Kingdom or Church, Part 3

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This past week, I received an email, I'm not sure if it was from a listener, or from someone who had heard about these messages. But, in the email, he was concerned at what seems to be increased teachings - not just from me - but from possibly Ted, also, concerning the challenging that certain words should not be in our English Bibles. And, I get it. I understand the concern, I understand the frustration. But I also have to tell you that I'm just as concerned as anyone. In fact, when I first began to understand that the word "church" should not be in our English Bibles, I was, well, let me think of a word - shocked, maybe, dismayed isn't good enough, alarmed isn't good enough - I was rocked.

Remember, as I have testified to you many times before, I was raised a staunch fundamental, you might even say, militant, independent, fundamental, premillenial, rapture believing Baptist. I was in the quote unquote "church" every single time the doors were opened. When I was a kid, I was the one you saw sitting on the front row taking notes while all the other kids were on the back row passing notes.

I was the kid who won the sword drills, won the contests for bringing the most kids to Sunday school. I was the kid who was named "Most Outstanding Bible Camper." I was the kid who at age 12 was paraded in front of the quote unquote "church" as having "surrendered his life to the ministry."

I was the kid who was the odd ball growing up because I valued quote unquote "church attendance" more than being with my friends.

I'm not saying this stuff as if it has Kingdom value - it does not - I'm just telling you this because in zeal towards religion - I was second to none. When I was taught that the King James Bible was the inspired Word of God, and that when the Apostle Paul preached his messages, he was using the King James Bible (that of course was meant to

be funny by the preachers who taught me things like that) - I mean, I was a Ruckmanite and proud of it. If you don't know what a Ruckmanite was, it was kind of a derogatory term for KJV only guys in Bible college.

Peter Ruckman was the most rabid proponent of the KJV back in the 1900s and according to Ruckman, the KJV was equally as inspired as the original words spoken by God Himself. I had all of Ruckman's books, flyers, whatever he had, I had it. I could point you to all the passages where he compared the KJV to any other modern Bible and could show you, according to Ruckman, how the modern versions differed from the KJV and that all the modern versions were Satanic perversions and should not be trusted, should not be read, should not be possessed, but should be burned.

Ruckman was so pro KJV that if someone else dared to even quote from another version of the Bible, that man would be flagged for concern at the least - and labeled a heretic at the most. Usually the heretic label was what was applied.

I had D.A. Waite's books. At the time, he was as much of a proponent of the KJV as Ruckman was, but did not come off nearly as mean-spirited as Ruckman did. His writings were much more palatable than Ruckman's.

I had no problem whatsoever being in the camp of Peter Ruckman or in the camp of D.A. Waite. I was a KJVer, a King James Only adherent.

Around 1984, I purchased a Geneva Bible. This was a huge step for me, because I was treading on the outskirts of heresy for even possessing something other than the King James Bible. But nonetheless, I owned one. And, if you are familiar at all with this ministry and what I preach, you will no doubt know that what I found in the Geneva Bible of 1599 in I Peter 2 and Matthew 2 - was revolutionary in what was already a relentless pursuit of truth in my own life.

As a result of seeing what I saw in the Geneva Bible relating to how subsequent Bible translators were destroying the entire meaning of the Bible by changing the capital K in

King in I Peter 2 to a small k - I was prepared - somewhat for what I would later discover regarding the word "church."

In the KJV only camp, we were told that one of the reasons why the KJV was so pure and so trustworthy was because it was the same today as it was in 1611. That, of course, is an outright lie. That is not a mischaracterization, or a misunderstanding, or an honest mistake - it is an outright lie.

Before I go much further, don't take what I'm saying as a message bashing the KJV. That's not what this is about.

You just can't imagine how difficult going down this road was - and still is - for me. I believed in the promise of Yahweh preserving His Word so much that if the KJV differed from the original languages - it was God's Way of protecting and preserving His Word.

So, if the English KJV used the word "church" - then that must have been God's way of preserving His Word and helping us to understand what His true intentions were for His people.

However, the overwhelming evidence of what transpired - and the fruit of what has taken place - cannot be overlooked.

