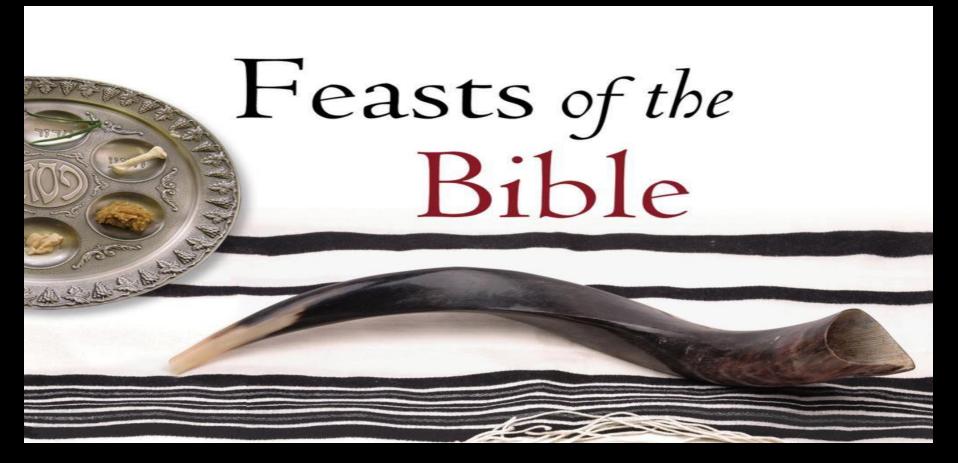
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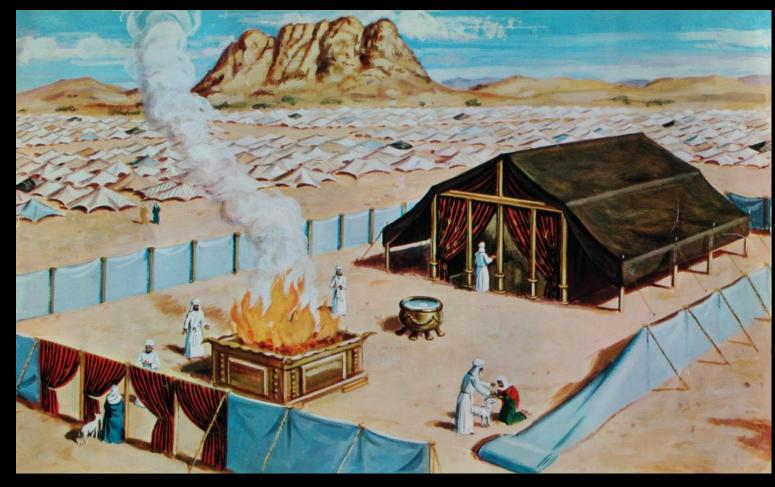
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The Great Controversy between God and Satan is primarily over "WORSHIP" Who will you Choose?









And let them make me a sanctuary; that I may dwell among them. – Exodus 25:8

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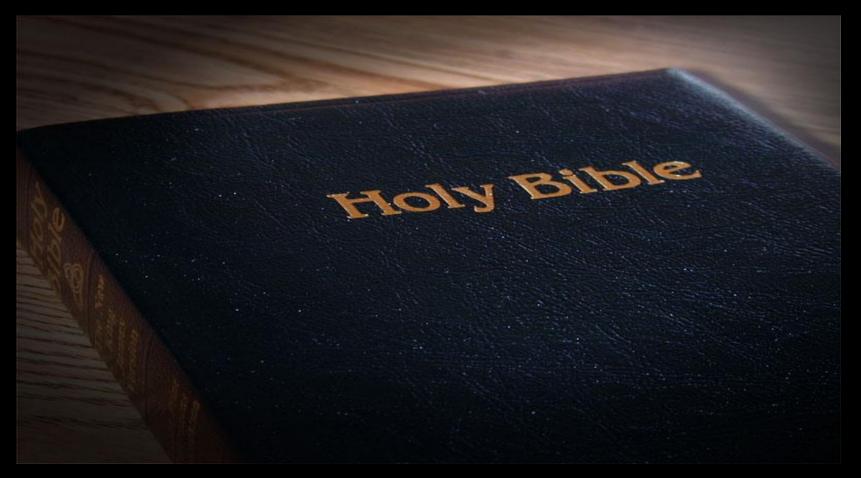


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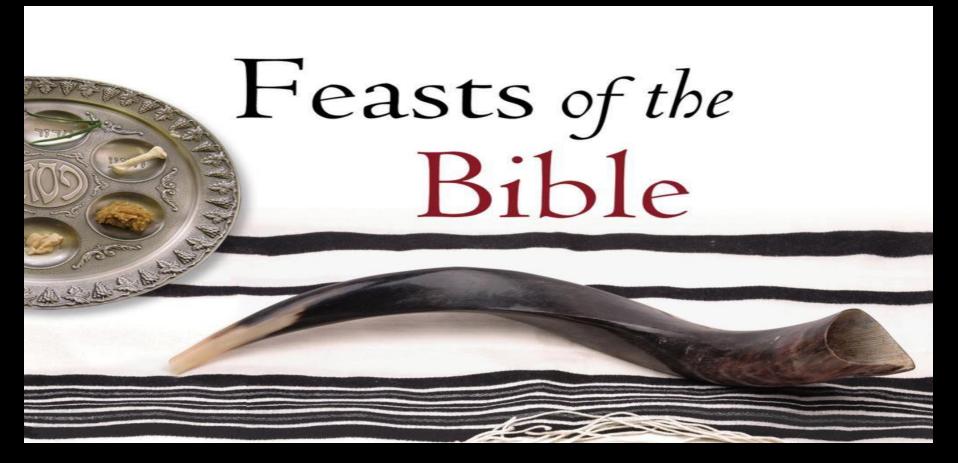
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#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

IN THE BEGINNING GOD MADE HUMANS AND ALL ANIMALS TO EAT GREEN VEGETATION AND FRUITS ONLY. (Génesis 1:29, 30)



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## Introduction

"The sanctuary in heaven is the very centre of Christ's work in behalf of men [justification by faith]. It concerns every soul living upon the earth. It opens to view the plan of redemption, bringing us down to the very close of time and revealing the triumphant issue of the contest between righteousness and sin. The correct understanding of the ministration in the heavenly sanctuary is the foundation of our faith" (Evangelism, p. 221).

"The subject of the sanctuary was the key which unlocked the mystery of the disappointment of 1844. It opened to view a complete system of truth, connected and harmonious, showing that God's hand had directed the great advent movement, and revealing present duty as it brought to light the position and work of His people" (Evangelism p. 222).

