) of the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts, [H6635](#) which he shaketh [H5130](#) over it.

Isa 19:17 (KJV) 17 And the land [H127](#) of Judah [H3063](#) shall be a terror [H2283](#) unto Egypt, [H4714](#) every one that maketh mention [H2142](#) thereof shall be afraid [H6342](#) in himself, because [H6440](#) of the counsel [H6098](#) of the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts, [H6635](#) which he hath determined [H3289](#) against it.

Isa 19:18 (KJV) 18 IN THAT DAY [H3117](#) SHALL FIVE [H2568](#) CITIES [H5892](#) IN THE LAND [H776](#) OF EGYPT [H4714](#) SPEAK [H1696](#) THE LANGUAGE [H8193](#) OF CANAAN, [H3667](#) AND SWEAR [H7650](#) TO THE LORD [H3068](#) OF HOSTS; [H6635](#) one [H259](#) shall be called, [H559](#) The city [H5892](#) of destruction. [H2041](#)

Isa 19:19 (KJV) 19 IN THAT DAY [H3117](#) SHALL THERE BE AN ALTAR [H4196](#) TO THE LORD [H3068](#) IN THE MIDST [H8432](#) OF THE LAND [H776](#) OF EGYPT, [H4714](#) AND A PILLAR [H4676](#) AT [H681](#) THE BORDER [H1366](#) THEREOF TO THE LORD. [H3068](#)

Isa 19:20 (KJV) 20 And it shall be for a sign [H226](#) and for a witness [H5707](#) unto the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts [H6635](#) in the land [H776](#) of Egypt: [H4714](#) for they shall cry [H6817](#) unto the LORD [H3068](#) because [H6440](#) of the oppressors, [H3905](#) and he shall send [H7971](#) them a saviour, [H3467](#) and a great one, [H7227](#) and he shall deliver [H5337](#) them.

Isa 19:21 (KJV) 21 AND THE LORD [H3068](#) SHALL BE KNOWN [H3045](#) TO EGYPT, [H4714](#) AND THE EGYPTIANS [H4714](#) SHALL KNOW [H3045](#) THE LORD [H3068](#) IN THAT DAY, [H3117](#) AND SHALL DO [H5647](#) SACRIFICE [H2077](#) AND OBLATION; [H4503](#) YEA, THEY SHALL VOW [H5087](#) A VOW [H5088](#) UNTO THE LORD, [H3068](#) AND PERFORM [H7999](#) IT.

Isa 19:22 (KJV) 22 And the LORD [H3068](#) shall smite [H5062](#) Egypt: [H4714](#) he shall smite [H5062](#) and heal [H7495](#) it: and they shall return [H7725](#) even to the LORD, [H3068](#) and he shall be intreated [H6279](#) of them, and shall heal [H7495](#) them.

Isa 19:23 (KJV) 23 In that day [H3117](#) shall there be a highway [H4546](#) out of Egypt [H4714](#) to Assyria, [H804](#) and the Assyrian [H804](#) shall come [H935](#) into Egypt, [H4714](#) and the Egyptian [H4714](#) into Assyria, [H804](#) and the Egyptians [H4714](#) shall serve [H5647](#) with the Assyrians. [H804](#)

Isa 19:24 (KJV) 24 In that day [H3117](#) shall Israel [H3478](#) be the third [H7992](#) with Egypt [H4714](#) and with Assyria, [H804](#) even a blessing [H1293](#) in the midst [H7130](#) of the land: [H776](#)

Isa 19:25 (KJV) 25 Whom the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts [H6635](#) shall bless, [H1288](#) saying, [H559](#) Blessed [H1288](#) be Egypt [H4714](#) my people, [H5971](#) and Assyria [H804](#) the work [H4639](#) of my hands, [H3027](#) and Israel [H3478](#) mine inheritance. [H5159](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PROPHECY OF EGYPT AFTER THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST.

Zech 14:16-19 (KJV) 16 And it shall come to pass, that every one that is left [H3498](#) of all the nations [H1471](#) which came [H935](#) against Jerusalem [H3389](#) shall even go up [H5927](#) from [H1767](#) year [H8141](#) to year [H8141](#) to worship [H7812](#) the King, [H4428](#) the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts, [H6635](#) and to keep [H2287](#) the feast [H2282](#) of tabernacles. [H5521](#)

Zech 14:17 (KJV) 17 And it shall be, that whoso will not come up [H5927](#) of all the families [H4940](#) of the earth [H776](#) unto Jerusalem [H3389](#) to worship [H7812](#) the King, [H4428](#) the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts, [H6635](#) even upon them shall be no rain. [H1653](#)

Zech 14:18 (KJV) 18 AND IF THE FAMILY [H4940](#) OF EGYPT [H4714](#) GO NOT UP, [H5927](#) and come [H935](#) not, that have no rain; there shall be the plague, [H4046](#) wherewith the LORD [H3068](#) will smite [H5062](#) the heathen [H1471](#) that come not up [H5927](#) to keep [H2287](#) the feast [H2282](#) of tabernacles. [H5521](#)

Zech 14:19 (KJV) 19 THIS SHALL BE THE PUNISHMENT [H2403](#) OF EGYPT, [H4714](#) and the punishment [H2403](#) of all nations [H1471](#) that come not up [H5927](#) to keep [H2287](#) the feast [H2282](#) of tabernacles. [H5521](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LAW OF CIRCUMCISION.

Gen 17:9-13 (KJV) 9 And God [H430](#) said [H559](#) unto Abraham, [H85](#) Thou shalt keep [H8104](#) my covenant [H1285](#) therefore, thou, and thy seed [H2233](#) after thee [H310](#) in their generations.

Gen 17:10 (KJV) 10 THIS IS MY COVENANT, [H1285](#) WHICH YE SHALL KEEP, [H8104](#) BETWEEN ME AND YOU AND THY SEED [H2233](#) AFTER THEE; [H310](#) EVERY MAN CHILD [H2145](#) AMONG YOU SHALL BE CIRCUMCISED.

Gen 17:11 (KJV) 11 And ye shall circumcise [H5243](#) the flesh [H1320](#) of your foreskin; [H6190](#) and it shall be a token [H226](#) of the covenant [H1285](#) betwixt me and you.

Gen 17:12 (KJV) 12 And he that is eight [H8083](#) days [H3117](#) old [H1121](#) shall be circumcised [H4135](#) among you, every man child [H2145](#) in your generations, [H1755](#) he that is born [H3211](#) in the house, [H1004](#) or bought [H4736](#) with money [H3701](#) of any stranger, [H1121](#) [H5236](#) which is not of thy seed.

Gen 17:13 (KJV) 13 He that is born [H3211](#) in thy house, [H1004](#) and he that is bought [H4736](#) with thy money, [H3701](#) must needs [H4135](#) be circumcised: [H4135](#) and my covenant [H1285](#) shall be in your flesh [H1320](#) for an everlasting [H5769](#) covenant.

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 9-16

IN ACTS 7:9-16, STEPHEN THEN CONTINUED THE HISTORY OF THE NATION OF ISRAEL WITH THE ROLE THE LORD ALLOWED JOSEPH TO HAVE IN ISRAEL DWELLING IN EGYPT. JOSEPH WHO WAS REJECTED BY HIS BROTHERS WAS A DELIVERER IN EGYPT FOR THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL IN THE LAND OF CANAAN DURING THE FAMINE.

Acts 7:9-16 (KJV) 9 And [G2532](#) the patriarchs, [G3966](#) moved with envy, [G2206](#) sold [G591](#) Joseph [G2501](#) into [G1519](#) Egypt: [G125](#) but [G2532](#) God [G2316](#) was [G2258](#) with [G3326](#) him, [G846](#)

Acts 7:10 (KJV) 10 And [G2532](#) delivered [G1807](#) him [G846](#) out of [G1537](#) all [G3956](#) his [G846](#) afflictions, [G2347](#) and [G2532](#) gave [G1325](#) him [G846](#) favour [G5485](#) and [G2532](#) wisdom [G4678](#) in the sight [G1726](#) of Pharaoh [G5328](#) king [G935](#) of Egypt; [G125](#) and [G2532](#) he made [G2525](#) him [G846](#) governor [G2233](#) over [G1909](#) Egypt [G125](#) and [G2532](#) all [G3650](#) his [G846](#) house. [G3624](#)

Acts 7:11 (KJV) 11 Now [G1161](#) there came [G2064](#) a dearth [G3042](#) over [G1909](#) all [G3650](#) the land [G1093](#) of Egypt [G125](#) and [G2532](#) Chanaan, [G5477](#) and [G2532](#) great [G3173](#) affliction: [G2347](#) and [G2532](#) our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) found [G2147](#) no [G3756](#) sustenance. [G5527](#)

Acts 7:12 (KJV) 12 But [G1161](#) when Jacob [G2384](#) heard [G191](#) that there was [G5607](#) corn [G4621](#) in [G1722](#) Egypt, [G125](#) he sent out [G1821](#) our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) first. [G4412](#)

Acts 7:13 (KJV) 13 And [G2532](#) at [G1722](#) the second [G1208](#) time Joseph [G2501](#) was made known [G319](#) to his [G846](#) brethren; [G80](#) and [G2532](#) Joseph's [G2501](#) kindred [G1085](#) was made [G1096](#) known [G5318](#) unto Pharaoh. [G5328](#)

Acts 7:14 (KJV) 14 Then [G1161](#) sent [G649](#) Joseph, [G2501](#) and called [G3333](#) his [G846](#) father [G3962](#) Jacob [G2384](#) to him, and [G2532](#) all [G3956](#) HIS [G846](#) KINDRED, [G4772](#) [G1722](#) THREESCORE [G1440](#) AND FIFTEEN [G4002](#) SOULS. [G5590](#)

Acts 7:15 (KJV) 15 So [G1161](#) Jacob [G2384](#) went down [G2597](#) into [G1519](#) Egypt, [G125](#) and [G2532](#) died, [G5053](#) he, [G846](#) and [G2532](#) our [G2257](#) fathers, [G3962](#)

Acts 7:16 (KJV) 16 And [G2532](#) were carried over [G3346](#) into [G1519](#) Sychem, [G4966](#) and [G2532](#) laid [G5087](#) in [G1722](#) the sepulchre [G3418](#) that [G3739](#) Abraham [G11](#) bought [G5608](#) for a sum [G5092](#) of money [G694](#) of [G3844](#) the sons [G5207](#) of Emmor [G1697](#) the father [G3588](#) of Sychem. [G4966](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE DELIVERANCE OF THE LORD BY THE HAND OF JOSEPH.

Gen 45:1-5 (KJV) 1 Then Joseph [H3130](#) could [H3201](#) not refrain [H662](#) himself before all them that stood [H5324](#) by him; and he cried, [H7121](#) Cause [H3318](#) every man [H376](#) to go out [H3318](#) from me. And there stood [H5975](#) no man [H376](#) with him, while Joseph [H3130](#) made himself known [H3045](#) unto his brethren. [H251](#)

Gen 45:2 (KJV) 2 And he wept [H6963](#) [H1065](#) aloud: [H5414](#) and the Egyptians [H4714](#) and the house [H1004](#) of Pharaoh [H6547](#) heard. [H8085](#) [H8085](#)

Gen 45:3 (KJV) 3 And Joseph [H3130](#) said [H559](#) unto his brethren, [H251](#) I am Joseph; [H3130](#) doth my father [H1](#) yet live? [H2416](#) And his brethren [H251](#) could [H3201](#) not answer [H6030](#) him; for they were troubled [H926](#) at his presence. [H6440](#)

Gen 45:4 (KJV) 4 And Joseph [H3130](#) said [H559](#) unto his brethren, [H251](#) Come near [H5066](#) to me, I pray you. And they came near. [H5066](#) And he said, [H559](#) I am Joseph [H3130](#) your brother, [H251](#) whom ye sold [H4376](#) into Egypt. [H4714](#)

Gen 45:5 (KJV) 5 Now therefore be not grieved, [H6087](#) nor angry [H2734](#) with yourselves, [H5869](#) that ye sold [H4376](#) me hither: for God [H430](#) did send [H7971](#) me before you [H6440](#) to preserve life. [H4241](#)

Gen 50:14-21 (KJV) 14 And Joseph [H3130](#) returned [H7725](#) into Egypt, [H4714](#) he, and his brethren, [H251](#) and all that went up [H5927](#) with him to bury [H6912](#) his father, [H1](#) after [H310](#) he had buried [H6912](#) his father. [H1](#)

Gen 50:15 (KJV) 15 And when Joseph's [H3130](#) brethren [H251](#) saw [H7200](#) that their father [H1](#) was dead, [H4191](#) they said, [H559](#) Joseph [H3130](#) will peradventure [H3863](#) hate us, [H7852](#) and will certainly [H7725](#) requite [H7725](#) us all the evil [H7451](#) which we did [H1580](#) unto him.

Gen 50:16 (KJV) 16 And they sent a messenger [H6680](#) unto Joseph, [H3130](#) saying, [H559](#) Thy father [H1](#) did command [H6680](#) before [H6440](#) he died, [H4194](#) saying, [H559](#)

Gen 50:17 (KJV) 17 So shall ye say [H559](#) unto Joseph, [H3130](#) Forgive, [H5375](#) I pray thee [H577](#) now, the trespass [H6588](#) of thy brethren, [H251](#) and their sin; [H2403](#) for they did [H1580](#) unto thee evil: [H7451](#) and now, we pray thee, forgive [H5375](#) the trespass [H6588](#) of the servants [H5650](#) of the God [H430](#) of thy father. [H1](#) And Joseph [H3130](#) wept [H1058](#) when they spake [H1696](#) unto him.

Gen 50:18 (KJV) 18 And his brethren [H251](#) also went [H3212](#) and fell down [H5307](#) before his face; [H6440](#) and they said, [H559](#) Behold, we be thy servants. [H5650](#)

Gen 50:19 (KJV) 19 And Joseph [H3130](#) said [H559](#) unto them, Fear [H3372](#) not: for am I in the place of God? [H430](#)

Gen 50:20 (KJV) 20 But as for you, ye thought [H2803](#) evil [H7451](#) against me; but God [H430](#) meant it [H2803](#) unto good, [H2896](#) to [H4616](#) bring to pass, [H6213](#) as it is this day, [H3117](#) to save [H2421](#) much [H7227](#) people [H5971](#) alive. [H2421](#)

Gen 50:21 (KJV) 21 Now therefore fear [H3372](#) ye not: I will nourish [H3557](#) you, and your little ones. [H2945](#) And he comforted [H5162](#) them, and spake [H1696](#) kindly [H3820](#) unto them.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES

Gen 37:26-28 (KJV) 26 And Judah [H3063](#) said [H559](#) unto his brethren, [H251](#) What profit [H1215](#) is it if we slay [H2026](#) our brother, [H251](#) and conceal [H3680](#) his blood?

Gen 37:27 (KJV) 27 Come, [H3212](#) and let us sell [H4376](#) him to the Ishmeelites, [H3459](#) and let not our hand [H3027](#) be upon him; for he *is* our brother [H251](#) and our flesh. [H1320](#) And his brethren [H251](#) were content.

Gen 37:28 (KJV) 28 Then there passed [H5674](#) by Midianites [H4084](#) merchantmen; [H582](#) [H5503](#) and they drew [H4900](#) and lifted up [H5927](#) Joseph [H3130](#) out of the pit, [H953](#) and sold [H4376](#) Joseph [H3130](#) to the Ishmeelites [H3459](#) for twenty [H6242](#) pieces of silver: [H3701](#) and they brought [H935](#) Joseph [H3130](#) into Egypt.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES

Gen 46:27 (KJV) 27 And the sons [H1121](#) of Joseph, [H3130](#) which were born [H3205](#) him in Egypt, [H4714](#) were two [H8147](#) souls: [H5315](#) all the souls [H5315](#) of the house [H1004](#) of Jacob, [H3290](#) WHICH CAME [H935](#) INTO EGYPT, [H4714](#) WERE THREESCORE AND TEN.

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 17-36

IN ACTS 7:17-36, STEPHEN THEN CONTINUED THE CHRONOLOGICAL JOURNEY OF THE HISTORY OF THE NATION

OF ISRAEL WITH THE ROLE THE LORD ALLOWED **MOSES** TO HAVE IN ISRAEL DWELLING IN EGYPT.

MOSES WHO WAS REJECTED AS A RULER BY THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL BECAME A DELIVERER OF THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL FROM THE BONDAGE IN THE LAND OF EGYPT BY THE HAND OF THE LORD.

STEPHEN INTENTIONALLY EXPLAINED THAT MOSES WHO WAS REJECTED BY THE NATION OF ISRAEL, IS THE ONE WHO THE LORD USED TO BRING PHYSICAL DELIVERANCE TO THE NATION OF ISRAEL OUT OF THEIR PHYSICAL BONDAGE IN EGYPT.