The Greek word in the New Testament that is WRONGLY translated as "church" is ecclesia. The Greek word for "church" is kuriakon. I will not, cannot, knowing the full context of the Scriptures - from Genesis to Revelation - I cannot believe that all the context of Scripture that shows that the everlasting Kingdom of God - no doubt - the central theme of ALL Scripture - has been altered by God some 1500 years later - to turn His everlasting Kingdom into a building. And further, into a building that operates itself under the headship of a godless state.

"Church" is not the Kingdom of God. "Church" is the religious arm, the religious extension of the state. This is why nearly 100% of the so-called, quote unquote

"churches" in America are government corporations. No man anywhere, is going to convince me that the blood-washed body of Christ, the ecclesia that was established, cleansed, purchased with His Own Blood in the first century - that His body is to be created and established by the same organization that gives corporate status to the liquor store, to the porno shop, to the casinos, to Planned Parenthood, to the ACLU, to the Southern Poverty Law Center, to the gay pride march organizers - don't tell me that this is what my Lord and King was establishing in the first century.

"Churches" are not ecclesias. Ecclesias are called out Christian communities of believers who live with Christ as their King and the Laws, Commandments, Judgements, Statutes and Perfect Will of God contained in the principles found from Genesis to Revelation. And if you are reading from an English Bible where the words contained in that English Bible lead you away, or attempt to lead you away, or make you question or doubt the validity of the present day reality of the Kingdom of God - today - then you absolutely need to investigate each and every single word you are reading in that English Bible.

The same would be said about Greek texts, Hebrew texts, Aramaic texts, Syriac texts.

We would be totally naive to think that evil men throughout the ages have not attempted to change the Words of God into things they did not say and things they were never intended to say or to be understood.

It started in the very beginning when in the garden, the serpent said to Eve, "Hath God said?"

So friends, it was not without great fear, great trepidation, that I even began to entertain the thought that the English word "church" not only should not be in our English Bibles, but that it was put there for the purpose of keeping people from entering the Kingdom of God.

If someone is just now beginning to listen to my messages, and they hear me talking about the word "church" - more than likely - they are going to get angry, defensive, and might just tune this message out completely and go on with their lives.

I've been preaching this message for more than 35 years and now for more than a year on MIssouri Liberty Radio, I have been trying to lay a foundation to support the fact that what I am saying about the word "church" is true.

It begins with helping people to understand the greatest lie that has ever been perpetrated against mankind - and that is that Bible prophecy - ALL of it - was not fulfilled in the first century with the birth of the King.

I told someone the other day, that I am not sure if I have spent enough time on helping people understand the truth that ALL Bible prophecy has already been fulfilled. If someone doesn't understand this, they are probably not going to understand what I'm talking about concerning the word "church."

The truth that ALL Bible prophecy has been fulfilled - that truth all by itself - has little value unless someone understands the implications - the conclusions - that someone should come to as a result of Fulfilled Bible Prophecy - and that is that Jesus, Yeshua was revealed - past tense - as King of kings and Lord of lords - now finish it for me - not only IS He King of kings and Lord of lords - but He is the LAST of the Kings that God allows for His creation.

Find me a quote unquote "church" anywhere in the world that preaches that message and teaches men to live their lives accordingly. It does not exist. "Churches" have been in place at least since the year 300AD for the sole purpose of keeping people under the deception that God STILL ordains men to be kings in the earth today. They are in place to make people believe that God ordains men to make laws, statues and ordinances and even when those laws, statues or ordinances are opposed to His - men are bound to obey man's laws - whether they be good or bad - and further - if you don't obey men's laws, statues and ordinances - you are damned to hell. That's what "churches"

are and do. They are the total opposite of the Kingdom of God and its One True King and its One True Lawgiver.

Ecclesia is God's Government on earth carried out through His called out people. That is the central theme of the whole Bible - it is the whole purpose and plan of God - and it is not taught in the quote unquote "church."

Ecclesia has been perverted, twisted, evolutionized into something called "church" and men today - nearly universally - believe that quote unquote "church" is a building where people go to, to sing songs about God, to learn about God, to be instructed to obey men's statues, pay your taxes, worship the military, worship the flag, stand and put your hand on your heart when the music plays, etc., etc., and if someone tries to tell me that's not what happens in quote unquote "church" then I'll apologize for the criticism.