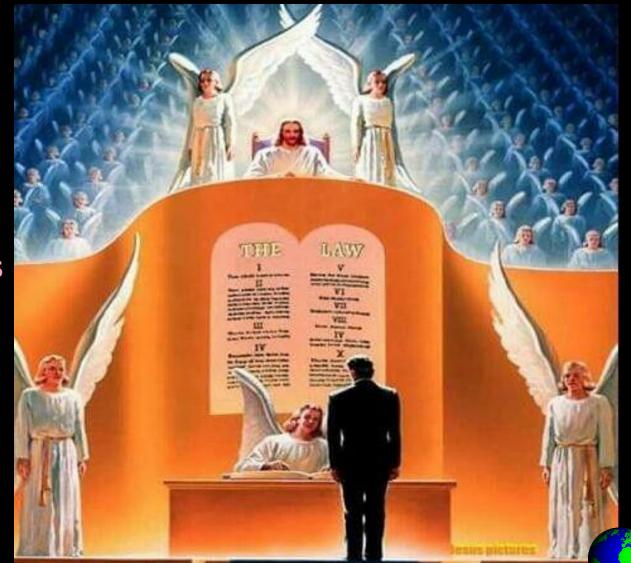




## What does it mean to us Today?

God's people are now to have their eyes fixed on the heavenly sanctuary, where the final ministration of our great High Priest in the work of the judgment is going forward—where He is interceding for His people" (Evangelism p. 223).

"We are in the day of atonement, and we are to work in harmony with Christ's work of cleansing the sanctuary from the sins of the people. Let no man who desires to be found with the wedding garment on, resist our Lord in his office work. As He is, so will His followers be in this world. We must now set before the people the work which by faith we see our great High Priest accomplishing in the heavenly sanctuary" (Review and Herald, January 21, 1890).



#### Duty of the Congregation on the Day of Atonement

GOD expected His ancient people to serve Him faithfully every day in the year, and He accepted their services; but when the day of atonement came, there were special requirements enjoined upon them during that day, which, if they failed to observe, they were cut off from the people of Israel.

God has accepted the service of His people down through the ages; but when the antitypical day of atonement arrived, and the investigative judgment opened in the heavenly sanctuary, God expects the antitypical congregation on earth to fulfil their part of the antitype just as faithfully as Christ, our High Priest, fulfils His part in the heavens.



'On the tenth day of the seventh month you must deny yourselves and not do any work ... because, on this day, atonement will be made for you to cleanse you. Then, before the Lord, you will be clean from all your sins.' (29-30)

#### The Antitypical day of Atonement - Judgement

Christ's Closing Work Of Atonement: How To Benefit From It?

#### In Short

What does the antitypical Day Of Atonement signify? Why this time is so important for the professed people of God living in the end of time?

#### **The Seven Feasts of the Lord**

The Passover
Feasts of Unleavened Bread
First fruits
Feast of Weeks
Feast of Trumpets
Day of Atonement
Feast of Tabernacles

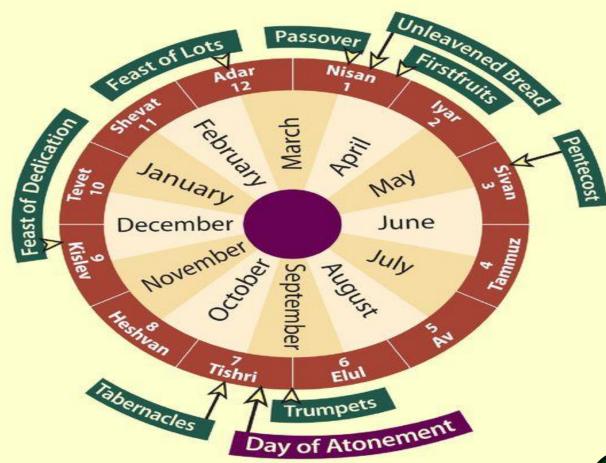
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- Hebrews 8:1-5 Copy and shadow of heavenly things.
- The services of the earthly Sanctuary are a small scale model of the heavenly.
- What was expected of the people outside on the day of atonement .
- The work of the priest in the outer court was seen by all.
- The greatest pandemic we have today is not Covid-19, it is SIN.

The Day of Atonement was the most solemn of all the feast days. It was the day of cleansing for the nation and for the sanctuary. On this day alone, once a year, the high priest entered into the holiest of all, the Holy of Holies in the temple, within the veil of the temple, with the blood of the Lord's goat, the sin offering. Here he sprinkled the blood on the mercy seat. The blood of the sin offering on the great Day of Atonement brought about the cleansing of all sin for the priesthood, the sanctuary, and Israel as a nation (Leviticus 16:29-34).

## Day of Atonement





#### The Antitypical day of Atonement - Judgement

#### kaphar

 to cover over, pacify, propitiate
 to cover over, atone for sin, make atonement for
 to cover over, atone for sin and persons by legal rites

Occurre 100 times in 04 years

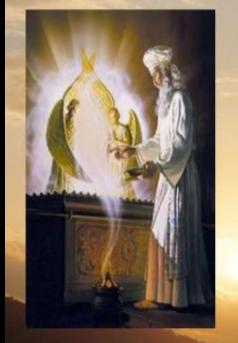
Occurs 102 times in 94 verses in the Hebrew concordance of the KJV

Law of the 1<sup>st</sup> Reference

And they shall eat those things wherewith the atonement was made, to consecrate and to sanctify them: but a stranger shall not eat thereof, because they are holy. - Exodus 29:33

## The Antitypical day of Atonement - Judgement

#### **Elements of the Day of Atonement**



Holiest of all the Feasts

High Priest Would Go Beyond the Veil

Red Heifer Sacrifice of was Conducted on this Day Involved the Scapegoat

High Priest Could Go Into the Holy of Holies Only Once a Year

#### **Natural Application**

- The priest used a golden censer.
- High Priest intercedes on behalf of the nation
   He went within the veil once a year
   He washed himself in water

#### **Spiritual Application**

 Incense of the golden censer represents the prayers.
 Jesus is our high priest
 By the blood of Jesus we can go beyond the veil daily
 We wash in the water of the Word

#### **Understanding the Feast of Tabernacles**

## **Significance of the Blood**

It is a token of the New Covenant (Matthew 26:27-28; 1 Corinthians 11:25). It gives eternal life (John 6:53-54). It brings redemption (Ephesians 1:7). It makes atomement (Romans 3:25; 1 John 2:2; 4:9-10). It justifies before God (Romans 5.9) It gives us forgiveness (Ephesians 1.7, 2.13, Colossians 1:14; 1 John 1:9). It provides reconciliation (Colossians 1:19-20) It provides cleansing (1 John 1/7) It makes us overcomers (Revelation 12

What Is The Feast Of Tabernacles?

