UNVEILING THE ANTICHRIST

Hitler, Mussolini, Stalin, Gorbachev, Kissinger, Sadat, Bin-Laden, Hussein, Putin…What is it that each of these men have had in common over the years, my friends? It’s certainly not hard to answer this question if you've been around the church for a while. Every single name on this list, bar none, has at one time or another been predicted to be the mysterious **ANTICHRIST** of the Bible…until suddenly, they weren't! Then, when things don’t pan out, it’s on to the next possibility for the doom and gloom prophets of our day. You know what I’m talking about, beloved, and you know it’s the truth, for they do the exact same thing with their rapture dates, and **END OF THE WORLD** predictions (which is already **BEHIND US**) on a regular basis! It's time for a paradigm shift in the church with this fallacy, my friends! They talk about the people who vote over and over again for these liberal politicians of our day, but then, turn right around themselves, and run off to the next prophecy conference to hear yet another exhaustive list of possible names and dates! On and on it goes!

Within the contents of this article, we will soon discuss the **TWO MAIN REASONS** why the traditional church system of our day has had quite the time at pinpointing the identity of this illusive **MAN OF SIN**, and as a result, the location as to where he’s been successfully hiding out for years now. But, if you’ve hurried onto this post to obtain the most recent lottery prediction for the next Biblical **ANTICHRIST,** I’m afraid you’ve come to the wrong place, my friends, for I will not be predicting anything. What I will be doing, however, is unveiling for you **EXACTLY WHO HE IS!** No predictions, no guesses, no maybes, no probable’s, none of such, my friends, for the scriptures are much more accurate, and undoubtedly more powerful, than the futile predictions of Time Magazine, Newsweek, or U.S. News and World Report. The second task which we’ll seek to accomplish in this article, will be the unraveling of yet another great mystery of the Book of Revelation, one which is closely associated with that of the **MAN OF SIN,** that of **MYSTERY BABYLON!** Is it the Catholic Church, the Baptists, the tongue-talking Pentecostals? We shall see! So, now that you know where we’re headed, I must also throw in a word of caution to the casual reader, **THIS ISN’T GOING TO COME EASY, FOLKS!** If you were hoping for a quick, two-paragraph unveiling, once again, you’ve come to the wrong place, for there must be some digging before we can unmask this subtle serpent. He’s been successfully hiding out now for nearly 2000 years!

As much as he’s talked about in our present-day church systems, you would think that the final book of the Bible would be absolutely littered with storylines about this mysterious madman; but would you like to take a guess at just how many times the word **“ANTICHRIST”** is even mentioned in the Book of Revelation? If you guessed **ZERO,** my friends, you are stunningly correct, it is **ZERO!** In fact, the word **“ANTICHRIST”** is only mentioned five times in the entirety of the scriptures, and all five times are in the First and Second Epistles of John! However, I must note that there are some other words and phrases that are most definitely used throughout the scriptures to refer to him. So, as we begin our study, let’s first try to get a general definition on record, so we can establish a good starting-point. According to a compilation of definitions from multiple dictionaries, including Webster’s, the word **“ANTICHRIST”** means: “against, instead of, opposite, or opposed to **CHRIST”.** So, here’s the situation, my friends. If we are ever going to receive a revelation of the one who is “against, instead of, opposite, or opposed to **CHRIST”**, then doesn’t it only make good sense that we first and foremost get a revelation of who “**CHRIST”** is, the one whom the “**ANTI-CHRIST”** is supposedly opposite of? To assist in this effort, I’m going to be pulling some information from time to time, from the early chapters of my book, “The Splitting of the Adam, It’s Time to Awaken”, but I will make it clear up front… I **WILL NOT** be rewriting the book! I will only be pulling what I feel is the minimum amount of information required, to gain a solid foundation for understanding the topic at hand, which is that of the **ANTICHRIST.** If you desire more detail from the earlier part of this writing, the book is either readily available for purchase, or direct message me and I will send you out a copy.

**THE CHRIST OF GOD**

To gain our starting point for the revelation of the **“CHRIST”,** we must look no further than the Bible’s own definition of the word. Scripture does not always do this, but in the case of the One whom the entire Bible is based upon, it held nothing back.

“…The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel that displays the glory of **CHRIST, WHO IS THE IMAGE OF GOD. (2 Cor 4:4)**

Though most believers read quickly past details such as these, to the trained eye lay one of the most glorious seeds of revelation to ever hit the soil of man’s heart: **CHRIST…WHO IS…** **THE** **IMAGE OF GOD!** However, to see the fruits of this seed, we must now take it a few steps further. In the Book of Hebrews, chapters five and six, while the Apostle Paul is addressing the topic of “slothfulness in the church”, he delivers some strong words to the Jewish believers there. Let’s listen in for a moment….

” And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him; Called of God an high priest after the order of **MELCHIZEDEK.** Of whom we have many things to say, and hard to be uttered, seeing **YE ARE DULL OF HEARING.** For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which be **THE FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD;** and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat. For everyone that useth milk is unskillful in the word of righteousness: for he is a babe. But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil. **THEREFORE,** leaving **THE PRINCIPLES OF THE DOCTRINE OF CHRIST, LET US GO ON UNTO PERFECTION;** not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God, of the doctrine of baptisms, and of laying on of hands, and of resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment...That ye **BE NOT SLOTHFUL,** but followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises.” **(HEB. 5:9-14, 6:1,2,12)**

As we just read, Paul’s eager desire here in the fifth chapter of Hebrews, was to talk to them about the **MYSTERY OF MELCHIZEDEK** (which is absolutely vital to our understanding of the Gospel of the Kingdom as we will see in the next article), but he had discovered that the believers there had become **“DULL OF HEARING”.** Why is that my friends? In verse twelve above, Paul gives us the answer. He states that the believers there had actually had enough time since their initial conversion, that they should have been teachers by that point, but instead, they needed to be taught themselves all over again the **FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD.** But here’s the kicker if you can catch it. In Hebrews 6, the next chapter, the very first word of verse one is **“THEREFORE”.** What does that tell us? It tells us that what is about to follow is directly related to what was just being talked about, and what was just being talked about was termed **THE FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE WORD OF GOD.** Remember, my friends, the First-Century church did not yet have a copy of the King James Bible, NIV, New American Standard, or any other of our present-day versions. All they had was the Old Testament writings! Paul was saying here, therefore, that they had become **DULL OF HEARING BECAUSE THEY DIDN’T UNDERSTAND THE FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE OLD TESTAMENT WRITINGS!** So, realizing this, let’s look at what immediately follows the word **“THEREFORE”** in chapter six, verse one.

“Therefore, leaving the principles of the **DOCTRINE OF CHRIST…”**

Can you hear that, my friends? When you look at **BOTH SIDES** of the word **“THEREFORE”,** what Paul actually does here is call the **FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD THAT THEY LACKED UNDERSTANDING OF,** the **DOCTRINE OF CHRIST!** After he tells them that they have need to be taught the **FIRST PRINCIPLES** again, he then begins the very next chapter and tells them to **LEAVE** the **DOCTRINE OF CHRIST** and **MOVE ON TO PERFECTION.** Many in the present-day church system have yet to understand that the entire New Testament was recorded as the apostles gained spiritual understanding (revelation) of the hidden truths behind the literal, Old Testament writings. In the Book of Acts, the apostle Paul clearly stated that he taught, "...**NONE OTHER THINGS** than those which the prophets and Moses did say should come:" **(ACTS 26:22)**

With this understood, therefore, it’s imperative now that we recognize that in the opening verse from **HEBREWS 5:9-12,** above, the **"FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD"** that were being talked about, were never meant to be some elementary list of basic teachings that we were all to have obtained from our first grade Sunday-school class, but rather a **REVELATORY UNDERSTANDING** of the **FIRST FEW CHAPTERS** of the Book of **GENESIS:** the **"FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD",** the literal writingsfrom which the first-century apostles were drawing their revelation from.

So, just like the Hebrews whom Paul was addressing in the first-century church, if present-day Christendom would have realized this by now, they also would have gained a solid understanding of what the **"DOCTRINE OF CHRIST"** is all about, and gained the **PROPER FOUNDATION** in order to clearly understand the truths concerning "repentance from dead works, faith toward God, the doctrine of baptisms, laying on of hands, resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment”. They would have been more than ready by now to take the apostles urgent advice from Hebrews chapter six and **"MOVE ON TO PERFECTION"!** Instead, like the Hebrews, they now have **NEED** for someone to teach them all over again the **FIRST PRINCIPLES OF THE ORACLES OF GOD:** the **REVELATIONAL TRUTHS CONCERNING THE DOCTRINE OF CHRIST** which were purposely planted throughoutof the book of **GENESIS,** especially **GENESIS 1-3!** Let’s move back to the garden.

For the subject matter at hand, I will only need to touch base on a few select verses below, and even then, I will not be bringing out some of the truths which we will most certainly uncover in the next article concerning Melchizedek; but as we open up the book of Genesis to begin this task, we must continue to remember that **CHRIST…IS…THE IMAGE OF GOD (2 COR. 4:4)!** Here we go.

26 “And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

27 So **GOD CREATED MAN IN HIS OWN IMAGE,** in the image of God created he **HIM; MALE** and **FEMALE** created he **THEM**.

28 And God blessed them, and God said unto them, **BE FRUITFUL, AND** **MULTIPLY,** and **REPLENISH THE EARTH,** and subdue it: and have **DOMINION** over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.” **(GEN. 1:26-28)**

Before we begin to dig in here, there’s a very important question which I need to ask concerning **verse 28** above, that most believers have probably never considered, and it’s simply this. To whom did God give **‘DOMINION”** over the earth to? If you answered **“MAN”** to this question, look a little closer. You see, we’ve been told that all our lives, but is it correct? God didn’t give **DOMINION** to “man”, my friends, he gave dominion to **MAN, WHO WAS IN HIS IMAGE!** That’s a big difference as we proceed through this article, my friends… A big difference! For the very moment that **MAN** steps outside of this condition, **DOMINION IS NO LONGER PROMISED!** You might be saying, “how could man step outside of the condition from which he was created?” Hang on, my friends, we are headed in that very direction! But for now, just remember this…**NO IMAGE OF GOD, NO DOMINION! IT’S THAT SIMPLE!** Let’s move on to the next point of concern here.

Most believers then look at verse 28 and teach that the phrase **“BE FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLY”,** is talking about a sexual relationship between a male and a female which produces children”. I’ve even heard several ministers over my lifetime joke that God’s first command to Adam and Eve was to **“HAVE SEX”.** Nothing could be further from the truth, my friends. The **PRIMARY PURPOSE** for the command to **“MULTIPLY”** in **GENESIS 1:28,** had nothing to do, whatsoever, with a sexual relationship between a man and a woman, period! God’s desire wasn’t just to populate the earth with physical human beings. The man created in **verse 28,** was a **SPIRITUAL BEING!** It wasn’t until **GENESIS 2:7,** that the “Lord God” placed that which had been created in **GENESIS 1:26-28** into the **BODY** which he had formed. So, if this be the case, and it most certainly is, there are some very intriguing questions which now arise concerning **GENESIS 1:27.** Let’s bring it back to our remembrance.

“So, **GOD CREATED MAN IN HIS OWN IMAGE,** in the image of God created he **HIM; MALE** and **FEMALE** created he **THEM.” (Gen. 1:27)**

Most believers have neither studied nor thought this thing through, my friends. They have thought that the man standing in front of us here in verse 27, was **ADAM IN THE FLESH.** They failed to think it through that if God, who is **SPIRIT (JOHN 4:24),** were to create a being who was in his **IMAGE AND LIKENESS,** He would first and foremost create a **SPIRITUAL BEING,** and that is exactly what He did.They have also failed to study for themselves and come to an understanding that there are **TWO DIFFERENT HEBREW WORDS** for the English word **“ADAM”** going on throughout the early chapters of the book of Genesis, but that’s for our next article. Brother Kelley Varner used to say that “The word of God is like an onion, where each layer can be used to produce a mighty revelation, and then peeled away for yet another fresh gem waiting patiently below”. So, remember, we’re only going to be covering the things that are relevant to the topic at hand here, though there is much, much more that we will need to investigate down the road. You see, this entire group of passages which we are about to embark upon could be taught in a couple of different ways. We could approach these passages from a **CORPORATE PERSPECTIVE** and explain the bridal revelation between Christ and His church, or we can explain them from an **INDIVIDUAL PERSPECTIVE,** and show how the relationship between the **SPIRIT** and **SOUL** within each individual properly returns that spiritual being back into the **IMAGE OF GOD,** in order that they become a viable part of that **CORPORATE BRIDE!** It’s this approach that we will be taking here. Back to verse twenty-seven.

“So, **GOD CREATED MAN IN HIS OWN IMAGE,** in the image of God created he **HIM…” (GEN. 1:27)**

Do to what has already been discussed up to this point in our article, there should immediately be some bells and whistles going off here. Did we not just discuss in **2 Corinthians 4:4,** that **CHRIST, IS THE “IMAGE OF GOD”?**  Now we find that the **SPIRITUAL BEING** whom God created here, is in the **EXACT SAME IMAGE!** But here is what is even more interesting. **MALACHI 2:15** tells us that God only created but **ONE SPIRIT.**

“And did not he make **ONE?** Yet had he the residue of the **SPIRIT.** And **WHEREFORE ONE?** That he might seek a godly seed…” **(MALACHI 2:15)**

With this in mind (that God only created one spirit), let’s look a bit closer at **GENESIS 1:27** for a moment. In the first half of **verse 27,** we have an absolute confirmation of what **Malachi 2:15** said, as the Man whom God created there is called a **HIM (SINGULAR).** At the end of this verse however, it says **“MALE** and **FEMALE** created he **THEM…”.** Hmmm,what’s going on here, my friends? How did a **“HIM”** just turn into a **“THEM”** if God only created **ONE SPIRIT?** Are we looking at a misprint here, or could there be an analogy going on which could bring us into a major revelation concerning the **“FIRST PRINCIPLES”** of the **“DOCTRINE OF CHRIST”,** as Paul talked about in Hebrews five and six? The latter is definitely the case, my friends, for there is indeed an analogy going on here, and we will confirm this shortly! You see, what God did here, was create a **SINGULAR SPIRITUAL BEING (HIM),** that had both a **MALE AND FEMALE** **ASPECT** to it **(THEM).** How do we know this? Throughout the scriptures, whenever the **SPIRIT** is being talked about, it’s always referred to in the **MASCULINE** **GENDER.** Likewise, whenever the **SOUL** is being talked about, it’s referred to in the **FEMININE GENDER.** Let’s look at just a couple examples of this concept.

**“**God is a **SPIRIT:** and they that worship **HIM** must worship **HIM** in spirit and in truth…” **(JOHN 4:24)**

**“**My **SOUL** shall make **HER** boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad…” **(PSALM 34:2)**

So, in quick review, what we have to this point in verse twenty-seven, is a **SPIRITUAL BEING** who has been created in the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST),** with both a male aspect **(SPIRIT)** and a female aspect **(SOUL),** operating in perfect union with each other. This example, therefore, shows us exactly what elements **MUST** be in place, in order to operate as **CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD** in the earth! Both the **SPIRIT (MALE),** and the **SOUL (FEMALE),** which is the **MIND OF CHRIST,** must be joined together and working as **ONE** to beconsidered as the **IMAGE OF GOD,** and worthy of receiving **DOMINION!** When Elohim instructed the **SPIRITUAL BEING** in verse twenty-seven to **“BE FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLY”**,therefore,he was telling him to reproduce more **SPIRITUAL BEINGS** in the earth who would have **BOTH** the **SPIRIT** and **SOUL** (**MIND OF CHRIST)** operating as **ONE** within…**THE IMAGE OF GOD!** He was telling him, to turn the **CHRIST OF GOD** into a **MANY-MEMBERED MAN!** Again, the **PRIMARY CONCERN** of this verse has **NOTHING** to do, whatsoever with multiplying the **OUTER MAN** in the earth through a sexual relationship, but it has everything to do with multiplying the **INNER MAN** in the earth…so our Heavenly Father could give **THAT MAN, DOMINION!** Again, there is more that we could get into at this point here concerning the **MYSTERY OF MELCHISIDEK,** but we will do so in a future article. Let’s move on now to the Fall in the Garden.