Acts 7:17-36 (KJV) 17 But [G1161](#) when [G2531](#) the time [G5550](#) of the promise [G1860](#) drew nigh, [G1448](#) which [G3739](#) God [G2316](#) had sworn [G3660](#) to Abraham, [G11](#) the people [G2992](#) grew [G837](#) and [G2532](#) multiplied [G4129](#) in [G1722](#) Egypt, [G125](#)

Acts 7:18 (KJV) 18 Till [G891](#) [G3757](#) another [G2087](#) king [G935](#) arose, [G450](#) which [G3739](#) knew [G1492](#) not [G3756](#) Joseph. [G2501](#)

Acts 7:19 (KJV) 19 The same [G3778](#) dealt subtilly [G2686](#) with our [G2257](#) kindred, [G1085](#) and evil entreated [G2559](#) our [G2257](#) fathers, [G3962](#) so that [G4160](#) they cast out [G1570](#) their [G846](#) young children, [G1025](#) to the end [G1519](#) they might [G2225](#) not [G3361](#) live. [G2225](#)

Acts 7:20 (KJV) 20 In [G1722](#) which [G3739](#) time [G2540](#) Moses [G3475](#) was born, [G1080](#) and [G2532](#) was [G2258](#) exceeding [G2316](#) fair, [G791](#) and [G3739](#) nourished up [G397](#) in [G1722](#) his [G846](#) father's [G3962](#) house [G3624](#) three [G5140](#) months: [G3376](#)

Acts 7:21 (KJV) 21 And [G1161](#) when he [G846](#) was cast out, [G1620](#) Pharaoh's [G5328](#) daughter [G2364](#) took [G337](#) him [G846](#) up, [G337](#) and [G2532](#) nourished [G397](#) him [G846](#) for [G1519](#) her own [G1438](#) son. [G5207](#)

Acts 7:22 (KJV) 22 And [G2532](#) Moses [G3475](#) was learned [G3811](#) in all [G3956](#) the wisdom [G4678](#) of the Egyptians, [G124](#) and [G1161](#) was [G2258](#) mighty [G1415](#) in [G1722](#) words [G3056](#) and [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) deeds. [G2041](#)

Acts 7:23 (KJV) 23 AND [G1161](#) WHEN [G5613](#) HE [G846](#) WAS FULL [G4137](#) FORTY YEARS [G5063](#) OLD, [G5550](#) IT CAME [G305](#) INTO [G1909](#) HIS [G846](#) HEART [G2588](#) TO VISIT [G1980](#) HIS [G846](#) BRETHREN [G80](#) THE CHILDREN [G5207](#) OF ISRAEL. [G2474](#)

Acts 7:24 (KJV) 24 And [G2532](#) seeing [G1492](#) one [G5100](#) of them suffer wrong, [G91](#) he defended [G292](#) him, and [G2532](#) avenged [G1557](#) [G4160](#) him that was oppressed, [G2669](#) and smote [G3960](#) the Egyptian: [G124](#)

Acts 7:25 (KJV) 25 For [G1161](#) he supposed [G3543](#) his [G846](#) brethren [G80](#) would have understood [G4920](#) how [G3754](#) that God [G2316](#) by [G1223](#) his [G846](#) hand [G5495](#) would deliver [G1325](#) [G4991](#) them: [G846](#) but [G1161](#) they understood [G4920](#) not. [G3756](#)

Acts 7:26 (KJV) 26 And [G5037](#) the next [G1966](#) day [G2250](#) he shewed himself [G3700](#) unto them [G846](#) as they strove, [G3164](#) and [G2532](#) would have set [G4900](#) them [G846](#) at [G1519](#) one again, [G1515](#) saying, [G2036](#) Sirs, [G435](#) ye [G5210](#) are [G2075](#) brethren; [G80](#) why [G2444](#) do ye wrong [G91](#) one to another? [G240](#)

Acts 7:27 (KJV) 27 But [G1161](#) he that did [G91](#) his neighbour [G4139](#) wrong [G91](#) thrust [G683](#) him [G846](#) away, [G683](#) saying, [G2036](#) Who [G5101](#) made [G2525](#) thee [G4571](#) a ruler [G758](#) and [G2532](#) a judge [G1348](#) over [G1909](#) us? [G2248](#)

Acts 7:28 (KJV) 28 Wilt [G3361](#) [G2309](#) thou [G4771](#) kill [G337](#) me, [G3165](#) as [G3739](#) [G5158](#) thou diddest [G337](#) the Egyptian [G124](#) yesterday? [G5504](#)

Acts 7:29 (KJV) 29 Then [G1161](#) fled [G5343](#) Moses [G3475](#) at [G1722](#) this [G5129](#) saying, [G3056](#) and [G2532](#) was [G1096](#) a stranger [G3941](#) in [G1722](#) the land [G1093](#) of Madian, [G3099](#) where [G3757](#) he begat [G1080](#) two [G1417](#) sons. [G5207](#)

Acts 7:30 (KJV) 30 And [G2532](#) when forty [G5062](#) years [G2094](#) were expired, [G4137](#) there appeared [G3700](#) to him [G846](#) in [G1722](#) the wilderness [G2048](#) of mount [G3735](#) Sina [G4614](#) an angel [G32](#) of the Lord [G2962](#) in [G1722](#) a flame [G5395](#) of fire [G4442](#) in a bush. [G942](#)

Acts 7:31 (KJV) 31 When [G1161](#) Moses [G3475](#) saw [G1492](#) it, he wondered [G2296](#) at the sight: [G3705](#) and [G1161](#) as he [G846](#) drew near [G4334](#) to behold [G2657](#) it, the voice [G5456](#) of the Lord [G2962](#) came [G1096](#) unto [G4314](#) him, [G846](#)

Acts 7:32 (KJV) 32 Saying, I [G1473](#) am the God [G2316](#) of thy [G4675](#) fathers, [G3962](#) the God [G2316](#) of Abraham, [G11](#) and [G2532](#) the God [G2316](#) of Isaac, [G2464](#) and [G2532](#) the God [G2316](#) of Jacob. [G2384](#) Then [G1161](#) Moses [G3475](#) trembled, [G1096](#) [G1790](#) and durst [G5111](#) not [G3756](#) behold. [G2657](#)

Acts 7:33 (KJV) 33 Then [G1161](#) said [G2036](#) the Lord [G2962](#) to him, [G846](#) Put off [G3089](#) thy shoes [G5266](#) from thy [G4675](#) feet: [G4228](#) for [G1063](#) the place [G5117](#) where [G1722](#) [G3739](#) thou standest [G2476](#) is [G2076](#) holy [G40](#) ground. [G1093](#)

Acts 7:34 (KJV) 34 I have seen, [G1492](#) I have seen [G1492](#) the affliction [G2561](#) of my [G3450](#) people [G2992](#) which [G3588](#) is in [G1722](#) Egypt, [G125](#) and [G2532](#) I have heard [G191](#) their [G846](#) groaning, [G4726](#)

and [G2532](#) am come down [G2597](#) to deliver [G1807](#) them. [G846](#) And [G2532](#) now [G3568](#) come, [G1204](#) I will send [G649](#) thee [G4571](#) into [G1519](#) Egypt. [G125](#)
Acts 7:35 (KJV) 35 This [G5126](#) Moses [G3475](#) whom [G3739](#) they refused, [G720](#) saying, [G2036](#) Who [G5101](#) made [G2525](#) thee [G4571](#) a ruler [G758](#) and [G2532](#) a judge? [G1348](#) the same [G5126](#) did God [G2316](#) send [G649](#) to be a ruler [G758](#) and [G2532](#) a deliverer [G3086](#) by [G1722](#) the hand [G5495](#) of the angel [G32](#) which [G3588](#) appeared [G3700](#) to him [G846](#) in [G1722](#) the bush. [G942](#)
Acts 7:36 (KJV) 36 He [G3778](#) brought [G1806](#) them [G846](#) out, [G1806](#) after that he had shewed [G4160](#) wonders [G5059](#) and [G2532](#) signs [G4592](#) in [G1722](#) the land [G1093](#) of Egypt, [G125](#) and [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) the Red [G2063](#) sea, [G2281](#) and [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) the wilderness [G2048](#) forty [G5062](#) years. [G2094](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES

EX 2:1-2 (KJV) 1 And there went [H3212](#) a man [H376](#) of the house [H1004](#) of Levi, [H3878](#) and took [H3947](#) to wife a daughter [H1323](#) of Levi.

EX 2:2 (KJV) 2 And the woman [H802](#) conceived, [H2029](#) and bare [H3205](#) a son: [H1121](#) and when she saw [H7200](#) him that he was a goodly [H2896](#) child, she hid [H6845](#) him three [H7969](#) months.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LORD PUTTING THE THOUGHTS IN THE HEART OF MOSES TO VISIT HIS PHYSICAL BRETHREN THE NATION OF ISRAEL.

Dan 2:29 (KJV) 29 As for thee, [H607](#) O king, [H4430](#) **THY THOUGHTS** [H7476](#) **CAME** [H5559](#) **INTO THY MIND UPON** [H5922](#) **THY BED,** [H4903](#) what [H4101](#) should come to pass [H1934](#) hereafter: [H311](#) [H1836](#) and he that revealeth [H1541](#) secrets [H7328](#) maketh known [H3046](#) to thee what [H4101](#) shall come to pass. [H1934](#)

Rev 17:17 (KJV) 17 **FOR** [G1063](#) **GOD** [G2316](#) **HATH PUT** [G1325](#) **IN** [G1519](#) **THEIR** [G846](#) **HEARTS** [G2588](#) **TO FULFIL** [G4160](#) **HIS** [G846](#) **WILL,** [G1106](#) and [G2532](#) to agree, [G4160](#) [G3391](#) [G1106](#) and [G2532](#) give [G1325](#) their [G846](#) kingdom [G932](#) unto the beast, [G2342](#) until [G891](#) the words [G4487](#) of God [G2316](#) shall be fulfilled. [G5055](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LORD USING AN ANGEL IN HIS NAME.

EX 13:21-22 (KJV) 21 And the LORD [H3068](#) went [H1980](#) before [H6440](#) them by day [H3119](#) in a pillar [H5982](#) of a cloud, [H6051](#) to lead [H5148](#) them the way; [H1870](#) and by night [H3915](#) in a pillar [H5982](#) of fire, [H784](#) to give them light; [H215](#) to go [H3212](#) by day [H3119](#) and night: [H3915](#)

EX 13:22 (KJV) 22 He took not away [H4185](#) the pillar [H5982](#) of the cloud [H6051](#) by day, [H3119](#) nor the pillar [H5982](#) of fire [H784](#) by night, [H3915](#) from before [H6440](#) the people. [H5971](#)

EX 14:19-20 (KJV) 19 And the angel [H4397](#) of God, [H430](#) which went [H1980](#) before [H6440](#) the camp [H4264](#) of Israel, [H3478](#) removed [H5265](#) and went [H3212](#) behind [H310](#) them; and the pillar [H5982](#) of the cloud [H6051](#) went [H5265](#) from before their face, [H6440](#) and stood [H5975](#) behind [H310](#) them:

EX 14:20 (KJV) 20 And it came [H935](#) between the camp [H4264](#) of the Egyptians [H4714](#) and the camp [H4264](#) of Israel; [H3478](#) and it was a cloud [H6051](#) and darkness [H2822](#) to them, but it gave light [H215](#) by night [H3915](#) to these: so that the one came not near [H7126](#) the other [H2088](#) all the night. [H3915](#)

EX 23:20-23 (KJV) 20 **BEHOLD, I SEND** [H7971](#) **AN ANGEL** [H4397](#) **BEFORE** [H6440](#) **THEE, TO KEEP** [H8104](#) **THEE IN THE WAY,** [H1870](#) and to bring [H935](#) thee into the place [H4725](#) which I have prepared. [H3559](#)

EX 23:21 (KJV) 21 Beware [H8104](#) of [H6440](#) him, and obey [H8085](#) his voice, [H6963](#) provoke [H4843](#) him not; for he will not pardon [H5375](#) your transgressions: [H6588](#) for my name [H8034](#) is in him. [H7130](#)

EX 23:22 (KJV) 22 But if thou shalt indeed [H8085](#) obey [H8085](#) his voice, [H6963](#) and do [H6213](#) all that I speak; [H1696](#) then I will be an enemy [H340](#) unto thine enemies, [H341](#) and an adversary [H6887](#) unto thine adversaries. [H6696](#)

EX 23:23 (KJV) 23 For mine Angel [H4397](#) shall go [H3212](#) before [H6440](#) thee, and bring [H935](#) thee in unto the Amorites, [H567](#) and the Hittites, [H2850](#) and the Perizzites, [H6522](#) and the Canaanites, [H3669](#) the Hivites, [H2340](#) and the Jebusites: [H2983](#) and I will cut them off. [H3582](#)

Num 20:16 (KJV) 16 And when we cried [H6817](#) unto the LORD, [H3068](#) he heard [H8085](#) our voice, [H6963](#) **AND SENT** [H7971](#) **AN ANGEL,** [H4397](#) **AND HATH BROUGHT US FORTH** [H3318](#) **OUT OF EGYPT:** [H4714](#) and, behold, we are in Kadesh, [H6946](#) a city [H5892](#) in the uttermost [H7097](#) of thy border: [H1366](#)

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 37-43

IN ACTS 7:37-43, STEPHEN THEN CONTINUED THE CHRONOLOGICAL JOURNEY OF THE HISTORY OF THE NATION OF ISRAEL WITH THE ROLE OF MOSES LEADING THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL ON THEIR JOURNEY THROUGH THE WILDERNESS INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN BY THE LORD.

THE DISCIPLE **STEPHEN STATED** THAT IT WAS **JESUS (HE)** THAT WAS WITH ISRAEL IN THE CHURCH (**CONGREGATION**) IN THE WILDERNESS AND WHO WAS **THE PROPHET TO COME.**

THIS IS **"HE"** IS REFERRING TO **JESUS CHRIST** WITH THE ANGEL SPEAKING TO **"HIM"** WHICH IS REFERRING **MOSES.**

STEPHEN UNDERSTOOD THE FULFILMENT OF THE PROPHECY BY MOSES IN THE LAW OF MOSES THAT **A PROPHET** WILL ARISE OUT FROM THE NATION OF ISRAEL AFTER THE FLESH WHICH WAS FULFILLED BY THE COMING OF JESUS CHRIST.

STEPHEN WAS BRINGING THE POINT JUST AS THE NATION OF ISRAEL REJECTED MOSES RULE OVER THEM, SO THE LEVITICAL PRIESTHOOD REJECTED THE RULE OF JESUS CHRIST OVER THEM.

THE NATION OF ISRAEL WAS A PHYSICAL TYPE OF THE CHURCH OF GOD AFTER THE FLESH UNDER THE LAW OF MOSES.

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF JESUS CHRIST WAS WITNESSED BY THE APOSTLES PETER, JAMES AND JOHN TO BRING THE REVELATION THAT THE LAW OF MOSES AND THE PROPHETS HAD ENDED, AND JESUS CHRIST IS THE **ONLY** ONE TO BE HEARD BY THE CONFIRMATION OF THE VOICE OF GOD THE FATHER **"HEAR YE HIM"**.

STEPHEN HAD THE UNDERSTANDING OF THE BOOK OF THE OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETS.

Acts 7:37-43 (KJV) 37 This [G3778](#) is [G2076](#) that Moses, [G3475](#) which [G3588](#) said [G2036](#) unto the children [G5207](#) of Israel, [G2474](#) A PROPHET [G4396](#) SHALL [G450](#) THE LORD [G2962](#) YOUR [G5216](#) GOD [G2316](#) RAISE UP [G450](#) UNTO YOU [G5213](#) OF [G1537](#) YOUR [G5216](#) BRETHREN, [G80](#) LIKE [G5613](#) UNTO ME; [G1691](#) HIM [G846](#) SHALL YE HEAR. [G191](#)

Acts 7:38 (KJV) 38 THIS [G3778](#) IS HE, [G2076](#) THAT WAS [G1096](#) IN [G1722](#) THE CHURCH [G1577](#) IN [G1722](#) THE WILDERNESS [G2048](#) with [G3326](#) the angel [G32](#) WHICH [G3588](#) SPAKE [G2980](#) TO HIM [G846](#) in [G1722](#) the mount [G3735](#) Sina, [G4614](#) and [G2532](#) with our [G2257](#) fathers: [G3962](#) who [G3739](#) received [G1209](#) the lively [G2198](#) oracles [G3051](#) to give [G1325](#) unto us: [G2254](#)

Acts 7:39 (KJV) 39 To whom [G3739](#) our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) would [G2309](#) not [G3756](#) obey, [G1096](#) [G5255](#) but [G235](#) thrust him from them, [G683](#) and [G2532](#) in their [G846](#) hearts [G2588](#) turned back again [G4762](#) into [G1519](#) Egypt, [G125](#)

Acts 7:40 (KJV) 40 Saying [G2036](#) unto Aaron, [G2](#) Make [G4160](#) us [G2254](#) gods [G2316](#) to [G3739](#) go before [G4313](#) us: [G2257](#) for [G1063](#) as for this [G3778](#) Moses, [G3475](#) which [G3739](#) brought [G1806](#) us [G2248](#) out of [G1537](#) the land [G1093](#) of Egypt, [G125](#) we wot [G1492](#) not [G3756](#) what [G5101](#) is become [G1096](#) of him. [G846](#)

Acts 7:41 (KJV) 41 And [G2532](#) they made a calf [G3447](#) in [G1722](#) those [G1565](#) days, [G2250](#) and [G2532](#) offered [G321](#) sacrifice [G2378](#) unto the idol, [G1497](#) and [G2532](#) rejoiced [G2165](#) in [G1722](#) the works [G2041](#) of their own [G846](#) hands. [G5495](#)

Acts 7:42 (KJV) 42 Then [G1161](#) God [G2316](#) turned, [G4762](#) and [G2532](#) gave [G3860](#) them [G846](#) up [G3860](#) to worship [G3000](#) the host [G4756](#) of heaven; [G3772](#) AS IT [G2531](#) IS WRITTEN [G1125](#) IN [G1722](#) THE BOOK [G976](#) OF THE PROPHETS, [G4396](#) O ye house [G3624](#) of Israel, [G2474](#) have ye offered [G3361](#) [G4374](#) to me [G3427](#) slain beasts [G4968](#) and [G2532](#) sacrifices [G2378](#) by the space of forty [G5062](#) years [G2094](#) in [G1722](#) the wilderness? [G2048](#)

Acts 7:43 (KJV) 43 Yea, [G2532](#) ye took up [G353](#) the tabernacle [G4633](#) of Moloch, [G3434](#) and [G2532](#) the star [G798](#) of your [G5216](#) god [G2316](#) Remphan, [G4481](#) figures [G5179](#) which [G3739](#) ye made [G4160](#) to worship [G4352](#) them: [G846](#) and [G2532](#) I will carry [G3351](#) you [G5209](#) away [G3351](#) beyond [G1900](#) Babylon. [G897](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON **GOD THE WORD** BEING THE GOD OF THE OLD TESTAMENT WHO INTERACTED WITH MAN AND WITH THE NATION OF ISRAEL AND WHO REVEALED HIMSELF TO THE NATION OF ISRAEL AS **"THE PROPHET"** THAT WILL COME".

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS CHRIST FULFILLING
THE PROPHECY BY MOSES OF BEING THE PROPHET TO COME
OUT OF ISRAEL.