But, I'm not blind. Nearly 100% - nearly every single quote unquote "church" building that I see in America - has at least one flag flying in front of it. If there is one flag flying - it is the U.S. flag. If there are two flags flying, it is usually the U.S. flag, then possibly a quote unquote "Christian" flag - and that quote unquote "Christian" flag is ALWAYS - ALWAYS flying lower than the U.S. flag. Sometimes I see 3 flags. The U.S. flag flying highest, then the state flag and the quote unquote "Christian" flag flying lower.

Do not tell me for one second that those disciples, those men that watched Jesus perform His miracles, listened intently to His every Word, saw Him heal the sick, give sight to the blind, make the laim walk, feed five thousand men with 2 fish and five loaves of bread, walk on the water, calm the sea, raise the dead - then they watched as He was executed by the state, placed in a borrowed tomb - then on the third day march triumphantly from the grave conquering death hell and the grave - having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, triumphing over them in it - all the while knowing full well that this man - this Jesus - was born to be King - demonstrated to the world that He was King - transferred all this power and authority

to His disciples - then told them to go build "church" buildings and fly Caesar's flag over the building. Oh come on. How ridiculously absurd.

I'm telling you today that the King and His Kingdom came when the temple was destroyed at AD70 just like He said it would be in Matthew 24 - and immediately before the temple was destroyed to the point where not one stone was left standing upon another -

as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

- [28] For wheresoever the carcase is, there will the eagles be gathered together.
- [29] Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken:
- [30] And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

He did this. They saw the sign of the Son of man in heaven. All the tribes of the earth mourned that just 40 years prior they had participated in executing the Son of God because of their rejection of Him as King - and they saw the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

This is the message of the King and the Kingdom. It is the message of the ecclesia - it is not the message of quote unquote "church" or the "churchmen."

This past week I received a phone call from a man who has not been listening to these series of messages. I have talked with him concerning the messages, I have asked him repeatedly to listen to the messages, but he hasn't.

This is a man who is seeking freedom, absolutely, I'll say this about this man. However, he is seeking it in the wrong places. Freedom does not come from knowing man's

statues and how to manipulate them. Freedom does not come from men's CONstitutions. Freedom comes from THE King and His Kingdom.

I have said before and I'll say it again, I will not criticize a man for wanting to be free and for taking steps towards gaining freedom from the wickedness of men's governments. I can only hope to point that man to Christ and try to lead him to the true source of freedom. But, this man, like so many I have seen over the last 35 plus years, this man has lost his wife, his children, his home, nearly everything, in the pursuit of his freedom. I do not question this man's sincerity whatsoever. I also have not said anything this morning that I have not already said to him.

But he called me this past week and was lamenting the fact that while going through his divorce, he has gone from quote unquote "church to church" trying to find some quote unquote "preacher" who will stand with him. He is hoping to find a quote unquote "preacher" who will counsel his wife - who claims to be a Christian - not to divorce him. As he was telling me about all these quote unquote "preachers" who had counseled his wife that she was perfectly fine in divorcing this man - and that they would not counsel her otherwise - I had to just stop him.

"Why do you think that the "churches" and the "churchmen" are going to counsel your wife according to the Word of God?" The states that make up the United States of America - from which these "churches" and the "churchmen" derive their authority to exist - have all decreed that "no-fault divorce" is the quote "law of the land." These "churchmen" are fully incapable of instructing people in the Laws of God and the principles contained in the Scripture. They are mouthpieces for the "laws of men."

This man told me that several of the quote unquote "preachers" had told him that he was considered to be an unbeliever because he did not use a social security number and had not gotten social security numbers for his children. So - HE was the unbeliever and his wife was free to divorce him.

He then tried to argue from I Corinthians 7 that if he was an unbeliever and wanted to stay in the marriage, then the wife who was the believer was bound to stay with the unbelieving husband.

Of course, he received no support from the "churchmen" on that basis, as well. He is not going to get support from these "churchmen." The "church" and the "churchmen" are extensions of the state. The state is their god. The state's statues are their laws.

I can't remember if I mentioned it or not, but last week, there were some headlines that made the national news that Azusa Pacific University had reversed their ban on homosexuality at their university. This is not shocking. Not surprising. I fully expect it and expect to see more of it. Eastern Mennonite University - yes Mennonite - Eastern Mennonite University now allows married sodomites on their faculty.

