

THE LAMB'S WIFE

The dispensation of grace and truth which was hid in God, and revealed unto the Apostle Paul, was about Yashua the Messiah, who we call Jesus, taking a bride for Himself.

This bride would be made up of the white gentiles and a remnant of the nation of Israel and the heathens. That's why the bible said that ' there's neither Jew nor gentile, male nor female but all have been made one in Christ Jesus', which is the bride, the Lamb's wife.

Galatians 3:28 There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus.

Remember, there were five dispensations in God's program of recovering mankind after the fall of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden.

- 1. The first dispensation was called the dispensation of innocence. Remember the man and the woman did not know good or evil.**

Genesis 2:17 But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.

2. **The second dispensation was the dispensation of human government. The Most High said that whosoever kill man, by him man should be killed.**

Genesis 9:6 Whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed: for in the image of God made he man.

3. **The third dispensation was the dispensation of promises. God promised Abraham that if he would leave his father's house God would make a covenant with Abraham and give him all the land that he could see looking eastward, northward, southward and westward. And that in Abraham's seed, all the nations of the earth shall be blessed.**

Genesis 12:1 Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee:

2And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing:

Genesis 13:14And the LORD said unto Abram, after that Lot was separated from him, Lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward:

15For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever.

- 4. The fourth dispensation is the dispensation of law which was given to the nation of Israel who was the twelve sons of Jacob, whose name was changed to Israel after wrestling with the angel. This was God's first government that He used with a nation. God made a covenant, which was called the Old Covenant. He ordained Moses to present it to the nation of Israel.**

Exodus 24:7And he took the book of the covenant, and read in the audience of the people: and they said, All that the LORD hath said will we do, and be obedient.

8And Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people, and said, Behold the blood of the covenant, which the LORD hath made with you concerning all these words.

During the dispensation of law, God only dealt with the nation of Israel. He did not deal with the gentiles at all.

Amos 3:2You only have I known of all the families of the earth: therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities.

3 Can two walk together, except they be agreed?

5. **The fifth dispensation is the dispensation of grace and truth. Remember Jesus said the law was given by Moses but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.**

John 1:17 For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.

This doesn't mean that the 10 Commandments, which is the law, is done away but is being used differently. It's used now only for the knowledge of sin. But you are saved by grace through faith in Jesus Christ in the dispensation of grace and truth which is the fifth dispensation. Understand that this dispensation was hid in God and revealed unto Paul that the gentiles could be fellow citizens with the children of Israel. The gentiles could now receive the promises that God made with Abraham the father of faith in the New Covenant that was sanctified by the blood of Jesus by writing the laws of the 10 commandments in the hearts of the New Testament saints which is the bride of Christ.

Hebrews 10:29 Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under

foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace?

Hebrews 8:8 For finding fault with them, he saith, Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah:

Ephesians 2:11 Wherefore remember, that ye being in time past Gentiles in the flesh, who are called Uncircumcision by that which is called the Circumcision in the flesh made by hands;

12 That at that time ye were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope, and without God in the world:

13 But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ.

During the dispensation of grace and truth, the Lamb's wife, which has been called by Jesus Christ, is required to make herself ready by keeping the commandments of God. For no man can come to Jesus Christ except he be drawn of the father.

John 6:44 No man can come to me, except the Father which hath sent me draw him: and I will raise him up at the last day.

Satan the devil, is only angry with the bride, the Lamb's wife and has gone to make war with her.

Revelation 12:17 And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.

Someone would ask the question, what about all the people who worship on Sunday and do not keep the seventh day Sabbath and the 10 Commandments and eat clean meats. What part do they play in the plan of salvation? Remember, 90% of them are a part of the guests that will be invited to the wedding of the bride, which is the Lamb's wife. They only know Jesus by the hearing of the ear like Job did in the Old Testament.

Job 42:5 I have heard of thee by the hearing of the ear: but now mine eye seeth thee.

They do not know Jesus as the bride knows Him, for Jesus said, "My sheep hear my voice and a stranger, they will not follow."

John 10:27 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me:

Most of them are not against Jesus and His bride. But they have not yet been called. They only know the Jesus stories and the miracles that Jesus did. But the strict doctrine of Jesus and what He and the bride will be doing in the world made new, they have no understanding at all. So Jesus said, leave them alone long as they don't say anything against us, they are on our side.