Sukkot, usually translated as "Tabernacles," or the festival of "Booths," occurs for seven days, from Tishrei 15 to 21. There is therefore a quick transition from the high holidays, with their somber mood of repentance and judgment, to a holiday of rejoicing and celebration, for which the people are commanded to build a hut [sukkah; plural, sukkot) and make it their home. The Torah identifies the sukkah (booth) with the temporary dwellings in which the Israelites lived in the wilderness after they left Egypt on their way to the Promised Land (Leviticus 23:42)

#### The Feast of Tabernacles - 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming of Jesus

#### cukkah

thicket, covert, booth
 thicket
 b) booth (rude or temporary shelter)

Occurs 31 times in 29 verses in the Hebrew concordance of the KJV

Law of the 1st Reference

Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, The fifteenth day of this seventh month shall be the feast of tabernacles for seven days unto the LORD. - Leviticus 23:34

#### The Feast of Tabernacles – 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming of Jesus

#### **Elements of the Feast of Tabernacles**



Last of the Pilgrim Festivals

This Feast Lasted a Week

Israelites Built Booths During This Time

Season of Rejoicing



Open Booths Reminded the Worshipper of the Glory Cloud During the Wilderness Wanderings **Understanding the Meaning of Booths/Tabernacles** 

1. Jesus tabernacled (sukkot) among us (John 1:14).

2. Peter spoke about his body being a tabernacle (2 Peter 1:13-14).

3. The apostle Paul told us that our earthly bodies were earthly houses or tabernacles (2 Corinthians 5:1-5).

4. The tabernacle of Moses (Moshe) was a tent of habitation (Acts 7:44; Hebrews 9:2-8).

5. Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob lived in tabernacles (Hebrews 11:8-9).

#### The Feast of Tabernacles – 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming of Jesus

**Understanding the Meaning of Booths/Tabernacles** 

6. The tabernacle of David was a tent or dwelling place (Acts 15:16; Amos 9:11). This tabernacle was the temple of Solomon (1 Kings 5:2-5; 8:1-21).

7. Jesus entered the temple on the Feast of Sukkot (Tabernacles) (John 7:2,27-29).

 8. The Bible speaks of a heavenly tabernacle (Hebrews 8:1-2; Revelation 13:6; 15:5). This heavenly tabernacle will come to earth (Revelation 21:1-3).
 9. Jesus was the true tabernacle of God (Hebrews 9:11). Prophetic Fulfillment of Fall Feasts – 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming of Jesus Christ

\* Day of Atonement- Judgment of the Nations

Feast of Tabernacles- New Heavens & New Earth

The Lord will dwell among us forever!

#### **Requirements on the Day of Atonement**

Four things were required of each individual member of ancient Israel on the day of atonement- the twentyfour-hour period in which the typical work of atonement was performed, and which was "an example and shadow" of the real work.

1. "The day of atonement . . . shall be a holy convocation unto you."

- 2. "You shall afflict your souls."
- 3. "Offer an offering made by fire unto the Lord."

4. "Ye shall do no work in that same day." - Leviticus 23:27-28.





## 1 - That day was to be a holy convocation

#### The people were to assemble for religious worship:

Paul speaks thus of individuals who, in the days when the High Priest should soon come forth from the heavenly sanctuary, would forsake the religious assembly: "Having a High Priest over the house of God; let us draw near with a true heart, in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience.... Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more as ye see the day approaching." (Hebrews 10:21-25)

The one that takes no pleasure in meeting with those of like faith to worship God, has an "evil conscience," and has lost faith in the near coming of our High Priest from the heavenly sanctuary. There is a special blessing in worshiping with others. God promises that where even two or three are gathered in His name, He will meet with them (Matthew 18:20).

This first requirement is a spiritual thermometer by which every Christian can test his spiritual condition. If he absents himself from the worship of God because he takes no pleasure in it, his spirituality is very low.



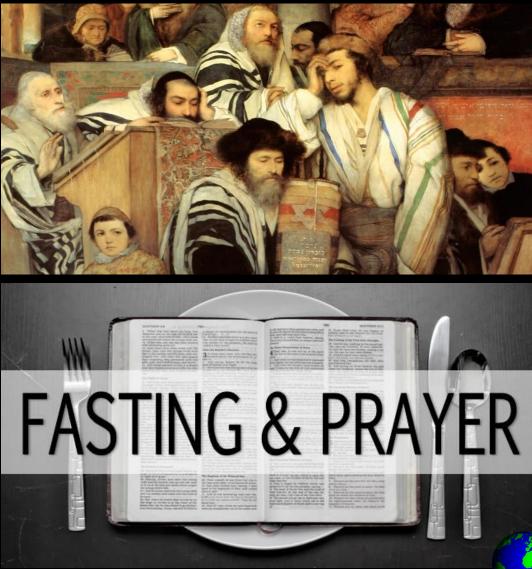


#### 2 - Each individual was to "afflict" his soul

Search his heart, and put away every sin, spend much time in prayer. With this was connected abstinence from food. This was so forcibly impressed upon the minds of ancient Israel that even at the present day, the Jews fast upon the tenth day of the seventh month.

The individual who realizes that the judgment is going on in the heavenly sanctuary, and that his name will surely be presented before that great tribunal, will search his heart and pray earnestly that God will accept him.

We need often to meditate upon the work of our High Priest in the heavenly sanctuary, lest by having the mind filled with earthly thoughts, we, like the foolish virgins, will find when too late that the bridegroom has come, the door is shut; that the work is finished, and we have no part in it.

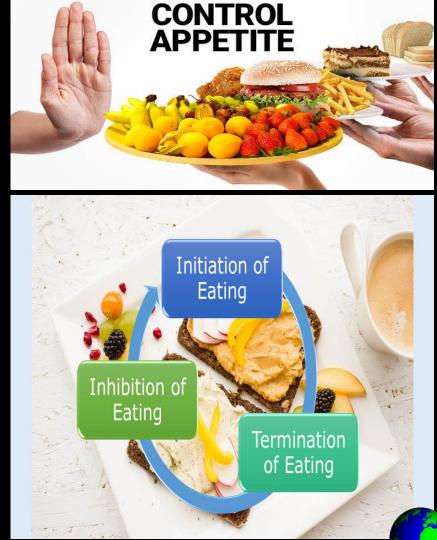


#### The Need to Control Our Appetites

In the typical service the congregation in the court listened for the tinkling of the golden bells on the robes of the high priest, and in that way followed him in his work. Our High Priest has given signs in the heavens, in the earth, and among the nations to mark the progress of His work; and he said that when we see these signs fulfilled we are to know that He is near, even at the door. The antitypical day of atonement covers a period of years.

In the type there was a fast of twenty-four hours required. During this one day there was to be complete control of the appetite; and it was a type of the self-control to be exercised during the antitypical period of years. God designs that His people shall be masters of their appetites, and keep under the body. Satan would give loose rein to the appetite, and let it control the person.