I have read several times in my messages the definition of a corporation - by their words - by the united states supreme court - not my words - their words - quote "a corporation is a creature of the state. It is presumed to be incorporated for the benefit of the public. It receives certain special privileges and franchises from the state and holds them subject to the state and the limitations of its charter. Its rights to act as a corporation are only preserved to it so long as it obeys the laws of its creation." End quote.

The quote unquote "churches" and "universities and colleges" are state corporations.

They must abide by - not just state laws - but by public policy. And if they refuse to, they put themselves in jeopardy of losing their special privileges and franchises - tax-exempt status and the tax-deductible gift."

"Churches" are not ecclesias. If you think that we can just arbitrarily change words and change meanings of words - and evolutionize and create our own theologies and belief systems that are not in harmony with the original meaning and intent of Scripture - we are crazy. That's ridiculous to think that God has given us the power, the right, whatever you want to call it, to alter His intent, to change His Words, to change His Perfect Will

for His creation - and then expect God to sit back and accept it. But that's exactly what we have done. Exactly what has happened. And if we do not expose it and lay it bare before the truth of God's Word - we become complicit with those who have assaulted the King and the Kingdom for all these years.

I know that in 2019, this is hard to handle. I know it's hard to believe that men have changed the truth of God into a lie. I know that it's a bitter pill to swallow to think that we do not have an English translation available to us that can be blindly trusted - every single word - every single letter. It stinks. But it is what it is. We've been lied to - not just about the word "church" - not just about ecclesia - but we've been lied to about every single thing that we have perceived as truth our entire lives. And that's not fun. That's not enjoyable to know that we've been deceived that badly.

So, what do we do about it? Do we just sit back and take it? Do we just sit still hoping that God will miraculously intervene while His people just go along to get along?

We know that Jesus is NOT coming back here on a white horse to set things straight. It's not going to happen. His miraculous return to this earth as described by the Scriptures has already taken place. Exactly when, how and to whom He said it would. It's not happening again.

It is up to us to allow Him to have vessels to work with. He builds His Kingdom through people. Those people who will allow His reign in their lives. We must begin talking. "Talk is cheap." No it isn't.

"Faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word - by the Word - of God."

We must begin confronting the lies and the deceptions. We need to gently inform people concerning the Fulfillment of Bible prophecy. We must gently inform people concerning the present day reality of King and Kingdom. And, it's not always dropping everything on them at once. Most people can only handle a little bit at a time.

Let me give you an example. A couple weeks ago, I was in the hardware store here in the little town that's closest to me. This hardware store also doubles as a gun store. I was in line for my 2 dollar purchase and there was a young man, I'd say in his 20s, who was ahead of me and was there buying a gun. The guy at the cash register told the young man the cost was something like 540 dollars. So the young man started counting out folding green cash and laying on the counter.

When he was done counting, I told this young man that I was pleased to see a young man like this using cash for his purchase. Of course, don't get me wrong here, if you want to talk about folding green paper cash and whether it is Lawful according to God's Laws - we'll have that discussion. And I won't sugar coat it. The economy of the united states - even when it was using folding green cash - would bring the death penalty if the Judgements of the Laws of God were in place. But they aren't. We're so far from that, if we had that discussion right now - heads would be blown so much - only a few could even handle it.

Anyway, I told this young man that it was great to see him using cash because most of the young people his age have already fallen for a cashless society. He acknowledged me with a smile, then picked up his new gun and left.

I then told the store owner, who has grown to know me some since I moved to this area, that when the missouri trooper arrested me - and folks - those of you who have ears to hear better sit up and listen to what I'm getting ready to say - but this trooper told my son that quote "we are unable to track you and your Dad because all you guys do is pay with cash."

I'm just amazed at how many people I know, who claim to be followers of Christ, how now moved on from cash to credit or debit cards for their purchases. By doing so, you are enabling those who want to move to a completely cashless society. You are helping the enemies of the Kingdom of Christ. You are helping to destroy your children's futures. You better listen.

Look, I know that people won't accept gold or silver for our everyday purchases. I tried that over 30 years ago. I get it. But just because they won't accept gold and silver doesn't mean we should just completely give up the fight and do like the rest of the world is doing. Hey, the first book I ever wrote was called, Paper Money, the Destruction of a Nation. I was arguing against paper money and how bad it was. Now, we are so far gone, I'm begging people to at least use the stinking paper money instead of credit cards and phones. The paper money is bad - but it's not as bad as credit cards and phones.

