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Good morning everyone. Thank you for tuning into the message this morning.

This morning, we are asking for continued prayer for Paul and the health issues he is undergoing. I would also like to ask you to remember my mother in your prayers. She's got some health issues she's dealing with. Her name is Linda.

There have been several times now where I wish that I had not concluded the In the beginning series. Mainly because I think there are some things that I didn't cover - which is understandable considering how much there was to cover. And, as I stated - over and over - many times - the main purpose of the series was to show what the Bible says about Creation. We talked about the sun. We showed how many Bible verses there are that prove - and yes - absolutely I said prove - I make no apologies for believing that the Bible says it is the sun that is moving and the world is not. I probably should have spent a whole month of Sundays doing nothing but dealing with the Bible verses related to the sun. The Copernican model says the exact opposite. It is the "earth" as they incorrectly - rebelliously - say - is moving, spinning, and revolving, and wobbling around the sun and the sun is not moving - except for the fact that it is collecting our "solar system" around it and then traveling at millions of miles per second - throughout an ever expanding - an ever creating - out of nothing - creating an ever expanding "universe" out of nothing.

From time to time in speaking with people who say they find the Copernican theories more believable than - and I'll just say it - and I don't say this to sound mean or demeaning - but it's what I hear - as they say - "from their lips to my ears" - what I hear people say is "I believe Copernicus over what the Bible says." But when I hear statements like this, coming from people who claim to be Christians, or believers in God, it gets a little aggravating because I then realize that in order to make such a statement, if they truly are Christians - they can't possibly know what the Copernican theory is - because to know what the Copernican theory is - and to know what the Bible says - the two are not agreeable at all.

As you also know, I didn't spend hardly any time at all on videos. Yes. I played a couple excerpts here and there - for instance - I played some Neil DeGrasse-Tyson statements, some Carl Sagan statements, but for the most part, I stayed away from the videos. Why? Again. Because you can watch videos from these people and they can show

different types of phenomena, for example, eclipses, that seems to be the biggest one, then seasons - and the “scientists” will conclude - “This can only happen on a spinning, revolving globe.” Then, you can find videos from the “flat-earthers” and they will explain eclipses, they will explain the seasons, they will explain sunsets - and then they will conclude - “This can only happen on a non-spinning, non-rotating, 'flat-earth.'” Some of the “flat-earth” videos are very impressive. I used to say some of the “globe earth” videos are very impressive. No longer. I will not say that statement any longer.

Teresa and I watched a video this week called “The Principle.” The link is in the notes or you can find it easily by searching on Youtube.

This video explains the Copernican theory. It uses the world's leading “scientists” and “professors” today to tell you what it is you are supposed to believe - if you claim to believe in the Copernican theory. And for the life of me, how anyone could claim to be a Christian, claim to be a believer in the Bible, a believer in God - and hold to the Copernican theory - is beyond me. Teresa and I watched an hour and 28 minutes of the biggest load of baloney coming from “scientists” and “professors” I think I've ever seen in my life. Starting with this, listen for just a few minutes:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CeJb0JHNik> (First 3 minutes or so)

“We are nothing special.” And it goes completely downhill from there - as I listen to the “scientists.” Yet, the Book that tells us all that we believe about God, about His Laws, about Christ, about His Government, speaks only to the creation of this world and what is in it - including - but by no means more significantly than the world, and its inhabitants - the sun, the moon and the stars. There is nothing that even comes close to leading us to believe in an ever expanding “universe” whereby with each expanding moment - makes us even less significant than what we are led to believe we are.

The one single Bible verse that most people have memorized, John 3:16,

For God so loved the world, that He gave His Only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Does that sound insignificant? Does that sound like a speck of nothingness created out of nothingness evolving and expanding into universes and galaxies continually, spontaneously “Big Banging” - all out of nothingness? Well friends, I'm telling you that is what those who claim the Copernican theory espouse. That's what they teach. That's

the conclusion they have come to and what they have devoted their entire lives to convincing as many people as they can that that is what you are supposed to believe.

And if you think that has not had a significant effect on why so few people truly believe in God today - then the only thing I can say is you must have your head in the sand. Because that is the end game of "science" - and the "scientists" interviewed in this video say their belief is based on the Copernican theory.

Even though the video was made by Robert Sungenis, a devout Catholic and doesn't believe in the Biblical shape of the earth, I am still going to recommend the video simply for the purpose of trying to get people who claim to believe in Copernicus, Isaac Newton, Kepler, Galileo. I want you to listen to one more clip. You really need to watch it - or listen to the whole thing in context - because it is having people speaking against Copernicus - then - it has "scientists" like Michio Kaku advocating for Copernicus - which - you'll hear him say over and over "we are not special, we are nothing," he even makes the brilliant statement, "Everything came from nothing." And, he's not saying that God created everything out of nothing. He doesn't believe in the God of Creation.