Oh, how the religious church system is missing out on this great mystery. To them, Sunday after Sunday, it has always been about **ONE PERSON…JESUS OF NAZARETH!** They have failed to realize that when Jesus said in **JOHN 12:24, “…EXCEPT A CORN OF WHEAT FALL INTO THE GROUND AND DIE, IT ABIDETH ALONE: BUT IF IT DIE, IT BRINGETH FORTH MUCH FRUIT.”,** he was talking about Himself! He was talking about fulfilling the command which was given to Him in **GENESIS 1:26-28,** which we just discussed! And yes, I did say the command that was given to **HIM,** in **GENESIS 1:26-28.** More on that mystery in the next article.

You see, except for a small remnant of believers within each generation over the last 2000 years, mainstream Christianity has had little to no understanding that the Christ of God has been relentlessly multiplying himself into a glorious, **MANY-MEMBERED BODY;** and He’s been doing it quietly, secretly, and **WITHOUT OBSERVATION!** While Adam continues to sleep within the walls of organized religion, which vigorously occupies themselves with their own plans and programs, our precious Heavenly Father has been appearing within, awakening, and calling out a **“PEOPLE FOR HIS NAME” (ACTS 15, AMOS 9)”.** He’s been forming a **“FIRSTFRUITS COMPANY”** (the **“WHOSOEVER WILLS” THAT WOULD),** into the **IMAGE OF GOD,** that in **“THE AGES TO COME” (ACTS 15),** that group of believers **(THE MANY-MEMBERED CHRIST)** will be used to bring **THE REST OF HIS CREATION** over the threshold and into His Kingdom! Don’t believe me? It’s all recorded in the Book of Revelation, my friends. You know, that book that they have been telling you is about Cobra Helicopters and Nuclear Warheads all your life. Yes, that book! So, why is it that the **MAINSTREAM** has failed to understand what God is doing in this hour? It’s simple folks. In addition to the erroneous teachings of **“FUTURISM”,** it’s because the religious church system has been taking their people back to **GENESIS 1:27** for years now and telling them that they’re already **“IN HIS IMAGE”;** and they’ve been doing so,as if nothing else happened from that verse onward throughout the rest of the Bible. Simply put, they have failed to understand what actually took place at the **FALL OF MAN** in the Garden of Eden!

Shortly before the temptation in the garden, an event took place in **GENESIS 2:21-23,** which to this day, those who only interpret the scriptures from a literal perspective have had little to no understanding of.

**“**And **THE LORD GOD CAUSED A DEEP SLEEP TO FALL UPON ADAM,** and he slept: and he took one of his ribs and closed up the flesh instead thereof; And the rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man. And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man…” **(GEN 2:21-23)**

As we begin discussing this passage, this may be as good of time as any to remind you that when reading the Bible, it’s the **SPIRITUAL INTERPRETATION (**the revelation hidden beneath the actual passage) that we are interested in. Though the **LITERAL INTERPRETATION** of the word of God gives us a lot of valuable information and historical facts, it’s only the revelation of it that brings life to our spiritual being! Paul described this very well in **2 CORINTHIANS 3:6.**

“Who also hath made us able ministers of the New Testament; not of the letter, but of the spirit: for **THE LETTER KILLETH,** but **THE SPIRIT GIVETH LIFE.”** **(2 COR. 3:6)**

There you have it my friends, it’s only the **SPIRITUALLY INTERPRETED WORD** which brings **LIFE** to the believer, not the **LITERAL (the LETTER)!** So, as we discuss these next few passages, please understand that though the literal **DID INDEED TAKE PLACE IN TIME AND HISTORY**, it’s the **SPIRITUAL INTERPRETATION** which we are doing now that will lead us into a mighty revelation and help us to expose the true **“ANTICHRIST”** towards the end of this article! In **GENESIS 2:21-23,** the first thing that we must understand here, which most have never considered as they have literally interpreted this passage, is that the man who was put to sleep, **WAS NOT** the same man who was awakened! No, he was not! In fact, the man who was put to sleep, **WAS NEVER AWAKENED** in this passage!In the natural, God took a rib from the man and created a woman in this verse, but that’s not what we are after here. We are after the revelation that is going on behind the scenes! Remember, in **GENESIS 1:26-28,** Elohim created a **SPIRITUAL BEING** who was both **MALE (SPIRIT),** and **FEMALE (SOUL)** in **ONE!** It’s **THIS GUY** that we need to be concerned about here, for **THIS GUY** is the **REAL YOU!** The **INNER MAN** is your **TRUE IDENTITY!** So, think about this**.** In our analogy, the man whom God put into a condition called a **“DEEP SLEEP”** was **“IN HIS IMAGE”,** with the **MALE (SPIRIT),** and **FEMALE (SOUL),** operating in complete unity as **ONE** with each other. However, when the man was awakened, this was no longer the case! For the woman, the inner chamber, the **SOUL,** had been separated from her union and oneness with the man **(SPIRIT)** and now had the ability to make her own choices apart from the man **(SPIRIT)** and therefore, function separately if she chose to do so! The **SPIRIT** and **SOUL** of the man who were created as **ONE** in **GENESIS 1:26-28,** could still act in unity if they chose to do so, but being made **SEPARATE ENTITIES**, while in a condition called a **“DEEP SLEEP”,** **WE ALL KNOW WHAT HAPPENS NEXT!**

“**NOW** the serpent was more subtle than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made.” **(GEN. 3:1)**

Perhaps the most important word in all of **GENESIS 3:1** is that small, little, three-letter word at the beginning of the sentence… **“NOW”.** In other words, because the spirit and soul of man were now living as two separate entities (though still within the same body)**,** there **NOW** existed something which was made craftier than the man who had originally displayed **CHRIST**, the **IMAGE OF GOD** in the earth… **THE SERPENT!** It was this very condition to which Paul was referring in **ROMANS 8:20,** when he stated that man had **“UNWILLINGLY”** (due to being put to sleep and having the woman separated), been made subject to **“VANITY”**, or “ineffectiveness”. In this condition called a **“DEEP SLEEP”,** it would now become impossible for man to operate with **DOMINION** over the earth, as long as a craftier one was in existence!

Perhaps now, you are starting to think a little bit, my friends. Perhaps now, you are beginning to put two and two together. Perhaps now, the outshining rays of the daystar himself are beginning to descend from the heavenlies of your spirit into the lower realm of your soulish being. At the temptation in the garden, mankind was no longer carrying the **IMAGE OF GOD** as he was originally created. At the fall of man, he was no longer functioning in his **TRUE IDENTITY**. That’s exactly right, folks. **MANKIND, IN HIS TRUE IDENTITY, HAS NEVER SINNED,** and as a result, **NEITHER HAVE YOU!** So, what exactly is **ROMANS 3:23** all about, you’re probably asking, which states that **“ALL HAVE SINNED AND FALLEN SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD”?** It's referring to everything that we’ve been discussing here, my friends! **IN ADAM,** who was put into a condition called “**SLEEP”** before the fall ever happened, **ALL HAVE SINNED** and fallen short of His glory; but thanks be to God, **OUR TRUE IDENTITY IS NOT IN THE ADAM NATURE!**  Our **TRUE IDENTITY, IS IN CHRIST!** Sin, therefore,is nothing more and nothing less, than the carnal results of mankind living outside the realm of his **TRUE IDENTITY** as the **IMAGE OF GOD!**  Return to that **ORIGINAL IMAGE,** my friends, and condemnation instantly flees! **IT’S TIME TO AWAKEN** from the condition called **“SLEEP”,** church!It’s time to awaken from the condition where our **SPIRIT** and **SOUL** are veiled from each other! It’s time for us to reunite with the **BRIDEGROOM!**

So, what really happened at the fall? Do what you want with it in the natural, my friends. If you want a literal tree with a dangling red apple, which Eve was told not to partake of, and a walking, talking serpent with a subtle, human-like voice, knock yourself out; but it’s the analogy to which all of this points that should be our primary concern here. For how will you ever know if you’ve been **RE-CONFORMED** **TO HIS IMAGE,** if you fail to understand the event which took away (veiled) that image in the first place? The literal types throughout the Old Testament scriptures are not the realities, beloved, they are merely natural examples which lead us into spiritual truths!

A few paragraphs back, I stated that I would shortly confirm that there is indeed an analogy going on here. Let’s look at the passage which backs up that statement.

But I fear, lest by any means, **AS THE SERPENT BEGUILED EVE** through his subtilty, **SO YOUR MINDS SHOULD BE CORRUPTED** from the simplicity that is in Christ. **(2 COR. 11:3)**

Can you hear that my friends? Here is Paul, who told us in **ACTS 26:22,** that he said **“…NONE OTHER THINGS, THAN THAT WHICH THE PROPHETS AND MOSES DID SAY SHOULD COME”,** looking back at an example from the Garden of Eden and comparing the beguilement of **EVE (THE WOMAN),** to the corrupting of the **SOUL!** At the temptation, therefore, what actually happened was the **WOMAN (SOUL),** who had now become her own separate entity, made a choice out of deception and acted out on her own behalf, rather than taking godly council with her husband, the **SPIRIT** **(MALE)** and acting out as the **IMAGE OF GOD.**

So, what do we have here as the result of this choice? We have **“MANKIND”** still in a **“SLEEPING CONDITION”,** **WHERE THEIR SPIRIT AND SOUL ARE STILL SEPARATED FROM EACH OTHER**. What this leaves us with is the **“FIRST MAN ADAM”** becoming a living, breathing, spirit being, still within an **EARTHEN BODY,** but now with a **“CARNAL (EARTHY) MIND”,** who can only live according to the **DICTATES OF THE FLESH!** The **“SOUL”** had now left its union with the **“SPIRIT”** and married **(BECOME ONE WITH)** the flesh! In order to get back into “**THE IMAGE OF CHRIST”,** therefore, she will have to **“DIVORCE”,** or have herself separated from the fleshly **“CARNAL MIND” and** become **“ONE”** with the **“SPIRIT”** again! Timothy said it this way:

 “…but the woman **(SOUL)** being deceived was in the transgression. Notwithstanding, **SHE SHALL BE SAVED IN CHILDBEARING!”** **(1 TIM.2:14-15)**

 Did you catch that, my friends? There must be a **“SALVATION OF THE SOUL”** through the **BIRTHING OF A SON (THE CHRIST)!** Remember: the **WOMAN** is the **“WOMB”** of the man; therefore, it’s within the **SOUL** that a **CONCEPTION MUST TAKE PLACE! A BIRTHING MUST OCCUR!** I would now like to move on down to **GENESIS 3:14-15:**

And the LORD God said unto the serpent, Because thou hast done this, thou art cursed above all cattle, and above every beast of the field; upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life: And I will put **ENMITY** between thee and the woman, and between **THY SEED** and **HER SEED;** it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel. **(GENESIS 3:14-15)**

In this passage, we have **BOTH** a description of the problem resulting from the fall, as well as God’s intended solution to the fall. The problem was: The **WOMAN (MIND** of the spiritual man**)** had now been snake-bitten, and due to this, the serpent who made the strike, would now have a **NATURALLY MINDED SEED IN THE EARTH**! So, what does their problem back in the Garden have to do with you and I, one might ask? It has everything to do with you and I, my friends, because the scriptures tell us back in **GENESIS 1:12,** that every **“SEED”** reproduces after its own kind! And now that man had been lowered down into the realm of the **“CARNAL MIND”,** the only thing which he could now produce **(SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING)** are **“SOULISH” HUMAN BEINGS (DAUGHTERS)!** God wants sons, my friends, and anytime he gets His spirit and soul into unity within a body, as we saw in **GENESIS 1:26-28,** **“CHRIST”** – a son is manifested! The good news about **GENESIS 3:15,** is, that the **SERPENT’S SEED** is not the only seed mentioned here. There is another seed! Luke’s gospel tells us that this **SEED** is the **WORD** of God, the **“LOGOS” (Lk. 8:11),** the **CHRIST OF GOD!** This passage in **GENESIS 3:14-15,** therefore, tells us that the **“SEED”** of a woman **(THE LOGOS)** shall come and **“BRUISE”** the **HEAD** of the Serpent **(THE CARNAL MIND OF MAN WHERE HE IS NOW OPERATING)!** As a result. God would once again have a man in His “**IMAGE”** alive and well on planet earth, and he would come in the form of a **“SEED”,** immaculately conceived into the womb of a woman! Christ would truly become, the **“SEED”** of the **“WOMAN”,** not just to Mary, my friends, but to the **SOULS (WOMEN)** of all mankind!

Following the fall, for the next four-thousand years of recorded Biblical History, there would only be **ONE MESSAGE** in the earth: **THE SEED IS COMING!** Can you here it? Then, once the **SEED ARRIVES,** throughout the four gospels, there is again only **ONE MESSAGE:** **THE SEED DIES!** Why did the seed die you might ask?

 “Verily, verily, I say unto you, Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone: but if it die, it bringeth forth **MUCH FRUIT. (JOHN 12:24)**

So, the seed had to die in order to fulfill the command given to him in **GENESIS 1:28! HE HAD TO MULTIPLY!** John tells us in the Book of Revelation that “Christ is the **“BEGINNING”** of the new creation of God” **(REV. 3:14)!**  Jesus had to die, be resurrected, ascend to the Father, and return in the person of the Holy Spirit, so he could be planted into the **“EARTHEN VESSELS”** of the **“SEED OF THE SERPENT” (NATURALLY MINDED MEN)** and begin to multiply Himself through the **REFORMING** of the **IMAGE OF GOD** within **ALL MANKIND!** Are you ready for this, my friends? The Greek word for the word **“SEED”** is **“S-P-E-R-M-A”!** When you met Jesus as your savior (Passover), therefore, God’s very own sperm was placed into your spirit in the form of a **SEED!** When this happened, your **“SPIRIT”** was saved! “Can you hear it…?

When you were Baptized in the Holy Ghost (Pentecost,) that **“SEED”** busted open like an egg out of incubation, and the spirit of God descended into the **“LOWER REALM”** of your **“SOUL”** to begin warring against your **“CARNAL MIND”!** “Can you hear it…? But remember, the **“EARNEST OF YOUR INHEIRITANCE”** at Pentecost, is the **“GUARANTEE”** that the fullness of **“CHRIST”** will in **“DUE SEASON”,** completely destroy the **CARNAL MIND!** When this happens, through the **“BIRTHING OF A SON”,** your **“SOUL”** **(THE WOMAN)** will be **“SAVED”!** The **“CHRIST OF GOD”** will be birthed into the womb of your **“SOUL”,** and then manifested through your body! So, in the Book of Acts, there is really only **ONE MESSAGE**: **THE SEED MULTIPLIES!** In the epistles: **THE SEED MATURES!** and in the Book of Revelation: **THE SEED REIGNS!** That’s the whole bible, folks! **THE SEED COMES, DIES, MULTIPLIES, GROWS, AND REIGNS!** With this said, however, according to the Bible, there is **ONE THING** that can stop this **SEED** **(THE LOGOS – THE CHRIST OF GOD)** from accomplishing its purpose and being formed in you: the **“TRADITIONS OF MEN”!** So, the question is…what are you going to do about them? Are they really worth having your Heavenly Father hold back this declaration over you: “I now pronounce you **HUSBAND (SPIRIT)** and **WIFE (SOUL),** **MR. AND MRS. JESUS CHRIST”!** **HIS GLORY REVEALED!** Are they? For those of you who have stopped progressing after going through the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** is your church’s teachings and traditions really worth you missing out on the **PENTECOSTAL EXPERIENCE,** where the Holy Spirit moves into the lower realm of your soul and beginsridding it of the dictates of the flesh? Are they? And for those who have stopped your progression in the realm of Pentecost, thinking it was the realm of the fullness, is that tradition worth missing out on the opening of your “**EYES OF UNDERSTANDING”** which brings about a **“CATCHING UP”** experience and the **SAVING OF YOUR SOUL?** Is it?