Anyway, I said all that to say this, I went back into that hardware store several days later - maybe even a week I don't know. And when the owner of the hardware store saw me again, he said, "Charlie, thank you so much for telling me what you told me about the credit cards, I have not been able to get that out of my mind since the day you said it."

I could have stayed quiet when that kid was buying that gun. What difference could my little comment make? I'm just one person up against millions and millions. What difference could one little voice make? I'm telling your voice does make a difference. Your use of folding green cash every chance you get instead of credit cards, can make a difference. We can change things around us - for goodness sake- we better begin to change things around us and there is no better way to start it than to talk about the truths, the principles, contained in the Word of God.

It is not necessarily our job to make the outcome - it's our job to preach the word, teach concerning the King and His Kingdom - live to the absolute best of our abilities according to King and Kingdom in a world where everything is stacked against us - and let's see if God will keep His Word.

(For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)

[5] Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

[6] And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.

Futurism is not the knowledge of God. Futurism is a manmade construct that was fabricated for the purpose of deceiving men into believing that the King and His Kingdom are not for today. It is a coming King and a coming Kingdom. Futurism is designed to keep people enslaved to the governments of men which are in place to war against and to keep people from finding the present day reality of the King and His Kingdom. It is against the knowledge of God and until we cast down these imaginations, cast down every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bring into captivity EVERY SINGLE THOUGHT to the obedience of Christ - until we begin to do these things in our lives and into the lives of those we are surrounded by - God is not going to revenge disobedience in our society.

He has given us the blueprint. He has shown us His plan, His way and no matter how hard men want to reject His plan in favor of their own - it's not going to work out for us until we begin bringing men's thoughts into the obedience of Christ - and that is

Therefore being a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him, that of the fruit of his loins, according to the flesh, he would raise up Christ to sit on his throne;

[31] He seeing this before spake of the resurrection of Christ, that his soul was not left in hell, neither his flesh did see corruption.

Listen, the Kingship of Christ is NOT future. Sitting on David's throne in fulfillment of the Davidic Covenant of II Samuel 7 was fulfilled at the resurrection of Christ - an event that took place over 2,000 years ago - and is not happening again.

- [32] This Jesus hath God raised up, whereof we all are witnesses.
- [33] Therefore being by the right hand of God exalted, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he hath shed forth this, which ye now see and hear.

- [34] For David is not ascended into the heavens: but he saith himself, Yahweh said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand,
- [35] Until I make thy foes thy footstool.
- [36] Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that God hath made that same Jesus, whom ye have crucified, both Lord and Christ.

The major evidence for me - and should be for you - is that "church" is not ecclesia is because "church" and the "churchmen" do not preach this message. Ecclesia is King and Kingdom - not future - but beginning in the first century of the New World and endures from generation to generation world without end.

As sad as this truth is, the sodomites have come boldly out of the closet and most professing Christians have taken the sodomites place in the closet. We must get out of the closet and begin speaking the truth.

I'm not saying we need to be standing on the street corner preaching - though I would never tell someone not to do that - I'm not saying we should be bringing attention to ourselves to the point of getting arrested - though I would never tell someone not to do that - I'm saying we need to be having discussions with people concerning these deceptions. Start planting seeds. I said it before, you don't know whether you might be planting a seed, or watering a seed. But the silence in our society concerning King and Kingdom is deafening.

This past week, a really good friend of mine let me know that he was having computer problems and was not able to listen to the messages on Missouri Liberty Radio or from the archives. I put all the messages on a single flash drive and sent them to him. He's talking about purchasing some flash drives and putting all the messages on it and sending them to friends of his. I looked on Ebay and found a package of 10 - 2 gigabyte flash drives for 26.00 dollars. That's 2.60 to get all these messages - and room to spare on a flash drive.

Point people to the website at www.godsendusmen.com. All the messages are there - in audio form - and I've even transcribed them into pdfs for reading.

This week I was listening to my favorite preacher, Ted Weiland. He was talking about a very very serious subject but I laughed out loud when I heard what he had to say. He was talking about how painful it was for him to think that our English Bibles cannot just be blindly trusted. He was talking about how the word Gentile should not be in our English Bibles and he made a conclusive case for it. And, I don't know if Ted has made the correlation or not, my guess is that he probably has, but inserting the word Gentile where it should not be - is absolutely a piece in the puzzle that assaults the King and His Kingdom. So, I'm certainly not the only one who has uncovered things like this and as a man who has given his life to preaching the King and His Kingdom, I can't be silent when I know that these things have happened, are happening and they have been purposely designed to keep people from finding the truth of the King and His Kingdom.