Listen to this:

(Nothing special - Michio Kaku)

"Copernican theory is theological dynamite." [Kaku - the cuckoo] In other words - it blows up God!

In doing some research of Michio Kaku, this is what AI wants us to know about Kaku in a nutshell. And friends, this is what I have been trying to get people to understand about the purpose of "science."

Michio Kaku, a theoretical physicist and co-founder of string field theory, doesn't believe that the existence of God can be proven or disproven.

Belief in a divine order

Kaku's work is similar to the scientific quests of other great thinkers, such as Galileo Galilei, Isaac Newton, and Albert Einstein, who sought to understand the rules that govern the universe. Kaku believes that the universe is governed by rules created by a universal intelligence, and that the beauty and elegance of the universe is evidence of this.

Science and religion

Kaku believes that science is limited to what can be tested, reproduced, and falsified, while the existence of God is not. He says that religion is based on faith, while science is based on objective evidence.

[Yeah, and that's laughable when you just watch what he says in the video.]

The God Equation

Kaku's book, The God Equation, details his search for the "theory of everything". He believes that string field theory, which he co-founded, may be the answer to this quest.

The ultimate problem here is that they are looking for "rules created by a universal intelligence" - but those Rules, those Laws are not found in the God of the Bible. If there is no God - if there is no evidence of God - then the conclusion is as simple as can be - man is free to make his own "rules" his own "laws." Just like Carl Sagan said, "If there is no God, it's just us." That is the one thing that all these "scientists" agree on. It's advocacy for the rules and laws of man - as opposed to the Laws of God. It's that simple. That's what "science" has given us.

We live in a world where 99.9% of the people living in it believe they are all bound to live their lives based on the definitions of right and wrong, good and evil as they are defined by people they think they "elected" - people who go and sit in these rooms with their committees - and they toss around their own personal viewpoints and opinions on how people are supposed to live their lives. They call themselves "lawmakers." The people call them "lawmakers." And 99.9% of the people in the world believe this is the way it's supposed to be.

I'm telling you this morning, that as recently as just a couple hundred years ago, maybe not much more than a hundred years ago - that was not the belief system of nearly every single man woman boy and girl living. But it is today. And something has caused this monumental shift in the way people think. Don't misunderstand me now. It's not just "science." And, it's not just "church" - although from my perspective - that has been the biggest influence in the changing of people's minds. When you convince people, starting as little children - "If you don't believe what we tell you, you are going to burn in hell for all eternity" and then you reinforce that Sunday after Sunday after Sunday - you are going to gain the ability to not only influence people but control them from basically birth to death.

"Church" has taught people to obey the "laws of men" and disobey the Laws of God.

Science has taught people there is no God. No God - no God's Law. Men's "governments" then are naturally born out of this mindset. And this is where we are today. Combine this, of course, with the despicable lie from the "church", too, that what we see today is the result of the fulfillment of Bible prophecy - that this is what God planned - all the evil, all the disbelief, all the rebellion - "Well, that is all the fulfillment of Bible prophecy." If that's the case, then we are seeing the plan of God being fulfilled. It's God's fault. This is what He wants. And if this is what He wants - then we better not stand in the way.

How did we get from the 1620's model of what Government should look like - which is a community of people who come together to agree that the Bible - and the Bible alone is the Lawbook - to where we are today - where the Bible is the scourge of the land - where once the Lawbook was a Book that's barely an inch and a half thick - and most of that inch and a half just explains how just a couple of "Thou shalt nots" are all that's needed for Laws - to where we are today - where volumes and volumes, stacks and stacks of books, huge departments of "government" with trillions of dollars of expenses and costs - how did we get there?

These handful of teachings and philosophies - centered around the understanding that God does not have Law - is what is responsible for getting us at the point we are at today. And there's hardly a man out of a million that understands this - let alone stands against the 99.9% - and on the side of God.

I made this statement a few weeks ago. I'll make it again today. An atheist is not just someone who says he does not believe in God. That is not what matters and it isn't what defines atheism. An atheist is someone who does not believe in the Laws of God. Now follow this. It's like a string of dominos that causes a chain reaction.

The Laws of God start with this one.