Deut 18:15-19 (KJV) 15 The LORD [H3068](#) thy God [H430](#) will raise up [H6965](#) unto thee a Prophet [H5030](#) from the midst [H7130](#) of thee, of thy brethren, [H251](#) like unto me; **UNTO HIM YE SHALL HEARKEN;** [H8085](#)

Deut 18:16 (KJV) 16 According to all that thou desiredst [H7592](#) of the LORD [H3068](#) thy God [H430](#) in Horeb [H2722](#) in the day [H3117](#) of the assembly, [H6951](#) saying, [H559](#) Let me not hear [H8085](#) again [H3254](#) the voice [H6963](#) of the LORD [H3068](#) my God, [H430](#) neither let me see [H7200](#) this great [H1419](#) fire [H784](#) any more, that I die [H4191](#) not.

Deut 18:17 (KJV) 17 And the LORD [H3068](#) said [H559](#) unto me, They have well [H3190](#) spoken that which they have spoken. [H1696](#)

Deut 18:18 (KJV) 18 I will raise them up [H6965](#) a Prophet [H5030](#) from among [H7130](#) their brethren, [H251](#) like unto thee, and will put [H5414](#) my words [H1697](#) in his mouth; [H6310](#) and he shall speak [H1696](#) unto them all that I shall command [H6680](#) him.

Deut 18:19 (KJV) 19 And it shall come to pass, that whosoever [H376](#) **WILL NOT HEARKEN** [H8085](#) **UNTO MY WORDS** [H1697](#) **WHICH HE SHALL SPEAK** [H1696](#) **IN MY NAME,** [H8034](#) I will require [H1875](#) it of him.

John 7:40 (KJV) 40 Many [G4183](#) of [G1537](#) the people [G3793](#) therefore, [G3767](#) when they heard [G191](#) this saying, [G3056](#) said, [G3004](#) **OF A TRUTH** [G230](#) **THIS** [G3778](#) **IS** [G2076](#) **THE PROPHET.** [G4396](#)

Acts 3:22-26 (KJV) 22 For [G1063](#) Moses [G3475](#) truly [G3303](#) said [G2036](#) unto [G4314](#) the fathers, [G3962](#) [G3754](#) **A PROPHET** [G4396](#) **SHALL** [G450](#) **THE LORD** [G2962](#) **YOUR** [G5216](#) **GOD** [G2316](#) **RAISE UP** [G450](#) **UNTO YOU** [G5213](#) **OF** [G1537](#) **YOUR** [G5216](#) **BRETHREN,** [G80](#) **LIKE** [G5613](#) **UNTO ME;** [G1691](#) **HIM** [G846](#) **SHALL YE HEAR** [G191](#) **IN** [G2596](#) **ALL THINGS** [G3956](#) **WHATSOEVER** [G3745](#) [G302](#) **HE SHALL SAY** [G2980](#) **UNTO** [G4314](#) **YOU.** [G5209](#)

Acts 3:23 (KJV) 23 And [G1161](#) it shall come to pass, [G2071](#) that every [G3956](#) soul, [G5590](#) which [G3748](#) [G302](#) will [G191](#) not [G3361](#) hear [G191](#) that [G1565](#) prophet, [G4396](#) shall be destroyed [G1842](#) from among [G1537](#) the people. [G2992](#)

Acts 3:24 (KJV) 24 Yea, [G2532](#) and [G1161](#) all [G3956](#) the prophets [G4396](#) from [G575](#) Samuel [G4545](#) and [G2532](#) those that follow after, [G2517](#) as

many as [G3745](#) have spoken, [G2980](#) have [G4293](#) likewise [G2532](#) foretold [G4293](#) of these [G5025](#) days. [G2250](#)

Acts 3:25 (KJV) 25 Ye [G5210](#) are [G2075](#) the children [G5207](#) of the prophets, [G4396](#) and [G2532](#) of the covenant [G1242](#) which [G3739](#) God [G2316](#) made [G1303](#) with [G4314](#) our [G2257](#) fathers, [G3962](#) saying [G3004](#) unto [G4314](#) Abraham, [G11](#) And [G2532](#) in thy [G4675](#) seed [G4690](#) shall [G1757](#) → all [G3956](#) the kindreds [G3965](#) of the earth [G1093](#) be blessed. [G1757](#)

Acts 3:26 (KJV) 26 Unto you [G5213](#) first [G4412](#) God, [G2316](#) having raised up [G450](#) his [G846](#) Son [G3816](#) Jesus, [G2424](#) sent [G649](#) him [G846](#) to bless [G2127](#) you, [G5209](#) in [G1722](#) turning away [G654](#) every one [G1538](#) of you [G5216](#) from [G575](#) his iniquities. [G4189](#)

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 44-50

IN ACTS 7:44-50, STEPHEN EXPLAINED THAT IT WAS **JESUS CHRIST** WHO WAS THE LORD OF THE OLD TESTAMENT THAT BROUGHT THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL THROUGH THE WILDERNESS INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN WITH HIS PRESENCE AT THE TABERNACLE OF WITNESS.

THE PATTERN OF THE PHYSICAL TABERNACLE, WHICH WAS A PATTERN OF HEAVENLY THINGS, WAS GIVEN TO MOSES BY THE LORD.

THE TABERNACLE WOULD HAVE BEEN PERMANENTLY LOCATED IN SHILOH IN THE TRIBE OF EPHRAIM UNTIL THE SCATTERING OF THE TEN TRIBES OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL AND THE TEMPLE OF GOD WOULD HAVE BEEN BUILT BY SOLOMON IN JERUSALEM TO REPLACE THE TABERNACLE.

STEPHEN EXPLAINED THAT WORSHIP ENDED IN THE PHYSICAL TEMPLE WHICH WAS ALSO PROPHESED TO OCCUR BY JESUS CHRIST.

STEPHEN FURTHER EXPLAINED THAT IT WAS IN KING DAVID'S HEART TO BUILD A PHYSICAL HOUSE FOR THE LORD, BUT HE WAS NOT PERMITTED TO DO SO BY THE LORD WHO ALLOWED SOLOMON TO BUILD THE PHYSICAL TEMPLE IN JERUSALEM, YET THE TRUE AND LIVING GOD **DOES NOT LIVE IN A TEMPLE MADE BY THE HANDS OF MEN.**

STEPHEN THEN QUOTED FROM THE PROPHET ISAIAH TO CORRECT THE FALSE BELIEF OF THE COUNCIL THAT THE PHYSICAL TEMPLE IN JERUSALEM WAS STILL HOLY AFTER THE DEATH AND RESURRECTION JESUS CHRIST.

THOSE CALLED BY GOD THE FATHER TO JESUS CHRIST ARE NOW THE TEMPLE OF GOD.

Acts 7:44-50 (KJV) 44 Our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) had [G2258](#) the tabernacle [G4633](#) of witness [G3142](#) [G1722](#) in [G1722](#) the wilderness, [G2048](#) as [G2531](#) he had appointed, [G1299](#) speaking [G2980](#) unto Moses, [G3475](#) that he should make [G4160](#) it [G846](#) according [G2596](#) to the fashion [G5179](#) that [G3739](#) he had seen. [G3708](#)

Acts 7:45 (KJV) 45 WHICH [G3739](#) ALSO [G2532](#) OUR [G2257](#) FATHERS [G3962](#) THAT CAME [G1237](#) AFTER BROUGHT IN [G1521](#) WITH [G3326](#) **JESUS** [G2424](#) INTO [G1722](#) THE POSSESSION [G2697](#) OF THE GENTILES, [G1484](#) WHOM [G3739](#) GOD [G2316](#) DRAVE OUT [G1856](#) BEFORE [G575](#) THE FACE [G4383](#) OF OUR [G2257](#) FATHERS, [G3962](#) UNTO [G2193](#) THE DAYS [G2250](#) OF DAVID; [G1138](#)

Acts 7:46 (KJV) 46 Who [G3739](#) found [G2147](#) favour [G5485](#) before [G1799](#) God, [G2316](#) and [G2532](#) desired [G154](#) to find [G2147](#) a tabernacle [G4638](#) for the God [G2316](#) of Jacob. [G2384](#)

Acts 7:47 (KJV) 47 But [G1161](#) Solomon [G4672](#) built [G3618](#) him [G846](#) an house. [G3624](#)

Acts 7:48 (KJV) 48 Howbeit [G235](#) the most High [G5310](#) dwelleth [G2730](#) not [G3756](#) in [G1722](#) temples [G3485](#) made with hands; [G5499](#) as [G2531](#) saith [G3004](#) the prophet, [G4396](#)

Acts 7:49 (KJV) 49 Heaven [G3772](#) is my [G3427](#) throne, [G2362](#) and [G1161](#) earth [G1093](#) is my [G3450](#) footstool: [G4228](#) [G5286](#) what [G4169](#) house [G3624](#) will ye build [G3618](#) me? [G3427](#) saith [G3004](#) the Lord: [G2962](#) or [G2228](#) what [G5101](#) is the place [G5117](#) of my [G3450](#) rest? [G2663](#)

Acts 7:50 (KJV) 50 Hath [G4160](#) not [G3780](#) my [G3450](#) hand [G5495](#) made [G4160](#) all [G3956](#) these things? [G5023](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON KING DAVID DESIRING TO BUILD A PHYSICAL HOUSE FOR THE LORD, BUT WAS NOT PERMITTED, BUT SOLOMON WAS ALLOWED.
HOWEVER, KING DAVID RECEIVED THE PROPHECY THAT JESUS CHRIST WILL BECOME THE PERSON OF THE TEMPLE OF

GOD THE FATHER AND WOULD RULE FOREVER OVER THE
THRONE OF GOD THE FATHER.

2 Samuel 7:8-17 (KJV) 8 Now therefore so shalt thou say [H559](#) unto my servant [H5650](#) David, [H1732](#) Thus saith [H559](#) the LORD [H3068](#) of hosts, [H6635](#) I took [H3947](#) thee from the sheepcote, [H5116](#) from following [H310](#) the sheep, [H6629](#) to be ruler [H5057](#) over my people, [H5971](#) over Israel: [H3478](#)

2 Samuel 7:9 (KJV) 9 And I was with thee whithersoever thou wentest, [H1980](#) and have cut off [H3772](#) all thine enemies [H341](#) out of thy sight, [H6440](#) and have made [H6213](#) thee a great [H1419](#) name, [H8034](#) like unto the name [H8034](#) of the great [H1419](#) men that are in the earth. [H776](#)

2 Samuel 7:10 (KJV) 10 Moreover I will appoint [H7760](#) a place [H4725](#) for my people [H5971](#) Israel, [H3478](#) and will plant [H5193](#) them, that they may dwell [H7931](#) in a place of their own, and move [H7264](#) no more; neither shall the children [H1121](#) of wickedness [H5766](#) afflict [H6031](#) them anymore, [H3254](#) as beforetime, [H7223](#)

2 Samuel 7:11 (KJV) 11 And as since the time [H3117](#) that I commanded [H6680](#) judges [H8199](#) to be over my people [H5971](#) Israel, [H3478](#) and have caused thee to rest [H5117](#) from all thine enemies. [H341](#)
ALSO THE LORD [H3068](#) TELLETH [H5046](#) THEE THAT HE WILL
MAKE [H6213](#) THEE AN HOUSE. [H1004](#)

2 Samuel 7:12 (KJV) 12 And when thy days [H3117](#) be fulfilled, [H4390](#) and thou shalt sleep [H7901](#) with thy fathers, [H1](#) I WILL SET UP [H6965](#)
THY SEED [H2233](#) AFTER [H310](#) THEE, WHICH SHALL PROCEED [H3318](#)
OUT OF THY BOWELS, [H4578](#) AND I WILL ESTABLISH [H3559](#) HIS
KINGDOM. [H4467](#)

2 Samuel 7:13 (KJV) 13 HE SHALL BUILD [H1129](#) AN HOUSE [H1004](#)
FOR MY NAME, [H8034](#) AND I WILL STABLISH [H3559](#) THE THRONE [H3678](#)
OF HIS KINGDOM [H4467](#) FOR [H5704](#) EVER. [H5769](#)

2 Samuel 7:14 (KJV) 14 I WILL BE HIS FATHER, [H1](#) AND HE SHALL
BE MY SON. [H1121](#) If he commit iniquity, [H5753](#) I will chasten [H3198](#) him
with the rod [H7626](#) of men, [H582](#) and with the stripes [H5061](#) of the
children [H1121](#) of men: [H120](#)

2 Samuel 7:15 (KJV) 15 But my mercy [H2617](#) shall not depart away [H5493](#) from him, as I took [H5493](#) it from Saul, [H7586](#) whom I put away [H5493](#) before [H6440](#) thee.

2 Samuel 7:16 (KJV) 16 AND THINE HOUSE [H1004](#) AND THY
KINGDOM [H4467](#) SHALL BE ESTABLISHED [H539](#) FOR [H5704](#) EVER [H5769](#)

BEFORE ^{H6440} THEE: THY THRONE ^{H3678} SHALL BE ESTABLISHED ^{H3559} FOR ^{H5704} EVER. ^{H5769}

2 Samuel 7:17 (KJV) 17 According to all these words, ^{H1697} and according to all this vision, ^{H2384} so did Nathan ^{H5416} speak ^{H1696} unto David. ^{H1732}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE SEED OF DAVID REFERRING TO THE SPIRIT OF GOD IN MAN.

Psa 132:11-12 (KJV) 11 The LORD ^{H3068} hath sworn ^{H7650} in truth ^{H571} unto David; ^{H1732} he will not turn ^{H7725} from it; **OF THE FRUIT ^{H6529} OF THY BODY ^{H990} WILL I SET ^{H7896} UPON THY THRONE. ^{H3678}**

Psa 132:12 (KJV) 12 If thy children ^{H1121} will keep ^{H8104} my covenant ^{H1285} and my testimony ^{H5713} that ^{H2090} ^{H2097} I shall teach ^{H3925} them, their children ^{H1121} shall also sit ^{H3427} upon thy throne ^{H3678} for evermore. ^{H5703}

Gal 3:15-16 (KJV) 15 Brethren, ^{G80} I speak ^{G3004} after the manner of ^{G2596} men; ^{G444} Though it be but ^{G3676} a man's ^{G444} covenant, ^{G1242} yet if it be confirmed, ^{G2964} no man ^{G3762} disannulleth, ^{G114} or ^{G2228} addeth thereto. ^{G1928}

Gal 3:16 (KJV) 16 Now ^{G1161} to Abraham ^{G11} and ^{G2532} his ^{G846} seed ^{G4690} were ^{G4483} the promises ^{G1860} made. ^{G4483} He saith ^{G3004} not, ^{G3756} And ^{G2532} to seeds, ^{G4690} as ^{G5613} of ^{G1909} many; ^{G4183} but ^{G235} as ^{G5613} of ^{G1909} one, ^{G1520} **AND ^{G2532} TO THY ^{G4675} SEED, ^{G4690} WHICH ^{G3739} IS ^{G2076} CHRIST. ^{G5547}**

JESUS IS THE FULFILMENT OF THE PROPHECY TO KING DAVID ABOUT HIS HOUSE (LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH), HIS KINGDOM (REV 11:15) AND HIS THRONE WILL BE FOREVER IN JESUS CHRIST.

Luke 1:31-33 (KJV) 31 And, ^{G2532} behold, ^{G2400} thou shalt conceive ^{G4815} in ^{G1722} thy womb, ^{G1064} and ^{G2532} bring forth ^{G5088} a son, ^{G5207} and ^{G2532} shalt call ^{G2564} his ^{G846} name ^{G3686} JESUS. ^{G2424}

Luke 1:32 (KJV) 32 He ^{G3778} shall be ^{G2071} great, ^{G3173} and ^{G2532} shall be called ^{G2564} the Son ^{G5207} of the Highest: ^{G5310} **AND ^{G2532} THE LORD ^{G2962} GOD ^{G2316} SHALL GIVE ^{G1325} UNTO HIM ^{G846} THE THRONE ^{G2362} OF HIS ^{G846} FATHER ^{G3962} DAVID: ^{G1138}**

Luke 1:33 (KJV) 33 AND ^{G2532} HE SHALL REIGN ^{G936} OVER ^{G1909} THE HOUSE ^{G3624} OF JACOB ^{G2384} FOR ^{G1519} EVER; ^{G165} AND ^{G2532} OF HIS ^{G846} KINGDOM ^{G932} THERE SHALL BE ^{G2071} NO ^{G3756} END. ^{G5056}

John 4:20-24 (KJV) 20 OUR ^{G2257} FATHERS ^{G3962} WORSHIPPED ^{G4352} IN ^{G1722} THIS ^{G5129} MOUNTAIN; ^{G3735} AND ^{G2532} YE ^{G5210} SAY, ^{G3004} THAT ^{G3754} IN ^{G1722} JERUSALEM ^{G2414} IS ^{G2076} THE PLACE ^{G5117} WHERE ^{G3699} MEN OUGHT ^{G1163} TO WORSHIP. ^{G4352}

John 4:21 (KJV) 21 Jesus ^{G2424} saith ^{G3004} unto her, ^{G846} Woman, ^{G1135} believe ^{G4100} me, ^{G3427} THE HOUR ^{G5610} COMETH, ^{G3754} ^{G2064} WHEN ^{G3753} YE SHALL ^{G4352} NEITHER ^{G3777} IN ^{G1722} THIS ^{G5129} MOUNTAIN, ^{G3735} NOR YET ^{G3777} AT ^{G1722} JERUSALEM, ^{G2414} WORSHIP ^{G4352} THE FATHER. ^{G3962}

John 4:22 (KJV) 22 Ye ^{G5210} worship ^{G4352} ye know ^{G1492} not ^{G3756} what: ^{G3739} we know ^{G1492} what ^{G3739} we ^{G2249} worship: ^{G4352} for ^{G3754} salvation ^{G4991} is ^{G2076} of ^{G1537} the Jews. ^{G2453}

John 4:23 (KJV) 23 But ^{G235} the hour ^{G5610} cometh, ^{G2064} and ^{G2532} now ^{G3568} is, ^{G2076} when ^{G3753} the true ^{G228} worshippers ^{G4353} shall worship ^{G4352} the Father ^{G3962} in ^{G1722} spirit ^{G4151} and ^{G2532} in truth: ^{G225} for ^{G2532} ^{G1063} the Father ^{G3962} seeketh ^{G2212} such ^{G5108} to worship ^{G4352} him. ^{G846}

John 4:24 (KJV) 24 GOD ^{G2316} IS A SPIRIT: ^{G4151} AND ^{G2532} THEY THAT WORSHIP ^{G4352} HIM ^{G846} MUST ^{G1163} WORSHIP ^{G4352} HIM IN ^{G1722} SPIRIT ^{G4151} AND ^{G2532} IN TRUTH. ^{G225}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE ON STEPHEN THE EVANGELIST QUOTING FROM THE BOOK OF THE PROPHET ISAIAH.