The present-day church system has completely lost sight of what their **“FIRST LOVE”** was, my friends! Their first love was **“CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD”!** Their **“FIRST LOVE”** was a **CIRCUMCISED HEART (SPIRIT AND SOUL UNITED WITHIN AS ONE)!** They have failed to understand the Mystery of **CHRIST IN YOU,** **THE HOPE OF GLORY**. They have failed to realize that the revelation of Christ is not just about **JESUS OF NAZARETH**, but that He has, and is, **MULTIPLYING HIMSELF** into a **MANY-MEMBERED BODY! ONE BODY…MANY PARTS!** If the person standing beside you has progressed all the way through the blueprint which **BOTH** the **TABERNACLE OF MOSES** and the **THREE MAIN FEASTS OF ISRAEL (PASSOVER, PENTECOST, TABERNACLES)** typify, then the person standing beside you has become an actual member of the **CHRIST OF GOD… FULLY REDEEMED,** and completely returned into **HIS** **IMAGE!** The **MYSTERY** concerning **“CHRIST IN YOU”,** has nothing to do with you being aware that the Holy Spirit lives within, as most believers think, but whether or not the **HOLY SPIRIT** within has multiplied Himself by bringing your **SOUL** back into unity with your **SPIRIT** again **(CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD)!** That’s the mystery of **“CHRIST IN YOU”,** the **HOPE OF GLORY!** For the Gospel of John clearly tells us, thatHis **“GLORY”** is the **MANIFESTATION OF THE LOGOS** in the earth!

**“IN THE BEGINNING WAS THE** **WORD (LOGOS),** and the Word was with God, and the Word was God… The same was in the beginning with God… **AND THE WORD (LOGOS) WAS MADE FLESH,** and dwelt among us, (**AND WE BEHELD HIS GLORY**, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth….” **(JN. 1:1-2,14)**

Just as a related side note, the **“RAPTURE”** is not the **“BLESSED HOPE”** of the church, my friends, as we have all been taught all our lives.The **“BLESSED HOPE”,** is that when he comes, **“WE SHALL BE LIKE HIM”**,already having been formed into **THE IMAGE OF GOD!** That’s what we should be **HOPING** for, my friends, **CHRIST (THE IMAGE OF GOD) IN US,** the **HOPE OF GLORY!** Christ multiplied into a **MANY-MEMBERED MAN!**

As we bring this part of our study to its conclusion, the most critical thing to remember here is that the Christ of God is **NO LONGER** just **JESUS OF NAZARETH,** but a **MANY-MEMBERED MAN!** Our savior died, was buried, rose again, and ascended, in order that He could return shortly thereafter in the person of the Holy Spirit within **ALL FLESH,** to begin **MULTIPLYING HIMSELF** by re-uniting the **SOUL OF EVERY MAN** back to the **SPIRIT OF GOD** within,re-forming **CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD!** The Book of Revelation is about the **REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST;** and that revelation is simply this**: JESUS OF NAZARETH (THE ALPHA),** multiplies Himself into a **MANY-MEMBERED CHRIST (THE OMEGA)! ONE BODY…MANY PARTS!**

“For **AS THE BODY IS ONE, AND HATH MANY MEMBERS,** and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: **SO ALSO, IS CHRIST.”** **(1 COR. 12:12)**

**THE ANTICHRIST**

“Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that **MAN OF SIN** be revealed, the **SON OF PERDITION;** Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; **SO THAT** **HE AS GOD SITTETH IN THE TEMPLE OF GOD, SHEWING HIMSELF THAT HE IS GOD.”** **(2 THES. 2:3,4)**

“Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that **ANTICHRIST SHALL COME,** even now are there **MANY ANTICHRISTS;** whereby we know that it is the last time.” **(1 JOHN 2:18)**

**“**Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God: And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that **SPIRIT OF ANTICHRIST,** whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.” **(1 JOHN 4:2,3)**

As I stated early in the article, one of my goals here is to provide the reader with the **TWO MAIN REASONS** why our mysterious **MAN OF SIN** has been successfully avoiding detection now for the last 2000 years. Above, in **1** **JOHN 2:18,** under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, we discover from John himself, that nearly two millenniums ago, during the days of the First-century church, there were **MULTIPLE ANTICHRISTS** who had already begun to appear in the earth, despite the fact that today’s church systems are still looking for a **SINGLE INDIVIDUAL!** With this being said, however, in **2 THESSALONIANS 2:3-4,** Paul then turns around and speaks of a **SINGULAR** “**MAN OF SIN”,** or “**SON OF PERDITION”,** who would be revealed before the **DAY OF THE LORD** could come about! Additionally, John also mentions a “**SPIRIT OF ANTICHRIST”** in **1 JOHN 4:2-3,** and finally, in **1 JOHN 2:18,** he talks about an **ANTICHRIST** which is void of a definite article, therefore speaking of an entire **“SYSTEM OF ANTICHRIST”!** So, which is it, my friends? Are we talking about a single individual here, multiple individuals, or simply a spirit or system of **ANTICHRIST**? What is it that we are actually looking for here?Is there not enough reason before us to see why absolute confusion could be made of this subject matter if the ones who are doing the interpreting have yet to have their **“EYES OF UNDERSTANDING”** opened?Is there not enough reason here, to see why the scriptures tell us that a **NATURALLY MINDED MAN CANNOT UNDERSTAND THE THINGS OF GOD?**

“But the natural man **RECEIVETH NOT** the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: **NEITHER CAN HE KNOW THEM,** because they are **SPIRITUALLY DISCERNED**…” **(1 COR. 2:14)**

When considering all of this, we must never forget the words of **MR. CLARENCE LARKIN**, that were taken from his book entitled **“DISPENSATIONAL TRUTH”,** written in 1918. A book which denominational, non-denominational, and spirit-filled churches alike have used for decades now as their basis for the teachings of **“FUTURISM”.** Besides the point that he says in his chapter on **“SPIRITISM AND THE OCCULT”** that those who speak in tongues should be compared to the demonically possessed, on page five of that book, during his introduction, he states that the views recorded within his book were drawn from the teachings of a **JESUIT PRIEST** in 1585, by the name of **FRANCISCO RIBERA.** He goes on to state that the reason Mr. Ribera even developed his teachings on **“FUTURISM”** concerning the Book of Revelation, was to take the **“STYGMA”** off the Pope, because the reformers of his day were calling him (the Pope) **THE** **ANTICHRIST!** Remember, my friends, Mr. Ribera is the same fellow who told us that the 70th week of Daniel’s chapter nine prophecy hasn’t even happened yet, though we have recently discovered through an earlier article, that it already took place during the 3 ½ years of Jesus’ ministry, and the 3 ½ years which followed His death!Unbelievable, when you think about it! One of the main reasons why the Christian church is still trying to predict a future manifestation of a single, stand-alone **ANTICHRIST,** even though John said that there were many already in existence during the first century,is because of a sixteenth-century, Jesuit priest who decided to write his own interpretation of the Book of Revelation to take the heat off the Pope, who was being accused of being the **ANTICHRIST** himself nearly four-hundred years ago**!** Unbelievable, church! And it’s all in black and white, my friends. Isn’t it beyond time to consider sitting down for a few moments and checking out some of these things? They will absolutely amaze you! What the devil has successfully done, however, is create a delusion… a smokescreen! For as long as he has the church looking out ahead of them for a mean, nasty **ANTICHRIST** to appear, he can continue to hide out and operate, completely undetected from the place which he actually resides… and he has done that for years!

For those of you who took the time to read this article from the beginning, and didn’t fast forward to this portion of it, your persistence is about to pay off. So, let’s think about something for a moment. Why is it that so many erroneous predictions have been made over the years as to the true identity of this illusive **ANTICHRIST? ANYBODY?** Let’s uncover the **FIRST** of the two main reasons why our **MAN OF SIN** has been so successful at avoiding detection. Did you ever stop to think for a moment, that the reason why the church has never been able to solve this mystery, is because they have never considered the possibility that just like the **“CHRIST OF GOD”,** the **ANTICHRIST** also**,** is **“ONE BODY** with **MANY PARTS”?** Ahh, beloved, now we may be getting somewhere!For, the very reason why he’s mentioned in **BOTH** the **SINGULAR** and the **PLURAL** throughout the scriptures is because “**THE ANTICHRIST”,** just like **“THE CHRIST”,** is a **MANY-MEMBERED MAN! BOOM!!!!!** Let that sink in for a moment as I repeat that statement, my friends. The reason why both the church and the world alike have made so many predictions over the years concerning this so-called individual **MAN OF SIN,** is because they have failed to consider the possibly that just like **THE CHRIST, ANTICHRIST** also, is **ONE BODY** with **MANY PARTS!** Therefore, what we are about to discover, is that **ALL OF THOSE PREDICTIONS WERE ACTUALLY CORRECT!** In fact, what we are also about to realize, is that **EVERY ONE OF US HAVE MANIFESTED THIS ILLUSIVE “MAN OF SIN”** at times!Let’s continue.

“Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that **MAN OF SIN** be revealed, the **SON OF PERDITION;** Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; **SO THAT** **HE AS GOD SITTETH IN THE TEMPLE OF GOD, SHEWING HIMSELF THAT HE IS GOD.”** **(2 THES. 2:3,4)**

The second of the two main reasons why our **“MAN OF SIN”** has been able to successfully hide himself for the past 2000 years, regards the **PLACE** of his hiding. Most believers have no understanding, whatsoever of what I’m about to reveal here, my friends, but throughout the New Testament writings, there are **TWO SEPARATE GREEK WORDS** for the English word **“TEMPLE”: “HEIRON” AND “NAOS”!** For decades now, with nearly no regard to either denominational or non-denominational affiliations, Christian colleges, universities, and seminaries, through the teachings of **“FUTURISM”,** have persuaded their students that everything in the Book of Revelation from chapter 4, through the end of the book are events which have yet to happen. In addition, they have also taught for years, that chapters 6 through 19, are all events which will happen during the 70th week of Daniel’s chapter 9 prophecy (which we’ve already proven to be a lie)! During this 70th week, they teach that this **MAN OF SIN WILL STAND UP IN THE MIDST OF A REBUILT JEWISH TEMPLE IN JERUSALEM AND DECLARE HIMSELF TO BE GOD!** Is this really going to happen, beloved, or have our present-day ministers simply believed and passed on a cleverly devised fable to their congregations which they picked up in seminary and never personally examined? Let’s check out the validity of this statement.

As we just discovered, throughout the New Testament, there are two Greek words used for the English word **“TEMPLE”.** Throughout the New Testament writings, **EVERY TIME** that the physical temple in Jerusalem is spoken of, the Greek word **“HEIRON”** is used. Every Time! In fact, seventy-one times across sixty-seven different New Testament verses this occurs. On the other hand, when the Temple of the **“INNER MAN”** (which we are) is spoken of throughout the New Testament, the Greek word **“NAOS”** is used. This occurs Forty-six times over forty different verses from Matthew to Revelation. So, are you ready for this, my friends? The Greek word **“HIERON”** is **NEVER USED THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRETY OF THE BOOK OF REVELATION! NOT ONE TIME! NEVER! NOT ONCE!** This entire rebuilt temple scenario that **“FUTURISM”** has taught us concerning the Book of Revelation**,** is yet another **FABRICATED LIE** by Mr. Ribera, just like the **RAPTURE THEORY,** just like this supposed **COVENANT WITH THE ANTICHRIST,** and just like a truckload of other lies which we haven’t even discussed yet! It’s a **DOCTRINE OF DEMONS,** my friends! It seduces God’s people away from some of the most important truths in the Word of God! Truths which would suddenly **CATCH THEM UP** into the **EXACT SAME DIMENSION OF THE SPIRIT** which **ADAM** once enjoyed before that great and dreadful day in the **GARDEN OF EDEN!** The reason why **“NAOS”** is the only Greek word for **“TEMPLE”** used in the Book of Revelation, is that the Book of Revelation is about the **REVELATION OF** **JESUS CHRIST,** and **“CHRIST** is **IN YOU,** the **HOPE OF GLORY!” (COL 1:27)** You are the **“NAOS”** **(TEMPLE)** of God, my friends, not some physical building at the temple mount in Jerusalem! **NEVER! IT’S NOT GOING TO HAPPEN!**

So, here it is, my friends, the moment you’ve been waiting for. After years and years of meaningless predictions regarding this singular **MAN OF SIN** which would someday appear in the Middle East, here’s the truth about the matter! Allow me to walk you through a simple little scenario which I’ve taught time and time again over the last several years. You are about to find out, that I have been saying it, without saying it, for several articles now, and it’s all about to make sense! Let me ask you a question. Which part of your 3-part spiritual being is it that actually gets quickened, or made alive, at the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** your **SPIRIT, SOUL,** or **BODY**? If you answered, your “**SPIRIT”,** you are exactly correct, my friends,“…for the **SPIRIT** of man is the **CANDLE OF THE LORD” (PROV. 20:27).** It’s there, in man’s **SPIRIT,** that our Heavenly Father has chosen to first awaken the fallen man, but at that moment, nothing really happens to the soul yet! Are you following me, beloved? If so, here’s another question. What was it, that the Apostle Paul called a believer’s “**BODY”** in **1 CORINTHIANS 6:19? ANYBODY?** Right again. Paul declared to us that the **“BODY”** of every believer is the **“TEMPLE”** **(NAOS)** of the Holy Ghost!

So, with these things in mind, let’s consider the totality of this for a moment? If everything that we have stated here is true, and it most certainly is, then at the very second that an unsaved person goes through the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** here’s what happens. While his **SPIRIT** is instantly sanctified, or set apart to God, his **CARNAL MIND,** which has yet to be dealt with, immediately **STANDS UP** inside of the **“TEMPLE OF GOD”** **(**the **“NAOS”) AND DECLARES HIMSELF TO BE GOD…...!** He still wants to **RULE (BE GOD OVER)** the body...… the **TEMPLE!** The **ANTICHRIST,** my friends, is not some futuristic person which will suddenly appear in the Middle East one day, the **ANTICHRIST,** is the **CARNAL MIND** within **EVERY MAN!** The “**ANTICHRIST”,** the **“MAN OF SIN”,** is the **ADAM NATURE……ONE MAN……MANY-MEMBERS!** Forjust as **CHRIST,** the “**THE IMAGE OF GOD”** is **ONE MAN but** has been multiplying Himself in the earth for the last 2,000 years, so also, **ANTICHRIST,** the **“THE IMAGE OF ADAM”,** has beenmultiplying himself in the earth for the last 6,000 years! The **SERPENT** of the Garden of Eden has become the **DRAGON** of the Book of Revelation...! As we stated earlier in this article (as it relates to the believer), the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST),** is displayed when **BOTH** the **SPIRIT AND SOUL** of manare working together in complete and total unity as the Heavenly Father originally designed in man from the beginning. **ANTICHRIST,** to the contrary, is the **FALLEN SOUL OF MAN, WHICH IS STILL ATTACHED TO THE FLESH,** due to it not being rejoined to the **SPIRIT** yet. It’s the **ADAM NATURE!** A nature which is **“AGAINST, INSTEAD OF, OPPOSITE, OR OPPOSED TO CHRIST”**. A **SOUL** which has still not been reattached to the **SANCTIFIED SPIRIT** yet! Can we not see then, my friends, why there is still so much carnality in the church today? Such division? At the very same time that they are being told by their pastors that their **SOULS** are saved at the initial salvation experience, the **ADAM NATURE WITHIN (ANTICHRIST)** is still running the show within and they don’t even realize it**…. “BLIND, NAKED, AND KNOW IT NOT” (Rev. 3:17)!** Can we not see now why the **OVERCOMERS** of the Book of Revelation **ARE NOT** those who have experienced **INITIAL SALVATION,** but rather those who have gone on to **MATURITY (PERFECTION),** been **“CAUGHT UP”,** and **“PUT ON”** the **MIND OF CHRIST** as the Apostles taught over and over again? This **IS NOT** rocket science, my friends, it really isn’t! The only ones who will never understand this concept, are those who **DO NOT WANT TO CHANGE!** Their **TRADITIONS** have become more important to them than their pursuit of God!