In my response to the man who emailed me this week about the word "church" - his argument being that he knew what the word was really supposed to mean and that it was okay for the word to be in the KJV and that countless numbers of people had to come to Christ, in spite of the KJV, I feel that I may have further added to his grief because I told him that I felt like even Tyndale was in error when he translated the word ecclesia as congregation.

Congregation is better than "church" - but I don't think it's still the correct word. I believe - through context of the Word of God from cover to cover - and through the historical meaning of the word - that Government or Kingdom or Assembly - as in assembly for the purposes of civil Government - would have been a better translation.

We haven't looked at much Scripture today, so in closing, let's back to Psalms 22:22 which was the main text we used last week. Verse 22, remembering now that this verse was quote in Hebrews 2:12 - but in Hebrews 2:12, the KJV translators change the word congregation to "church." Unbelievable.

I will declare thy name unto my brethren: in the midst of the congregation will I praise thee.

The Hebrew word for congregation here is qahal. Now, just like we did with the Greek word ecclesia, let's see what the historical definition of the word qahal is.

Doing a simple search on the Internet, this is the very first definition that you'll find:

The qahal was a theocratic organizational structure in ancient Israelite society according to the Hebrew Bible. In later centuries, Qahal was the name of the autonomous governments of Ashkenazi Jews until being abolished in the 1840s.

Don't get sidetracked with the quote "Ashkenazi Jews" - focus on the theocratic organizational structure in ancient Israelite society according to the Hebrew Bible. The theocratic organizational structure of the ancient Israelite society was a system of where Yahweh was the King, and judges were in place to measure the actions of the people, both civilly and God forbid, criminally, by the Laws, Judgements, Statutes and Ordinances of God.

When you continue through Psalm 22 like we did last week, you see direct references again to Kingdom, the Lord's Kingdom.

The Hebrew qahal, the theocratic Government of God, is the same thing as ecclesia, the theocratic Government of King Jesus. The intent of the Scripture here is to get us to understand Government. Not buildings, so-called as quote places of worship. Not temples, not synagogues, not churches - but Government and Kingdom.

I am not going to go so far as attribute wrongly intent to Tyndale. He at least did not use the word "church" in the New Testament. I don't know, maybe congregation was understood as government or kingdom when Tyndale made his translation. It doesn't mean that today.

I found this on brittanica.com, but it is modern:

Congregation, an assembly of persons, especially a body assembled for religious worship or habitually attending a particular church. The word occurs more than 350 times in the King James Version of the English Bible, but only one of these references is in the New Testament (Acts 13:43). As it is used in the Old Testament, congregation sometimes refers to the entire Israelite community, and at other times it means a gathering or assembly of people.

Now, we're getting a little closer. Now watch this, and maybe this is where Tyndale understood congregation as government.

In the Roman Catholic church the word is used in several senses: (1) the congregations or committees of the Sacred College of Cardinals that form administrative departments, (2) the committees of bishops for the regulation of procedure at general councils,

During Tyndale's time, the quote unquote "government" was mostly the Roman Catholic church. So maybe this is why he used congregation, I don't know.

But what I do know is that qahal means government and ecclesia means government. And more specifically, theocratic government.

Qahal, which is translated as congregation in our English Bibles, and is consistent with Tyndale's refusal to use the word "church" is what is found in Psalm 22:22. It means the thoecratic form of government in ancient Israel. The continued context of Psalm 22 talks about the Kingdom of the Lord. Ecclesia means a called out assembly for the purposes of civil Government. Qahal was the theocratic Government of Old World Israel - and Hebrews 2:12 - which is a direct quote from Psalm 22 - should have never been translated as "church" but it was done so as part of a grand deception - but by Paul quoting Psalm 22:22 - he was proving that ecclesia is supposed to be the theocratic Government of Christ in the New Covenant World.

Christ was setting up His Government, His Kingdom. It was not something that was separate and distinct from men's governments - it took over men's governments. The kingdoms of this world are become the Kingdoms of our Lord.