Isa 66:1-2 (KJV) 1 Thus saith ^{H559} the LORD, ^{H3068} The heaven ^{H8064} is my throne, ^{H3678} and the earth ^{H776} is my footstool: ^{H7272} ^{H1916} WHERE IS THE HOUSE ^{H1004} THAT YE BUILD ^{H1129} UNTO ME? AND WHERE IS THE PLACE ^{H4725} OF MY REST? ^{H4496}

Isaiah 66:2 (KJV) 2 For all those things hath mine hand ^{H3027} made, ^{H6213} and all those things have been, saith ^{H5002} the LORD: ^{H3068} but to this man will I look, ^{H5027} even to him that is poor ^{H6041} and of a contrite ^{H5223} spirit, ^{H7307} and trembleth ^{H2730} at my word. ^{H1697}

THE APOSTLE PAUL ALSO DECLARED TO THOSE IN ATHENS THAT THE LORD DOES NOT DWELL IN TEMPLES MADE WITH HANDS.

Acts 17:24-25 (KJV) 24 God [G2316](#) that made [G4160](#) the world [G2889](#) and [G2532](#) all things [G3956](#) therein, [G1722](#) [G846](#) seeing that he [G3778](#) is [G5225](#) Lord [G2962](#) of heaven [G3772](#) and [G2532](#) earth, [G1093](#) **DWELLETH** [G2730](#) **NOT** [G3756](#) **IN** [G1722](#) **TEMPLES** [G3485](#) **MADE WITH HANDS;** [G5499](#)

Acts 17:25 (KJV) 25 Neither [G3761](#) is worshipped [G2323](#) with [G5259](#) men's [G444](#) hands, [G5495](#) as though he needed [G4326](#) anything, [G5100](#) seeing he [G846](#) giveth [G1325](#) to all [G3956](#) life, [G2222](#) and [G2532](#) breath, [G4157](#) and [G2596](#) all things; [G3956](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON WE ARE NOW THE TEMPLE OF GOD.

1 Cor 3:16 (KJV) 16 **KNOW YE** [G1492](#) **NOT** [G3756](#) **THAT** [G3754](#) **YE ARE** [G2075](#) **THE TEMPLE** [G3485](#) **OF GOD,** [G2316](#) **AND** [G2532](#) **THAT THE SPIRIT** [G4151](#) **OF GOD** [G2316](#) **DWELLETH** [G3611](#) **IN** [G1722](#) **YOU?** [G5213](#)

1 Cor 6:19-20 (KJV) 19 **WHAT?** [G2228](#) **KNOW YE** [G1492](#) **NOT** [G3756](#) **THAT** [G3754](#) **YOUR** [G5216](#) **BODY** [G4983](#) **IS** [G2076](#) **THE TEMPLE** [G3485](#) **OF THE HOLY** [G40](#) **GHOST** [G4151](#) **WHICH IS IN** [G1722](#) **YOU,** [G5213](#) **which** [G3739](#) **ye have** [G2192](#) **of** [G575](#) **God,** [G2316](#) **and** [G2532](#) **ye are** [G2075](#) **not** [G3756](#) **your own?** [G1438](#)

1 Cor 6:20 (KJV) 20 For [G1063](#) ye are bought [G59](#) with a price: [G5092](#) therefore [G1211](#) glorify [G1392](#) God [G2316](#) in [G1722](#) your [G5216](#) body, [G4983](#) and [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) your [G5216](#) spirit, [G4151](#) **which** [G3748](#) **are** [G2076](#) God's. [G2316](#)

2 Cor 6:16 (KJV) 16 And [G1161](#) what [G5101](#) agreement [G4783](#) hath the temple [G3485](#) of God [G2316](#) with [G3326](#) idols? [G1497](#) **FOR** [G1063](#) **YE** [G5210](#) **ARE** [G2075](#) **THE TEMPLE** [G3485](#) **OF THE LIVING** [G2198](#) **GOD;** [G2316](#) **as** [G2531](#) God [G2316](#) hath said, [G2036](#) [G3754](#) I will dwell [G1774](#) in [G1722](#) them, [G846](#) and [G2532](#) walk in [G1704](#) them; and [G2532](#) I will be [G2071](#) their [G846](#) God, [G2316](#) and [G2532](#) they [G846](#) shall be [G2071](#) my [G3427](#) people. [G2992](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE ON THE APOSTLE PAUL ALSO EXPLAINING IN THE EPISTLE TO THE HEBREWS THAT **JESUS**

BROUGHT THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL INTO THE LAND OF CANAAN.

Heb 4:8 (KJV) 8 For [G1063](#) if [G1487](#) **JESUS** [G2424](#) had given [G2664](#) them [G846](#) rest, [G2664](#) then would he [G302](#) not [G3756](#) afterward [G3326](#) [G5023](#) have spoken [G2980](#) of [G4012](#) another [G243](#) day. [G2250](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PRIESTHOOD
WORSHIPPING THE PHYSICAL TEMPLE MORE THAN THE
PERSON OF JESUS CHRIST WHO IS THE TEMPLE OF GOD.

Matt 23:16-22 (KJV) 16 Woe [G3759](#) unto you, [G5213](#) ye blind [G5185](#) guides, [G3595](#) which [G3588](#) say, [G3004](#) Whosoever [G3739](#) [G302](#) shall swear [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) the temple, [G3485](#) it is [G2076](#) nothing; [G3762](#) but [G1161](#) whosoever [G3739](#) [G302](#) shall swear [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) the gold [G5557](#) of the temple, [G3485](#) he is a debtor! [G3784](#)

Matt 23:17 (KJV) 17 Ye fools [G3474](#) and [G2532](#) blind: [G5185](#) for [G1063](#) whether [G5101](#) is [G2076](#) greater, [G3187](#) the gold, [G5557](#) or [G2228](#) the temple [G3485](#) that sanctifieth [G37](#) the gold? [G5557](#)

Matt 23:18 (KJV) 18 And, [G2532](#) Whosoever [G3739](#) [G1437](#) shall swear [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) the altar, [G2379](#) it is [G2076](#) nothing; [G3762](#) but [G1161](#) whosoever [G3739](#) [G302](#) sweareth [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) the gift [G1435](#) that is upon [G1883](#) it, [G846](#) he is guilty. [G3784](#)

Matt 23:19 (KJV) 19 Ye fools [G3474](#) and [G2532](#) blind: [G5185](#) for [G1063](#) whether [G5101](#) is greater, [G3187](#) the gift, [G1435](#) or [G2228](#) the altar [G2379](#) that sanctifieth [G37](#) the gift? [G1435](#)

Matt 23:20 (KJV) 20 Whoso therefore [G3767](#) shall swear [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) the altar, [G2379](#) sweareth [G3660](#) by [G1722](#) it, [G846](#) and [G2532](#) by [G1722](#) all things [G3956](#) thereon. [G1883](#) [G846](#)

Matt 23:21 (KJV) 21 AND [G2532](#) WHOSO SHALL SWEAR [G3660](#) BY [G1722](#) THE TEMPLE, [G3485](#) SWEARETH [G3660](#) BY [G1722](#) IT, [G846](#) AND [G2532](#) BY [G1722](#) HIM THAT DWELLETH [G2730](#) THEREIN. [G846](#)

Matt 23:22 (KJV) 22 AND [G2532](#) HE THAT SHALL SWEAR [G3660](#) BY [G1722](#) HEAVEN, [G3772](#) SWEARETH [G3660](#) BY [G1722](#) THE THRONE [G2362](#) OF GOD, [G2316](#) AND [G2532](#) BY [G1722](#) HIM THAT SITTETH [G2521](#) THEREON. [G1883](#) [G846](#)

John 2:18-22 (KJV) 18 Then [G3767](#) answered [G611](#) the Jews [G2453](#) and [G2532](#) said [G2036](#) unto him, [G846](#) What [G5101](#) sign [G4592](#) shewest

thou [G1166](#) unto us, [G2254](#) seeing that [G3754](#) thou doest [G4160](#) these things? [G5023](#)

John 2:19 (KJV) 19 Jesus [G2424](#) answered [G611](#) and [G2532](#) said [G2036](#) unto them, [G846](#) DESTROY [G3089](#) THIS [G5126](#) TEMPLE, [G3485](#) AND [G2532](#) IN [G1722](#) THREE [G5140](#) DAYS [G2250](#) I WILL RAISE [G1453](#) IT [G846](#) UP. [G1453](#)

John 2:20 (KJV) 20 Then [G3767](#) said [G2036](#) the Jews, [G2453](#) Forty [G5062](#) and [G2532](#) six [G1803](#) years [G2094](#) was [G3618](#) this [G3778](#) temple [G3485](#) in building, [G3618](#) and [G2532](#) wilt [G1453](#) thou [G4771](#) rear [G1453](#) it [G846](#) up [G1453](#) in [G1722](#) three [G5140](#) days? [G2250](#)

John 2:21 (KJV) 21 BUT [G1161](#) HE [G1565](#) SPAKE [G3004](#) OF [G4012](#) THE TEMPLE [G3485](#) OF HIS [G846](#) BODY. [G4983](#)

John 2:22 (KJV) 22 When [G3753](#) therefore [G3767](#) he was risen [G1453](#) from [G1537](#) the dead, [G3498](#) his [G846](#) disciples [G3101](#) remembered [G3415](#) that [G3754](#) he had said [G3004](#) this [G5124](#) unto them; [G846](#) and [G2532](#) they believed [G4100](#) the scripture, [G1124](#) and [G2532](#) the word [G3056](#) which [G3739](#) Jesus [G2424](#) had said. [G2036](#)

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 51-53

IN ACTS 7:51-53, STEPHEN THE EVANGELIST OPENLY REBUKED THE COUNCIL FOR THEIR HARDHEARTEDNESS TOWARDS THE TRUTH OF THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST, CALLING THEM STIFFNECKED AND UNCIRCUMCISED IN HEART AND EARS.

THE COUNCIL WOULD HAVE BEEN SURPRISED BY THE REBUKE THEY WOULD HAVE OPENLY RECEIVED FROM STEPHEN BEFORE ALL.

STEPHEN ALSO EXPLAINED TO THE COUNCIL THAT THEY WERE RESISTING THE HOLY GHOST JUST AS THEIR FATHERS DID IN WANTING TO RETURN TO EGYPT.

THIS IS EVIDENCE THAT THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS PRESENT IN THE OLD TESTAMENT WITH THOSE CALLED BY THE LORD IN THE NATION OF ISRAEL AND THE PROPHETS.

STEPHEN ALSO EXPLAINED TO THE COUNCIL THAT JESUS CHRIST WAS THE JUST ONE IN THE OLD TESTAMENT WHO WAS PROPHESED TO COME AND WHOM THEY BETRAYED AND MURDERED.

Acts 7:51-53 (KJV) 51 YE STIFFNECKED [G4644](#) AND [G2532](#) UNCIRCUMCISED [G564](#) IN HEART [G2588](#) AND [G2532](#) EARS, [G3775](#) ye [G5210](#) do [G496](#) always [G104](#) resist [G496](#) **THE HOLY [G40](#) GHOST: [G4151](#)** as [G5613](#) your [G5216](#) fathers [G3962](#) did, so [G2532](#) do ye. [G5210](#)
Acts 7:52 (KJV) 52 Which [G5101](#) of the prophets [G4396](#) have [G1377](#) not [G3756](#) your [G5216](#) fathers [G3962](#) persecuted? [G1377](#) and [G2532](#) they have slain [G615](#) them which [G3588](#) shewed before [G4293](#) of [G4012](#) the coming [G1660](#) of the **JUST ONE;** [G1342](#) of whom [G3739](#) ye [G5210](#) have been [G1096](#) now [G3568](#) the betrayers [G4273](#) and [G2532](#) murderers: [G5406](#)
Acts 7:53 (KJV) 53 Who [G3748](#) have received [G2983](#) the law [G3551](#) by [G1519](#) the disposition [G1296](#) of angels, [G32](#) and [G2532](#) have [G5442](#) not [G3756](#) kept [G5442](#) it.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON ISRAEL BEING A STIFFNECKED PEOPLE AND UNCIRCUMCISED IN HEART.

EX 32:7-10 (KJV) 7 And the LORD [H3068](#) said [H1696](#) unto Moses, [H4872](#) Go, [H3212](#) get thee down; [H3381](#) for thy people, [H5971](#) which thou broughtest [H5927](#) out of the land [H776](#) of Egypt, [H4714](#) have corrupted [H7843](#) themselves:

EX 32:8 (KJV) 8 They have turned [H5493](#) aside quickly [H4118](#) out of the way [H1870](#) which I commanded [H6680](#) them: they have made [H6213](#) them a molten [H4541](#) calf, [H5695](#) and have worshipped [H7812](#) it, and have sacrificed [H2076](#) thereunto, and said, [H559](#) These be thy gods, [H430](#) O Israel, [H3478](#) which have brought thee up [H5927](#) out of the land [H776](#) of Egypt. [H4714](#)

EX 32:9 (KJV) 9 And the LORD [H3068](#) said [H559](#) unto Moses, [H4872](#) I have seen [H7200](#) this people, [H5971](#) and, behold, it is a **STIFFNECKED** [H7186](#) [H6203](#) **PEOPLE:** [H5971](#)

EX 32:10 (KJV) 10 Now therefore let me alone, [H3240](#) that my wrath [H639](#) may wax hot [H2734](#) against them, and that I may consume [H3615](#) them: and I will make [H6213](#) of thee a great [H1419](#) nation. [H1471](#)

MOSES CALLED THE NATION OF ISRAEL A STIFFNECKED PEOPLE.

Deut 9:6 (KJV) 6 Understand [H3045](#) therefore, that the LORD [H3068](#) thy God [H430](#) giveth [H5414](#) thee not this good [H2896](#) land [H776](#) to

possess [H3423](#) it for thy righteousness; [H6666](#) **FOR THOU ART A STIFFNECKED** [H6203](#) [H7186](#) **PEOPLE.** [H5971](#)

Deut 10:16 (KJV) 16 **CIRCUMCISE** [H4135](#) **THEREFORE THE FORESKIN** [H6190](#) **OF YOUR HEART,** [H3824](#) **AND BE NO MORE STIFFNECKED.**

Deut 10:17 (KJV) 17 For the LORD [H3068](#) your God [H430](#) is God [H430](#) of gods, [H430](#) and Lord [H113](#) of lords, [H113](#) a great [H1419](#) God, [H410](#) a mighty, [H1368](#) and a terrible, [H3372](#) which regardeth [H5375](#) not persons, [H6440](#) nor taketh [H3947](#) reward: [H7810](#)

Deut 10:18 (KJV) 18 He doth execute [H6213](#) the judgment [H4941](#) of the fatherless [H3490](#) and widow, [H490](#) and loveth [H157](#) the stranger, [H1616](#) in giving [H5414](#) him food [H3899](#) and raiment. [H8071](#)

Deut 30:6 (KJV) 6 **AND THE LORD** [H3068](#) **THY GOD** [H430](#) **WILL CIRCUMCISE** [H4135](#) **THINE HEART,** [H3824](#) **AND THE HEART** [H3824](#) **OF THY SEED,** [H2233](#) **TO LOVE** [H157](#) **THE LORD** [H3068](#) **THY GOD** [H430](#) **WITH ALL THINE HEART,** [H3824](#) **AND WITH ALL THY SOUL,** [H5315](#) **THAT THOU MAYEST LIVE.**

2 Chron 30:8 (KJV) 8 **NOW BE YE NOT STIFFNECKED,** [H7185](#) [H6203](#) **AS YOUR FATHERS** [H1](#) **WERE, BUT YIELD** [H5414](#) **YOURSELVES** [H3027](#) **UNTO THE LORD,** [H3068](#) and enter [H935](#) into his sanctuary, [H4720](#) which he hath sanctified [H6942](#) forever: [H5769](#) and serve [H5647](#) the LORD [H3068](#) your God, [H430](#) that the fierceness [H2740](#) of his wrath [H639](#) may turn away [H7725](#) from you.

THE EXAMPLE OF ZEDEKIAH WHO WAS STIFFNECKED BEFORE THE LORD.