Do you see now why it has been so necessary to continue to hash out the **THREEFOLD PROCESS** **OF SALVATION** over, and over, and over again for the last several months, my friends? Do you see now, why the principle of **THREEFOLD THINGS** is so vitally important to understanding the **“WORDS OF TRUTH IN A CERTAINTY”?** Do you see now, why if you stop in either of the first two rooms of the **TABERNACLE,** which is the blueprint for man’s return into the “**IMAGE OF GOD”,** that it will be absolutely devastating? Do you see now, that in the realm of Passover (Initial Salvation Experience), **THE ANTICHRIST (YOUR CARNAL MIND)**, is the one who is still secretly running the show, and that Jesus is only your **SAVIOR** at that point, and not your **LORD?** Do you see now that the **“GARDEN OF EDEN”** is your **“INNER MAN”,** and that if you do not move on to **PENTECOST,** without the Holy Spirit, the serpent will always be the more subtle one within, and you will never be able to **“OVERCOME”** your **CARNAL MIND (THE ANTICHRIST),** so that **CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD** can be re-formed in you?

Do you see now, why you **MUST** move on to **THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES,** church? **DO YOU?** Any room short of the Holy of Holies, my friends, and the **ANTICHRIST (THE CARNAL MIND WITHIN YOUR TEMPLE - NAOS),** remains either partially or totally in control!The **“MAN OF SIN”** is not a singular, futuristic person in the **MIDDLE EAST,** beloved; the **“MAN OF SIN”** is in the middle of you! Now can you see why, that when James stated that the “**ENGRAFTING”** of the “**WORD OF GOD”** was able to “**SAVE YOUR SOULS”,** he was actually talking about **BELIEVERS** there? Your **SOUL** is not saved at the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** my friends, as most ministers often brag! Your **SOUL** is not saved until the work of **PENTECOST** is completed, and you are **“BEHEADED”** at the **VEIL (“CAUGHT UP”),** having your **“EYES OF UNDERSTANDING”** opened,and you pass through having **“PUT ON”** the **MIND OF CHRIST!** We must always remember that a person is not **FULLY REDEEMED,** until he is returned into the **EXACT SAME** **IMAGE** which **ADAM** fully demonstrated **BEFORE THE FALL**, which was **CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD;** and **CHRIST,** my friends,was neither **CARNALLY (OUTER COURT),** nor **DOUBLE MINDED (INNER COURT)!**

So, there you have it, beloved. The Greek word for **“TEMPLE”,** which is used inboth **2 THESSALONIANS 2:3-4,** referring to the **“MAN OF SIN”** who stands up in the **TEMPLE** and declares himself to be God, as well as throughout the entirety of the **BOOK OF REVELATION**, is the word **“NAOS”** – the **INNER MAN! HIERON,** the Greek word for the physical temple in Jerusalem, is never used a single time! The **ANTICHRIST,** just like **THE CHRIST,** is both singular, as well asplural.He’s **ONE BODY,** with **MANY PARTS!** The **OVERCOMERS** of the Book of Revelation, therefore, **ARE NOT** believers who have gone through the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** as we’ve all been taught by the religious church system. **NO!!!!!** The **OVERCOMERS** of the Book of Revelation are those who have been **“CAUGHT UP”**, having passed through the veil in **REVELATION 4:1,** and thereby, have **OVERCOME** the **ANTICHRIST (**their **CARNAL MIND)**, through the **“PUTTING ON”,** of the **MIND OF CHRIST!**

The overcomers of the seven churches of the Book of Revelation are not referring to those who simply come out of the world’s sinful ways, as the church is used to thinking, my friends. The **“WORLD” (COSMOS – WAY OF THINKING)** which **“OUR FAITH”** must **“OVERCOME”,** is the **“WORLD” (COSMOS – WAY OF THINKING)** which was in existence at the time that all these scriptures were actually written in the First Century; and that First Century **WAY OF THINKING (WORLD),** was one of trying to gain **RIGHTEOUSNESS WITH GOD, THROUGH WORKS!** It was one of trying to be **GOOD ENOUGH** to gain God’s favor! That’s the mindset **(WORLD)** which must be **OVERCOME** in the Book of Revelation; and when you **OVERCOME** that mindset, beloved, you overcome the **ACCUSER OF THE BRETHREN,** **THE CARNAL MIND,** **THE ANTICHRIST,** by taking away his ability to bring **CONDEMNATION** when you miss the mark! How do you do this? You get a sudden revelation, and finally realize that Christ has **ALREADY, FOREVER MADE YOU RIGHTEOUS THROUGH THE WORK THAT HE DID “AS YOU”, IN HIS DEATH, BURIAL, AND RESURRECTION!** Look at what the Book of Revelation says about this matter, my friends.

“And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, **NOW IS COME SALVATION,** and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: **FOR THE ACCUSER OF OUR BRETHREN IS CAST DOWN,** which accused them before our God day and night. And **THEY** **OVERCAME HIM** by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; **AND THEY LOVED NOT THEIR LIVES UNTO THE DEATH…”** (Rev. 12:10-11)

Can you hear that, my friends? **NO ONE** **OVERCOMES** in the Book of Revelation, and **NEITHER** does the **SALVATION OF ONE’S** **SOUL** come, until the **ACCUSER OF THE BRETHREN**, the one who brings **CONDEMNATION** to the soul, is cast down, **NO ONE!** For the Greek word for **“LIVES”** in this passage is **“PSUCHE”,** which means **“SOUL”!**

So, the church of this hour would very much benefit by understanding the **TRUTH** that **THE BIBLE WAS NOT WRITTEN TO THEM, IT WAS WRITTEN FOR THEM!** The Word of God was written “**TO”** the **FIRST CENTURY CHURCH,** but it was written **“FOR”** everyone who would come into being from that moment forward. Therefore, as pastor Randall Worley often says, “**WE CAN NEVER CLEARLY UNDERSTAND WHAT IT MEANS TO US NOW, UNTIL WE FIRST AND FOREMOST, UNDERSTAND WHAT IT MEANT TO THE ONES TO WHOM IT WAS ORIGINALLY WRITTEN TO.”** The reason why today’s church system has thought that overcoming the **“WORLD”** simply applies to every believer who experiences the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** is that they haven’t understood this concept. The **WORLD** **(WAY OF THINKING)** which existed during the time of the First Century Church when the scriptures were initially written, was one which was still trying to make a **PARADIGM SHIFT** from gaining **RIGHTSTANDING (RIGHTEOUSNESS)** with God through doing **GOOD WORKS,** rather than obtaining it through **FAITH** by gaining an inward revelation**,** that “**ONCE AND FOR ALL”,** Christ has attained **RIGHTSTANDING FOR US THROUGH HIS FINISHED WORK!**

At the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE,** the believer comes **OUT OF** **EGYPT,** as they gain a revelation that at Calvary, “**AS US”,** there was a prevision made for their sins “**BY HIM”;** but at the **“CATCHING UP” (PASSING THROUGH THE VEIL), EGYPT COMES OUT OF US,** as we gain a revelation that when he came out of the grave **(STILL “AS US”)** on resurrection morning and was handed a **“SCEPTER OF RIGHTEOUSNESS”,** that scepter was actually handed **“TO US”** as well, the ones to whom he was acting on behalf of! **OUR BEHAVIOR** can never change **HIS FINISHED WORK,** my friends. If it could, His death was not **ONCE** and for **ALL!** If that revelation is ever revealed to you by the illumination of the Holy Spiritthrough the appearance of the **“DAYSTAR”** within, my friends, **“CONDEMNATION”** will forever flee from your mindset **“IN A MOMENT, IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE”,** and **YOUR WORLD (WAY OF THINKING CONCERNING HOW RIGHTEOUSNESS IS TO BE OBTAINED)** will be **SUDDENLY OVERCOME** through **FAITH IN HIS COMPLETED WORK!** At this **SUDDEN APPEARING,** through the increasing brightness of the **DAYSTAR** within, **ANTICHRIST (YOUR CARNAL MIND)** will be instantly dethroned, as **CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD,** takes His rightful place of Dominion within your renewed **INNER MAN!** Just as in the **“DAYS OF NOAH”, CHRIST** (the **RIGHTEOUS ONE**) remains, while **ADAM** (**ANTICHRIST,** the **WICKED ONE**) is **TAKEN AWAY** from within**!**

Once again, through **FUTURISM,** Satan has the church thinking way down the road at a distant point in timeconcerning the uncovering of his operations, as they have been taught that the **“CHURCH”,** which is carrying the Holy Spirit within, must **“DISAPPEAR”** through an any-minute **RAPTURE,** so that the **ANTICHRIST** canthen **“APPEAR”** in the earth to stand up in the **TEMPLE OF GOD IN JERUSALEM!** Nonsense, my friends, the teachings of the carnal mind are always 180 degrees opposite of the actual truth. It’s not the **PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT** in the earth that is holding the appearance of the Antichrist back, it’s man’s **CARNAL MIND** **(THE ANTICHRIST)** sitting in the entrance of **THEIR TEMPLE** holding the appearance of **CHRIST (THE IMAGE OF GOD)** back! The passage below is the scripture which he and his cohorts have used to support this theory for years now. Read it, and read it good, my friends. The subject matter here **IS NOT** the coming of the **ANTICHRIST.** Paul clearly states here that the **MYSTERY OF INIQUITY (LAWLESSNESS)** was already at work in his day! The subject matter here is the **COMING** of **CHRIST, WHO IS THE IMAGE OF GOD!** The Greek word for **“COMING”** in this passage is the word **“PAROUSIA”,** which simply means **“PRESENCE”.** He was saying that by the **“PRESENCE”** of God **WITHIN,** through the formation of the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST),** the lawless one would be **TAKEN OUT OF THE WAY** at the brightness of His coming! He’s talking about an **INWARD APPEARING….** the same inward appearing **(DAY OF CHRIST)** which Malachi prophesied about, when he talked about purifying the **TEMPLE OF GOD** with a refiner’s fire and fuller’s soap, that we may offer up to Him an “**OFFERING IN RIGHTEOUSNESS”,** as we just mentioned a few paragraphs ago! Again, read it closely, my friends. **2 Thessalonians 2:1-10,** is not talking about the **APPEARANCE OF THE ANTICHRIST;** it’s talking about the appearance of **THE CHRIST,** and the sudden overcoming of the **ANTICHRIST (CARNAL MIND),** at the very second which the **IMAGE OF GOD** is completed **WITHIN YOUR TEMPLE!**

“Now we beseech you, brethren, by the **COMING (PAROUSIA) OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,** and by our gathering together unto him, that ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that **THE DAY OF CHRIST IS AT HAND.** Let no man deceive you by any means: for **THAT DAY SHALL NOT COME, EXCEPT THERE COME A FALLING AWAY FIRST,** **AND THAT MAN OF SIN BE REVEALED,** **THE SON OF PERDITION;** Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time. **FOR THE MYSTERY OF INIQUITY DOTH ALREADY WORK:** **ONLY HE WHO NOW LETTETH WILL LET, UNTIL HE BE TAKEN OUT OF THE WAY. AND THEN SHALL THAT WICKED BE REVEALED, WHOM THE LORD SHALL CONSUME WITH THE SPIRIT OF HIS MOUTH, AND SHALL DESTROY WITH THE BRIGHTNESS OF HIS COMING:** Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders, And with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved.” **(2 THES. 2:1-10)**

**WHILE MEN WERE SLEEPING**

“Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that **ANTICHRIST SHALL COME,** even now are there **MANY ANTICHRISTS;** whereby we know that it is the last time.” **(1 JOHN 2:18)**

Now that we’ve revealed **WHO** the **MAN OF SIN** is,and where he’s been cleverly hiding out for the past 6000 years, I’d like to make a few quick comments about a closely related subject matter which has silently infiltrated the church system: **MYSTERY BABYLON.** As I mentioned above, **1 John 2:18,** speaks of **ANTICHRIST** (without a definite article) which “**SHALL COME”.** Without this definite article in place, can we not see here that what was being spoken of was the future appearance of a **SYSTEM WHICH WOULD DISPLAY A SPIRIT OF ANTICHRIST?** In fact, the very definition of the word “**BABYLON”** within the scriptures leads us down the exact same pathway. According to the Strong’s Concordance, the meaning of the word **“BABYLON”** is two-fold. In the Greek, it means the **“GATE OF GOD”.** In the Hebrew, it means **“CONFUSION”.** Therefore, if we put the two together, we’ve suddenly got something worth talking about…. **RELIGIOUS CONFUSION!**

So, let’s think about this for a moment. In **1 John 2:18,** though John seems to make two separate statements, he’s really only saying **ONE THING!** First, he says **“EVEN NOW** (in the first-century) **ARE THERE MANY ANTICHRISTS”.** Secondly, he then says that **ANTICHRIST SHALL COME.** So, let’s combine his two statements and see what we come up with. What John was saying is that through the compilation of **MANY ANTICHRISTS (CARNALLY MINDED MEN),** who had already begun to appear in his day, a future system **(ANTICHRIST)** of **RELIGIOUS CONFUSION** would eventually come about! Has it. My friends? Has a system of religious confusion come about, which the book of Revelation calls **MYSTERY BABYLON,** wherein **CARNAL TEACHINGS** have been **MIXED IN** with Biblical truths, causing the word of God to become of **“NO EFFECT”?** According to the word of God, the answer to that question is **UNEQUIVOCALLY, YES!** So how did this happen, how is it that the church system of our day has become so dreadfully infected with religious traditions and doctrines which are **ANTI-CHRIST,** or against the truths concerning the formation of the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST)** within? Let’s take a look.

To understand what has been going on in the spirit realm for ages now, we’re going to put together a sequence of passages for a moment that most believers have probably never even thought about combining. Here we go.

1. “Now all these things happened unto them for **EXAMPLES:** and **THEY ARE WRITTEN FOR OUR ADMONITION,** upon whom the **ENDS (PLURAL)** of the world are come.” (1 Cor. 10:11)

As we begin, we must bring back to our remembrance that all the writings of the Old Testament scriptures were written to provide **US** with examples of **SPIRITUAL TRUTHS** which were to be obtained **IN CHRIST.** Tuck that truth away for a moment and we’ll return shortly. Let’s continue.

1. And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy **KINGDOM.** And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, Today, shalt thou be with me in **PARADISE.** (Luke 23:42,43)

Notice what’s going on here, my friends. One of the two thieves who was being crucified with Jesus asked him if he would remember him when He (Jesus) came into his **KINGDOM.** What was Jesus’ response? He told the thief that he would be with Him that very day in **PARADISE.** What?Did Jesus just call the Kingdom of God, **PARADISE?** He absolutely did! But here’s where we are going with this, my friends. According to the Strong’s Concordance, the definition of the Greek word for **“PARADISE”,** is an **“EDEN”!** Therefore, what Jesus did here, was make a direct comparison between **EDEN** and the **KINGDOM OF GOD!**  What did Paul just tell us in **1 Corinthians 10:11?** He explained to us that all the Old Testament passages where snapshots **(EXAMPLES)** of **SPIRITUAL PRINCIPLES!** Jesus verifies that passage bycalling the **GARDEN OF EDEN** an example or picture of the **KINGDOM OF GOD** on earth!Let’s continue.