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

That's the very first one. If we don't understand this, then nothing else really matters. I've shown this over and over. The proof is easy to find. From the Hebrew, the word gods comes from elohims. It doesn't mean superstitious tiki statues carved from elephant tusks where the naked bushmen from Africa fall down and worship as their god. It means rulers, judges and magistrates. It is the source of a man's legal system. It is "law" "rules" "regulations" of which a man chooses to live according to. And the God

of the Bible has given His first Law to man - and it is:

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

“I am the Lord thy God. You are to live by My Laws, My Statutes, My Commandments, My Ordinances - and you are not to live according to anyone else's.”

That's the very first one. And today, there's not a man in a million that understands that, let alone lives by it or even attempts to live by it. Listen now. I want to be as clear as I can possibly be. An atheist is someone that does not believe the very first Commandment of God. If a man believes that he is to live his life according to anything other than the very few Laws of God - that man is living according to the understanding of what an atheist. It doesn't matter how nice the man is. It doesn't matter that he never says a cuss word. It doesn't matter that he never cheats on his wife. It doesn't matter how well he provides for his family and treats his children. If a man believes in the “rules, regulations, statutes, ordinances, laws, etc.” of mere men - that is what an atheist is.

It was God Who wrote on the tablets given to Moses - and the very first thing on the tablets was:

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

We've seen many times now, the theme of the whole Bible, from Genesis through Revelation - summed up so neatly and concisely in Ecclesiastes 12:13 -

the conclusion of the whole matter is to Fear God and keep His Commandments, for this is the whole duty of man.

That is nothing more, nothing less than understanding, then believing, then doing all we can do in life to live according to the very first Commandment that God gave Moses to tell His people - this is how I expect you to live.

Turn to John chapter 5 this morning. Let's begin with verse 1. Let's see from the very Words of Christ how important it is that we understand this. As simple as it is - yet very few people understand, let alone believe, let alone even try to live.

[1] After this there was a feast of the Jews; and Jesus went up to Jerusalem.

[2] Now there is at Jerusalem by the sheep market a pool, which is called in the Hebrew tongue Bethesda, having five porches.

[3] In these lay a great multitude of impotent folk, of blind, halt, withered, waiting for the moving of the water.

[4] For an angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water: whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had.

Here again we're see the application of physical water to the flesh - an Old Covenant occurrence. A physical act - that pointed to the Living Water that would someday be brought into existence by Christ - the Living Water of the New Covenant World that brings salvation. We will see this again this morning. Salvation, cleansing, healing by the use of actual, physical water - in the Old Covenant World - but when the two worlds overlap - the physical world of the Old Covenant - and the spiritual world of the New Covenant found in Christ - you will clearly see that Christ gives an example that the Old Covenant water - has given way to the Living Water - the spiritual Water of Christ.

[5] And a certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years.

[6] When Jesus saw him lie, and knew that he had been now a long time in that case, He saith unto him, Wilt thou be made whole?

Now follow this.

Wilt thou be made whole?

How? How was this man - or any other man there that day, how were they to be made whole? Verse 7.

[7] The impotent man answered Him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool: but while I am coming, another steppeth down before me.

Where we see the application of physical water to the flesh - in the Old Covenant World - we are seeing the people obeying the physical water Laws of the Old Covenant. That's what we were seeing with John the Washer. The Old Covenant used physical water to point to the Living Water which is Jesus Christ, the Messiah King. Physical water is all over the Old Covenant. We see it here. We saw Elisha telling Naaman to go and dip

himself - bapto himself - seven times in the river Jordan - why? - to cure his leprosy. We don't know exactly all of the different ways physical water was used in the Old Covenant world - but it was. Paul referred to these as the "divers washings" the different "baptizos" of the Old Covenant - all of which passed away with the Old Covenant.

Here in John chapter 5, the story begins with the pool of Bethesda - the waters of Bethesda - the physical waters of Bethesda. A particular man had been trying for many years to get into the water - to get into the physical water - but he was not able to. Well, that's okay. Because when you meet the One Who is the Living Water - then the physical water is not so important anymore. No, the text doesn't tell us why it was "first man in gets the reward". No, the text doesn't tell us how or where or if the pool of Bethesda was part of the Law God gave Moses - I do not believe those details are what we're supposed to get from here. What we see is that when the man encountered Jesus Christ - it was not the physical water that made him whole - it was the Living Water which is Jesus Christ that made him whole. It was hearing the Words of Jesus, believing the Words of Jesus, then obeying the Words of Jesus. The story began with the physical waters of Bethesda - and ended with the Living Water of Jesus Christ -which had nothing whatsoever to do with physical water. This is a perfect example of how the physical waters of the Old Covenant have passed away and the Living Water of Jesus Christ rules the New Covenant World.