2 Chron 36:11-16 (KJV) 11 Zedekiah [H6667](#) was one [H259](#) and twenty [H6242](#) years [H8141](#) old [H1121](#) when he began to reign, [H4427](#) and reigned [H4427](#) eleven [H259](#) [H6240](#) years [H8141](#) in Jerusalem. [H3389](#)

2 Chron 36:12 (KJV) 12 And he did [H6213](#) that which was evil [H7451](#) in the sight [H5869](#) of the LORD [H3068](#) his God, [H430](#) and humbled [H3665](#) not himself before [H6440](#) Jeremiah [H3414](#) the prophet [H5030](#) speaking from the mouth [H6310](#) of the LORD. [H3068](#)

2 Chron 36:13 (KJV) 13 And he also rebelled [H4775](#) against king [H4428](#) Nebuchadnezzar, [H5019](#) who had made him swear [H7650](#) by God: [H430](#) **BUT HE STIFFENED** [H7185](#) **HIS NECK,** [H6203](#) **AND HARDENED** [H553](#) **HIS**

HEART ^{H3824} FROM TURNING ^{H7725} UNTO THE LORD ^{H3068} GOD ^{H430} OF ISRAEL. ^{H3478}

2 Chron 36:14 (KJV) 14 Moreover all the chief ^{H8269} of the priests, ^{H3548} and the people, ^{H5971} transgressed ^{H4603} very ^{H4604} much ^{H7235} after all the abominations ^{H8441} of the heathen; ^{H1471} and polluted ^{H2930} the house ^{H1004} of the LORD ^{H3068} which he had hallowed ^{H6942} in Jerusalem. ^{H3389}

2 Chron 36:15 (KJV) 15 And the LORD ^{H3068} God ^{H430} of their fathers ^{H1} sent ^{H7971} to them by ^{H3027} his messengers, ^{H4397} rising up betimes, ^{H7925} and sending; ^{H7971} because he had compassion ^{H2550} on his people, ^{H5971} and on his dwelling place: ^{H4583}

2 Chron 36:16 (KJV) 16 But they mocked ^{H3931} the messengers ^{H4397} of God, ^{H430} and despised ^{H959} his words, ^{H1697} and misused ^{H8591} his prophets, ^{H5030} until the wrath ^{H2534} of the LORD ^{H3068} arose ^{H5927} against his people, ^{H5971} till there was no remedy. ^{H4832}

Jer 4:3-4 (KJV) 3 For thus saith ^{H559} the LORD ^{H3068} to the men ^{H376} of Judah ^{H3063} and Jerusalem, ^{H3389} Break up ^{H5214} your fallow ground, ^{H5215} and sow ^{H2232} not among thorns. ^{H6975}

Jer 4:4 (KJV) 4 **CIRCUMCISE ^{H4135} YOURSELVES TO THE LORD, ^{H3068} AND TAKE AWAY ^{H5493} THE FORESKINS ^{H6190} OF YOUR HEART, ^{H3824} ye men ^{H376} of Judah ^{H3063} and inhabitants ^{H3427} of Jerusalem: ^{H3389} lest my fury ^{H2534} come forth ^{H3318} like fire, ^{H784} and burn ^{H1197} that none can quench ^{H3518} it, because ^{H6440} of the evil ^{H7455} of your doings.**

Jer 6:10 (KJV) 10 To whom shall I speak, ^{H1696} and give warning, ^{H5749} that they may hear? ^{H8085} **BEHOLD, THEIR EAR ^{H241} IS UNCIRCUMCISED, ^{H6189} AND THEY CANNOT ^{H3201} HEARKEN: ^{H7181} BEHOLD, THE WORD ^{H1697} OF THE LORD ^{H3068} IS UNTO THEM A REPROACH; ^{H2781} THEY HAVE NO DELIGHT ^{H2654} IN IT.**

Jer 9:25-26 (KJV) 25 Behold, the days ^{H3117} come, ^{H935} saith ^{H5002} the LORD, ^{H3068} that I will punish ^{H6485} all them which are circumcised ^{H4135} with the uncircumcised;

Jer 9:26 (KJV) 26 Egypt, ^{H4714} and Judah, ^{H3063} and Edom, ^{H123} and the children ^{H1121} of Ammon, ^{H5983} and Moab, ^{H4124} and all that are in the utmost ^{H7112} corners, ^{H6285} that dwell ^{H3427} in the wilderness: ^{H4057} for all these nations ^{H1471} are uncircumcised, ^{H6189} and **ALL THE**

HOUSE ^{H1004} OF ISRAEL ^{H3478} ARE UNCIRCUMCISED ^{H6189} IN THE HEART.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS OPENLY REBUKING THE PHARISEES FOR BEING **STIFFEDNECKED** AND **HARDHEARTED** IN THEIR HEARTS AS WERE THEIR FATHERS.

Matt 23:29-31 (KJV) 29 Woe ^{G3759} unto you, ^{G5213} scribes ^{G1122} and ^{G2532} Pharisees, ^{G5330} hypocrites! ^{G5273} because ^{G3754} ye build ^{G3618} the tombs ^{G5028} of the prophets, ^{G4396} and ^{G2532} garnish ^{G2885} the sepulchres ^{G3419} of the righteous, ^{G134}
Matt 23:30 (KJV) 30 And ^{G2532} say, ^{G3004} If ^{G1487} we had been ^{G2258} in ^{G1722} the days ^{G2250} of our ^{G2257} fathers, ^{G3962} **WE WOULD** ^{G302} **NOT** ^{G3756} **HAVE BEEN** ^{G2258} **PARTAKERS** ^{G2844} **WITH THEM** ^{G846} **IN** ^{G1722} **THE BLOOD** ^{G129} **OF THE PROPHETS.** ^{G4396}

Matt 23:31 (KJV) 31 Wherefore ^{G5620} ye be witnesses ^{G3140} unto yourselves, ^{G1438} **THAT** ^{G3754} **YE ARE** ^{G2075} **THE CHILDREN** ^{G5207} **OF THEM WHICH KILLED** ^{G5407} **THE PROPHETS.** ^{G4396}

Matt 23:32 (KJV) 32 Fill ^{G4137} ye ^{G5210} up ^{G4137} then ^{G2532} the measure ^{G3358} of your ^{G5216} fathers. ^{G3962}

THE APOSTLE PAUL EXPLAINED TO THE BRETHREN IN THE CHURCH OF GOD AT ROME THAT **TRUE SPIRITUAL CIRCUMCISION** OCCURS WHEN WE ARE BAPTIZED AND RECEIVE A NEW SPIRIT HEART AND A NEW SPIRIT FROM GOD THE FATHER.

Rom 2:28-29 (KJV) 28 For ^{G1063} he is ^{G2076} not ^{G3756} a Jew, ^{G2453} which is one outwardly; ^{G1722} ^{G5318} **NEITHER** ^{G3761} **IS THAT CIRCUMCISION,** ^{G4061} **WHICH IS OUTWARD** ^{G1722} ^{G5318} **IN** ^{G1722} **THE FLESH:** ^{G4561}

Rom 2:29 (KJV) 29 But ^{G235} he is a Jew, ^{G2453} which is one inwardly; ^{G1722} ^{G2927} and ^{G2532} **CIRCUMCISION** ^{G4061} **IS THAT OF THE HEART,** ^{G2588} **IN** ^{G1722} **THE SPIRIT,** ^{G4151} and not ^{G3756} in the letter; ^{G1121} whose ^{G3739} praise ^{G1868} is not ^{G3756} of ^{G1537} men, ^{G444} but ^{G235} of ^{G1537} God. ^{G2316}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE BY THE APOSTLE PAUL WARNING TIMOTHY **TO REBUKE** BEFORE ALL IN THE CHURCH OF GOD SO THAT OTHERS WILL HAVE GODLY FEAR.

1 Tim 5:20 (KJV) 20 THEM THAT SIN ^{G264} REBUKE ^{G1651}
BEFORE ^{G1799} ALL, ^{G3956} THAT ^{G2443} OTHERS ^{G3062} ALSO ^{G2532}
MAY ^{G2192} FEAR. ^{G5401}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE HOLY GHOST'S NAME
BEING THE "SPIRIT OF THE LORD" IN THE OLD TESTAMENT.

Isa 40:13-14 (KJV) 13 Who hath directed ^{H8505} THE SPIRIT ^{H7307} OF
THE LORD, ^{H3068} or being his counsellor ^{H376} ^{H6098} hath taught ^{H3045}
him?

Isa 40:14 (KJV) 14 With whom took he counsel, ^{H3289} and who
instructed ^{H995} him, and taught ^{H3925} him in the path ^{H734} of
judgment, ^{H4941} and taught ^{H3925} him knowledge, ^{H1847} and
shewed ^{H3045} to him the way ^{H1870} of understanding? ^{H8394}

Acts 5:3-4 (KJV) 3 But ^{G1161} Peter ^{G4074} said, ^{G2036} Ananias, ^{G367}
why ^{G1302} HATH ^{G4567} SATAN ^{G4137} FILLED ^{G4675} THINE
HEART ^{G2588} ^{G4571} TO LIE ^{G5574} TO THE HOLY ^{G40} GHOST, ^{G4151}
and ^{G2532} to keep back ^{G3557} part of ^{G575} the price ^{G5092} of the
land? ^{G5564}

Acts 5:4 (KJV) 4 Whiles it remained, ^{G3306} was it not ^{G3780} thine
own? ^{G4671} ^{G3306} and ^{G2532} after it was sold, ^{G4097} was it not ^{G5225}
in ^{G1722} thine own ^{G4674} power? ^{G1849} why ^{G5101} ^{G3754} hast thou
conceived ^{G5087} this ^{G5124} thing ^{G4229} in ^{G1722} thine ^{G4675} heart? ^{G2588}
thou hast ^{G5574} not ^{G3756} lied ^{G5574} unto men, ^{G444} but ^{G235} unto
God. ^{G2316}

Acts 5:9 (KJV) 9 Then ^{G1161} Peter ^{G4074} said ^{G2036} unto ^{G4314} her, ^{G846}
How ^{G5101} is it that ^{G3754} ye ^{G5213} have agreed together ^{G4856} to
tempt ^{G3985} THE SPIRIT ^{G4151} OF THE LORD? ^{G2962} behold, ^{G2400} the
feet ^{G4228} of them which have buried ^{G2290} thy ^{G4675} husband ^{G435} are
at ^{G1909} the door, ^{G2374} and ^{G2532} shall carry ^{G1627} → thee ^{G4571} out. ^{G1627}

2 Cor 3:17 (KJV) 17 Now ^{G1161} the Lord ^{G2962} is ^{G2076} that Spirit: ^{G4151}
and ^{G1161} WHERE ^{G3757} THE SPIRIT ^{G4151} OF THE LORD ^{G2962} IS,
THERE ^{G1563} IS LIBERTY. ^{G1657}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IS
THE JUST ONE OF THE OLD TESTAMENT.

Deut 32:4 (KJV) 4 He is the Rock, [H6697](#) his work [H6467](#) is perfect: [H8549](#) for all his ways [H1870](#) are judgment: [H4941](#) a God [H410](#) of truth [H530](#) and without iniquity, [H5766](#) **JUST** [H6662](#) and right [H3477](#) is he.

Isa 45:21-22 (KJV) 21 Tell [H5046](#) ye, and bring them near; [H5066](#) yea, let them take counsel [H3289](#) together: [H3162](#) who hath declared [H8085](#) this from ancient time? [H6924](#) who hath told [H5046](#) it from that time? have not I the LORD? [H3068](#) and there is no God [H430](#) else beside [H1107](#) me; **A JUST** [H6662](#) **GOD** [H410](#) and a Saviour; [H3467](#) there is none [H369](#) beside [H2108](#) me.

Isa 45:22 (KJV) 22 Look [H6437](#) unto me, and be ye saved, [H3467](#) all the ends [H657](#) of the earth: [H776](#) for I am God, [H410](#) and there is none else.

Zeph 3:5 (KJV) 5 **THE JUST** [H6662](#) **LORD** [H3068](#) is in the midst [H7130](#) thereof; he will not do [H6213](#) iniquity: [H5766](#) every [H1242](#) morning [H1242](#) doth he bring [H5414](#) his judgment [H4941](#) to light, [H216](#) he faileth [H5737](#) not; but the unjust [H5767](#) knoweth [H3045](#) no shame. [H1322](#)

THE APOSTLE PAUL WOULD HAVE RECALLED ANANIAS CALLING JESUS CHRIST THE **JUST ONE**.

Acts 22:12-14 (KJV) 12 And [G1161](#) one [G5100](#) Ananias, [G367](#) a devout [G2152](#) man [G435](#) according [G2596](#) to the law, [G3551](#) having a good report [G3140](#) of [G5259](#) all [G3956](#) the Jews [G2453](#) which dwelt [G2730](#) there,

Acts 22:13 (KJV) 13 Came [G2064](#) unto [G4314](#) me, [G3165](#) and [G2532](#) stood, [G2186](#) and said [G2036](#) unto me, [G3427](#) Brother [G80](#) Saul, [G4549](#) receive thy sight. [G308](#) And [G2504](#) the same [G846](#) hour [G5610](#) I [G2504](#) looked up [G308](#) upon [G1519](#) him.

Acts 22:14 (KJV) 14 And [G1161](#) he said, [G2036](#) The God [G2316](#) of our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) hath chosen [G4400](#) thee, [G4571](#) that thou shouldest know [G1097](#) his [G846](#) will, [G2307](#) and [G2532](#) **SEE** [G1492](#) **THAT JUST ONE,** [G1342](#) and [G2532](#) shouldest hear [G191](#) the voice [G5456](#) of [G1537](#) his [G846](#) mouth.

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 54-56

IN ACTS 7:54-56, THOSE IN THE COUNCIL WHO HEARD THE WORDS OF STEPHEN WERE “CUT TO THEIR HEARTS” BUT DID NOT RECEIVE **GODLY REPENTANCE** AND THEIR HEARTS WERE HARDENED.

THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN THE THIRD TIME THE COUNCIL WOULD HAVE BEEN REPROVED, TWICE BY THE APOSTLES AND NOW BY STEPHEN.

STEPHEN THE EVANGELIST ADMONISHED THE COUNCIL FOR RECEIVING THE LAW OF MOSES AND NOT KEEPING IT.

STEPHEN SAW THE VISION OF JESUS CHRIST STANDING AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD THE FATHER READY TO RECEIVE HIM AT HIS DEATH.

Acts 7:54-56 (KJV) 54 WHEN THEY HEARD THESE THINGS, THEY WERE CUT TO THE HEART, and they gnashed on him with their teeth.
Acts 7:55 (KJV) 55 But he, being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up stedfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God,
Acts 7:56 (KJV) 56 And said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and THE SON OF MAN STANDING ON THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE THAT THE WORD OF GOD IS QUICK OR ALIVE AND POWERFUL AND CUTS DEEP INTO THE HEART OF MAN.

Heb 4:12 (KJV) 12 FOR THE WORD OF GOD IS QUICK, AND POWERFUL, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and IS A DISCERNER OF THE THOUGHTS AND INTENTS OF THE HEART.

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE HARDENING OF ONE'S HEART. THERE IS AN ETERNAL DANGER WHEN WE ARE STUBBORN TO CORRECTION.

Prov 29:1 (KJV) 1 HE, ^{H376} THAT BEING OFTEN REPROVED ^{H8433} HARDENETH ^{H7185} HIS NECK, ^{H6203} SHALL SUDDENLY ^{H6621} BE DESTROYED, ^{H7665} AND THAT WITHOUT REMEDY. ^{H4832}

THE LORD HARDENED PHARAOH'S HEART TO SHEW HIS POWER IN THE DELIVERANCE OF THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL FROM THE BONDAGE IN THE LAND OF EGYPT.

Rom 9:17-18 (KJV) 17 For ^{G1063} the scripture ^{G1124} saith ^{G3004} unto Pharaoh, ^{G5328} Even for ^{G3754} ^{G1519} this ^{G5124} same purpose ^{G846} have I raised ^{G1825} thee ^{G4571} up, ^{G1825} THAT ^{G3704} I MIGHT SHEW ^{G1731} MY ^{G3450} POWER ^{G1411} IN ^{G1722} THEE, ^{G4671} AND ^{G2532} THAT ^{G3704} MY ^{G3450} NAME ^{G3686} MIGHT BE DECLARED ^{G1229} THROUGHOUT ^{G1722} ALL ^{G3956} THE EARTH. ^{G1093}

Rom 9:18 (KJV) 18 Therefore ^{G686} ^{G3767} hath he mercy ^{G1653} on whom ^{G3739} he will ^{G2309} have mercy, AND ^{G1161} WHOM ^{G3739} HE WILL ^{G2309} HE HARDENETH. ^{G4645}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE EVIDENCE OF THE RESPONSE OF **A HEART OF GODLY REPENTANCE** IN RECEIVING THE WORD OF GOD.

THE WORDS OF THE APOSTLE PETER AND THE REST OF THE APOSTLES ON THE DAY OF PENTECOST WERE RECEIVED BY THOSE WHO WERE **PRICKED IN THEIR HEART** AND RECEIVE **GODLY REPENTANCE** AND BECAME BAPTIZED TO RECEIVED ETERNAL SALVATION.

Acts 2:36-41 (KJV) 36 Therefore ^{G3767} let ^{G1097} all ^{G3956} the house ^{G3624} of Israel ^{G2474} know ^{G1097} assuredly, ^{G806} that ^{G3754} God ^{G2316} hath made ^{G4160} that same ^{G5126} Jesus, ^{G2424} whom ^{G3739} ye ^{G5210} have crucified, ^{G4717} both ^{G2532} Lord ^{G2962} and ^{G2532} Christ. ^{G5547}

Acts 2:37 (KJV) 37 NOW ^{G1161} WHEN THEY HEARD ^{G191} THIS, THEY WERE PRICKED ^{G2660} IN THEIR HEART, ^{G2588} and ^{G5037} said ^{G2036} unto ^{G4314} Peter ^{G4074} and ^{G2532} to the rest ^{G3062} of the apostles, ^{G652} MEN ^{G435} AND BRETHREN, ^{G80} WHAT ^{G5101} SHALL WE DO? ^{G4160}

Acts 2:38 (KJV) 38 Then ^{G1161} Peter ^{G4074} said ^{G5346} unto ^{G4314} them, ^{G846} Repent, ^{G3340} and ^{G2532} be baptized ^{G907} every one ^{G1538} of you ^{G5216} in ^{G1909} the name ^{G3686} of Jesus ^{G2424} Christ ^{G5547} for ^{G1519} the

remission [G859](#) of sins, [G266](#) and [G2532](#) ye shall receive [G2983](#) the gift [G1431](#) of the Holy [G40](#) Ghost. [G4151](#)

Acts 2:39 (KJV) 39 For [G1063](#) the promise [G1860](#) is [G2076](#) unto you, [G5213](#) and [G2532](#) to your [G5216](#) children, [G5043](#) and [G2532](#) to all [G3956](#) that are afar off, [G1519](#) [G3112](#) even as many as [G3745](#) the Lord [G2962](#) our [G2257](#) God [G2316](#) shall call. [G302](#) [G4341](#)

Acts 2:40 (KJV) 40 And [G5037](#) with many [G4119](#) other [G2087](#) words [G3056](#) did he testify [G1263](#) and [G2532](#) exhort, [G3870](#) saying, [G3004](#) Save yourselves [G4982](#) from [G575](#) this [G5026](#) untoward [G4646](#) generation. [G1074](#)

Acts 2:41 (KJV) 41 THEN [G3303](#) [G3767](#) THEY THAT GLADLY [G780](#) RECEIVED [G588](#) HIS [G846](#) WORD [G3056](#) WERE BAPTIZED: [G907](#) and [G2532](#) the same [G1565](#) day [G2250](#) there were added [G4369](#) unto them about [G5616](#) three thousand [G5153](#) souls. [G5590](#)

THE WORDS OF THE APOSTLE PETER AND JOHN BEFORE THE SAME COUNCIL OF THE HIGH PRIEST WHO WANTED TO SLAY THEM.