1. “And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, **AND HE SLEPT…”** **(Gen. 2:21)**

As we discovered in the earlier stages of this article, the Apostle Paul, who stated in the Book of Acts that he taught **“NONE OTHER THINGS”** except what was written in the Old Testament, made a direct correlation between **“EVE”** and the **“SOUL”** of man, in **2 Corinthians 11:3.** We also discovered earlier, that within every created being, there’s both a male and a female aspect to that being. The **MALE** refers to their **SPIRIT,** and the **FEMALE** refers to their **SOUL.** In **Genesis 2:21,** therefore, **SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING,** an extremely important event takes place which believers who are only looking at the natural, have either grossly overlooked or failed to understand. When God placed Adam into a condition called **“SLEEP”,** what most believers have failed to recognize, is that the man who was put to sleep there has for the most part…. **NEVER BEEN AWAKENED!** Why not, you may be asking? Because **SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING,** the man who was put to sleep in this passage had both the **MALE (SPIRIT)** and **FEMALE (SOUL)** working together within in perfect unity, thereby displaying the **IMAGE OF GOD.** However,during the deep sleep, the Lord Godmade a separation between the two by removing what the Hebrew called an **“INNER CHAMBER”** from Adam’s side and by doing this, gave them each **(SPIRIT and SOUL)** their own separate identities, as well as the ability to make their own separate choices. Should they choose to still operate together as one, they will still act as and form the **IMAGE OF GOD - CHRIST.** Should they choose to operate separately,however, **ANTI-CHRIST,** another **IMAGE** would be formed. And we all know what happened next!

As we said earlier, it was man in **THIS SLEEPING CONDITION,** who sinned in the Garden of Eden; and its man in **THIS SLEEPING CONDITION,** who **STILL NEEDS TO BE AWAKENED FROM THAT SLEEP.**  On an individual basis, until the **SOUL** of every man obtains a decree of divorcement from her union with the flesh, a union that began at the fall, and regains her **PERFECT UNION** with the **SANCTIFIED SPIRIT,** which was gained at the **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE**, this condition called **“SLEEP”** continues within every believer to this very day. Multiple passages from the New Testament Apostles explain to us that the salvation of the **SOUL** is an experience which does not take place until **AFTER** the **INITIAL SALVATION** experience. The **SALVATION OF THE SOUL** requires the removal and **OVERCOMING** of the **ANTICHRIST,** which we now know is the **CARNAL MIND**; and that doesn’t occur, my friends, without there first being a supernatural work of the Holy Spirit known as the **CIRCUMCISION OF THE HEART!** The religious church systems of our day will continue to fight this truth six ways from Sunday, beloved, because the moment they accept this truth, they must completely reject the teachings of **FUTURISM** which they are madly in love with! They want their **FUTURE ANTICHRIST!** Regardless of both overwhelming historical facts, and bullet-proof Biblical truths concerning Daniel chapter 9 which clearly show otherwise, they’ve just got to have their mean, nasty, futuristic **ANTICHRIST!** Rather than going through the **THREEFOLD-PROCESS** of **PASSOVER, PENTECOST,** and **TABERNACLES,** as the scriptures clearly lay out; and rather that following the **THREEFOLD-PATTERN OF SALVATION** which the **TABERNACLE OF MOSES** clearly reveals, they continually choose to **IGNORE** the **PRINCIPLE OF THREEFOLD-THINGS (Prov. 22:20-21),** which is the only scripture in the entire Bible that tells us **HOW** we can **“KNOW THE WORDS OF TRUTH IN A CERTAINTY”!** So, on and on they go Sunday after Sunday, week after week, year after year, and generation after generation! We must continue. The final passage of scripture in our progression here, will clearly explain to us **WHY** this frustrating condition is currently infiltrating the present-day church.

1. “Another parable put he forth unto them, saying, **THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS LIKENED** unto a man which sowed good seed in his field: But **WHILE MEN SLEPT,** his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way. But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares also. So, the servants of the householder came and said unto him, Sir, didst not thou sow good seed in thy field? from whence then hath it tares? He said unto them, An enemy hath done this. The servants said unto him, Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up? But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest, I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.” **(Matt. 13:24-30)**

Ahh, my friends, now we are getting somewhere. Here in this passage, we begin to put everything together! Let’s quickly review to make sure we have gotten ahold of this progression:

1. Paul told us in**1 Corinthians 10,** that everything in the Old Testament was an **EXAMPLE** for **“OUR ADMONITION, UPON WHOM THE ENDS (PLURAL) OF THE WORLD ARE COME”.** In other words, they were **EXAMPLES** of things which the believer would be able to experience **“IN CHRIST”** in the New Testament once Jesus would come and bring an end to the **WORLD (AGE OF THE LAW)!**

1. Then, at Calvary, Jesus uses this principle and calls the **GARDEN OF** **EDEN** an **EXAMPLE** of the **KINGDOM OF GOD.**

1. Next, in **GENESIS 2:21,** He plants (sows) a man **IN HIS IMAGE** into the **GARDEN OF EDEN (**the **KINGDOM OF GOD),** then puts him into a condition called **SLEEP,** and makes a separation between the **TWO COMPONENTS** which make up **HIS IMAGE (SPIRIT AND SOUL OPERATING IN DIVINE UNITY).** Immediately after this separation, the **WICKED ONE** appears and begins sowing **TARES (FALSE SEED)** into his field **(…Hath God said?”, Gen. 3:1)!** The fall of man occurs, and all of humanity is left in a **SLEEPING CONDITION** with no hope of coming out of it until Christ appears at the **END OF THE WORLD (AGE OF THE LAW)** to initiate his harvest, a **THREEFOLD PLAN OF SALVATION** to awaken mankind back to their original state of being and return them to **EDEN (HIS KINGDOM).** Along with these concepts, as we now begin to glean from the **PARABLE OF THE WHEAT AND THE TARES**, we must also always keep in mind a vital piece of revelation concerning Jesus’ answer to the Pharisees one day as they questioned Him concerning “**WHEN”** the **KINGDOM OF GOD** would return. His reply was the following: “…the **KINGDOM OF GOD** does not come with observation…the **KINGDOM OF GOD** is **WITHIN YOU! (Lk. 17:20-21)** So, what’s the revelation, you’re probably asking? Do you remember what Jesus called the **KINGDOM** at Calvary, my friends? He called it **EDEN!** Therefore, if the **KINGDOM OF GOD** is within you,then **EDEN IS WITHIN YOU!** It’s time to stop thinking about **EDEN** as merely some distant location in the Middle East where a series of events took place thousands of years ago and realize that it speaks of a **SPIRITUAL STATE OF BEING WITHIN** where **DOMINION (HIS KINGDOM)** has returned, and it’s still obtainable to this very day! But just as the availability of the reentrance into His Kingdom remains, we must also understand that **UNTIL THE SOUL AWAKENS,** the **WICKED ONE** **(SUBTLE SERPENT)** within man’s **UNCIRCUMCISED HEART** is still at work planting **TARES** while men **REMAIN ASLEEP.** Scripture calls him the **ANTICHRIST,** the **CARNAL MIND** of man which is being controlled and manipulated by the **EGO!**
2. Finally, in **Matthew 13:24-30,** we now find Jesus telling the multitude that **“WHILE MEN SLEPT”** (slept to the realm of **SPIRIT**), or in other words, while mankind had been in this condition where their **SOULS** had been attached to the flesh due to the fall **(CARNAL MINDEDNESS),** the **ENEMY** came in **UNDETECTED** and planted **TARES** in their field! What does this all mean to us today, beloved? It means that just as the subtle serpent deceived Eve while man was in a condition called **SLEEP** in the beginning, in this day, while the church has been busying itself with its one-sided, initial part of the message which they call **THE GOSPEL,** a message which **ONLY AWAKENS THE SPIRIT** but leaves the **SOUL** sound asleep, the **ANTICHRIST,** through **CARNALLY MINDED MINISTRIES,** has beenmixing religious, carnal teachings into the sleeping church by the truckloads, and presenting them as **THE TRUTH!** The scriptures clearly verify this, my friends! “…Satan himself is transformed into an **ANGEL OF LIGHT** **(2 Cor. 11:14)**

Let’s begin to break down some principles now, concerning the **PARABLE OF THE WHEAT AND THE TARES.**

“All these things spake Jesus unto the multitude in parables; and without a parable spake he not unto them: That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying, I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been **KEPT SECRET** from **THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD.” (Matt. 13:34-35)**

As we begin here, I must make mention of a phrase which Jesus used in verse thirty-five, that I took quite a bit of time to previously explain in my book, “The Splitting of the Adam, It’s Time to Awaken!”. When most believers hear or read the phrase **“THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD”** throughout the scriptures, for the most part, they immediately think that the phrase in question hereis speaking of the **CREATION OF THE WORLD.** But is this accurate? According to the Strong’s Concordance, the Greek word which is used throughout the New Testament for **“CREATION”,** is **“KTIS’-IS”.** Interesting, my friends, because the Greek word for **“FOUNDATION”** in this phrase is not **“KTIS’-IS”,** but rather the word **“KATABOLE”,** which means **“A LOWERING DOWN”.** Furthermore, the word for **“WORLD”** in this phrase is not the word **TERRA FIRME,** which refers to this planet on which we walk, but **“COSMOS”,** which means “a divine, orderly arrangement, or **WAY OF THINKING”.** It’s this same word **“COSMOS”** which we find in **ROMANS12:1-2,** that tells us to not be conformed to **“THIS WORLD” (COSMOS – WAY OF THINKING)** but to be transformed through the **RENEWING OF THE MIND (CHANGING THE WAY WE THINK).** So, what does the phrase **“FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD”** mean when we put it all together? It means that at some point in mankind’s past, there was a **LOWERING DOWN OF HIS ORIGINAL WAY OF THINKING!**

So, let’s think about this, my friends, where was it in mankind’s’ past, that his **WAY OF THINKING WAS CHANGED OR LOWERED DOWN?** If you said **THE FALL,** you are exactly correct! At the fall of man, his way of thinking was **“LOWERED DOWN”** from the **HIGHER REALM** of the **SPIRIT** where he walked and talked with God in the cool of the day,to the **LOWER REALM** of the **SOUL!** The phrase **“THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD”,** refers to the fall of man! This concept, when clearly understood, lines up exactly with our 4-point progression which we’ve been discussing here, as well as with Jesus’ statement in **Matthew 13:35.** In that passage, Jesus states that **ALL** of the parables which he spoke of in Matthew 13, concerned **KINGDOM MYSTERIES** which had been **KEPT** **SECRET** since the **FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD…THE FALL OF MAN IN EDEN (THE KINGDOM OF GOD)!**

Now it gets interesting! When Jesus set down with His disciples later in chapter thirteen, they asked him to further **EXPOUND** upon the parable of the wheat and the tares. One of the first things that He explained to them was that the **“FIELD”** was the **“WORLD” (COSMOS)!** What? Here we go again, my friends. The **FIELD,** the place where the seeds were sown was in man’s **THINKING (WORLD – COSMOS)!** The location of the parable of the **WHEAT** and the **TARES,** therefore,begins with the sowing of seed into the **MINDS OF MEN!** Not only that, but if you dig through the scriptures deeply enough, you will also discover that there are **TWO TYPES OF MINDS** mentioned here: the **MIND OF THE SPIRIT/CHRIST** and the **MIND OF THE FLESH**/**CARNAL MIND!** According to Jesus’ explanation, the one that sowed the **“GOOD SEED”** is the **“SON OF MAN”,** but when did this happen, my friends?

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, **WHO HATH BLESSED US WITH ALL SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS IN HEAVENLY PLACES IN CHRIST:** According as he hath chosen us in him **BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD,** that we should be holy and without blame before him in love. Having **PREDESTINATED US** unto the **ADOPTION OF CHILDREN** by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will…” **(Eph. 1:3-5)**

Ahh, beloved, did you catch that? “**BEFORE”, THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD. “BEFORE”** the **FALL OF MAN,** when **SPIRIT** and **SOUL** were operating as **ONE WITHIN** as the **IMAGE OF GOD,** a **SEED, A THOUGHT, A BLESSING,** was sown into us while we were still operating with our **SPIRITUAL MIND!** The Greek word for **“BLESSED”** in verse threeabove is the word which we get the English word **“EULOGY”** from. Therefore, according to this passage, before we ever had an earthly body, and before man ever sinned, while we were yet in the **IMAGE OF GOD,** the Logos spoke a blessing over us and predestined us unto the “**ADOPTION OF CHILDREN”** and declared to us that we wouldbe **“HOLY** and **WITHOUT BLAME** before **HIM** in love”!All of this was spoken into us while we yet possessed a **SPIRITUAL MIND!** Do you see that phrase **“ADOPTION OF CHILDREN”** in verse five, beloved? The Greek word for that phrase is **“HWEE-OTH-ES-EE’-AH”,** which refers to **THE MOMENT OF PLACEMENT OF A FULLY-GROWN, MATURE SON!** The **ADOPTION** is **NOT** the initial salvation experience, my friends, despite what you’ve been told! **JOHN 1:12**, clearly tells us, that at the initial salvation experience, we become the **TEKNON (BABES)** of God, not the **HUIOS** **(MATURE SONS)!**

“But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the **SONS** **(TEKNON)** of God, even to them that believe on his name…” (John 1:12)

The **“HWEE-OTH-ES-EE-AH”** is that sudden moment in time when a believer leaves the realm of the **TEKNON (SPIRITUAL CHILD)** and experiences the **TRUE CATCHING UP** which returns to the realm of **SPIRITUAL PERFECTION (MATURITY)!** At the fall, the **MIND** **(SOUL)** of mankind was lowered down into the realm of the flesh and at that moment, the **LIES (TARES) OF THE ACCUSER OF THE BRETHREN** began. As they were subtly sown into his newly acquired **CARNAL MIND,** **CONDEMNATION** immediatelywent rampant! Mankind could no longer **REMEMBER** the words which had been sown into him **BEFORE THE FALL OF MAN (THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD)!** Why not! Because in this condition called **“SLEEP”,** he was no longer operating under his **TRUE IDENTITY** as the **IMAGE OF GOD!**

So, at this point in our study, we have a statement from Jesus which says that **ALL** the **PARABLES OF THE KINGDOM** that he taught concerned things which had been **KEPT SECRET** from the **FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD (THE FALL).** We know that the “**GOOD SEED”**, which in Greek means **SPERMA,** was sown into the **SPIRITUAL MIND** of man **BEFORE THE FALL (FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD);** and we know that the **TARES** were sown into the **CARNAL MINDS** of man **AFTER HE WAS PUT TO** **SLEEP** in the garden and a separation was made between his **SOUL** and **SPIRIT.** An interesting detail which we can now add to this is that according to the Vine’s Dictionary, in the Greek, the word for **TARES** means a **BASTARD SEED! WOW!** Think about it my friends. In the natural, what is a **BASTARD?** A **BASTARD** is an **ILLEGITIMATE CHILD** who had been born **OUT OF WEDLOCK!** What did we say happened just before the fall? There was a separation made between the **UNITY** of the **SPIRIT** and the **SOUL… NO MORE WEDLOCK!** Not only that, but in the **ORIGINAL ENTYMOLOGY** of the word, which was French, it states that a **BASTARD** was an illegitimate child, who had either a different **MOTHER** or different **FATHER** than his siblings! What else happened at the fall? The whole of mankind lost their **ORIGINAL MOTHER (**the **MIND OF CHRIST)** as the **SOUL** acted out independently of the **SPIRIT** and became **CARNAL (JOINED HERSELF TO THE FLESH)!** In comparison to the **ORIGINAL CREATION,** all of mankind had now become the **BASTARD SEED…** Same Father **(SPIRIT),** different Mother **(SOUL)!** Without question, as the scriptures clearly state, **EVE HAD TRULY BECOME, THE MOTHER OF US ALL (GEN. 3:20)!** The **TARES,** which initially began as a subtly sown **SUGGESTION** in the **GARDEN OF EDEN,** had now begun to manifest as a **BASTARD SEED** in the earth… **A NATURALLY MINDED MAN WITH** **SPIRIT AND SOUL NO LONGER IN WEDLOCK!** Mankind had now become a subtle imposter of that which was **ORIGINALLY INTENDED!** With this deceived **SOUL**, there would now be an avenue for the **WICKED ONE** to plant **VAIN IMAGINATIONS** within the minds of men for years to come! And that’s exactly what he did!