In spite of the fact that an army, of faithful workers are doing all in their power to withstand the flood of intemperance, Satan is working with such power that drunkenness and crime are increasing in the earth at an alarming rate.



#### God admonishes us to master our Appetites

God calls upon His people to be masters of their appetites instead of slaves to it, that they may have clearer minds to comprehend divine truth and follow the work of their High Priest in the heavenly sanctuary.

How few are willing to deny themselves the things their appetite craves, even when they know the claims of God!

The prophet Isaiah, looking down through the ages, describes the state of things as follows: "In that day did the Lord God of hosts call to weeping, and to mourning, and to baldness, and to girding with sackcloth: and behold, joy and gladness, slaying oxen, and killing sheep, eating flesh and drinking wine." (Isaiah 22:12-13)

What a vivid picture of the present condition of the world! God calls upon His people to afflict their souls, to control their appetite, to partake of food that will give good blood and a clear mind to discern spiritual truths: but instead of obeying, they engage in "eating flesh and drinking wine." <u>The prophet records the final result of this course</u>: "It was revealed in mine ears by the Lord of hosts, Surely this iniquity shall not be purged from you till ye die." (Isaiah 22:14)





#### The warning from the soon coming king - Jesus

The Saviour gave special warning against the evil of giving loose rein to the appetite during the time when the records of human lives are being examined and individuals are being accounted worthy or unworthy of eternal life: "Take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares....Watch ye therefore, and pray that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man." Luke 21:34, 36) The warning is against "surfeiting"- overeating, and "drunkenness "- eating injurious food. (Ecclesiastes 10:17)

American Dictionary of the English Language

SURFEIT, verb transitive sur'fit. [Latin facio.]

1. To feed with meat or drink, so as to oppress the stomach and derange the functions of the system; to overfeed and produce sickness or uneasiness.



#### Better to harken to the instructions of God

In other words, the Saviour designs that His people, during the antitypical day of atonement, shall take heed to both the quantity and the quality of their food. One can becloud the mind and ruin the health by overeating of the best of food.

The glutton and the drunkard are classed together: "Be not among winebibbers; among riotous caters of flesh; for the drunkard and the glutton shall come to poverty." (Proverbs 23:20)

Our first parents failed on the test of appetite; but where they failed, Christ triumphed. And it is possible for a Christian, with the indwelling Christ in the heart, to be complete master of his appetite,-to abstain from all food that is injurious, however much the natural appetite may crave it, and not to overeat of good food.

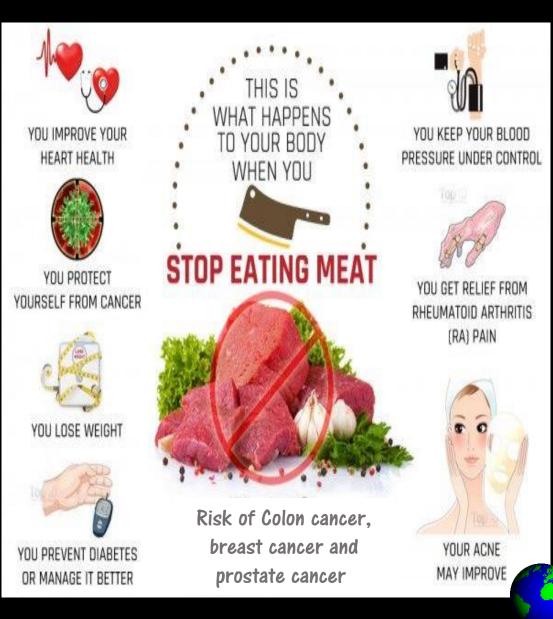




#### Satan is out using his age old tool - Food

As He entered upon His earthly ministry, the Saviour was not only tested upon the point of appetite, but from childhood He was taught to control His desires. In speaking of His childhood, Isaiah says, "Butter and honey shall He eat, that He may know to refuse the evil, and choose the good." (Isaiah 7:15) His manner of eating developed in Him spiritual power to discern between good and evil.

The one who follows the above instruction, and eats none but good food and only "so much as is sufficient," will enjoy good health and a clear mind. God wishes His people to have good health, with souls free from condemnation. Satan delights in beclouding the brain and destroying the health. All who will fulfil the antitype will be masters of their appetites, that they may prepare to meet the Saviour when He comes to the earth as King of kings and Lord of lords.



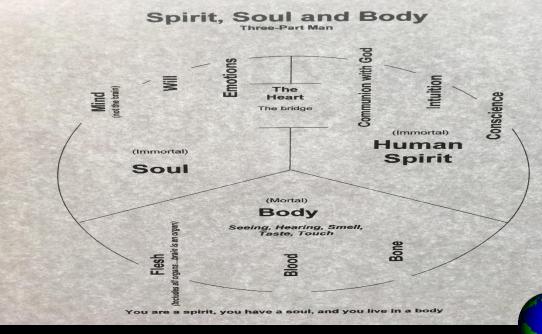
#### 3 - Offer an offering made by fire unto the Lord

The third requirement enjoined upon the typical congregation on the day of atonement was to "offer an offering made by fire unto the Lord." The offerings made by fire were consumed upon the altar.

In the antitype we do not offer burntofferings of bullocks and rams; but God expects us to fulfil the antitype of the offering consumed upon the altar.

He desires that the: "whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ;" (1 Thessalonians 5:23) that the entire life of the Christian be laid upon the altar, ready to be used as the Lord directs. None can do this who do not daily accept Christ as their sin-offering, and know what it is to be "accepted in the Beloved." (Ephesians 1:6)





#### 4 - All work was laid aside

The day of atonement was kept as a ceremonial sabbath by the ancient congregation. <u>All work</u> was laid aside, and the entire thought was given to seeking God and serving Him. God's work was given the first thought during the entire day. Such was the type; but it does not follow that on the antitypical day of atonement no one should attend to personal business, for God never intended His people to be "slothful in business." (Romans 12:11)

He promises to bless them in temporal things if they fulfil the antitype by looking after His work and service first, and their temporal interests second (Matthew 6:33). This was beautifully taught by the Saviour's words: "Take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with...cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares." (Luke 21:34)



## SABBATH

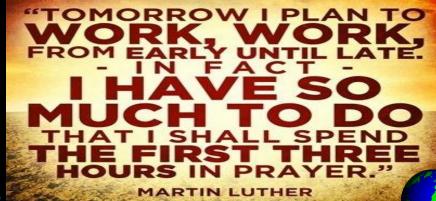
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#### God is testing the great Antitypical Congregation

Satan is liable to entrap more well-meaning people in this snare than in any other of his many deceptions. He often persuades good people that the daily cares of the household are so important that they have no time to study God's word and pray, until, for lack of spiritual food and communion with God, they become so weak spiritually that they accept the doubts and unbelief the enemy is constantly presenting. When the time comes that they think they do have time to study their Bibles, they find they have lost all relish for God's word.