Acts 5:29-33 (KJV) 29 Then [G1161](#) Peter [G4074](#) and [G2532](#) the other apostles [G652](#) answered [G611](#) and said, [G2036](#) We ought [G1163](#) to obey [G3980](#) God [G2316](#) rather [G3123](#) than [G2228](#) men. [G444](#)

Acts 5:30 (KJV) 30 The God [G2316](#) of our [G2257](#) fathers [G3962](#) raised up [G1453](#) Jesus, [G2424](#) whom [G3739](#) ye [G5210](#) slew [G1315](#) and hanged [G2910](#) on [G1909](#) a tree. [G3586](#)

Acts 5:31 (KJV) 31 Him [G5126](#) hath God [G2316](#) exalted [G5312](#) with his [G846](#) right hand [G1188](#) to be a Prince [G747](#) and [G2532](#) a Saviour, [G4990](#) for to give [G1325](#) repentance [G3341](#) to Israel, [G2474](#) and [G2532](#) forgiveness [G859](#) of sins. [G266](#)

Acts 5:32 (KJV) 32 And [G2532](#) we [G2249](#) are [G2070](#) his [G846](#) witnesses [G3144](#) of these [G5130](#) things; [G4487](#) and [G2532](#) so is also [G1161](#) the Holy [G40](#) Ghost, [G4151](#) whom [G3739](#) God [G2316](#) hath given [G1325](#) to them that obey [G3980](#) him. [G846](#)

Acts 5:33 (KJV) 33 WHEN [G1161](#) THEY HEARD [G191](#) THAT, THEY WERE CUT [G1282](#) TO THE HEART, AND [G2532](#) TOOK COUNSEL [G1011](#) TO SLAY [G337](#) THEM. [G846](#)

THE APOSTLE PAUL OUTLINED THE EVIDENCE OF TRUE GODLY REPENTANCE.

2 Cor 7:9-11 (KJV) 9 Now [G3568](#) I rejoice, [G5463](#) not [G3756](#) that [G3754](#) ye were made sorry, [G3076](#) BUT [G235](#) THAT [G3754](#) YE SORROWED [G3076](#) TO [G1519](#) REPENTANCE: [G3341](#) FOR [G1063](#) YE WERE MADE SORRY [G3076](#) AFTER [G2596](#) A GODLY MANNER, [G2316](#) that [G2443](#) ye might receive damage [G2210](#) by [G1537](#) us [G2257](#) in [G1722](#) nothing. [G3367](#)

2 Cor 7:10 (KJV) 10 FOR [G1063](#) GODLY [G2316](#) [G2596](#) SORROW [G3077](#) WORKETH [G2716](#) REPENTANCE [G3341](#) TO [G1519](#) SALVATION [G4991](#) NOT TO BE REPENTED OF: [G278](#) but [G1161](#) the sorrow [G3077](#) of the world [G2889](#) worketh [G2716](#) death. [G2288](#)

2 Cor 7:11 (KJV) 11 For [G1063](#) behold [G2400](#) this [G5124](#) selfsame thing, [G846](#) that [G5209](#) ye sorrowed [G3076](#) after [G2596](#) a godly sort, [G2316](#) what [G4214](#) carefulness [G4710](#) it wrought [G2716](#) in you, [G5213](#) yea, [G235](#) what clearing of yourselves, [G627](#) yea, [G235](#) what indignation, [G24](#) yea, [G235](#) WHAT FEAR, [G5401](#) yea, [G235](#) what vehement desire, [G1972](#) yea, [G235](#) what zeal, [G2205](#) yea, [G235](#) what revenge! [G1557](#) In [G1722](#) all [G3956](#) things ye have approved [G4921](#) yourselves [G1438](#) to be [G1511](#) clear [G53](#) in [G1722](#) this matter. [G4229](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE PREVIOUS TIMES THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE HIGH PRIESTS OF CAIAPHAS AND ANNAS WERE ADDRESSED.

- THE COUNCIL BEING ADDRESSED BY JESUS CHRIST.

Mar 14:60-62 (KJV) 60 And [G2532](#) the high priest [G749](#) stood up [G450](#) in [G1519](#) the midst, [G3319](#) and asked [G1905](#) Jesus, [G2424](#) saying, [G3004](#) Answerest [G3756](#) thou [G611](#) nothing? [G3762](#) what [G5101](#) is it which these [G3778](#) witness [G2649](#) against thee? [G4675](#)

Mar 14:61 (KJV) 61 But [G1161](#) he held his peace, [G4623](#) and [G2532](#) answered [G611](#) nothing. [G3762](#) AGAIN [G3825](#) THE HIGH PRIEST [G749](#) ASKED [G1905](#) HIM, [G846](#) AND [G2532](#) SAID [G3004](#) UNTO HIM, [G846](#) ART [G1488](#) THOU [G4771](#) THE CHRIST, [G5547](#) THE SON [G5207](#) OF THE BLESSED? [G2128](#)

Mar 14:62 (KJV) 62 And [G1161](#) Jesus [G2424](#) said, [G2036](#) I [G1473](#) AM: [G1510](#) AND [G2532](#) YE SHALL SEE [G3700](#) THE SON [G5207](#) OF MAN [G444](#) SITTING [G2521](#) ON [G1537](#) THE RIGHT HAND [G1188](#) OF POWER, [G1411](#) AND [G2532](#) COMING [G2064](#) IN [G3326](#) THE CLOUDS [G3507](#) OF HEAVEN. [G3772](#)

▪ THE COUNCIL BEING ADDRESSED TWICE BY PETER AND JOHN AND THE OTHER APOSTLES.

Acts 4:18-21 (KJV) 18 And [G2532](#) they called [G2564](#) them, [G846](#) and commanded [G3853](#) them [G846](#) not [G3361](#) to speak [G5350](#) at all [G2527](#) nor [G3366](#) teach [G1321](#) in [G1909](#) the name [G3686](#) of Jesus. [G2424](#)

Acts 4:19 (KJV) 19 But [G1161](#) Peter [G4074](#) and [G2532](#) John [G2491](#) answered [G611](#) and said [G2036](#) unto [G4314](#) them, [G846](#) Whether [G1487](#) it be [G2076](#) right [G1342](#) in the sight [G1799](#) of God [G2316](#) to hearken [G191](#) unto you [G5216](#) more than [G3123](#) [G2228](#) unto God, [G2316](#) judge ye. [G2919](#)

Acts 4:20 (KJV) 20 For [G1063](#) we [G2249](#) cannot [G3756](#) [G1410](#) but [G3361](#) speak [G2980](#) the things which [G3739](#) we have seen [G1492](#) and [G2532](#) heard. [G191](#)

Acts 4:21 (KJV) 21 So [G1161](#) when they had further threatened them, [G4324](#) they let [G630](#) them [G846](#) go, [G630](#) finding [G2147](#) nothing [G3367](#) how [G4459](#) they might punish [G2849](#) them, [G846](#) because [G1223](#) of the people: [G2992](#) for [G3754](#) all [G3956](#) men glorified [G1392](#) God [G2316](#) for [G1909](#) that which was done. [G1096](#)

Acts 5:27-29 (KJV) 27 And [G1161](#) when they had brought [G71](#) them, [G846](#) they set [G2476](#) them before [G1722](#) the council: [G4892](#) and [G2532](#) the high priest [G749](#) asked [G1905](#) them, [G846](#)

Acts 5:28 (KJV) 28 Saying, [G3004](#) Did [G3853](#) not [G3756](#) we straitly [G3852](#) command [G3853](#) you [G5213](#) that ye should [G1321](#) not [G3361](#) teach [G1321](#) in [G1909](#) this [G5129](#) name? [G3686](#) and, [G2532](#) behold, [G2400](#) ye have filled [G4137](#) Jerusalem [G2419](#) with your [G5216](#) doctrine, [G1322](#) and [G2532](#) intend [G1014](#) to bring [G1863](#) this [G5127](#) man's [G444](#) blood [G129](#) upon [G1909](#) us. [G2248](#)

Acts 5:29 (KJV) 29 Then [G1161](#) Peter [G4074](#) and [G2532](#) the *other* apostles [G652](#) answered [G611](#) and said, [G2036](#) We ought [G1163](#) to obey [G3980](#) God [G2316](#) rather [G3123](#) than [G2228](#) men. [G444](#)

AN HERETICK IS IN A STATE OF AN UNREPENTANT HEART.

Titus 3:10-11 (KJV) 10 A MAN [G444](#) THAT IS AN HERETICK [G141](#) AFTER [G3326](#) THE FIRST [G3391](#) AND [G2532](#) SECOND [G1208](#) ADMONITION [G3559](#) REJECT; [G3868](#)

Titus 3:11 (KJV) 11 KNOWING [G1492](#) THAT [G3754](#) HE THAT IS SUCH [G5108](#) IS SUBVERTED, [G1612](#) AND [G2532](#) SINNETH, [G264](#) BEING [G5607](#) CONDEMNED OF HIMSELF. [G843](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS CHRIST PROPHESYING THAT THOSE WHO FOLLOW AFTER HIM IN THE TRUTH WILL BE DELIVERED BEFORE COUNCILS FOR HIS NAME AND NOT TO TAKE ANY THOUGHT OF WHAT TO SAY AND TO ALLOW THE HOLY SPIRIT TO LEAD.

Mar 13:11 (KJV) 11 But [G1161](#) when [G3752](#) they shall lead [G71](#) you, and deliver [G3860](#) you [G5209](#) up, [G3860](#) take [G4305](#) no [G3361](#) thought beforehand [G4305](#) what [G5101](#) ye shall speak, [G2980](#) neither [G3366](#) do ye premeditate: [G3191](#) but [G235](#) whatsoever [G3739](#) shall be [G1437](#) given [G1325](#) you [G5213](#) in [G1722](#) that [G1565](#) hour, [G5610](#) that [G5124](#) speak [G2980](#) ye: for [G1063](#) it is [G2075](#) not [G3756](#) ye [G5210](#) that speak, [G2980](#) but [G235](#) the Holy [G40](#) Ghost. [G4151](#)

Luke 12:11-12 (KJV) 11 And [G1161](#) when [G3752](#) they bring [G4374](#) you [G5209](#) unto [G1909](#) the synagogues, [G4864](#) and [G2532](#) unto magistrates, [G746](#) and [G2532](#) powers, [G1849](#) take [G3309](#) ye no [G3361](#) thought [G3309](#) how [G4459](#) or [G2228](#) what thing [G5101](#) ye shall answer, [G626](#) or [G2228](#) what [G5101](#) ye shall say: [G2036](#)

Luke 12:12 (KJV) 12 For [G1063](#) the Holy [G40](#) Ghost [G4151](#) shall teach [G1321](#) you [G5209](#) in [G1722](#) the same [G846](#) hour [G5610](#) what [G3739](#) ye ought [G1163](#) to say. [G2036](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS CHRIST AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD THE FATHER.

Rom 8:34 (KJV) 34 Who [G5101](#) is he that condemneth? [G2632](#) It is Christ [G5547](#) that died, [G599](#) yea [G1161](#) rather, [G3123](#) [G2532](#) that is risen again, [G1453](#) **WHO** [G3739](#) **IS** [G2076](#) **EVEN** [G2532](#) **AT** [G1722](#) **THE RIGHT HAND** [G1188](#) **OF GOD,** [G2316](#) **WHO** [G3739](#) **ALSO** [G2532](#) **MAKETH INTERCESSION** [G1793](#) **FOR** [G5228](#) **US.** [G2257](#)

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 57-58

IN ACTS 7:57-58, LUKE THE PHYSICIAN DESCRIBED THAT SAUL (BEING A YOUNG MAN) WAS PRESENT AND **CONSENTING TO THE DEATH OF STEPHEN**, BEFORE HE BECAME A DISCIPLE AND AN APOSTLE OF JESUS CHRIST WITH THE NAME PAUL.

STEPHEN'S ACCUSERS WERE NOT ABLE TO RESIST **THE WISDOM OF GOD** IN HIS RESPONSE AND STONED HIM TO DEATH.

TRADITION HAD IT THAT SAUL WAS BETWEEN **28-32 YEARS** OF AGE. IN GREEK CULTURE THE TERM "**YOUNG MAN**" IS USED UP TO THE AGE OF **FORTY (40) YEARS**.

SAUL, WHEN HE BECAME THE APOSTLE PAUL AFTER HIS CONVERSION, WILLINGLY SUFFERED **BEING STONED** FOR THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST AFTER THE EXAMPLE OF STEPHEN.

Acts 7:57-58 (KJV) 57 Then [G1161](#) they cried out [G2896](#) with a loud [G3173](#) voice, [G5456](#) and stopped [G4912](#) their [G846](#) ears, [G3775](#) and [G2532](#) ran [G3729](#) upon [G1909](#) him [G846](#) with one accord, [G3661](#)

Acts 7:58 (KJV) 58 And [G2532](#) cast [G1544](#) him out of [G1854](#) the city, [G4172](#) and stoned [G3036](#) him: and [G2532](#) the witnesses [G3144](#) laid down [G659](#) their [G846](#) clothes [G2440](#) at [G3844](#) A YOUNG MAN'S [G3494](#) FEET, [G4228](#) WHOSE NAME WAS [G2564](#) SAUL. [G4569](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE APOSTLE PAUL CONFESSING THAT HE WAS **CONSENTING TO THE DEATH OF THE MARTYR STEPHEN** BEFORE HIS CONVERSION.

Acts 22:17-21 (KJV) 17 And [G1161](#) it came to pass, [G1096](#) that, when I [G3427](#) was come again [G5290](#) to [G1519](#) Jerusalem, [G2419](#) even [G2532](#) while I [G3450](#) prayed [G4336](#) in [G1722](#) the temple, [G2411](#) I [G3165](#) was [G1096](#) in [G1722](#) a trance; [G1611](#)

Acts 22:18 (KJV) 18 And [G2532](#) saw [G1492](#) him [G846](#) saying [G3004](#) unto me, [G3427](#) Make haste, [G4692](#) and [G2532](#) get thee [G1831](#) quickly [G5034](#) [G1722](#) out of [G1537](#) Jerusalem: [G2419](#) for [G1360](#) they will [G3858](#) → not [G3756](#) receive [G3858](#) thy [G4675](#) testimony [G3141](#) concerning [G4012](#) me. [G1700](#)

Acts 22:19 (KJV) 19 And I [G2504](#) said, [G2036](#) Lord, [G2962](#) they [G846](#) know [G1987](#) that [G3754](#) I [G1473](#) imprisoned [G2252](#) [G5439](#) and [G2532](#) beat [G1194](#) in every [G2596](#) synagogue [G4864](#) them that believed [G4100](#) on [G1909](#) thee: [G4571](#)

Acts 22:20 (KJV) 20 AND [G2532](#) WHEN [G3753](#) THE BLOOD [G129](#) OF THY [G4675](#) MARTYR [G3144](#) STEPHEN [G4736](#) WAS SHED, [G1632](#) I [G846](#) ALSO [G2532](#) WAS [G2252](#) STANDING BY, [G2186](#) AND [G2532](#)

**CONSENTING ^{G4909} UNTO HIS ^{G846} DEATH, ^{G336} AND ^{G2532} KEPT ^{G5442}
THE RAIMENT ^{G2440} OF THEM THAT SLEW ^{G337} HIM. ^{G846}**

Acts 22:21 (KJV) 21 And ^{G2532} he said ^{G2036} unto ^{G4314} me, ^{G3165}
Depart: ^{G4198} for ^{G3754} I ^{G1473} will send ^{G1821} thee ^{G4571} far hence ^{G3112}
unto ^{G1519} the Gentiles. ^{G1484}

1 Cor 15:9 (KJV) 9 For ^{G1063} I ^{G1473} am ^{G1510} the least ^{G1646} of the
apostles, ^{G652} that ^{G3739} am ^{G1510} not ^{G3756} meet ^{G2425} to be called ^{G2564}
an apostle, ^{G652} **BECAUSE ^{G1360} I PERSECUTED ^{G1377} THE
CHURCH ^{G1577} OF GOD. ^{G2316}**

1 Tim 1:12-13 (KJV) 12 And ^{G2532} I thank ^{G2192} ^{G5485} Christ ^{G5547}
Jesus ^{G2424} our ^{G2257} Lord, ^{G2962} who ^{G3588} hath enabled ^{G1743} me, ^{G3165}
for ^{G3754} that he counted ^{G2233} me ^{G3165} faithful, ^{G4103} putting me ^{G5087}
into ^{G1519} the ministry; ^{G1248}

1 Tim 1:13 (KJV) 13 **WHO ^{G3588} WAS ^{G5607} BEFORE ^{G4386} A
BLASPHEMER, ^{G989} AND ^{G2532} A PERSECUTOR, ^{G1376} AND ^{G2532}
INJURIOUS: ^{G5197} but ^{G235} I obtained mercy, ^{G1653} **BECAUSE ^{G3754} I
DID ^{G4160} IT IGNORANTLY ^{G50} IN ^{G1722} UNBELIEF. ^{G570}****

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON A SIMILAR EVENT DURING
THE MINISTRY OF JESUS CHRIST.