No. The Old Covenant world had not completely passed away at that time. But Jesus was constantly revealing the New Covenant World to those people who were living in the time of the end - the time of the end of the Old Covenant World. Friends, I'm telling you today - you can stay by the pool of Bethesda waiting, hoping to be the first one in. You can stand in line at the river Jordan hoping to be covered in water by John the Washer - but for me - I'm hearing the voice of Christ, believing the voice of Christ, and I will bypass the physical waters of the Old Covenant to yield to, to follow the Living Water of Jesus Christ every single time.

This chapter, these first seven verses are another example given to us to show us the physical aspects of the Old Covenant world are there to point us to the spiritual world - Old Covenant physical water - New Covenant spiritual, Living Water, which is applied when we hear the Voice of Christ, believe the Voice of Christ and rise up and walk according to the Voice of Christ. And the example shows that its not by the works of the Law - but by belief and by trust.

[8] Jesus saith unto him, Rise, take up thy bed, and walk.

[9] And immediately the man was made whole, and took up his bed, and walked: and on the same day was the sabbath.

What was making people whole that morning? It was the physical water of the Old Covenant World. What made this man whole? The Living Water called Jesus Christ - and it had absolutely nothing whatsoever to do with physical water.

But, uh oh, now. Trouble in paradise. This man's healing with Christ was certainly paradise for him. But. Here came trouble.

[10] The Jews therefore said unto him that was cured, It is the sabbath day: it is not lawful for thee to carry thy bed.

Alright. Here's where the rubber meets the road for us today. I am saying that the Law of God says we are not to live by the "laws of men." There's just a few Laws that God put in place - and that's all we are supposed to live by. So what does that look like?

Verse 10 says the Jews told this man, this man that was healed of some ailment that had been going on for 38 years - that he was "breaking the Law" because he was carrying his bed. By the letter of the Law, it might have looked like the healed man was "breaking the Law." But considering the circumstances, considering what had just happened, considering the fact that it was Christ Himself that told the man to "Rise, take up thy bed and walk" anyone that was devoted to the Mind of God, the Will of God, the Law of God - would never judge this man to be guilty of breaking God's Laws.

The way our communities should work is this. We don't need thousands and thousands, millions and millions, of "laws" that try to cover every single minute detail of a man's life - in a way that codifies, clarifies, what and how a "law" is broken - we need Godly judges who understand the Law of God, the Mind of God, the Will of God - and they judge accordingly.

I watched a "judge" in a case this week in their world. It was a case where a young mother had killed her baby. And the judge was talking about all these "statutes" that were guiding her decision in rendering her judgment. And she said she was "bound by statute" to this, and not bound in this, and it was amazing how many times she said the "statutes" came into play in her decision. But it was all about Georgia's "statutes." There was not a single word said about the Laws of God, or the Will of God - she was

judging according to the “statutes” of men - and had absolutely no issue with it at all. This is not how things should be. All we need are Godly men who understand the Bible - which teaches us the Mind and the Will of God - then they make judgments based on the Bible. But man doesn't do it that way. Man - in the world in which he has created for himself - is not capable of this. I was looking at the “forgery statutes” in Missouri the other day. It went on and on and on. They have tried to codify every single instance that their mind can imagine that a man could do. That's not what we need.

A Godly judge would not have condemned this healed man in John 5 - and by no way possible - would a Godly judge have condemned Jesus Christ. But that is exactly what we will see here as we progress. Because have decided they can develop their own law system - and when they do - it is based on their preferences, their definitions of right and wrong - and they would have condemned Jesus Christ today.

[11] He answered them, He that made me whole, the same said unto me, Take up thy bed, and walk.

Well what would you do? You've been sick for 38 years and Jesus comes along and tells you to rise up, take your bed and walk. You'd immediately do exactly what Jesus told you to do.

[12] Then asked they him, What man is that which said unto thee, Take up thy bed, and walk?

[13] And he that was healed wist not who it was: for Jesus had conveyed Himself away, a multitude being in that place.

[14] Afterward Jesus findeth him in the temple, and said unto him, Behold, thou art made whole: sin no more, lest a worse thing come unto thee.

And again. Here we see a little more to the understanding of how physical water was used in the Old Covenant World as - just like John the Washer said - “Be baptidzo for the remission of sins.” In the Old Covenant Law - we see - not just a blood sacrifice for the forgiveness of sins - we see the application of physical water to the flesh for the forgiveness of sins. It was not just the blood. It was water and blood. It was blood and water. Why? Because that was symbolic of the final sacrifice for sin that was coming in which - at the execution of Jesus Christ - the Bible tells us that water and blood - blood and water - poured from His side. The ultimate, final, sacrifice, the final Act, the final Work - was the execution of Christ where His water and His blood was shed for the remission of sin. And this example from John 5 is a great example where Jesus showed

the application of physical water to the flesh was not necessary when a man believes the Words of Jesus Christ.