God is testing the great antitypical congregation. Who will fulfil the antitype, and not forsake the assembly of God's people? Who will keep a clear mind by controlling the appetite, and a pure heart by prayer and deep heart-searching? Who will lay all their interests upon God's altar, to be used for His glory, and never let the "cares of this life" crowd out God's work or a study of His word? Over such as these our High Priest will say, "He that is righteous, let him be righteous still: and he that is holy, let him be holy Still." Revelation 22:11.





### Who shall be able to stand?

<u>Answer to the question is in:</u> – holy lifestyle Revelation 6:17, Revelation 7:1-4, Ezekiel 9:1-7.

The character of the group is identified in: Revelation 14:1-5 - They follow the lamb whether so ever He goes. Highest quality of fruits.

 Joel 2:1-11 describes the 2<sup>nd</sup> coming of Jesus as great and terrible, who shall endure. Joel 2:12-17 – turn to me with fasting, weeping, mourning.

**Revelation 6:14-17 describes the second coming of Jesus**: Who shall be able to stand?

The antonym of stand is fall – Mark 3:24-25, John 8:44, 1 Corinthians 10:12, Ephesians 6:11-13, 2 Timothy 2:19, Luke 21:36.

- Isaiah 33:14-16 same question as found in Revelation 6:17
- Psalms 15:1-5 talks about the holy lifestyle.





#### What the people need to do on Earth in the Anti-typical day of atonement

#### The sounding of the trumpet:

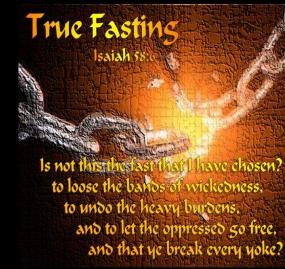
A holy convocation was required – Leviticus 23:21, 24, 26,27 & Hebrews 10:25: No customary work to be done and afflict souls and offer an offering.

**1.** <u>Must follow the priest in faith</u> - Jesus by faith where he is and assemble around the sanctuary.

**2.** Must afflict the souls – not jumping and blabbering, but sigh and cry of abominations that are practised.

**3.** <u>Need to fast</u> –The true fasting should be recommended to all, its abstinence from every stimulating kind of food and the proper use of wholesome simple food, which God has provided in abundance. -<u>Medical Ministry 283</u>







## What the people did outside in the day of atonement

 Definition of fasting – See Isaiah 58 (Day of atonement), Vs 6-7 practical godliness (Matthew 25 separating sheep from goats on this basis),

4. <u>Need to abstain from working</u> – Spiritual terms: rest in the work of God. - <u>Leviticus 23:28-30</u>.

- Some say not possible to overcome sin completely – what one is saying flesh is more powerful than God – I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. - Philippians 4:13.
- Special preparation necessary Hebrews 12:14, 28, 29; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:8; Titus 2:11-14;



#### Punishment for working on the Sabbath

Num. 15:32 A man gathered sticks (worked) on the Sabbath Day...

God had told them specifically...No

Work on the Sabbath Day!

Moses inquired of God what was to be done to the man . Hear God "The man shall be surely put to death:all the congregation shall stone him with stones without the camp. V.35.

**They did! He died!** Today God is Gracious

### The Cleansing of the Heavenly Sanctuary

When Adam and eve hid from God, they did not know the plan of Salvation. – Genesis 3:15 Revelation 6:13-15: Manny are running away from God, do not want to follow the plan of salvation. 5T 213,214 – Not all will be sealed. (also see Matthew 7:14)

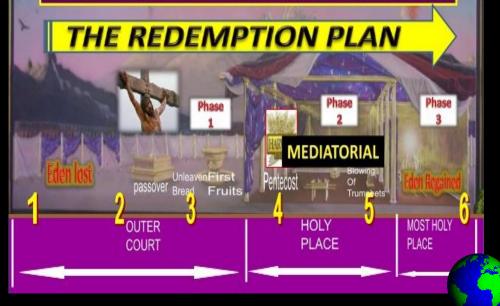
Psalms 24:3-5 – Only those who are cleansed will be sealed.

<u>Everything is recorded in the books of heaven</u> – some have secret sins but put up a holy appearance.

- The devil has created all the devices to distract people.
- Why does the devil hate the cleansing of the sanctuary? Because all sins will be put on him!
- The plan of redemption has to take place in the Outer Court, Holy Place & Most Holy Place.



One year of the sanctuary services represents the whole plan of salvation



#### Satan wants to stop the cleansing of the Heavenly Sanctuary

If the devil can stop this process in any of the 3 places than the whole plan is destroyed.

• Genesis 3:15 – Satan was not completely crushed at the cross: Romans 16:20 Satan will be finished at the cleansing of the sanctuary.

**Daily blood/sins were taken into the sanctuary** – Leviticus 16:20-21: **Daily confession is happening now.** 

Sin is going to crush the head of Satan: Sin is what killed Jesus. If only Satan can stop the sins to get on his head!

So he thinks if he can achieve people from not confessing their sins and hold on to sins, then he can survive and not be crushed.

Unless we bring our sins to Jesus he cannot cleanse the sanctuary (remove from the record books in heaven) – That is the delay right now!!! – reality check

- Psalms 24:3-5 to wash and cleanse hands.
- Ecclesiastes 9:10 need to purify our hearts.



Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city. ~ Revelation 22:14

# Can we get to sinless state - Yes or No?

PP 68 – Jesus came not only to save man but also to vindicate God.

Genesis 1 – every seed must produce after its kind.

 Ye shall know them by their fruit (Matthew 7:16-20) – the harvest will tell what kind of fruit is produced.

DA 671 – If a perfected people are not produced, the seed is at fault. In effect we say Jesus is faulty!

 Monkey see, monkey do – many are different in the church from outside (double faced).

Hebrews 10:1-4 – make them perfect year after year.

• If Jesus takes away our sin then we are sin free.

What messed up the perfection of man? – Sin! So removal of sin is perfection.

 <u>Hymn</u> – Would you be free from the burden of sin, there is power in the blood – still holds true!

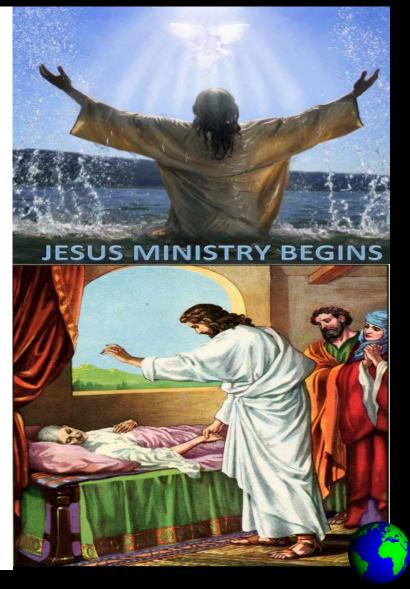


There are no illegals in God's Kingdom. We either accept Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, or else we just don't get in. It is as simple as that. No ifs, ands or buts about it. Have you?