Luke 4:28-30 (KJV) 28 And ^{G2532} all they ^{G3956} in ^{G1722} the
synagogue, ^{G4864} **WHEN THEY HEARD ^{G191} THESE THINGS, ^{G5023}
WERE FILLED ^{G4130} WITH WRATH, ^{G2372}**

Luke 4:29 (KJV) 29 **AND ^{G2532} ROSE UP, ^{G450} AND THRUST ^{G1544}
HIM ^{G846} OUT OF ^{G1854} THE CITY, ^{G4172} AND ^{G2532} LED ^{G71} HIM ^{G846}
UNTO ^{G2193} THE BROW ^{G3790} OF THE HILL ^{G3735} WHEREON ^{G1909} ^{G3739}
THEIR ^{G846} CITY ^{G4172} WAS BUILT, ^{G3618} THAT ^{G1519} THEY MIGHT
CAST ^{G2630} HIM ^{G846} DOWN HEADLONG. ^{G2630}**

Luke 4:30 (KJV) 30 But ^{G1161} he ^{G846} passing ^{G1330} through ^{G1223} the
midst ^{G3319} of them ^{G846} went his way, ^{G4198}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE APOSTLE PAUL BEING
STONED AT LYSTRA IN GALATIA.

Acts 14:19-20 (KJV) 19 And ^{G1161} there came thither ^{G1904} certain
Jews ^{G2453} from ^{G575} Antioch ^{G490} and ^{G2532} Iconium, ^{G2430} who ^{G2532}
persuaded ^{G3982} the people, ^{G3793} **AND, ^{G2532} HAVING STONED ^{G3034}**

PAUL, ^{G3972} DREW ^{G4951} HIM OUT OF ^{G1854} THE CITY, ^{G4172} SUPPOSING ^{G3543} HE ^{G846} HAD BEEN DEAD. ^{G2348}

Acts 14:20 (KJV) 20 Howbeit, ^{G1161} as the disciples ^{G3101} stood round about ^{G2944} him, ^{G846} he rose up, ^{G450} and came ^{G1525} into ^{G1519} the city: ^{G4172} and ^{G2532} the next day ^{G1887} he departed ^{G1831} with ^{G4862} Barnabas ^{G921} to ^{G1519} Derbe. ^{G1191}

2 Cor 11:25 (KJV) 25 Thrice ^{G5151} was I beaten with rods, ^{G4463} ONCE ^{G530} WAS I STONED, ^{G3034} thrice ^{G5151} I suffered shipwreck, ^{G3489} a night and a day ^{G3574} I have been ^{G4160} in ^{G1722} the deep; ^{G1037}

❖ ACTS CHAPTER 7 CONTINUED VERSES 59-60

IN ACTS 7:59-60, LUKE THE PHYSICIAN DESCRIBED STEPHEN BECOMING THE FIRST MARTYR FOR THE CHURCH OF GOD AT JERUSALEM.

AS STEPHEN WAS BEING STONED, HE CALLED UPON THE NAME OF THE LORD AND COMMITTED HIS SPIRIT UNTO THE LORD JUST AS JESUS WOULD HAVE COMMITTED HIS SPIRIT TO GOD THE FATHER BEFORE HE DIED UPON THE CROSS.

STEPHEN THE EVANGELIST ALSO ASKED THE LORD TO FORGIVE THE SINS OF THOSE WHO WERE STONING HIM, DEMONSTRATING THE LOVE OF GOD THE FATHER BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, JUST AS JESUS CHRIST ASKED FOR FORGIVENESS ON BEHALF OF THOSE WHO FALSELY ACCUSED AND CRUCIFIED HIM WHILE HE WAS ON THE CROSS, TO THE GLORY OF GOD THE FATHER.

STEPHEN WAS FULL OF FAITH AND FULL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT (HAVING BOTH THE FRUIT OF FAITH AND THE GIFT OF FAITH) AND EXERCISED THE SPIRIT OF BOLDNESS TOWARDS THE COUNCIL, NOT BEING FEARFUL OF PHYSICAL DEATH, KNOWING THAT GOD THE FATHER IS GLORIFIED IN THE DEATH OF THE SAINTS FOR THE NAME JESUS CHRIST. STEPHEN'S EYES WERE NOT FOCUSED ON THE TEMPORARY SITUATION BEFORE HIM, BUT ON THE GLORY TO BE REVEALED.

JESUS CHRIST STATED THAT WE OUGHT NOT TO FEAR THEM THAT CAN KILL THE BODY BUT NOT THE SOUL, BUT RATHER **TO FEAR GOD THE FATHER** WHO CAN DESTROY BOTH BODY AND SOUL.

FURTHER WE SEE THE LOVE OF GOD THE FATHER IN THE HEART OF STEPHEN TOWARDS HIS ENEMIES IN ASKING FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF THEIR **“SIN OF MURDER”** AS THEY STONED HIM.

STONING UNDER THE LAW OF MOSES WAS **NO LONGER ACCEPTABLE** AFTER THE DEATH AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST.

THOSE WHO STONED STEPHEN WOULD HAVE THOUGHT THAT THEY ARE DOING IT IN THE NAME OF THE LORD.

THERE ARE MANY MORE WHO WILL BECOME **MARTYRS FOR JESUS CHRIST** BEFORE THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST.

STEPHEN COMMITTED HIS SPIRIT TO THE LORD JUST AS JESUS CHRIST COMMITTED HIS SPIRIT UNTO GOD THE FATHER.

LUKE PHYSICIAN DESCRIBED STEPHEN’S DEATH AS **A LIVING SACRIFICE UNTO GOD THE FATHER** AND HIS STATE IN DEATH AS **“FALLING ASLEEP”**.

STEPHEN DID NOT DIE BEFORE HIS TIME, BUT HIS DEATH WAS ACCORDING TO THE WILL OF GOD THE FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST AND HIS DEATH IS SPEAKING TO US TODAY IN THE SCRIPTURES, JUST AS IT SPOKE TO THE APOSTLE PAUL AFTER HIS CONVERSION.

ACTS 7:59-60 (KJV) 59 AND [G2532](#) they stoned [G3036](#) Stephen, [G4736](#) calling upon [G1941](#) God, and [G2532](#) saying, [G3004](#) **LORD** [G2962](#) **JESUS**, [G2424](#) **RECEIVE** [G1209](#) **MY** [G3450](#) **SPIRIT.** [G4151](#)

Acts 7:60 (KJV) 60 And [G1161](#) he kneeled down, [G5087](#) [G1119](#) and cried [G2896](#) with a loud [G3173](#) voice, [G5456](#) **LORD**, [G2962](#) **LAY** [G2476](#) **NOT** [G3361](#) **THIS** [G5026](#) **SIN** [G266](#) **TO THEIR** [G846](#) **CHARGE.** And [G2532](#) when he had said [G2036](#) this, [G5124](#) he fell asleep. [G2837](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURE ON WHOM WE SHOULD FEAR AND WHICH DEATH WE MUST FEAR.

THERE IS GLORY TO GOD THE FATHER WHEN WE DIE FOR THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

Psa 116:15 (KJV) 15 [PRECIOUS](#) [H3368](#) IN THE SIGHT [H5869](#) OF THE LORD [H3068](#) IS THE DEATH [H4194](#) OF HIS SAINTS. [H2623](#)

Matt 10:28 (KJV) 28 And [G2532](#) fear [G5399](#) [G575](#) not [G3361](#) them which [G3588](#) kill [G615](#) the body, [G4983](#) but [G1161](#) are [G1410](#) not [G3361](#) able [G1410](#) to kill [G615](#) the soul: [G5590](#) BUT [G1161](#) RATHER [G3123](#) FEAR [G5399](#) HIM WHICH [G3588](#) IS ABLE [G1410](#) TO DESTROY [G622](#) BOTH [G2532](#) SOUL [G5590](#) AND [G2532](#) BODY [G4983](#) IN [G1722](#) HELL. [G1067](#)

JESUS CHRIST LIVED WITH GODLY FEAR TOWARDS GOD THE FATHER WHO COULD SAVE HIM FROM ETERNAL DEATH IN THE LAKE OF FIRE WHICH IS THE SECOND DEATH.

Heb 5:6-7 (KJV) 6 As [G2531](#) he saith [G3004](#) also [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) another [G2087](#) place, Thou [G4771](#) art a priest [G2409](#) for [G1519](#) ever [G165](#) after [G2596](#) the order [G5010](#) of Melchisedec. [G3198](#)

Heb 5:7 (KJV) 7 Who [G3739](#) in [G1722](#) the days [G2250](#) of his [G846](#) flesh, [G4561](#) when he had offered up [G4374](#) prayers [G1162](#) and [G5037](#) [G2532](#) supplications [G2428](#) with [G3326](#) strong [G2478](#) crying [G2906](#) and [G2532](#) tears [G1144](#) UNTO [G4314](#) HIM THAT WAS ABLE [G1410](#) TO SAVE [G4982](#) HIM [G846](#) FROM [G1537](#) DEATH, [G2288](#) AND [G2532](#) WAS HEARD [G1522](#) IN THAT [G575](#) HE FEARED; [G2124](#)

Heb 9:27 (KJV) 27 AND [G2532](#) AS [G2596](#) [G3745](#) IT IS APPOINTED [G606](#) UNTO MEN [G444](#) ONCE [G530](#) TO DIE, [G599](#) BUT [G1161](#) AFTER [G3326](#) THIS [G5124](#) THE JUDGMENT: [G2920](#)

2 Cor 5:10 (KJV) 10 FOR [G1063](#) WE [G2248](#) MUST [G1163](#) ALL [G3956](#) APPEAR [G5319](#) BEFORE [G1715](#) THE JUDGMENT SEAT [G968](#) OF CHRIST; [G5547](#) that [G2443](#) every one [G1538](#) may receive [G2865](#) the things done in [G1223](#) his body, [G4983](#) according [G4314](#) to that [G3739](#) he hath done, [G4238](#) whether [G1535](#) it be good [G18](#) or [G1535](#) bad. [G2556](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON COMMITTING THE NEW SPIRIT TO GOD THE FATHER.

JESUS CHRIST FULFILLED THE PROPHECY IN THE BOOK OF THE PSALMS ON COMMITTING HIS SPIRIT UNTO GOD THE FATHER.

WHEN JESUS CHRIST COMMITTED **HIS SPIRIT** TO GOD THE FATHER, HE WAS MAKING **THE NEW SPIRIT OF GOD** IN MAN AVAILABLE TO ALL WHO WOULD BE CALLED BY GOD THE FATHER.

Psa 31:5 (KJV) 5 INTO THINE HAND ^{H3027} I COMMIT ^{H6485} MY SPIRIT: ^{H7307} thou hast redeemed ^{H6299} me, O LORD ^{H3068} God ^{H410} of truth. ^{H571}

Luke 23:46 (KJV) 46 And ^{G2532} when Jesus ^{G2424} had cried ^{G5455} with a loud ^{G3173} voice, ^{G5456} he said, ^{G2036} Father, ^{G3962} INTO ^{G1519} THY ^{G4675} HANDS ^{G5495} I COMMEND ^{G3908} MY ^{G3450} SPIRIT: ^{G4151} and ^{G2532} having said ^{G2036} thus, ^{G5023} he gave up the ghost. ^{G1606}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THE LOVE OF GOD BY THE HOLY SPIRIT FOR OUR ENEMIES THAT WILL BRING GLORY TO GOD THE FATHER.

Luke 6:26-36 (KJV) 26 Woe ^{G3759} unto you, ^{G5213} when ^{G3752} all ^{G3956} men ^{G444} shall speak ^{G2036} well ^{G2573} of you! ^{G5209} for ^{G1063} so ^{G5024} ^{G2596} did ^{G4160} their ^{G846} fathers ^{G3962} to the false prophets. ^{G5578}

Luke 6:27 (KJV) 27 But ^{G235} I say ^{G3004} unto you ^{G5213} which ^{G3588} hear, ^{G191} LOVE ^{G25} YOUR ^{G5216} ENEMIES, ^{G2190} DO ^{G4160} GOOD ^{G2573} TO THEM WHICH ^{G3588} HATE ^{G3404} YOU, ^{G5209}

Luke 6:28 (KJV) 28 BLESS ^{G2127} THEM THAT CURSE ^{G2672} YOU, ^{G5213} AND ^{G2532} PRAY ^{G4336} FOR ^{G5228} THEM WHICH DESPITEFULLY USE ^{G1908} YOU. ^{G5209}

Luke 6:29 (KJV) 29 And unto him that smiteth ^{G5180} thee ^{G4571} on ^{G1909} the one cheek ^{G4600} offer ^{G3930} also ^{G2532} the other; ^{G243} and ^{G2532} him ^{G575} that taketh away ^{G142} thy ^{G4675} cloke ^{G2440} forbid ^{G2967} not ^{G3361} to take thy coat ^{G5509} also. ^{G2532}

Luke 6:30 (KJV) 30 ^{G1161} Give ^{G1325} to every man ^{G3956} that asketh ^{G154} of thee; ^{G4571} and ^{G2532} of ^{G575} him that taketh away ^{G142} thy goods ^{G4674} ask ^{G523} them not ^{G3361} again. ^{G523}

Luke 6:31 (KJV) 31 And ^{G2532} as ^{G2531} ye would ^{G2309} that ^{G2443} men ^{G444} should do ^{G4160} to you, ^{G5213} do ^{G4160} ye ^{G5210} also ^{G2532} to them ^{G846} likewise. ^{G3668}

Luke 6:32 (KJV) 32 For [G2532](#) if [G1487](#) ye love [G25](#) them which love [G25](#) you, [G5209](#) what [G4169](#) thank [G5485](#) have [G2076](#) ye? [G5213](#) for [G1063](#) sinners [G268](#) also [G2532](#) love [G25](#) those that love [G25](#) them. [G846](#)

Luke 6:33 (KJV) 33 And [G2532](#) if [G1437](#) ye do good [G15](#) to them which do good [G15](#) to you, [G5209](#) what [G4169](#) thank [G5485](#) have [G2076](#) ye? [G5213](#) for [G1063](#) sinners [G268](#) also do [G4160](#) even [G2532](#) the same. [G846](#)

Luke 6:34 (KJV) 34 And [G2532](#) if [G1437](#) ye lend [G1155](#) to them of [G3844](#) whom [G3739](#) ye hope [G1679](#) [G1679](#) to receive, [G618](#) what [G4169](#) thank [G5485](#) have [G2076](#) ye? [G5213](#) for [G1063](#) sinners [G268](#) also [G2532](#) lend [G1155](#) to sinners, [G268](#) to [G2443](#) receive [G618](#) as much [G2470](#) again. [G618](#)

Luke 6:35 (KJV) 35 But [G4133](#) love ye [G25](#) your [G5216](#) enemies, [G2190](#) and [G2532](#) do good, [G15](#) and [G2532](#) lend, [G1155](#) hoping [G560](#) for nothing [G3367](#) again; [G560](#) and [G2532](#) your [G5216](#) reward [G3408](#) shall be [G2071](#) great, [G4183](#) and [G2532](#) ye shall be [G2071](#) the children [G5207](#) of the Highest: [G5310](#) for [G3754](#) he [G846](#) is [G2076](#) kind [G5543](#) unto [G1909](#) the unthankful [G884](#) and [G2532](#) to the evil. [G4190](#)

Luke 6:36 (KJV) 36 Be ye [G1096](#) therefore [G3767](#) merciful, [G3629](#) as [G2531](#) your [G5216](#) Father [G3962](#) also [G2532](#) is [G2076](#) merciful. [G3629](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS CHRIST ASKING GOD THE FATHER FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF THE SINS OF THOSE WHO CONDEMNED HIM TO BE CRUCIFIED.

Luke 23:34 (KJV) 34 THEN [G1161](#) SAID [G3004](#) JESUS, [G2424](#) FATHER, [G3962](#) FORGIVE [G863](#) THEM; [G846](#) FOR [G1063](#) THEY KNOW [G1492](#) NOT [G3756](#) WHAT [G5101](#) THEY DO. [G4160](#) And [G1161](#) they parted [G1266](#) his [G846](#) raiment, [G2440](#) and cast [G906](#) lots. [G2819](#)

Rom 5:5 (KJV) 5 And [G1161](#) hope [G1680](#) maketh [G2617](#) not [G3756](#) ashamed; [G2617](#) BECAUSE [G3754](#) THE LOVE [G26](#) OF GOD [G2316](#) IS SHED ABROAD [G1632](#) IN [G1722](#) OUR [G2257](#) HEARTS [G2588](#) BY [G1223](#) THE HOLY [G40](#) GHOST [G4151](#) WHICH [G3588](#) IS GIVEN [G1325](#) UNTO US. [G2254](#)

Rom 12:19 (KJV) 19 DEARLY BELOVED, [G27](#) AVENGE [G1556](#) NOT [G3361](#) YOURSELVES, [G1438](#) BUT [G235](#) RATHER GIVE [G1325](#) PLACE [G5117](#) UNTO WRATH: [G3709](#) for [G1063](#) it is written, [G1125](#) VENGEANCE [G1557](#) IS MINE; [G1698](#) I [G1473](#) WILL REPAY, [G467](#) SAITH [G3004](#) THE LORD. [G2962](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON THOSE WHO PERSECUTE THE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST WILL BE THINKING THAT THEY WILL BE DOING IT ON THE NAME OF GOD BUT WILL RECEIVE THE VENGEANCE OF GOD THE FATHER.