With this understood, we’ve now come to the most important part of the parable…the **TIME OF THE HARVEST!** From Paul’s teaching on the resurrection in **1 Corinthians 15,** we clearly understand that when a seed is planted, it is not the fully-grown plant which is sown, but a **SEED** which contains the **GERM OF LIFE** **WITHIN** of the **CROP THAT’S DESIRED AT HARVEST.** Understanding this, we’ve now arrived upon some statements which will add some validation to what we have been talking about all along.

“The field is the world; the **GOOD SEED** are the **CHILDREN OF THE KINGDOM;** but the **TARES** are the **CHILDREN OF THE WICKED** **ONE**; The enemy that sowed them is the devil; **THE HARVEST IS THE** **END OF THE WORLD;** and the **REAPERS ARE THE** **ANGELS.** As therefore the tares are gathered and burned in the fire; so shall it be in the end of **THIS WORLD**.” **(Matt. 13:38-40)**

As we attempt to decipher these three verses regarding the **HARVEST** of the **WHEAT** and **TARES,** we must first answer the question regarding **WHEN** the **HARVEST** would begin? According to Jesus’ statement, the Harvest would take place at the “**END OF THE WORLD”**. This statement, not only here, but elsewhere in the New Testament, is where most in the religious church systems have gotten completely off track with this, and other parables. To them, they interpret this phrase as being a time in the **FUTURE** when the earth, the planet on which we live, will come to some cataclysmic end and destruction. Not so, my friends. The Greek word for **“WORLD”** here, is the word **“AION”,** which simply meansan **“AGE”;** and the **“AGE”** which wasabout to be brought to an “**END”** during the time of Jesus’ ministry, was **THE AGE OF THE LAW!**

So, let’s think about this for a moment. In the beginning, **EDEN** was the **KINGDOM OF GOD** on earth. It was while in **EDEN** that a seed was sown which promised the **ADOPTION OF FULLY GROWN MATURE SONS INTO THE KINGDOM.** Therefore, in order for the **BLESSING,** which was spoken over man to come to pass, **EDEN, THE KINGDOM OF GOD,** had to be **REESTABLISHED;** and that’s exactly what Jesus came to do! He came to bring an **END** to the **AGE OF THE LAW** by fulfilling it, and reestablish the **KINGDOM OF GOD (EDEN),** so that a time of **HARVEST** in the earth could begin wherein **MATURE, FULLY-GROWN SONS OF THE KINGDOM** could be **AWAKENED FROM THEIR SLEEP, AND ADOPTED BACK INTO THE KINGDOM!** At Calvary, the **WORLD (AGE OF THE LAW)** came to an **ABRUPT END (HEBREWS 9:26)!**

“…but now once in the **END OF THE WORLD** hath he appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself (at Calvary).” **(HEB. 9:26)**

With the **AGE OF THE LAW** ending at Calvary, according to Hebrews, one other requirement had to take place before the Kingdom could take off in its fullness:

“Now when these things were thus ordained, the priests went always into the first tabernacle, accomplishing the service of God. But into the second went the high priest alone once every year, not without blood, which he offered for himself, and for the errors of the people: The Holy Ghost thus signifying, **THAT THE WAY INTO THE HOLIEST OF ALL WAS NOT YET MADE MANIFEST, WHILE AS THE FIRST TABERNACLE WAS YET STANDING…”** (Heb. 9:6-8)

With the Age of the Law gone, but unbelieving Jews still trying to observe its practices, God had to see to it that the **FIRST TABERNACLE** was taken completely out of the way, in order that the **TRUE TABERNACLE** **(WHICH WE ARE)** could be established through the **KINGDOM OF GOD** in the earth. That’s exactly what he did, my friends! In **70AD,** the **FIRST TABERNACLE** was destroyed by the Romans, along with the unbelieving Jews who would not accept Christ and become believers! The **TRUE TABERNACLE,** the mature sons of the kingdom, began to be established. The **HARVEST** **PERIOD** of the **WHEAT** and the **TARES** had begun! The **WORLD (AGE OF THE LAW)** had ended!

“…the **GOOD SEED** are the **CHILDREN (PLURAL) OF THE KINGDOM…” (Matt 13:38)**

Here we go, my friends. It’s time to bring this parable in for a landing. Hear this! The Greek word for “**CHILDREN”** in this verse is the word **“HUIOS”,** which means **“A MATURE SON”!** It’s thecomplete, **PHYSICAL, MANY-MEMBERED MANIFESTATION** of the **ORIGINAL SOWN SEED,** which promised the **ADOPTION OF MATURE SONS!** By the end of the parable, the **SOWN SEED** from the garden has become a **PLURALISTIC** **MANIFESTATION (HARVEST)** of those who have been fully restored to the **IMAGE OF GOD (SPIRIT AND SOUL WITHIN, ONCE AGAIN OPERATING AS ONE), ONE MAN… MANY MEMBERS!** It is the Biblical Principle of **SEEDTIME AND HARVEST,** my friends, where a **SPIRITUALLY SOWN SEED,** through time, produces a **NATURAL MANIFESTATION!**

The parable does not stop here though, beloved. By the time of the **HARVEST (END OF THE WORLD),** not only does the **WHEAT** come to **FULL MATURITY** and produce a **MANY-MEMBERED MAN,** but so do the **TARES,** for the same Greek word **“HUIOS”** is used to describe the **CHILDREN OF THE WICKED ONE (CARNALLY MINDED, MANY-MEMBERED MAN**) as well!They also, due to an accumulation of all the **CARNAL TEACHINGS, TRADITIONS,** and **VAIN IMAGINATIONS** which have exalted themselves above the knowledge of God, have produced a mature crop at **HARVEST** time as well: **RELIGIOUS BABYLON!** A **RELIGIOUS CHURCH SYSTEM (IRREGARDLESS OF DENOMINATION OR NON-DENOMINATION)** with a corrupted mixture of both **BIBLICAL TRUTHS** from the realm of the **SPIRIT,** and **CARNAL TRADITIONS** from the realm of the **SOUL… SPIRITUAL CONFUSION** at its absolute finest! It’s a church system in the earth that “**SEEMS RIGHT TO A MAN, BUT THE END THEREOF IS DEATH” (Prov. 14:12)** It’s a church system that’s saved in **SPIRIT,** but still sound asleep in the realm of their **SOULS!** Blind **(EYES OF UNDERSTANDING NOT YET OPENED)** and naked **(NO REVELATION OF HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS)** and **KNOW IT NOT! (Rev. 3:17)** It seems right to a man, but the end thereof is death! It’s a church system that is full of good, well-meaning programs from top to bottom, but when it comes down to its primary responsibility of returning mankind to the **IMAGE OF GOD,** due to its **TRADITIONS,** they refuse to preach the totality of the message which would allow its congregants to move beyond **PENTECOST,** overcome the **ANTICHRIST (**the **CARNAL MIND** within), and “**PUT ON” THE MIND OF CHRIST** They refuse to preach the message thatreturns them to **EDEN,** a **HIGHER DIMENSION** in **SPIRIT** that waits beyond the veil!

“…to be **CARNALLY MINDED** is **DEATH! (Romans 8:6)**

**MYSTERY BABYLON**, therefore, is a religious church system, my friends. It’s a system whose persistent adherence to **CARNAL DOCTRINES** such as **FUTURISM,** have kept them at **ABSOLUTE BEST,** in the unstable realm of **DOUBLE-MINDEDNESS,** with their **HYBRID (MIXED) SEED** of both **BIBLICAL TRUTHS** and **CARNAL TEACHINGS,** for years now! Unfortunately for the church though, more than 2000 years have now come and gone since the **HARVEST** of the **WHEAT** and the **TARES** began at the **END OF THE WORLD (AGE OF THE LAW).** They have yet to **OVERCOME!** While **FUTURISM** has them looking for the appearance of a man in theMiddle East, years down the road, every Sunday morning, in their **INNERMOST BEING,** he rides in the same vehicle with them to church service!

But rest assured, beloved, there remains a **HOPE** for the **TARES OF BABYLON**, for according to the parable, **THEY WILL BE THROWN INTO THE FIRE!** Oh no, my friends, I’m not talking about religion’s eternal barbeque pit theory, which they are madly in love with, and neither is this parable. I’m talking about the **BAPTISM OF FIRE!** I’m talking about the **DAY OF ATONEMENT,** the middle portion of the **FEAST OF TABERNACLES** where the **PRECIOUS (TRUTH)** will be separated from the **VILE (TRADITION – THE TARES)!** Oh yes,beloved,God has a plan to **AWAKEN THE SOULS** of the religious church systemthrough a true **“CATCHING UP”** experience.How will he do this?By exposing them to a **FIRSTFRUITS COMPANYS** in the earth, whom has already gone through the process. As his **FLAMES OF FIRE** in the earth, they will be used to **BURN OUT THE IMPURITIES** of the rest of His creation! The **PRECIOUS** will be separated from the **VILE,** my friends, and the **WHEAT WILL THEN BE GATHERED INTO HIS BARN!**

“You shall not sow your vineyard with **TWO KINDS OF SEED, OR EVERYTHING** produced by the seed which you have sown and the yield of the vineyard **WILL BECOME DEFILED** **[AND BANNED FOR USE].”** **(DUET. 22:9, AMP)**

I will simply close our study of this parable with a short explanation of those who will be doing the reaping which I just mentioned above. “…and the **REAPERS** are the **ANGELS…” (Matt. 13:39)** The Greek word for “**ANGELS”** here has nothing to do with Cherubim and Seraphim flying around the earth with wings upon their backs. It is a word which simply means **“MESSENGERS”!** The Apostle Paul called himself an **ANGEL** in **GALATIANS 4:14.** It’s the same Greek word!

 In **1 Corinthians 15,** Paul explained to us that there would be a **DIVINE ORDER** through which **ALL HUMANITY** would come back to God through a resurrection **OUT FROM AMONG THE DEAD!** It would begin with **CHRIST** himself, followed by a **FIRSTFRUIT COMPANY.** I will not be taking the time in this article to explain this concept, but for those who are interested, we are clearly taught in **ACTS 15** and **AMOS 9,** that the purpose for the **CHURCH AGE** **WAS NOT TO SAVE EVERYBODY,** but to bring a **FIRSTFRUITS COMPANY** back into the image and nature of their God **(i.e. “TO CALL OUT A PEOPLE FOR HIS NAME”),** so that in the “**AGES TO COME,”** they could be used to bring the **“RESIDUE OF MEN”** back to the Father. It is this group of messengers, therefore, who will be doing the reaping in the parable of the **WHEAT** and the **TARES.** As flames of fire, they will speak a purifying word which will burn up the **VAIN IMAGINATIONS** of the **TARES,** the **BASTARD SEED** of the field **(MIND)** which was sown by the wicked one **WHILE MEN SLEPT!**

“…And of the **ANGELS** (messengers) he saith, Who maketh his **ANGELS** (messengers)spirits, **AND HIS MINISTERS A FLAME OF FIRE.” (HEB. 1:7)**

**ANTICHRIST: THE MAN WHO MADE THE EARTH TO TREMBLE**

No study on the **ANTICHRIST** would be complete without addressing one of the most prized **TARES** of the religious church system: the **IDENTITY OF LUCIFER!** It’s a major reason why the church systems today are still waiting for the **FUTURE** manifestation of their **ANTICHRIST,** or **SATAN IN THE FLESH,** whom they call **LUCIFER!** It’s time to put a lid on this teaching, my friends. Just to shake things up a bit, as we dive a bit more deeply into our study on the **ANTICHRIST,** let me begin here by asking a thought-provoking question.  How did a word from the **LATIN VULGATE** (i.e., the Latin translation of the Bible) ever find its way into the middle of our Old Testament Bible, when the bulk of the Old Testament was originally recorded in **Hebrew?**  Anyone?  For those who have never been made aware of this, **THE WORD "LUCIFER" IS NOT A HEBREW WORD AT ALL;** but rather a **LATIN WORD,** which was substituted into the King James Bible by Jerome in the fourth century, at the authorization of King James himself.   You heard me correctly, my friends.  For reason unknown, in the fourth century, King James himself permitted Jerome to take the original passage from **ISAIAH 14:12,** remove the Hebrew word **"HEYLEL",** and **SUBSTITUTE THE LATIN WORD “LUCIFER” INTO ITS PLACE.**How convenient!  In fact, the word **"LUCIFER",** which the majority of Christendom has gone hog-wild and slop-crazy with for centuries now, as **THEY'VE ATTEMPTED TO ASSIGN IT TO SATAN'S PROPER NAME, IS ONLY MENTIONED ONE TIME IN THE ENTIRE BIBLE,** and even at that, it only appears in the King James translation!  Let me say that again, my friends. The word **"LUCIFER",** which the church system has pinpointed to be Satan’s proper name, the one whom they are waiting to be manifested in the flesh as the **ANTICHRIST, ONLY APPEARS IN THE KING JAMES TRANSLATION OF THE BIBLE!**

Now, think about that for a moment.  Think about all the times throughout the word of God that Satan is mentioned in one form or another.  Don't you think that with all that publicity, his proper name would have at least been mentioned more than once?  What if every time we find the proper name "Jesus" written in the Bible, the writer would have simply said the "Son of God", except for one time?  Don't you think that would have been a bit odd?  Yet nearly the entire church-world, for years, has composed a dogmatic doctrine about how the word "Lucifer" is the proper name of Satan when the word "Lucifer" doesn't even belong in the Bible!  In fact, **THE HEBREW WORD "HEYLEL" WHICH IT CONVENIENTLY REPLACED, IS NOT EVEN A PROPER NOUN.**  It's a descriptive word which tells us something concerning the one to whom it's referring to, and **IN ITS ORIGINAL FORM, SIMPLY MEANS "A LIGHT BRINGER, OR LIGHT BEARER",** which we will return to discuss further in a few moments.  In the meantime, let's begin to make some headway into another important aspect of this study with the following passage below.

"And war broke out in heaven: Michael and his angels fought with the dragon; and the dragon and his angels fought, but they did not prevail, nor was a place found for them in heaven any longer. So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him." **(Revelation 12:7-9, NKJV)**

For years now, the popular thing for the church to do with this passage from the Book of Revelation was **TO ASSUME THAT "LUCIFER" WAS SATAN'S PROPER NAME,** and then teach it's people that **Isaiah 14:12**, and **Revelation 12:7-9,** are referring to the same event.  Major mistake!  Once they had this accomplished, they would then attach an additional passage from **Ezekiel 28** (which we haven't even discussed yet) to the whole mess and add even more fuel to their dumpster fire!  In doing so, here's the theory that they have now come up with. A nonsensical mess which has been routinely promoted as truth throughout the religious church system for years now!  See if you can recognize any of this, my friends.

By combining the three passages mentioned above, **ALL WHILE ASSUMING THAT LUCIFER IS SATAN'S PROPER NAME,** they've taught us that once upon a time, on the celestial shores of planet heaven somewhere, God the Father created a perfect, heavenly cherub named Lucifer.  What was his purpose?  Too lead all the hosts of heaven into a glorious atmosphere of Praise and Worship before the throne room.  In fact, Lucifer was such a special, astonishing spectacle of God's magnificent creation, we're told in Ezekiel 28, that there were actually pipes and timbrels built into his very own body!  Initially, all went well as this blissful environment of peace and rest was completely unmatched by anything ever seen. But, as time passed, the pride and arrogance of such a prestigious position eventually crept in upon Lucifer, who had since decided that he himself would ascend above the throne of his creator and become the ruler of the heavens. Suddenly, a war broke out in heaven as Satan and a third of the heavenly hosts attempted the coup of the ages against their Heavenly Father.  When the dust settled, however, the attempt had failed!  **Lucifer (Satan we are told), along with a third of the heavenly hosts, had been violently cast from heaven into the late great planet earth below,** where he's been a menace to all of creation ever since!  Sound familiar?  The sad part here, is that **THIS ENTIRE TEACHING HAS BEEN COMPLETELY CONCOCTED BY THE MERE ASSUMPTION THAT LUCIFER WAS THE PROPER NAME FOR SATAN.** **PROVE THAT LUCIFER IS NOT SATAN, MY FRIENDS, AND THIS ENTIRE THEORY COMES INSTANTLY CRASHING DOWN** like an unstable house of your favorite deck of playing cards!  Let's continue.