Jesus told the man, when Jesus met him in the temple - sin no more - and you won't need to even go to the pool of Bethesda any longer.

[15] The man departed, and told the Jews that it was Jesus, which had made him whole.

[16] And therefore did the Jews persecute Jesus, and sought to slay Him, because He had done these things on the sabbath day.

How incredibly ridiculous. But this is what happens when men try to live their lives apart from the understanding of the Laws of God, from the principles of the Laws, and from the knowledge that the Old Covenant world was but a figure, a type, a shadow of the coming Messiah King, Jesus the Christ. And that includes their understanding of the sabbath.

[17] But Jesus answered them, My Father worketh hitherto, and I work.

Jesus was not profaning the sabbath. But He also flatly declared to those jews that day - that He was “working on the sabbath” and He said that His Father did, too. Again, what we need today are Godly men who understand the Laws of God, the Will of God, the Mind of God and they guide people through to the understanding on how we are to live our lives accordingly.

[18] Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill Him, because He not only had broken the sabbath, but said also that God was His Father, making Himself equal with God.

[19] Then answered Jesus and said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, The Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He seeth the Father do: for what things soever He doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise.

[20] For the Father loveth the Son, and sheweth Him all things that Himself doeth: and He will shew Him greater works than these, that ye may marvel.

[21] For as the Father raiseth up the dead, and quickeneth them; even so the Son quickeneth whom He will.

[22] For the Father judgeth no man, but hath committed all judgment unto the Son:

[23] That all men should honour the Son, even as they honour the Father. He that

honoureth not the Son honoureth not the Father which hath sent Him.

[24] Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth My word, and believeth on Him that sent Me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.

We all know that one of the things that futurists cannot wrap their heads around - and again - it's because of one thing - not knowing the Scriptures - not knowing the Words of Christ and believing them in the simplicity in which they were said. "Death has not been destroyed. Therefore, all the prophecies have not been fulfilled. Therefore, the Kingdom / Government of God is not for today. It's all future."

The simple language of the Words of Jesus says that passing from death unto life - upon hearing the Words of Christ and believing the Words of Christ - receives - instantaneously - everlasting life, no condemnation - and is passed from death unto life. Do we believe this? Do we believe the simple Words of Christ?

[25] Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming [the hour is coming, not hundreds of years from then, not thousands of years from then. He wasn't talking hundreds or thousands of years. The time was so near, Jesus had brought it down to hours] , and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live.

[26] For as the Father hath life in Himself; so hath He given to the Son to have life in Himself;

[27] And hath given Him authority to execute judgment also, because He is the Son of man.

[28] Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear His voice,

[29] And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.

[30] I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and My judgment is just; because I seek not Mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent Me.

[31] If I bear witness of Myself, My witness is not true.

[32] There is another that beareth witness of Me; and I know that the witness which He witnesseth of Me is true.

[33] Ye sent unto John, and he bare witness unto the truth.

[34] But I receive not testimony from man: but these things I say, that ye might be saved.

[35] He was a burning and a shining light: and ye were willing for a season to

rejoice in his light.

[36] But I have greater witness than that of John: for the works which the Father hath given Me to finish, the same works that I do, bear witness of Me, that the Father hath sent Me.

[37] And the Father Himself, which hath sent Me, hath borne witness of Me. Ye have neither heard His voice at any time, nor seen His shape.

[38] And ye have not His word abiding in you: for Whom He hath sent, Him ye believe not.

[39] Search the Scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of Me.

This is one of the things I've been trying to get people to see for so many years. Nearly every single "churchman" today - whether the one who is sincere - but sincerely wrong - or the ones out there who know what they're doing and are in place for purposeful deception - they'll take the Scriptures - and by that term is clearly meant to understand the writings from Genesis to Malachi - but should actually include everything written while the temple was still standing - but anyway - they'll take the Scriptures and they will make them futuristic. As in a future kingdom. As in a future king. And they will take those Scriptures and even after all their twisting, will make people believe that they are right with God - even though they have twisted the Scriptures into things they were never meant to say or to be understood as.