John 15:20-21 (KJV) 20 Remember [G3421](#) the word [G3056](#) that [G3739](#) I [G1473](#) said [G2036](#) unto you, [G5213](#) The servant [G1401](#) is [G2076](#) not [G3756](#) greater than [G3187](#) his [G846](#) lord. [G2962](#) IF [G1487](#) THEY HAVE PERSECUTED [G1377](#) ME, [G1691](#) THEY WILL [G1377](#) ALSO [G2532](#) PERSECUTE [G1377](#) YOU; [G5209](#) if [G1487](#) they have kept [G5083](#) my [G3450](#) saying, [G3056](#) they will keep [G5083](#) yours [G5212](#) also. [G2532](#)
John 15:21 (KJV) 20 But [G235](#) all [G3956](#) these things [G5023](#) will they do [G4160](#) unto you [G5213](#) for [G1223](#) my [G3450](#) name's [G3686](#) sake, [G3450](#) because [G3754](#) they know [G1492](#) not [G3756](#) him that sent [G3992](#) me. [G3165](#)

John 16:1-2 (KJV) 2 THESE THINGS [G5023](#) HAVE I SPOKEN [G2980](#) UNTO YOU, [G5213](#) THAT [G3363](#) YE SHOULD [G4624](#) NOT [G3363](#) BE OFFENDED. [G4624](#)

John 16:2 (KJV) 2 They shall put [G4160](#) you [G5209](#) out of the synagogues: [G656](#) YEA, [G235](#) THE TIME [G5610](#) COMETH, [G2064](#) THAT [G2443](#) WHOSOEVER [G3956](#) KILLETH [G615](#) YOU [G5209](#) WILL THINK [G1380](#) THAT HE DOETH [G4374](#) GOD [G2316](#) SERVICE. [G2999](#)

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON LAYING DOWN OUR LIVES FOR THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

John 12:25 (KJV) 25 He that loveth [G5368](#) his [G846](#) life [G5590](#) shall lose [G622](#) it; [G846](#) and [G2532](#) HE THAT HATETH [G3404](#) HIS [G846](#) LIFE [G5590](#) IN [G1722](#) THIS [G5129](#) WORLD [G2889](#) SHALL KEEP [G5442](#) IT [G846](#) UNTO [G1519](#) LIFE [G2222](#) ETERNAL. [G166](#)

1 John 3:16 (KJV) 16 Hereby [G1722](#) [G5129](#) perceive we [G1097](#) the love [G26](#) of God, because [G3754](#) he [G1565](#) laid down [G5087](#) his [G846](#) life [G5590](#) for [G5228](#) us: [G2257](#) AND [G2532](#) WE [G2249](#) OUGHT [G3784](#) TO LAY DOWN [G5087](#) OUR LIVES [G5590](#) FOR [G5228](#) THE BRETHREN. [G80](#)

WE ARE REQUIRED TO FOLLOW AFTER THE EXAMPLE OF JESUS CHRIST.

Phil 2:5-8 (KJV) 5 [G1063](#) Let [G5426](#) this [G5124](#) mind be [G5426](#) in [G1722](#) you, [G5213](#) which [G3739](#) was also [G2532](#) in [G1722](#) Christ [G5547](#) Jesus: [G2424](#)

Phil 2:6 (KJV) 6 Who, [G3739](#) being [G5225](#) in [G1722](#) the form [G3444](#) of God, [G2316](#) thought it [G2233](#) not [G3756](#) robbery [G725](#) to be [G1511](#) equal [G2470](#) with God: [G2316](#)

Phil 2:7 (KJV) 7 But [G235](#) made [G2758](#) himself [G1438](#) of no reputation, [G2758](#) and took upon him [G2983](#) the form [G3444](#) of a servant, [G1401](#) and was made [G1096](#) in [G1722](#) the likeness [G3667](#) of men: [G444](#)

Phil 2:8 (KJV) 8 And [G2532](#) being found [G2147](#) in fashion [G4976](#) as [G5613](#) a man, [G444](#) **HE HUMBLLED [G5013](#) HIMSELF, [G1438](#) AND BECAME [G1096](#) OBEDIENT [G5255](#) UNTO [G3360](#) DEATH, [G2288](#) EVEN [G1161](#) THE DEATH [G2288](#) OF THE CROSS. [G4716](#)**

1 Peter 2:21-23 (KJV) 21 For [G1063](#) even [G1519](#) hereunto [G5124](#) were ye called: [G2564](#) **BECAUSE [G3754](#) CHRIST [G5547](#) ALSO [G2532](#) SUFFERED [G3958](#) FOR [G5228](#) US, [G2257](#) LEAVING [G5277](#) US [G2254](#) AN EXAMPLE, [G5261](#) THAT [G2443](#) YE SHOULD FOLLOW [G1872](#) HIS [G846](#) STEPS: [G2487](#)**

1 Peter 2:22 (KJV) 22 Who [G3739](#) did [G4160](#) no [G3756](#) sin, [G266](#) neither [G3761](#) was guile [G1388](#) found [G2147](#) in [G1722](#) his [G846](#) mouth: [G4750](#)

1 Peter 2:23 (KJV) 23 Who, [G3739](#) when he was reviled, [G3058](#) reviled [G486](#) not [G3756](#) again; [G486](#) when he suffered, [G3958](#) he threatened [G546](#) not; [G3756](#) but [G1161](#) committed [G3860](#) himself to him that judgeth [G2919](#) righteously: [G1346](#)

1 Peter 4:19 (KJV) 19 Wherefore [G5620](#) [G2532](#) let [G3908](#) them that suffer [G3958](#) according to [G2596](#) **THE WILL [G2307](#) OF GOD [G2316](#) COMMIT THE KEEPING [G3908](#) OF THEIR [G1438](#) SOULS [G5590](#) TO HIM IN [G1722](#) WELL DOING, [G16](#) as [G5613](#) unto a faithful [G4103](#) Creator. [G2939](#)**

1 John 2:5-6 (KJV) 5 But [G1161](#) whoso [G3739](#) keepeth [G302](#) [G5083](#) his [G846](#) word, [G3056](#) in [G1722](#) him [G5129](#) verily [G230](#) is [G5048](#) the love [G26](#) of God [G2316](#) perfected: [G5048](#) hereby [G1722](#) [G5129](#) know we [G1097](#) that [G3754](#) we are [G2070](#) in [G1722](#) him. [G846](#)

1 John 2:6 (KJV) 6 **HE THAT SAITH [G3004](#) HE ABIDETH [G3306](#) IN [G1722](#) HIM [G846](#) OUGHT [G3784](#) HIMSELF [G846](#) ALSO [G2532](#) SO [G3779](#) TO WALK, [G4043](#) EVEN AS [G2531](#) HE [G1565](#) WALKED. [G4043](#)**

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON OTHERS WHO BECAME
MARTYRS FOR THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

JESUS CHRIST ENCOURAGED THE CHURCH OF GOD AT
SMYRNA ON BECOMING MARTYRS FOR HIS NAME.

Rev 2:8-11 (KJV) 8 And [G2532](#) unto the angel [G32](#) of the church [G1577](#) in Smyrna [G4668](#) write; [G1125](#) These things [G3592](#) saith [G3004](#) the first [G4413](#) and [G2532](#) the last, [G2078](#) which [G3739](#) was [G1096](#) dead, [G3498](#) and [G2532](#) is alive; [G2198](#)

Rev 2:9 (KJV) 9 I know [G1492](#) thy [G4675](#) works, [G2041](#) and [G2532](#) tribulation, [G2347](#) and [G2532](#) poverty, [G4432](#) (but [G1161](#) thou art [G1488](#) rich) [G4145](#) and [G2532](#) I know the blasphemy [G988](#) of them which [G3588](#) say [G3004](#) they [G1438](#) are [G1511](#) Jews, [G2453](#) and [G2532](#) are [G1526](#) not, [G3756](#) but [G235](#) are the synagogue [G4864](#) of Satan. [G4567](#)

Rev 2:10 (KJV) 10 Fear [G5399](#) none [G3367](#) of those things which [G3739](#) thou shalt [G3195](#) suffer: [G3958](#) behold, [G2400](#) the devil [G1228](#) shall [G3195](#) cast [G906](#) some of [G1537](#) you [G5216](#) into [G1519](#) prison, [G5438](#) that [G2443](#) ye may be tried; [G3985](#) and [G2532](#) ye shall have [G2192](#) tribulation [G2347](#) ten [G1176](#) days: [G2250](#) **BE THOU [G1096](#) FAITHFUL [G4103](#) UNTO [G891](#) DEATH, [G2288](#) AND [G2532](#) I WILL GIVE [G1325](#) THEE [G4671](#) A CROWN [G4735](#) OF LIFE. [G2222](#)**

Rev 2:11 (KJV) 11 He that hath [G2192](#) an ear, [G3775](#) let him hear [G191](#) what [G5101](#) the Spirit [G4151](#) saith [G3004](#) unto the churches; [G1577](#) He that overcometh [G3528](#) shall [G91](#) not [G3364](#) be hurt [G91](#) of [G1537](#) the second [G1208](#) death. [G2288](#)

Rev 6:9-11 (KJV) 9 And [G2532](#) when [G3753](#) he had opened [G455](#) the fifth [G3991](#) seal, [G4973](#) I saw [G1492](#) under [G5270](#) the altar [G2379](#) the souls [G5590](#) of them that were slain [G4969](#) for [G1223](#) the word [G3056](#) of God, [G2316](#) and [G2532](#) for [G1223](#) the testimony [G3141](#) which [G3739](#) they held: [G2192](#)

Rev 6:10 (KJV) 10 And [G2532](#) they cried [G2896](#) with a loud [G3173](#) voice, [G5456](#) saying, [G3004](#) How [G2193](#) long, [G4219](#) O Lord, [G1203](#) holy [G40](#) and [G2532](#) true, [G228](#) dost thou [G2919](#) not [G3756](#) judge [G2919](#) and [G2532](#) avenge [G1556](#) our [G2257](#) blood [G129](#) on [G575](#) them that dwell [G2730](#) on [G1909](#) the earth? [G1093](#)

Rev 6:11 (KJV) 11 And [G2532](#) white [G3022](#) robes [G4749](#) were given [G1325](#) unto every one of them; [G1538](#) **AND [G2532](#) IT WAS SAID [G4483](#) UNTO THEM, [G846](#) THAT [G2443](#) THEY SHOULD REST [G373](#) YET [G2089](#) FOR A**

LITTLE ^{G3398} SEASON, ^{G5550} UNTIL ^{G2193} THEIR ^{G846}
FELLOWSERVANTS ^{G4889} ALSO ^{G2532} AND ^{G2532} THEIR ^{G846}
BRETHREN, ^{G80} THAT SHOULD ^{G3195} BE KILLED ^{G615} AS ^{G5613} ^{G2532}
THEY ^{G846} WERE, SHOULD ^{G3739} BE FULFILLED. ^{G4137}

Rev 12:11 (KJV) 11 And ^{G2532} they ^{G846} overcame ^{G3528} him ^{G846}
by ^{G1223} the blood ^{G129} of the Lamb, ^{G721} and ^{G2532} by ^{G1223} the
word ^{G3056} of their ^{G846} testimony; ^{G3141} AND ^{G2532} THEY LOVED ^{G25}
NOT ^{G3756} THEIR ^{G846} LIVES ^{G5590} UNTO ^{G891} THE DEATH. ^{G2288}

OTHER RELATED SCRIPTURES ON JESUS CHRIST AND THE
APOSTLE PAUL EXPLAINING THE STATE OF DEATH AS BEING
ASLEEP.

John 11:11-12 (KJV) 11 These things ^{G5023} said ^{G2036} he: ^{G846}
and ^{G2532} after ^{G3326} that ^{G5124} he saith ^{G3004} unto them, ^{G846} OUR ^{G2257}
FRIEND ^{G5384} LAZARUS ^{G2976} SLEEPETH; ^{G2837} BUT ^{G235} I GO, ^{G4198}
THAT ^{G2443} I MAY AWAKE ^{G1852} HIM ^{G846} OUT OF SLEEP. ^{G1852}

John 11:12 (KJV) 12 Then ^{G3767} said ^{G2036} his ^{G846} disciples, ^{G3101}
Lord, ^{G2962} if ^{G1487} he sleep, ^{G2837} he shall do well. ^{G4982}

1 Cor 15:51 (KJV) 51 Behold, ^{G2400} I shew ^{G3004} you ^{G5213} a
mystery; ^{G3466} WE SHALL ^{G2837} NOT ^{G3756} ALL ^{G3956} ^{G3303} SLEEP, ^{G2837}
but ^{G1161} we shall ^{G236} all ^{G3956} be changed, ^{G236}

1 Thess 4:14-16 (KJV) 14 For ^{G1063} if ^{G1487} we believe ^{G4100} that ^{G3754}
Jesus ^{G2424} died ^{G599} and ^{G2532} rose again, ^{G450} even so ^{G3779} them
also ^{G2532} WHICH SLEEP ^{G2837} IN ^{G1223} JESUS ^{G2424} WILL ^{G71} GOD ^{G2316}
BRING ^{G71} WITH ^{G4862} HIM. ^{G846}

1 Thess 4:15 (KJV) 15 For ^{G1063} this ^{G5124} we say ^{G3004} unto you ^{G5213}
by ^{G1722} the word ^{G3056} of the Lord, ^{G2962} that ^{G3754} we ^{G2249} which ^{G3588}
are alive ^{G2198} and remain ^{G4035} unto ^{G1519} the coming ^{G3952} of the
Lord ^{G2962} shall ^{G5348} not ^{G3364} prevent ^{G5348} THEM WHICH ^{G3588} ARE
ASLEEP. ^{G2837}

1 Thess 4:14-16 (KJV) 14 For ^{G3754} the Lord ^{G2962} himself ^{G846} shall
descend ^{G2597} from ^{G575} heaven ^{G3772} with ^{G1722} a shout, ^{G2752} with ^{G1722}
the voice ^{G5456} of the archangel, ^{G743} and ^{G2532} with ^{G1722} the
trump ^{G4536} of God: ^{G2316} AND ^{G2532} THE DEAD ^{G3498} IN ^{G1722}
CHRIST ^{G5547} SHALL RISE ^{G450} FIRST: ^{G4412}

THE APOSTLE PAUL ENCOURAGED THE BRETHREN THAT THEY OUGHT TO FOCUS ON WHAT IS UNSEEN AND ETERNAL AHEAD AND THAT THIS REQUIRES THE FAITH OF GOD BY THE HOLY SPIRIT.

2 Cor 4:14-18 (KJV) 14 Knowing [G1492](#) that [G3754](#) he which raised up [G1453](#) the Lord [G2962](#) Jesus [G2424](#) shall raise up [G1453](#) us [G2248](#) also [G2532](#) by [G1223](#) Jesus, [G2424](#) and [G2532](#) shall present [G3936](#) us with [G4862](#) you. [G5213](#)

2 Cor 4:15 (KJV) 15 For [G1063](#) all things [G3956](#) are for [G1223](#) your [G5209](#) sakes, [G1223](#) that [G2443](#) the abundant [G4121](#) grace [G5485](#) might [G4052](#) through [G1223](#) the thanksgiving [G2169](#) of many [G4119](#) redound [G4052](#) to [G1519](#) the glory [G1391](#) of God. [G2316](#)

2 Cor 4:16 (KJV) 16 For which cause [G1352](#) we faint [G1573](#) not; [G3756](#) but [G235](#) though [G1499](#) our [G2257](#) outward [G1854](#) man [G444](#) perish, [G1311](#) yet [G235](#) the inward [G2081](#) man is renewed [G341](#) day [G2250](#) by [G2532](#) day. [G2250](#)

2 Cor 4:17 (KJV) 17 For [G1063](#) our [G2257](#) light [G1645](#) affliction, [G2347](#) which [G3588](#) is but for a moment, [G3910](#) worketh [G2716](#) for us [G2254](#) a far [G2596](#) [G5236](#) more exceeding [G1519](#) [G5236](#) and eternal [G166](#) weight [G922](#) of glory; [G1391](#)

2 Cor 4:18 (KJV) 18 While [G4648](#) we [G2257](#) look [G4648](#) not [G3361](#) at [G4648](#) the things which are seen, [G991](#) but [G235](#) at the things which are [G991](#) not [G3361](#) seen: [G991](#) for [G1063](#) the things which are seen [G991](#) are temporal; [G4340](#) **BUT [G1161](#) THE THINGS WHICH ARE [G991](#) NOT [G3361](#) SEEN [G991](#) ARE ETERNAL.** [G166](#)

2 Cor 5:7 (KJV) 7 **(FOR [G1063](#) WE WALK [G4043](#) BY [G1223](#) FAITH, [G4102](#) NOT [G3756](#) BY [G1223](#) SIGHT:)** [G1491](#)

Heb 11:6 (KJV) 6 **BUT [G1161](#) WITHOUT [G5565](#) FAITH [G4102](#) IT IS IMPOSSIBLE [G102](#) TO PLEASE [G2100](#) HIM:** for [G1063](#) he that cometh [G4334](#) to God [G2316](#) must [G1163](#) believe [G4100](#) that [G3754](#) he is, [G2076](#) and [G2532](#) that he is [G1096](#) a rewarder [G3406](#) of them that diligently seek [G1567](#) him. [G846](#)

THE APOSTLE PAUL EXPLAINED TO THE HEBREW BRETHREN IN THE CHURCHES OF GOD IN JERUSALEM AND JUDAEA THAT THEY CAN ONLY RUN THE RACE SET BEFORE THEM BY THE FAITH OF GOD BY THE HOLY SPIRIT.

Heb 12:1-3 (KJV) 1 Wherefore [G5105](#) seeing we also [G2532](#) are [G2192](#) compassed about [G4029](#) [G2254](#) with so great [G5118](#) a cloud [G3509](#) of witnesses, [G3144](#) let [G659](#) us [G2249](#) lay aside [G659](#) every [G3956](#) weight, [G3591](#) and [G2532](#) the sin [G266](#) which doth so easily beset [G2139](#) us, **AND LET US RUN [G5143](#) WITH [G1223](#) PATIENCE [G5281](#) THE RACE [G73](#) THAT IS SET BEFORE [G4295](#) US, [G2254](#)**

Heb 12:2 (KJV) 1 **LOOKING [G872](#) UNTO [G1519](#) JESUS [G2424](#) THE AUTHOR [G747](#) AND [G2532](#) FINISHER [G5051](#) OF OUR FAITH; [G4102](#) WHO [G3739](#) FOR [G473](#) **THE JOY [G5479](#)** THAT WAS SET BEFORE [G4295](#) HIM [G846](#) ENDURED [G5278](#) THE CROSS, [G4716](#) despising [G2706](#) the shame, [G152](#) and [G5037](#) is set down [G2523](#) at [G1722](#) the right hand [G1188](#) of the throne [G2362](#) of God. [G2316](#)**

Heb 12:3 (KJV) 3 For [G1063](#) consider [G357](#) him that endured [G5278](#) such [G5108](#) contradiction [G485](#) of [G5259](#) sinners [G268](#) against [G1519](#) himself, [G846](#) lest [G3363](#) ye be wearied [G2577](#) and faint [G1590](#) in your [G5216](#) minds. [G5590](#)

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