Rev. 22:14-15

#### Need to emulate Jesus Character in our lives

1. Jesus is our example in surrendering completely to God. John 5: 30 John 6 : 38; Philip.2: 1-11. 2. Jesus is our example in true Bible Baptism (baptism by immersion) Matthew 3. 3. Jesus is our example in keeping the Ten Commandments. John 15 : 10 Matt. 5 : 17-28. 4. Jesus is our example in keeping holy the true seventh-day Sabbath and experiencing true happiness, freedom and sweetness in Sabbathkeeping. Luke 4 : 16; Mark 2 : 27, 28. 5. Jesus is our example in adhering fully to the scriptures and rejecting all unscriptural church traditions and false doctrines. Matt 15: 3, 9; John 4: 24; Luke 24 : 27; 2 Tim. 3: 15-17.



#### Need to follow the example of Jesus

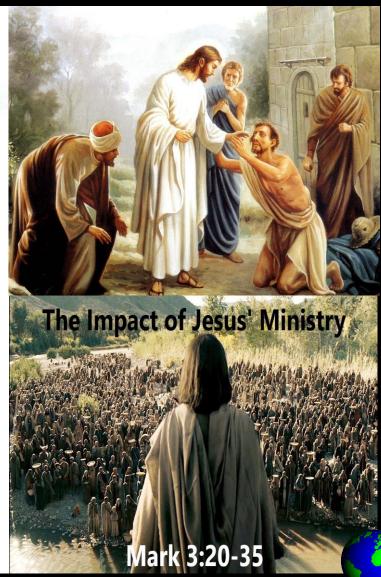
6. Jesus is our *example in teaching and preaching about the end of the* world, His second coming, and the bodily resurrection of the dead from their graves. Matt. 24; John 5 : 24–29.

7. Jesus is our *example in teaching, preaching and living the truth about* God's character and Christian character perfection. Matt. 5 : 43–48; Matt 7 : 7–11; John 14 : 6–15; 1 John 1 : 5.

He is our example.

"So Christ in His humanity was dependent upon divine power. `I can of mine own self do nothing,' He declared."-The Desire of Ages, pp. 674, 675.

"All our good works are dependent on a power outside of ourselves."-Christ's Object Lessons, p. 160. "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus" (Phil. 2:5)



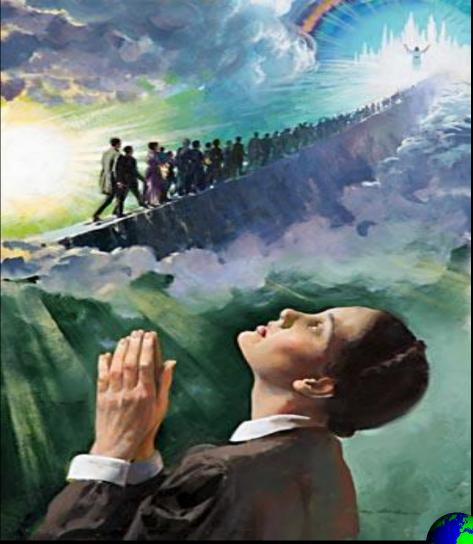
## A Sketch of The Christian Experience

Said my accompanying angel, "Time is almost finished. Do ye reflect the lovely image of Jesus as ye should?" Then I was pointed to the earth, and saw that there would have to be a getting ready among those who have of late embraced the third angel's message.

Said the angel, "Get ready, get ready, get ready. Ye will have to die a greater death to the world than ye have ever yet died." I saw that there was a great work to do for them, and but little time to do it in.

I saw that some of us have had time to get the truth, and to advance step by step, and every step we have taken has given us strength to take the next. But now time is almost finished, and what we have been years learning, they will have to learn in a few months.

 And they will have to unlearn much, and learn again. And those who will not receive the mark of the beast and his image, when the decree goes forth, must have decision now to say, nay, we will not regard the institution of the beast. – Ex V p52-55.



### Mental disposition of those that are sealed

- 1 Corinthians 3:16-17 known ye not that ye are the temple of God.
- 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 Ye are bought, glorify God in your body.
- Holy Sprit dwells in the body of the temple
- 1 Corinthians 10:31 Whether ye eat, drink or whatsoever ye do, do it all to the glory of God.
- Psalms 100:3 God made us, sheep of His pasture.
- The escalatory religion is practised today – many think they ARE going to heaven without any effort. (they are misunderstanding Grace)
- Need to know we are climbing Jacobs ladder: 2 Peter 1:4-11.

#### Seal of God

- True Worship
  - Adoration to the Creator
  - Commandment of God
- Protection signal
- Placed on the forehead

#### Mark of the Beast

- False Worship
  - Adoration to the Beast
  - Commandment of man
- Sign of condemnation
- On the forehead & in the hand



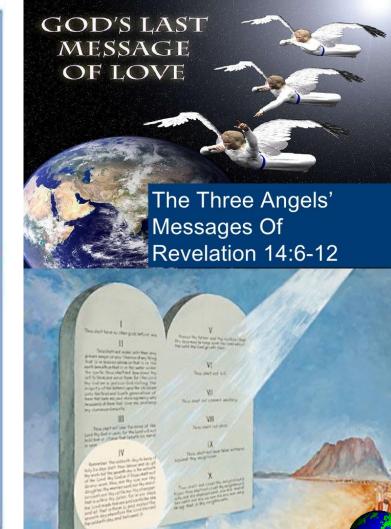


Revelation 13:16

When the observance of Sunday be mandatory, each person must decide whether to accept the sign of authority of God (Sabbath) or the authority of men (Sunday).