Please please put yourselves in the shoes of Peter. Put yourselves in the shoes of John. Put yourselves in the shoes of Lazarus. When these first century followers of Christ fully understood that this Jesus Who was crucified, God hath made Him both Saviour and Christ - when Nathaniel proclaimed - even before Nathaniel witnessed the life of Jesus - when he proclaimed, "We have found Him of Whom Moses and the prophets did write, Jesus of Nazareth, the King of Israel" - friends do you think they believed this?

Yes, Jesus, we saw all that you did, we heard all you had to say, we watched them crucify you, put you in a grave, raise from the dead - but your Kingship is only for the spiritual realm. Caesar is the earthly king - you are just the heavenly king. Really? These that have turned the world upside down, are come hither also, whom Jason hath received, and these all do contrary to the decrees of Caesar, saying there is another King, One Jesus.

Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light:

[13] Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

Christians - so-called - are the only people that teach that the Kingship of Christ is only for the heavens. It isn't funny, but it's ironic how that when Herod heard about the One Who was born to be King - he didn't find much heavenly about it - but instead decided to murder all baby boys under the age of 2. If His Kingship is purely reserved for the spiritual, heavenly realm, Herod never got the memo.

My Kingdom is not of this world doesn't mean that His Kingship does not cause men to live one way or another. It doesn't mean that as King, He wants people to only obey

Him when they are in some "church building." Obey me when it's easy inside the four walls of your buildings, then when you leave the building, obey other kings.

He rules from the heavens, yes, but it is still a requirement that men obey His Laws and Commandments and hold men accountable with His Judgements. For the life of me, I don't understand how people think the only way that Christ would or could be King is He was physically walking on this earth today.

I've said this before, 99.9% of people in the U.S. have never seen their so-called leaders. They've never touched them. They've never spoken to them. They believe they exist because they may have seen them on TV - but they've never even been in the same room with them - but they obey them and their system - even to the point where they will send their sons and daughters off to die for them.

But if we talk about Christ as King right now - it's unthinkable. Unimaginable that we would obey someone who cannot be seen on TV.

That's what quote unquote "church" has given us. That's the theology that been evolutionized through the years. The present day reality of the King and Kingdom is lost in our generation.

The man that wrote to me this week concerning the King James Bible said that countless numbers of people have come to Christ as a result of the King James Bible.

I'd respectfully ask him to show me these countless numbers of people.

It was the Geneva Bible that was the preferred Bible of the pilgrims. If we can believe history, when the Mayflower arrived in America in 1620, it was the Geneva Bible that was on that ship. I found this on the Museum of the Bible website:

After sixty-six days at sea, the Mayflower arrived with 102 passengers at Cape Cod, Massachusetts on November 9, 1620. They had intended to land in Virginia, but poor weather and poor navigation led them slightly off course.

These first "pilgrims" were a mix of business traders and those escaping the jurisdiction of the Church of England. They may have brought with them the Geneva Bible—the Bible popular among English Protestants. Many "pilgrims" were from a sect known as Separatists.

Their desire was to form independent congregations strictly following their interpretation of the Bible. Their action was prompted by 2 Corinthians 6:16–18 in the Geneva Bible translation, including verse 17: "Wherefore come out from among them, and separate yourselves."

Again, my intention is not to rail on the KJV, that's what I use - but what I am saying is that countless numbers of people may have come to "churchianity" from the KJV - the NASB - the New King James Version - but unless men have been brought to the understanding of the Gospel of the Kingdom of God - that it is a present day reality and that it is the responsibility of every living breathing creature to conform to King and Kingdom today - I do not believe that as many people as think they have heard the Gospel - have actually heard the Gospel once delivered to the saints.

And, sadly, even fewer have found it. So, I do not believe that countless numbers of people have come to the understanding of the King as a result of the KJV and its use of the word "church." I actually believe the opposite. I believe that the principle of few there be that find it, is still the prevailing principle. Doesn't have to be. That was for a specific time, place and people. Doesn't have to be few that find it. God is not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to the knowledge of the truth.

But the truth has been hidden. The truth is been perverted. The truth has been twisted, changed and wrested into a lie, and has led men to destruction, instead of life and life more abundantly. We need to be about the work of the King and His Kingdom in sharing the Good News that there is another King, One Jesus.

We are out of time. Lord willing, we'll be back next week to continue our work on being vessels used by God to once again build His Kingdom in our generation.