As we journey back again to our passage from **Revelation 12**, let me once again remind you that **THE HEBREW WORD "HEYLEL", FROM WHICH THE LATIN WORD "LUCIFER" WAS TRANSLATED FROM, WAS NOT A PROPER NOUN.** In fact, Lucifer is not the proper name of anyone, my friends, but rather a word which describes something about the one to whom it is referring to; and as we will soon find out, **IT IS NOT SATAN!**  With that said, we now need to point out an extremely important truth concerning the Book of Revelation. Let's take a quick look at the first two verses of chapter one for a moment and see if perhaps you can pick up on what I'm referring to.

"The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave **(PAST TENSE)** unto him, to shew unto his servants things which must shortly come to pass **(FUTURE);** and he sent and signified it **(PAST TENSE)** by his angel **(MESSENGER)** unto his servant John: Who bare record of the word of God, and of the testimony of Jesus Christ, and of all things that he saw **(PAST TENSE)."**  **(REV. 1:1-2, PARENTHESIS ADDED)**

Here's what we must understand from this. Please get this, my friends!  John the Revelator had received **(PAST TENSE)** a revelation concerning Jesus Christ while on the Isle of Patmos.  At the time which he received it, it was **"SIGNIFIED" (GIVEN TO HIM IN SIGNS AND SYMBOLS),** but again, it was **PAST TENSE** when he received the revelation from the messenger through signs and symbols.  Then, after he had received the revelation **(PAST TENSE),** he was instructed to write down what he had seen.  What was he to write down?  **"things which must SHORTLY COME TO PASS”** **THE BOOK OF REVELATION, THEREFORE, WAS ABOUT EVENTS WHICH WERE FUTURE TO THE TIME OF JOHN RECEIVING THE REVELATION!**  Are you hearing me, my friends?  If so, then you will quickly understand that **THE EVENT WHICH WE JUST DESCRIBED FROM REVELATION 12, HAS NOTHING TO DO WHATSOEVER WITH LUCIFER BEING CAST OUT OF HEAVEN, EONS AGO BEFORE CREATION,** as the church has taught us all our lives!  Nothing whatsoever!

In verse 19 of chapter one, when John is told to "write down the things which thou hast seen, and the things which are, and the things which shall be hereafter.", on the surface, it appears to contradict this, but **WE MUST UNDERSTAND THE CONTEXT FROM WHICH THAT STATEMENT WAS MADE.**In verse ten, John heard a "voice behind him, as of a trumpet".  In verse twelve, he "turned to see", the voice that spoke with him, and "being turned", he saw seven golden candlesticks.  So, let's think about this for a moment.  When the voice behind John told him to write down the things which he had seen, the things which are, and the things which shall be hereafter, was the voice suddenly disregarding John's earlier command to write down the revelation of Jesus Christ concerning "things which must shortly come to pass?  Of course not!  Get this, my friends.  If John heard a voice **BEHIND HIM,** and then turned to see a **CANDELSTICK,** where must John have been standing?  Of course, beloved, He was looking backward while standing directly in front of the veil, in the Holy Place of the Tabernacle!  **HE WAS STANDING IN THE SECOND DIMENSION,** the second room of a three-room tabernacle, which was mere symbolism of a three-fold experience which every believer is to go through as they grow up into Christ!  **THEREFORE, THE VOICE WHICH WAS TALKING WITH JOHN WAS NOT ASKING HIM TO WRITE ABOUT THINGS IN THE PAST AS FAR AS SOME TIMELINE GOES BUT WAS MERELY SETTING THE SCENE OF THE FUTURE EVENTS WHICH WERE ABOUT TO HAPPEN AS HE PASSED THROUGH THE VEIL INTO THE HOLY OF HOLIES!**The statement **"THINGS WHICH HE (JOHN) HAD SEEN",** was referring to the **OUTER COURT,** which spoke of our **INITIAL SALVATION EXPERIENCE (PASSOVER).**  The statement **"THINGS WHICH ARE"** referred to the Holy Place, which spoke of the **PENTECOSTAL EXPERIENCE;** and the **"THINGS WHICH SHALL BE HEREAFTER"** referred to the realm of the Most Holy Place **(FEAST OF TABERNACLES),** into which he was about to pass **(FUTURE).** The obtaining of all three experiences would bring about the complete and total Revelation of Jesus Christ, the Alpha and Omega, the Beginning, and the End!  **YES, INDEED, SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING, THE BOOK OF REVELATION IS ABOUT EVENTS WHICH WERE FUTURE TO THE TIME OF JOHN RECEIVING HIS REVELATION**.  Chapter 12 has nothing to do with Lucifer falling from heaven, my friends, which we will ultimately discover before we conclude this article, for **LUCIFER DOES NOT REFER TO SATAN!**

Let's return now to our passage from **ISAIAH 14:12,** for a bit.  Just in case you're thinking I`m some sort of Lone Ranger here on this topic, allow me to refer you to a **FOOTNOTE ON ISAIAH 14:12,** which can easily be found within any **CLASSIC AMPLIFIED BIBLE** which includes reference materials.

"Some students feel that the application of the name Lucifer to Satan is erroneous, even though it is commonly taught to that effect. Lucifer, **THE LIGHT BRINGER**, is the Latin equivalent of the Greek word **PHOSPHORUS,** **WHICH IS USED AS A TITLE OF CHRIST IN II PETER 1:19 (...UNTIL THE DAY STAR ARISE IN YOUR HEARTS.)** and corresponds to the name **`BRIGHT MORNING STAR' in Rev. 22:16, WHICH JESUS CALLED HIMSELF.** The application of the name Lucifer has only existed since the third century A.D. and is based upon the **SUPPOSITION** that **LUKE 10:18 (I BEHELD SATAN AS LIGHTNING FALL FROM HEAVEN**) **IS AN EXPLANATION OF ISAIAH 14:12, WHICH AUTHORITIES FEEL IS NOT TRUE."**

Before we conclude this article, I assure you, my friends, that we will most definitely discuss the passage referred to here from **LUKE 10:18;** but for now, are you beginning to see what's happening here, beloved?  The Amplified footnote begins to throw out to us some extremely valuable clues here as to the **TRUE IDENTITY** of this mysterious character we've called **"LUCIFER".**  However, just in case you're trying to draw your conclusion from the above passage alone, you may want to refrain your judgement for the time being, for there's some major pieces of the puzzle yet to come!  The only reason that I included this quote at this point in our study, was to reinforce the word **"SUPPOSITION"** found in the footnote.  **FOR IT'S TRULY A SHAME, THAT THE MAJORITY OF CHURCH-GOING BELIEVERS TODAY ARE CURRENTLY ONLY LIVING IN EITHER THE FIRST OR SECOND DIMENSION** of the three-room tabernacle, simply because their leaders have **"SUPPOSED"** **THAT LUCIFER WAS SATAN'S PROPER NAME,** and as a result, have misinterpreted some of the very same passages to their congregants, which were intended to propel them through the veil!  Quite a costly supposition!

"How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations! **(ISAIAH 14:12)**

What I would like to do now, is begin to hone in a bit on the **TRUE IDENTITY** of the one whom the religious church system has called **"LUCIFER"** for years.  In doing this, we're going to use the exact same logic that the church systems have been using, only this time, we're going to use it in reverse. While we are examining several clues here, we're going to **"SUPPOSE"** for a few minutes that **LUCIFER IS NOT SATAN!**  By doing this, **SINCE THE SUBJECT MATTER OF ISAIAH 14:12, IS LUCIFER,** we can eliminate the possibility that this verse is referring to Satan and **OPEN OUR MINDS TO SOME OTHER POSSIBILITIES.**As we do this, the first thing which we must remember here is that **THE HEBREW WORD WHICH LUCIFER REPLACED IS NOT A PROPER NOUN.** It's not the name of anyone.  Second, **THE HEBREW WORD WHICH SHOULD HAVE BEEN USED HERE IS "HEYLEL", WHICH MEANS "THE LIGHT BRINGER, OR LIGHT BEARER".**  And thirdly, in this particular passage, supposing that Lucifer is not Satan, **SOMEONE STILL FALLS FROM HEAVEN (THE REALM OF THE SPIRIT) HERE!**Who could this possibly be, my friends? Hmmm?

Thinking back to our **FOOTNOTE FROM THE AMPLIFIED BIBLE** for a moment, a point was made there which stated that the Greek equivalent for the Hebrew word **"HEYLEL" (LIGHT BEARER)** was the word **"PHOSPHORUS",** which is translated **"DAYSTAR", IN 2 PETER 1:19,** and **"BRIGHT MORNING STAR" IN REV. 22:16.  BOTH OF THOSE PASSAGES WERE SPEAKING OF CHRIST,** my friends!  So, are you saying that Christ was Lucifer, brother Don?  Absolutely not, for **CHRIST NEVER FELL FROM HEAVEN!**  But allow me now to ask you a question, beloved.  According to what we have studied earlier on in this article, wasn't there another man in the Book of Genesis who was created in the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST)** who did fall from heaven (the realm of the spirit from which he was intended to dwell)?  Ahh, my friends, **WHAT IF IT WAS ADAM WHO WAS CREATED TO BE THE "LIGHT BEARER" (HEYLEL) UPON THE EARTH BUT THEN FELL FROM THE REALM OF THE SPIRIT (HEAVEN) THROUGH THE DECEPTION OF SATAN IN THE GARDEN?**  Let's continue now, as we begin to add some strength to our case; but make no mistake about it, there are only two choices.  **EITHER LUCIFER REFERS TO SATAN, OR IT REFERS TO ADAM,** who was the original "light bearer" to the earth!  I will say it once again, my friends.  **ISAIAH 14:12,** **HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH SATAN.**  That teaching was adopted and assumed, because Jerome "supposed" that "Lucifer" was the proper name for Satan way back in the 3rd century. King James authorized it in the fourth century, and **THE CHURCH HAS PICKED IT UP AND RAN WITH IT, AS IT HAS FUTURISM, WITHOUT ANY BIBLICAL BACKING WHATSOEVER, EVER SINCE!**  Let's move on.

The next thing that our traditional teaching has taught us, is that **EZEKIEL 28,** is a parallel passage to **ISAIAH 14.**  **THEREFORE, THEY'VE TAUGHT US THAT ACCORDING TO EZEKIEL 28:15, "LUCIFER", WAS CREATED "PERFECT" FROM THE VERY DAY OF HIS CREATION.**  But here's where their theory encounters another major problem, my friends.  According to **JOHN 8:44**, we are told that **SATAN WAS A "MURDERER FROM THE BEGINNING"!**  Do you see their dilemma here?  **IF THEIR ASSUMPTION IS TRUE, THAT EZEKIEL 28:15, REFERS TO SATAN,** whom they call **"LUCIFER",** wouldn't it be rather difficult for **"LUCIFER"** to be **"PERFECT"** from the day he was created, when we are clearly told that **SATAN WAS A MURDERER FROM THE BEGINNING!**  You're absolutely right, my friends, **IT WOULD BE A MERE IMPOSSIBILITY!**  However, once again, can we not see that **BEFORE THE FALL, IT WAS ADAM WHO WAS CREATED PERFECT, UNTIL INIQUITY WAS FOUND IN HIM,** just as **EZEKIEL 28:15,** describes below?

**"THOU WAST** **PERFECT** in thy ways **FROM THE DAY THAT THOU WAST CREATED,** till iniquity was found in thee." **(Ezek. 28:15)**

**SPEAKING OF SATAN IN EPHESIANS 2:2,** another important detail which we are clearly told by the apostle Paul, is that **HE IS A "SPIRIT"** which works in the children of disobedience.  **ON THE CONTRARY,** in our passages above, **EZEKIEL 28,** and **ISAIAH 14, WE'VE BEEN TAUGHT THAT BOTH REFER TO SATAN, WHOM THEY CALL "LUCIFER";** but with closer examination, we quickly discover that **IN BOTH INSTANCES, THE SUBJECT MATTER BEING REFERRED TO IS CLEARLY A "MAN",** which once again, **"ADAM"** would definitely qualify as! Let’s look at **BOTH** passages.

"Son of man, say unto the prince of Tyrus, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Because thine heart is lifted up, and thou hast said, I am a God, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas; **YET THOU ART A MAN"** **(EZEK. 28:2)**

"They that see thee shall narrowly look upon thee, and consider thee, saying, **IS THIS THE MAN** that made the earth to tremble, that did shake kingdoms" **(ISAIAH 14:16)**

While we are still discussing references from **EZEKIEL 28**, let's look at yet another **SUPPOSITION** which tradition has repeatedly taught us.  They have taught us that the passage from Ezekiel here has got to be talking about Satan, because it refers to the subject in question as being a **"CHERUB".**  First, my friends, a **FUTURE STUDY** into the topic of the **CHERUBIM** would most definitely be in order, however, for now, let me ask you a question.  **WHERE ARE WE EVER TOLD IN THE SCRIPTURES THAT SATAN WAS A CHERUB?**Again, we have only **"ASSUMED"** this because we have been told that **"LUCIFER",** who is referred to as the **"ANOINTED CHERUB", WAS SATAN!**   Secondly, why does the religious church-world suddenly get a mental picture of a little creature with wings flying around every time a cherub is mentioned?  **HAVE THEY FORGOTTEN THAT MUCH OF THE BIBLE IS WRITTEN IN SIGNS AND SYMBOLS WHICH POINT TO SPIRITUAL REALITIES?**  **DID NOT THE APOSTLE PAUL CALL HIMSELF AN ANGEL IN GALATIANS 4:14?**  What we do know from this passage, beloved, is that **EZEKIEL 28,** talks to us about a **"MAN"** who walks about the precious stones of the Garden of God and calls **THAT "MAN"** the **"ANOINTED CHERUB THAT COVERETH"!**  Let me say that one more time if I may. **IN EZEKIEL 28, A "MAN" IS DESCRIBED AS A "CHERUB"!**  So, allow me if you would, to shout out a bit of news here for our propaganda crowd.  **SATAN WAS NEVER AT ANY TIME THE GUARDIAN OF THE GARDEN OF EDEN; AND HE WAS NEVER AT ANY TIME THE "ANOINTED CHERUB THAT COVERETH"!**  In fact, **NOWHERE IN THE ENTIRE BIBLE HAS HE EVER BEEN CALLED AND "ANGEL",** my friends; but it is said of him that he has tried to masquerade himself **AS AN "ANGEL OF LIGHT" (2 COR. 11:14).** How has he done this?  **THROUGH PROPAGATING TRADITION AS TRUTH IN THE FORM OF MINISTERS OF THE GOSPEL!**

Truth be told:
-    **IT WAS ADAM** who was created perfect until sin was found in him **(EZEK 28:15)**-    **IT WAS ADAM** that walked among the precious stones of the Garden of Eden as the anointed cherub that covereth **(Ezek 28:14)**
-    **IT WAS ADAM** who was the **"MAN" OF EZEKIEL 28:2**-    **IT WAS ADAM** who was **"FULL OF WISDOM, AND PERFECT IN BEAUTY"** as he was initially created **IN THE IMAGE** of He who is wisdom. **(EZEK 28:12)**-    **IT WAS ADAM** in whom the timbrels and pipes were prepared from the day he was created, because he was created for worship **(EZEK 28:13)**
-    **IT WAS ADAM** who said at the fall **"I WILL EXALT MY THRONE ABOVE THE STARS OF GOD" (ISAIAH 14:13)**-    **IT WAS ADAM** who said at the fall **"I WILL BE LIKE THE MOST HIGH" (ISAIAH 14:14)**

Yes indeed, my friends, though Isaiah 14, and Ezekiel 28, are both descriptions of literal, historical events concerning the fall of two literal kings, **THE PORTRAITS HIDDEN BENEATH THOSE PICTURES PRIMARILY CONCERN THE EVENTS SURROUNDING THE FALL OF ADAM.**Unfortunately, however, mainstream Christendom has created an absolute **SACRED COW** out of these passages, **SIMPLY BY THEIR SUPPOSITION THAT LUCIFER WAS THE PROPER NAME OF SATAN!**  Lest you think I'm out on an island with this word, I will quickly submit to you that in addition to the Amplified footnote which we already mentioned earlier, **BOTH THE MATTHEW HENRY COMMENTARY AS WELL AS THE CLARKE'S COMMENTARY ALSO AGREE THAT NEITHER EZEKIEL 28, NOR ISAIAH 14 ARE REFERENCING SATAN.**

Before we seek to conclude this article, I'd like to first return for a few moments to our earlier passage from **REVELATION 12** concerning this **"WAR IN HEAVEN".**  Now that we have discovered that **ISAIAH 14, AND EZEKIEL 28 ARE BOTH DESCRIBING EVENTS SURROUNDING THE FALL OF ADAM FROM THE SPIRIT REALM (HEAVEN),** rather than the fall of Satan from a planet three miles south of Mars, as tradition has taught; **COULD IT BE THAT REVELATION 12, IS ACTUALLY DESCRIBING THE REVERSAL OF THAT FALL,** where the one who usurped authority over man in Eden (Satan), is finally overcome and cast out through a heavenly war within?  Let's take a closer look.