#### God's last call to Humanity – 3 Angels Message

Many who embraced the third message had not had an experience in the two former messages. Satan understood this, and his evil eye was upon them to overthrow them; but the third angel was pointing them to the most holy place, and those who had had an experience in the past messages were pointing them the way to the heavenly sanctuary. Many saw the perfect chain of truth in the angels' messages, and gladly received them in their order, and followed Jesus by faith into the heavenly sanctuary. These messages were represented to me as an anchor to the people of God. Those who understand and receive them will be kept from being swept away by the many delusions of Satan. (EW 256.2)



#### God will shake terribly the earth

"Never did this message apply with greater force than it applies today. More and more the world is setting at nought the claims of God. Men have become bold in transgression. The wickedness of the inhabitants of the world has almost filled up the measure of their iniquity. This earth has almost reached the place where God will permit the destroyer to work his will upon it. The substitution of the laws of men for the law of God, the exaltation, by merely human authority, of Sunday in place of the Bible Sabbath, is the last act in the drama. When this substitution becomes universal, God will reveal Himself. He will arise in His majesty to shake terribly the earth. He will come out of His place to punish the inhabitants of the world for their iniquity, and the earth shall disclose her blood and shall no more cover her slain." {7T 141.1}





## **Reception of Mark of the Beast**

The change of the Sabbath is the sign or mark of the authority of the Romish church. Those who understanding the claims of the fourth commandment choose to observe the false Sabbath in the place of the true, are thereby paying homage to that power by which alone it is commanded. The mark of the beast is the papal Sabbath' which has been accepted by the world in the place of the day of God's appointment. " {Ev 234.11}



"...We ought to obey God rather than men." (Acts 5:29)

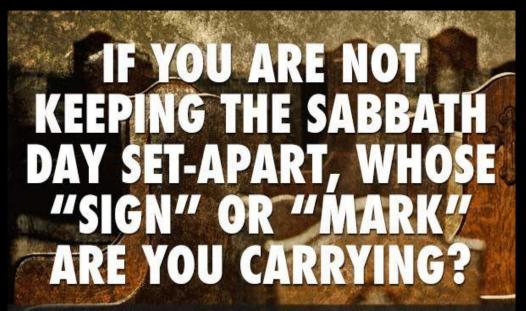
#### Sabbath the Last Test of Loyalty to God

"The Sabbath will be the great test of loyalty, for it is the point of truth especially controverted. When the final test shall be brought to bear upon men' then the line of distinction will be drawn between those who serve God and those who serve Him not While the observance of the false Sabbath in compliance with the law of the state' contrary to the fourth commandment, will be an avowal of allegiance to a power that is in opposition to God' the keeping of the true Sabbath, in obedience to God's law, is an evidence of loyalty to the Creator. While one class, by accepting the sign of submission to earthly powers, receive the mark of the beast, the other choosing the token of allegiance to divine authority, receive the seal of God." {GC 605.2}

The observance of the Lord's memorial, the Sabbath instituted in Eden, the seventh-day Sabbath, is the test of our loyalty to God. {Last Day Events, 220.5} https://www.facebook.com/QuotesFromTheSpiritOfProphecy

## The Time is not far distant

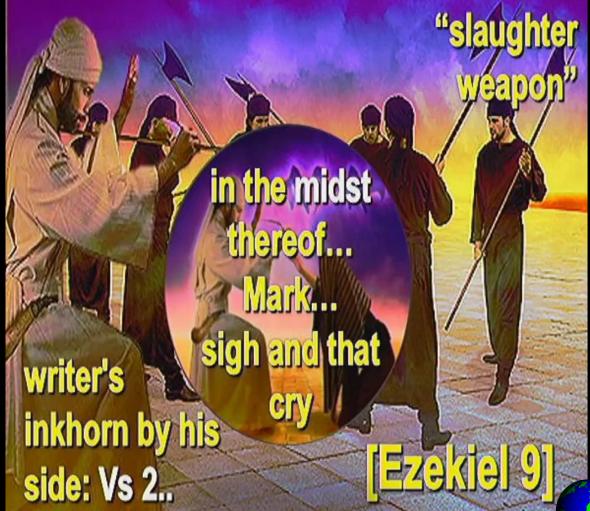
"The time is not far distant when the test will come to every soul. The observance of the false Sabbath will be urged upon us. The contest will be between the commandments of God and the commandments of men. Those who have yielded step by step to worldly demands, and conformed to worldly customs, will then yield to the powers that be, rather than subject themselves to derision, insult, threatened imprisonment, and death. At that time the gold will be separated from the dross.... Many a star that we have admired for its brilliance will then go out in darkness. Those who have assumed the ornaments of the sanctuary, but are not clothed with Christ's righteousness, will then appear in the shame of their own nakedness." --Prophets and Kings, p. 188. {ChS 157.2}



EXODUS 31:17 SAYS THAT THE SEVENTH-DAY SABBATH IS A "SIGN" FOREVER, BETWEEN THE CREATOR AND <u>HIS</u> CHILDREN. "SIGN"=Strong's H0226. אירת ot; a signal, sign, mark, evidence, proof, remembrance

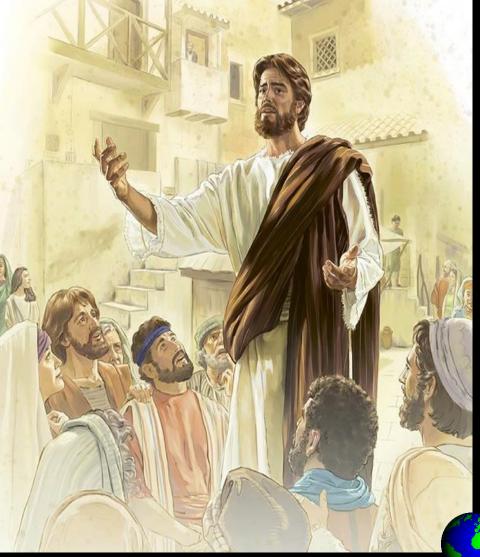
#### Those who sigh & cry about errors amongst God's people will be sealed

"The class who do not feel grieved over their own spiritual declension, nor mourn over the sins of others, will be left without the seal of God. The Lord commissions His messengers, the men with slaughtering weapons in their hands: "Go ye after him through the city, and smite: let not your eye spare, neither have ye pity: slay utterly old and young, both maids, and little children, and women: but come not near any man upon whom is the mark; and begin at my sanctuary. Then they began at the ancient men which were before the house." {5T 211.1}



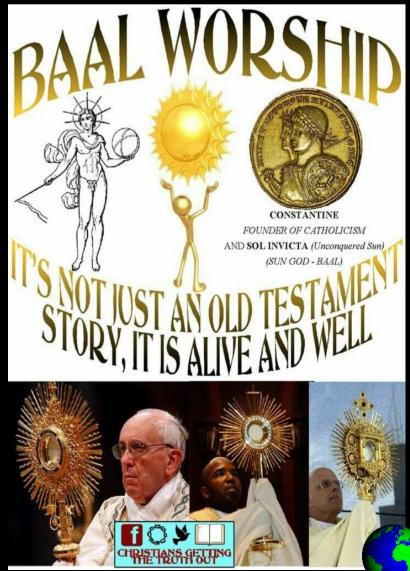
### Men, Women & Children all Perish

'Here we see that the church--the Lord's sanctuary--was the first to feel the stroke of the wrath of God. The ancient men, those to whom God had given great light and who had stood as guardians of the spiritual interests of the people, had betrayed their trust. They had taken the position that we need not look for miracles and the marked manifestation of God's power as in former days. <u>Times have changed</u>. These words strengthen their unbelief, and they say: The Lord will not do good, neither will He do evil. Thus "peace and safety" is the cry from men who will never again lift up their voice like a trumpet to show God's people their transgressions and the house of Jacob their sins. These dumb dogs that would not bark are the ones who feel the just vengeance of an offended God. Men, maidens, and little children all perish together. " {5T 211.2}