And Jesus is saying to those people - just as exactly as I am saying today - you think you understand eternal life. You think you understand what it means to be in Christ. You think you understand the Scriptures - but if you did - you would understand Who Jesus Christ was - in the first century. You would understand that He came to set up His Kingdom, His Government - in the first century. And when He tells you to Rise, take up your bed and walk - you would do so - not thinking for one second whether or not you were violating a "law." You would understand that those very same Scriptures - like the ones we've talked about over the last couple of weeks regarding the Government of God, regarding the Government over the world - you would understand that this is talking about Jesus Christ - in the first century.

We would understand that "the Kingdom, the Government of God is at hand" meant that Jesus was telling them it was near and soon.

But instead, because the "church" is the religious arm of the state, the jews are the religious arm of the state - the Scriptures have been twisted into a future kingdom, a

future government - and a future king. Jesus was telling the people of His day that He was equal with His Father - of course He was. He was telling the people of His day that He was not only above the law - He was the Law. He was the Living Water. He was their Saviour and their King, He was their Lawgiver. But just like today, because they did not understand the Scriptures - they failed to see that He was the fulfillment.

Today, when people say the Scriptures, the prophecies, are yet to be fulfilled, they are doing exactly the same thing that the Jews we are reading about in John 5 did. And as a result, verse 40.

[40] And ye will not come to Me, that ye might have life.

[41] I receive not honour from men.

[42] But I know you, that ye have not the love of God in you.

What does He mean by that? Keep your finger here and turn to Deuteronomy chapter 7. This is what is meant by loving God. If you remember, we started all of this by talking about what an atheist is. And I said an atheist is not necessarily someone that doesn't believe in God. An atheist is someone who does not believe in God's Law. And God's Law expressly forbids man from making his own "laws." So what did Jesus mean when He said in verse 41 that they did not have the love of God in them? Deuteronomy 7, beginning in verse 7:

[7] The LORD did not set His love upon you, nor choose you, because ye were more in number than any people; for ye were the fewest of all people:

[8] But because the LORD loved you, and because He would keep the oath which He had sworn unto your fathers, hath the LORD brought you out with a mighty hand, and redeemed you out of the house of bondmen, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt.

[9] Know therefore that the LORD thy God, He is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love Him and keep His Commandments to a thousand generations;

There isn't a separation between Loving Him and Keeping His Commandments.

Somehow, we live in a world where people believe that they can "love God" but live completely separate from His Laws. Meaning this. It is perfectly fine to say you "love God" but live by someone else's "laws." Where did men ever come up with this? The Bible says the exact opposite of this.

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

Know therefore that the LORD thy God, He is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love Him and keep His Commandments to a thousand generations; [forever]

Where is the disconnect? How did we get to where we are today? Verse 10.

[10] And repayeth them that hate Him to their face, to destroy them: He will not be slack to Him that hateth Him, He will repay him to his face.

Very few people today, in fact, I'm not sure I've ever heard someone say, "I hate God." I think it's easier for people just to say they don't even believe there is a God. But for someone to just blurt out, "I hate God." I don't think I've ever heard that in my life. That's not at all what is meant by verse 10. To love God is to choose a life that is in obedience to His Laws. To hate God is to choose a life in obedience to someone else's "laws." It's really as simple as that. That is a far more Biblical understanding of atheism than just saying there is no God. Hating God simply means making a choice to live according to someone else's laws - as in - "Our CONstitution, and our laws, and our treaties, and our statutes, and our rules and regulations - shall be the supreme law of the land." I realize that's not very popular and that's not going to win a lot of friends - but that's the truth. That's what the Bible says. Turn over a few pages to Deuteronomy chapter 11, verse 1.

[1] Therefore thou shalt love the LORD thy God, and keep His charge, and His Statutes, and His Judgments, and His Commandments, always.

[2] And know ye this day: for I speak not with your children which have not known, and which have not seen the chastisement of the LORD your God, His greatness, His mighty hand, and His stretched out arm,

[3] And His miracles, and His acts, which He did in the midst of Egypt unto Pharaoh the king of Egypt, and unto all his land;

[4] And what He did unto the army of Egypt, unto their horses, and to their chariots; how He made the water of the Red sea to overflow them as they pursued after you, and how the LORD hath destroyed them unto this day;

[5] And what He did unto you in the wilderness, until ye came into this place;

[6] And what He did unto Dathan and Abiram, the sons of Eliab, the son of Reuben: how the earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their households, and their tents, and all the substance that was in their possession, in

the midst of all Israel:

[7] But your eyes have seen all the great acts of the LORD which He did.