Mark 9:38 And John answered him, saying, Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followeth not us: and we forbad him, because he followeth not us.

39 But Jesus said, Forbid him not: for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me.

40 For he that is not against us is on our part.

Satan's not angry with the rest of the nations because he has already deceived them. Satan knows that they cannot be lost because all souls belong to God. So Satan is spending his time trying to destroy the bride only.

Revelation 20:3 And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him, that he should

deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.

The bride of Christ, which is the Lamb's wife, must make herself ready by casting off all false doctrine and uncleanness and remove every spot and wrinkle from her garment so she can be ready for the marriage of the Lamb.

Ephesians 5:26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word,

27 That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.

In order for the nations to be invited to marriage of the Lamb's wife, they must not take the mark of the beast.

So God will send an angel to warn all nations on the earth to take not the mark of the beast or the number of his name.

Revelation 14:9 And the third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, If any man worship the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or in his hand,

10 The same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out without mixture into the cup of his

indignation; and he shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb:

Revelation 19 lets you know that there will be guest at the wedding of the Lamb when He marries His wife which is the New Testament church which has kept the commandments of God which is the testimony of Jesus Christ.

Revelation 19:7Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.

8And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.

9And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God.

Again we see that satan has deceived all nations but the Lamb's wife, which is the New Testament church. But in order for these nations invited to the wedding of the Lamb's wife, they must not take the mark of the beast. They do not have to be converted at this present time. They will be converted during the 1000

year millennium reign when Christ and His wife set on thrones ruling all nations.

Revelation 20:4 And I saw thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given unto them: and I saw the souls of them that were beheaded for the witness of Jesus, and for the word of God, and which had not worshipped the beast, neither his image, neither had received his mark upon their foreheads, or in their hands; and they lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years.

What about the nations that already have died and that are in the grave? Will they have a chance to be converted?

The nations that have already died, 99% of them died in ignorance not knowing there was a Jesus Christ who was calling a bride to marry Him. They were in all kinds of other religions such as Islam, Hinduism and all other forms of philosophies of men.

They haven't had their first chance to prove to God whether they will follow His ways or not. But they all will wake up in the second resurrection and be judged from the books according to their works while living on earth. But they will discover another book which is the book of life and they will have a chance to accept

the Blood of Jesus and keep their names in the book of life and have 100 years to prove that they are willing to follow God's laws and His ways.

Now please understand this is not giving people a second chance like some religious leaders will tell you. Remember they died in societies where from a child up they were raised to believe the teachings of their religion and philosophy such as: those who died in the rainforest of South America; those who died on the slave ships from Africa; those who died behind the iron curtain in communist countries; thousands of babies who were aborted by their mothers; those who are mentally ill and could not understand. These all died without hearing or knowing anything about the plan of salvation as some of us who have heard the gospel and have already repented and have been made the bride, the Lamb's wife. That's the reason the Lamb and the bride said in Revelation 22:17 let him come that is athirst and receive salvation.

Revelation 20:11 And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them.

12And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was opened, which is the book of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works.

13And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works.

Isaiah 65:20 There shall be no more thence an infant of days, nor an old man that hath not filled his days: for the child shall die an hundred years old; but the sinner being an hundred years old shall be accursed.

Remember satan the devil will not be able to deceive those at the great white throne judgment because he will be in the lake of fire suffering the second death.

They will only be judged by their previous lifestyle they had before they died. They will have to overcome their lifestyle of sin and bad behavior in order to get a glorified body. But if they do not overcome, their previous lifestyle, they will suffer the second death.

Revelation 21:8 But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in

the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

The Father's will is that none should perish but all should come to the knowledge of the truth. So He gave His only begotten son and whoever believes in Him should have everlasting life.

So the blood of Jesus covers first, the bride, the Lamb's wife, next all nations which have been deceived whether they be living or dead. The only ones that can be lost are those who know the truth and fully understand it and refuse to choose God's way instead of the way of satan the devil and the works of the flesh.

Finally, the sixth dispensation is called the dispensation of the Kingdom of God on earth as it is in heaven.

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