#### Need to heed to God's last warning to ALL

The Lord has a controversy with his professed people in these last days. In this controversy men in responsible positions will take a course directly opposite to that pursued by Nehemiah. They will not only ignore and despise the Sabbath themselves, but they will try to keep it from others by burying it beneath the rubbish of custom and tradition. In churches and in large gatherings in the open air, ministers will urge upon the people the necessity of keeping the first day of the week. There are calamities on sea and land: and these calamities will increase, one disaster following close upon another; and the little band of conscientious Sabbathkeepers will be pointed out as the ones who are bringing the wrath of God upon the world by their disregard of Sunday. {RH, March 18, 1884 par. 8} (2 Thess. 2:3) (1 Ti. 4:1).



## A SERIOUS choice for all to make!

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-Sunday worship -Holy water -The mass -Jelois -Monks -Monks -Nosary beads -Praying to dead -Praying to dead -The Wafer -The tonsure -The miters -Indulgenc

#### Summary of the Type and Antitype of the Day of Atonement

#### Туре

Leviticus 23:27 - "It shall be a holy convocation unto you." All were to assemble for worship.

Leviticus 23:27,29 - In the type, all were to afflict the soul, spend the day in "prayer, fasting, ... and pray and deep searching of heart."

Leviticus 23:27 - "Offer an offering made by fire," an entire consecration.

Leviticus 23:30 - All personal work was to be laid aside on the day of atonement.

#### Antitype

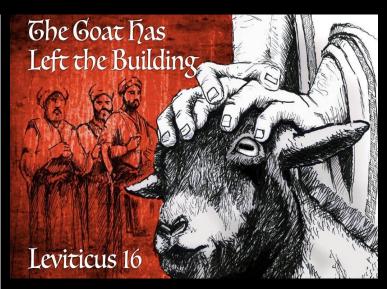
Hebrews 10:25 - God's people should not forsake assembling together as the end draws near.

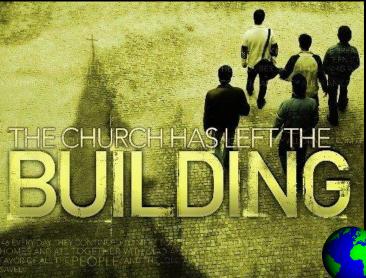
Luke 21:34-36; Isaiah 22:12-14 -The admonition is, "Watch, and pray always, and avoid surfeiting and drunkenness." (overeating good food, meat & wine)

#### 1 Thessalonians 5:23; Romans 12:

1 - The whole spirit, soul, and body are to be fully consecrated to God.

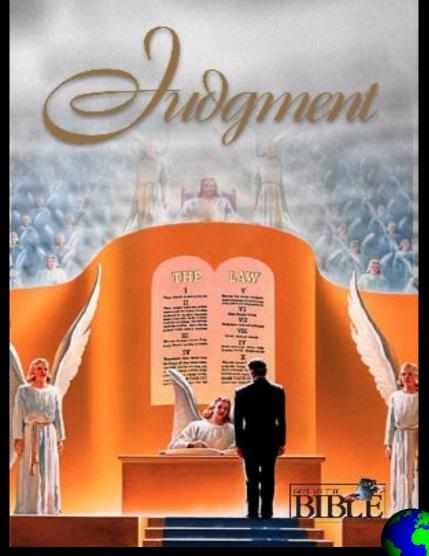
Luke 21:34-36; Matthew 6:32-33 -The cares of this life are not to come in and crowd out God's work.





# **Summary**

Anciently the congregation was not accepted as a whole; but it was an individual work. So today each one answers for himself before God. We must not content ourselves by doing just as our fathers did, who passed away before the judgment opened in the courts of heaven. God requires special service of His people now. They are to live while their cases are being decided in heaven, and Satan brings to bear upon the last generation, which are weaker physically than any previous generation, all the wisdom he has gained in a six thousand years' warfare. Those who, in the investigative judgment, are accounted worthy, will live for a time without a Mediator. Their experience will be different from that of any other company that has ever lived upon the earth. There are many reasons why God in His infinite mercy has enjoined special duties upon the last generation, that they might be more strongly fortified against the attacks of the enemy, and not be overthrown by his devices.



# Conclusion

In the ancient service, if an individual failed to keep the day of atonement as God directed, his sins were not confessed over the scapegoat by the high priest; but he was cut off from among the people of God.

The individual who, during the antitypical day of atonement, or the investigative judgment, thinks that Christ will plead his case while he himself ignores the work God has enjoined upon the antitypical congregation, will find at last that his name is blotted out from the book of life.

We are saved by faith in our High Priest, but faith without works is dead.

James 2:8-17 - If we have a living faith, we shall gladly do as the Lord directs.





# God has given all:

# The Power of Choice

#### Revelation 12:12

"..... for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time."

## **Enter The Ark of Hope**

And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be one fold, and one shepherd.

– John 10:16

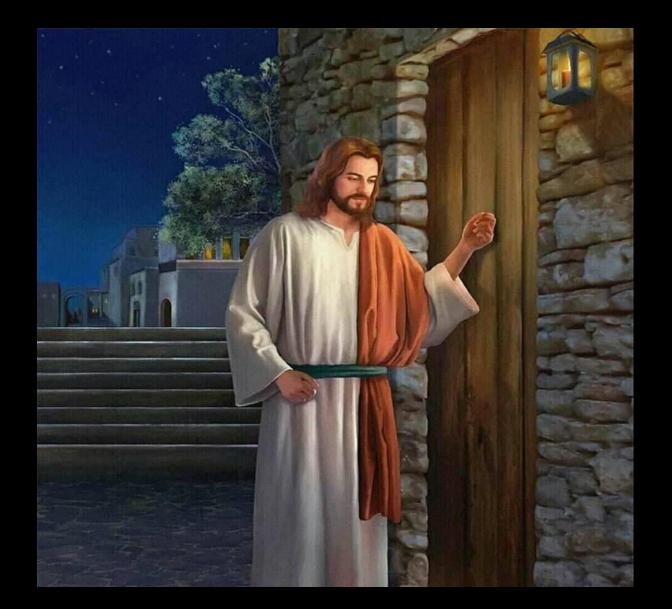
#### The Ark of the Covenant







Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me. – Revelation 3:20





# **ARE YOU READY TO MEET JESUS?**