[8] Therefore shall ye keep all the Commandments which I command you this day, that ye may be strong, and go in and possess the land, whither ye go to possess it;

Some people might say, but He was talking to the Israelite fathers who actually lived through the escape from Egypt. They were something special. I submit to you today that we, in the New Covenant world are even more special than they were. Those people didn't have a choice as history was being made on them. We have the completed Word of God which tells us things about Israelite history that even they didn't know at the time they were going through it. We've had things revealed to us that they did not know. We are more special than them - and we have a greater responsibility to make the right choices in our lives.

Knowing what we just read. We cannot separate Loving God from keeping His Commandments. Obeying men's little g "governments" - in many ways - and friends, if it only happens once - it's enough. What I mean by that is when men's little g "governments" compel us to disobey God - then they have revealed themselves as the enemies of God - and we are to do all we can possibly do - not to participate.

Now listen to me. I tried to explain this this past week to a very dear friend of mine. A man I consider a brother, a brother in Christ, his wife, too. We are in a pretty bad spot here. We've been lied to all of our lives. Most people have been trapped into the webs and deceptions of men's little g "governments." And some people see no way out. It was God Who caused David to write:

If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do?

Every single Godly foundation as to the way we are supposed to be living - has been heaped upon - piles and piles of filth, of deception, of lies - to the point where we are so far away from living the way God wants us to live - most people - even when they see the truth - have no idea what to do. And, especially, the older people get, the harder it is. This is why I've tried to help people understand that even though we are in the place we are - we should absolutely not let them control our minds (and our mouths). Afterall, all change must first begin in our minds. We need to understand that the little g "governments" of men are in place to keep us from God. And that doesn't mean keep us from saying there is no God. They are in place to keep us from living the

way God said to live.

Listen, who told us to get identifications from men's "governments?" God didn't. Who told us to get permissions, licenses from men's "governments" to work, to move ourselves from one place to another - whether that's for work - or to preach the Kingdom of God. God didn't. Who told us to go to the world for insurances of all types? God didn't.

A week or so ago I did a search online to see if there was one "preacher" out there preaching against insurance. What do you think I found? Of course. Not a single one. Not saying there isn't anyone, I'm just saying I couldn't find one. But I sure found lots and lots of "preachers" saying that it's actually sin not to have insurance. Amazing how they twisted - and it was just a handful of Scriptures that they twisted - because the truth is - the overwhelming amount of Scriptures talk about placing our trust in God, calling out to Him in times of need, seeking Him for protection, as well as instruction on how Christian communities are supposed to meet the needs of the widows and of the infirmed.

But from the 501(c)(3) government "preacher" all I found was advocates for man's insurance. I went online to see if a Christian could even apply for a "life insurance policy" in the u.s.

Let me say that again....I went online to see if a Christian could even apply for a "life insurance policy" in the u.s.

and I found that it required proof of u.s. citizenship. It required a social security number. I did find one insurance company that said they might be able to help someone get a policy without a social security number, but they said it was going to be very difficult. I saw where they required state birth certificates. Pretty confusing from my perspective. Disobey God to obey God. Weird. Man's little g "governments" and all the related systems they have created - are designed to separate us from God. And there's not many out there that see it.

First thing is, we need to see it. Then, we need to do all we can do to separate ourselves. And again, I realize how far down the rabbit hole most people are. Some are able to get out of the rabbit hole altogether. And admittedly, it does seem that it's easier the younger someone is. For the older people, we need to make sure we are sounding the alarm to the younger people. We need to make sure we are warning the

young people not to make the same mistakes we made. The answer is not in hoping that man's little g "government" is going to improve. It can't improve. It's a bad tree because it's root is bad. It's a bad house because it's foundation is bad. It was Jesus Who said a corrupt tree cannot bring forth good fruit. It's impossible. So we need to understand it is fruitless to hope that man's "government" will change. Can a leopard change its spots? No.

We need to hope for and pray for total collapse. Deuteronomy 19:9:

[9] If thou shalt keep all these commandments to do them, which I command thee this day, to love the LORD thy God, and to walk ever in His ways; then shalt thou add three cities more for thee, beside these three:

I John 2:5

[1] My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous:

[2] And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world.

[3] And hereby we do know that we know Him, if we keep His commandments.

[4] He that saith, I know Him, and keepeth not His commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him.

[5] But whoso keepeth His word, in him verily is the love of God perfected: hereby know we that we are in Him.

[6] He that saith he abideth in Him ought himself also so to walk, even as He walked.

Jude 1:

[20] But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost,

[21] Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.

Now watch. None of us are too old or too deep in that we cannot obey this.

[22] And of some have compassion, making a difference:

[23] And others save with fear, pulling them out of the fire; hating even the

garment spotted by the flesh.

[24] Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy,

[25] To the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.

This is what our message should be. This is the way we should be talking. We need to be rescuing others, saving others, pulling them out of the fire and leading them to the One Who is due all the glory, all the majesty, all the dominion and all the power. This is Christ. We need to be standing against anyone or anything that thinks it has dominion or power. Jesus Christ, and Christ alone is the Only Potentate, the King of kings and Lord of lords.

I realize that the message of the Gospel of the Government of God, the present day reality of the Government of Christ - is so simple - yet if we are not careful - can be discouraging - because once you realize how far away from living the way God intended we are - once you see it - you can't unsee it. We need to be doing all we can do. But at the end, we are always going to understand that we come short - because what we do is measured against the finished Work of Christ Who was absolutely perfect, absolutely sinless. We hate the sin. We hate the world. We hate men's little g "governments" and all the destruction it has wreaked - and we do all we can do to be separate - but friends - when there are things in our lives where God has not shown us the way out yet - we can't just give up and say it's impossible. Or, since I can't live a 100% perfectly sinless life, then there's just no use in even trying. That's not an option. And I will tell you this. When you preach the present day reality of the Government of God - there will be plenty of people who will put your life under a microscope looking for anything that they could use against you. I've had plenty of people tell me that because I used a paper dollar - then that means I should just give up and join the world 100% and live like everybody else.

No. That's not an option. I'll live as separately as I possibly know how to live - and I'll beg God to show me more ways out and forgive me for the ways I haven't yet figured out or haven't been revealed to me. I've been living for my entire adult life trying - as hard as I can try - to stay faithful to the principles found in the Word of God. I've tried to warn as many people as will listen that they need separate themselves - not so much separate from the world - but separate to God. And I understand that that is a matter of semantics. But coming out is more about coming into than it is about coming out.

Come into the Government of God. All the burdens, all the demands, all the requirements that man's little g "governments" lays on men - they aren't in the Government of God. That's why Jesus said,

Take My yoke upon you, My yoke is easy, My burden is light.

Living a life concerning yourself only with the demands of God - is way less stressful, way less burdensome, way less tiring, than living according to the demands of men.

Just live your life as much according to the Government of God as you can - then throw yourself on the mercy of God for our shortcomings and failings. But don't ever give in to the devil's deceit that if you can't find a way to be 100% free from man - then you should just give up and stop trying. That is a lie from the same spirit of the devil that we read about in the Book of Genesis.

Listen to the rest of Deuteronomy 7:

[11] Thou shalt therefore keep the commandments, and the statutes, and the judgments, which I command thee this day, to do them.

[12] Wherefore it shall come to pass, if ye hearken to these judgments, and keep, and do them, that the LORD thy God shall keep unto thee the covenant and the mercy which he sware unto thy fathers:

Friends, there's just nothing clearer in our Bibles - if we remove the influence of the religious arm of the state - there's nothing clearer in our Bibles than the fact that God wants us to live according to His Laws - and no else's. Back to finish John 5:

[43] I am come in my Father's name, and ye receive Me not: if another shall come in his own name, him ye will receive.

And again, what is name? It's Authority. Jesus said you won't receive My Father's Authority, but you'll sure receive man's authority.

[44] How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?

The exact same thing continues today. Honor is only among men. It's only received when it is in the authority of man's little g "governments." When the truth is, honor

should only be found in those who advocate for the exclusive Government of God.

[45] Do not think that I will accuse you to the Father: there is one that accuseth you, even Moses, in whom ye trust.

[46] For had ye believed Moses, ye would have believed Me: for he wrote of Me.

[47] But if ye believe not his writings, how shall ye believe My Words?

They couldn't even get the first Commandment -

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me -

they couldn't even get that one right.

Friends, before we can get the Words of Christ right - we must first understand what God told Moses. The sad reality is that most people have been told their entire lives that God Himself did away with what He told Moses to write. The Laws of God have been done away with. The Laws of God are not for today. We've heard this our entire lives. But Jesus said, if you don't believe what God told Moses to write, it isn't even possible for you to believe what I'm telling you.

God told Moses to write,

Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

Today, in the u.s. and across the world - every single "god" of this world is in a place higher than the God of Heaven. 99.9% of the world lives according to the "laws, statutes, commandments, rules and regulations, the definitions of right and wrong, good and evil - not according to the God of Heaven - but according to the little g "governments" of men. And it is our job. It is the job of the Christian to warn people. To try and teach people that most people have chosen to live their lives totally contrary to the clear teachings of the Scripture.

Search the Scriptures, for in them you think ye have eternal life.