"And there appeared a great wonder in heaven; a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars:
2 And she being with child cried, travailing in birth, and pained to be delivered.
3 And there appeared another wonder in heaven; and behold a great red dragon, having seven heads and ten horns, and seven crowns upon his heads.
4 And his tail drew the third part of the stars of heaven, and did cast them to the earth: and the dragon stood before the woman which was ready to be delivered, for to devour her child as soon as it was born.
5 And she brought forth a man child, who was to rule all nations with a rod of iron: and her child was caught up unto God, and to his throne.
6 And the woman fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred and threescore days.
7 And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels,
8 And prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in heaven.
9 And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.
10 And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night.
11 And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death. **(REV. 12:1-11)**

We must first notice here, that once again, **THE WORD LUCIFER IS NOWHERE TO BE FOUND IN THIS PASSAGE.**  Why not?  Because as we have now discovered, **SATAN WAS NOT LUCIFER.**  **HE WAS NOT THE "LIGHT BEARER" WHO FELL FROM HEAVEN IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN!  ADAM WAS!**  So, knowing that, as we examine **REVELATION 12**, here, we must make a conscience effort to **SEPARATE** the event being described, from both **ISAIAH 14,** and **EZEKIEL 28;** for **THESE THREE PASSAGES ARE NOT ALL REFERRING TO THE SAME EVENT AS WE'VE BEEN TAUGHT ALL OUR LIVES!**  Secondly, we must also not forget, that according to the first verse of the Book of Revelation, **THE EVENTS WHICH ARE DESCRIBED WITHIN WERE TO BE EVENTS WHICH WOULD "SOON COME TO PASS", FROM THE TIME IN WHICH JOHN RECEIVED HIS REVELATION,** **NOT THINGS WHICH HAPPENED PRIOR TO THE ADAMIC FALL.**  Therefore, as it would only make sense, in **REVELATION 12, WE STILL FIND SATAN ALIVE AND WELL IN THE REALM OF THE HEAVENS HERE; FOR IT WAS NOT HE WHO FELL IN ISAIAH 14, AND EZEKIEL 28, IT WAS ADAM ALL ALONG!**

Just a couple of weeks ago, I heard the pastor of a large, independent, church in the area read a passage of scripture concerning the **"KINGDOM OF GOD",** to his congregation during a live stream message.  Immediately following the reading, as he began his message, he proceeded to tell his people that the **"KINGDOM OF HEAVEN"** referred to a placed called **"HEAVEN"** which every believer will go to someday in the **FUTURE.**  If that be the case, I have a couple of questions for this pastor, concerning these traditionally held beliefs that have been commonly kept by many for years now.  If the **"KINGDOM OF HEAVEN"** is a place in outer space somewhere, which a believer will go to when they die, how is it that in the parable of the Wheat and the Tares concerning the **"KINGDOM OF HEAVEN",** that Satan was able to sow **"BASTARD SEED"** among the **"GOOD SEED"** if he was supposedly cast out of Heaven eons ago?  Additionally, why would the apostle Paul, in **EPHESIANS 2:2,** tell us that Satan was the **"PRINCE OF THE POWER OF THE AIR",** if he's been confined to the earth now since the pre-Adamic age?  Anyone?  Unfortunately, my friends, the correct answers to these questions will never be found until our present-day church systems drop their beloved traditions and stop thinking geographically concerning these issues!  For according to Jesus, the master teacher himself, as we have already discovered in this article, **“…THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS WITHIN YOU” (Luke 17:21)!**

In **REVELATION 12,** therefore, along with the truths that we've already discovered, the heavenly battle described between Michael the Archangel, and Satan and his angels, was not a pre-Adamic one which occurred eons ago, in a place three miles south of Mars, but rather **A RIGHT HERE AND NOW BATTLE WHICH IS PRESENTLY GOING ON WITHIN THE SPIRIT OF OUR MIND;** foraccording to Jesus' own statement, the **KINGDOM OF HEAVEN, SPEAKS OF THE REALM OF THE SPIRIT WITHIN RIGHT HERE ON THIS EARTH,** my friends.  Do you remember the story of Nicodemus?  In **JOHN CHAPTER 3**, in response to one of Nicodemus' questions concerning being born into the Kingdom, Jesus replied the following in verse 13:
"°no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of man **WHICH IS IN HEAVEN!**

Can you hear that beloved.  **AT THE VERY MOMENT** in which Jesus was standing there replying to Nicodemus, he told him that he was **IN HEAVEN!**  Heaven, therefore, according to the master teacher, is not so much a geographical location as **IT IS A HIGHER DIMENSION IN THE SPIRIT REALM!**  It's **PARADISE,** it's **EDEN,** it's the **KINGDOM OF GOD** that he had come to **RESTORE** right here on earth! Oh, I cannot wait for the opportunity to go through the scriptures and to put into words a teaching on that subject matter!

**THE WAR OF REVELATION 12,** is not a thing of the past, and it's not **"UP THERE"** somewhere; **IT'S A WAR THAT GOES ON WITHIN US, EVERY MAN IN HIS OWN ORDER, IN THE RIGHT HERE AND NOW!**  Did not the Apostle Paul also tell us in **2 Corinthians 10:4-5,** that " the weapons of **OUR WARFARE** are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds, casting down of **IMAGINATIONS,** and every high thing that exalted itself against the **KNOWLEDGE** **OF GOD?**  Isn't it interesting then, that the **"WAR"** which we are involved in concerns both our **"IMAGINATIONS"** and our **"KNOWLEDGE";** and **BOTH OF THESE ASPECTS** are traits and aspects that are involved with the **MIND!**  It's time, therefore, for the church-world to begin to think internally concerning these spiritual issues, rather than continually laying hold of the **"UP THERE",** **"DOWN HERE"** mentality.  The **“IMAGINATIONS”** which we must be cast down during this battle, are the **TARES** that were sown into our **CARNAL MINDS** while we were in the condition called **“SLEEP”;** and we must do this until we **OVERCOME** the **CARNAL MIND (THE ANTICHRIST)** andreturn to thesame **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST)** which **ADAM** exhibited **BEFORE THE FALL!** As we keep this in mind, let's begin to take a closer look at one of the main characters in the picture here, as well as his purpose for being involved with the battle in the first place.  Let's look at **MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL.**

In the very first verse of the **BOOK OF REVELATION,** John tells us that the Book was **"SIGNIFIED"!**  In other words, it was **WRITTEN IN CODE!**  It was written in signs and symbols which if ever understood, would point us to the actual spiritual reality of that which was being talked about.  So, what should we be after here?  **OUR GOAL SHOULD ALWAYS BE TO DISCOVER THE UNDERLYING REVELATION CONCERNING THE SIGNS AND SYMBOLS, NOT THE SIGNS AND SYMBOLS THEMSELVES.**  So, allow me if you would for a moment, to take a closer look at **MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL.**  The word **MICHAEL** simply means: **"ONE WHO IS LIKE GOD".**  But, if that clue isn't enough, let's continue to proceed by adding in the actual breakdown of the word "Archangel".  The word **ARCHANGEL** is a transliterated word which comes from the word "archaggelos".  **ARCHAGGELOS,** is a compound word formed from the words **"ARCHO",** which means **"CHIEF OR FIRST",** and **"AGGELOS",** which means **"MESSENGER".**  So, let's put it all together now and see what we come up with.  **MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SIMPLY MEANS, THE "CHIEF MESSENGER WHO IS LIKE GOD"!**  Now, I may not have been born yesterday, my friends, but who does that sound like to you?  You're exactly right!  **HE'S NONE OTHER THAN JESUS CHRIST, THE CHIEF MESSENGER WHO IS LIKE GOD!**

So, think about this for a second.  **AT THE VERY MOMENT IN TIME, THAT THE CHRIST OF GOD ARRIVES WITHIN YOU** through the person of the **HOLY SPIRIT,** what do you think begins to happen, my friends?  Right again!  **A WAR BREAKS OUT WITHIN** the heavens of your very own mind as **"CHRIST", THE CHIEF MESSENGER, IMMEDIATELY GOES TO WAR AGAINST SATAN AND HIS MESSENGERS (AGGELOS – ANGELS).**  The goal of this battle?  **TO REMOVE SATAN FROM HIS INWARD DOMINION WHICH HE'S EXERCISED OVER MANKIND SINCE THE FALL IN THE GARDEN!**  Not to get into the contents of my book again, but **THE OBJECTIVE OF MICHAEL AND HIS ANGELS (MESSENGERS) HERE, IS TO ASSIST IN THE BIRTHING OF THE "MANCHILD" (Huios – MATURE SON),** which was mentioned in verse 5 of this chapter .  How does this all come about?  Let's take a moment here to review a few of the **MAJOR CONCEPTS** from some of the earlier articles I’ve written.

For those who may remember, according to **JOHN 1:12,** when a believer first experiences **INITIAL SALVATION,** at that moment in time, his Spirit within is awakened to the works of Christ at Calvary, and through the acceptance of those substitutionary works he gains the **LEGAL RIGHT, OR AUTHORITY** to be called a **"SON"** of God. However, the important concept that we gained there, was that the Greek word which was used for **"SON"** in that verse, was the word **"TEK-NON",** which simply means, **"A BABE OR IMMATURE SON".**  The problem here, we discovered, is that a few books later, in **ROMANS 8:19,** we are told that all of creation is eagerly waiting for the manifestation of the **"MATURE SONS"** of God, not the babes!  The word for **"SONS"** here in the Greek, is the word **"HUIOS",** which means **"A MATURE, OR FULLY GROWN SON"** So, something must happen here, my friends.  **THERE MUST BE A TRANSFORMATION,** a birthing from a babe in Christ, to a fully grown, **MATURE SON;** for Paul tells us in **GALATIANS 4:1,** that "the heir, **AS LONG AS HE REMAINS A CHILD,** differeth nothing from a servant, though he be Lord of all"! In other words, **ALL OF THE PROMISES BELONG TO US AS A BABE (THE HEIR),** but **UNTIL WE BECOME MATURE BY BIRTHING THE CHRIST (THE IMAGE OF GOD) WITHIN, WE JUST CANT SEEM TO GET THEM MANIFESTED!**

A little later in the same chapter, however, Paul then explains to us that the burden of his apostolic calling, was **TO TRAVAIL IN BIRTH AGAIN, UNTIL CHRIST (THE IMAGE OF GOD) BE FORMED IN A PEOPLE.**  Travail in **WHAT** again?  Ahh, my friends, now I believe we're headed somewhere; for the entire purpose of our **WAR IN HEAVEN IN REVELATION 12,** is to aid in the **BIRTHING** of a **MANCHILD!**  What's absolutely fascinating, beloved, is that the English word which is translated **"MANCHILD"** here, is the exact same Greek word that we find in **ROMANS 8:19.**  It's the word **"HUIOS", A MATURE SON!**  So, the birthing of the **"MANCHILD",** is nothing more or nothing less than Christ, the holy spirit within, **MULTIPLYING HIMSELF, BY REFORMING THE IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST) WITHIN YOU,** just as he was commanded to do way back in **GENESIS 1:28!**  Be fruitful and **MULTIPLY...!**

So very sad when you think about it, my friends.  For most of Christendom is entirely missing out on one of the key passages concerning their spiritual development, simply because they've assumed that this entire passage concerns a battle which occurred with **LUCIFER** thousands of years in the past. But let’s keep progressing.  One of the major reasons that traditional teaching has tried to link this passage to **LUCIFER,** is that once again, in **Ezekiel 28:14,** Lucifer was described as a cherub.So, in **Revelation 12:4, HERE, THEY ASSUME THAT ONE-THIRD OF THE STARS FALLING FROM HEAVEN TO THE EARTH REFER TO LUCIFER'S ANGELS WHO WERE CAST OUT DURING HIS ATTEMPTED COUP.**  Nonsense, my friends, absolutely nonsense!  Let me first say that this passage is the only passage anywhere in all of scripture which mentions **"ONE-THIRD"** of anything falling from heaven; but more importantly, if they would simply take a closer look here, **IT'S NOT GOD WHO'S DOING THE CASTING OUT IN THIS VERSE, IT'S SATAN, THE GREAT RED DRAGON!** So, in **REVELATION 12,** we are talking about **TWO SEPARATE EVENTS** that are going on in the **HEAVENS (SPIRIT REALM)** here.  In one mystery, Christ is doing the casting out, while in the other, Satan is doing the casting.  None-the-less, in the verse talking about **"ONE-THIRD"** of the stars being cast out of heaven, **IT'S SATAN DOING THE CASTING, NOT GOD!**Tradition loses again!  In one passage, we are being shown by revelation what Satan is currently doing; but in the other, we are shown what God is currently doing.

One important concept here that we must keep in mind, however, is that the heavens being spoken of are not **"UP THERE" SOMEWHERE GEOGRAPHICALLY,** but rather right within the heavens of **THE "SPIRIT" OF OUR MIND.** Notice that the apostle Paul tells us in **EPHESIANS 4:23,** that we should be renewed in the **"SPIRIT" OF OUR MINDS!**  The results of the warfare, therefore, that is currently going on within the minds of mankind at this moment, are completely determined by one obvious factor.  **WHAT SPIRIT IS CURRENTLY IN CHARGE?**  In verses 3 and 4 of this chapter, we find a situation, where during a **NIGHT SEASON (TIME WHEN THE STARS ARE OUT),** Satan is being described as a Great Red Dragon, having seven heads and ten horns, whose tail is successful at drawing one-third of the stars out of heaven and casting them to the earth.  Let's attempt to bring some insight to this passage as we compare **"SPIRITUAL THINGS WITH SPIRITUAL";** but remember, in these two verses, it is Satan who is casting out one-third of the stars, not our heavenly father.  Do you really think that Satan would cast out his own messengers (angels)?

  The first thing we must understand here, is the numerology of the passage. Throughout the scriptures, the number **"SEVEN"** speaks to us of that which is brought to completion or **"PERFECTION";** and the number **"TEN"** speaks to us of the **"LAW".**  In addition to this, a **"HORN"** in scripture represents **"STRENGTH OR POWER",** while the **"HEAD"** in scripture speaks to us of " **GOVERNING HEADSHIP OR LEADERSHIP".**  So, what do we have just from the numerology? **WE HAVE A DESCRIPTION OF THE VEHICLE THROUGH WHICH SATAN, THE GREAT RED DRAGON, IS USING TO DRAW A THIRD OF THE STARS OUT OF HEAVEN.**  We have a leadership company, or spiritual ministry, that's governing in this very hour, who's still giving strength and power to **PERFECTION THROUGH THE LAW: LEGALISM!**  And, if that isn't enough evidence for you, the **PROPHET ISAIAH** tells us in **Isaiah 9:14-16,** that, "The **PROPHET** that teaches lies, **HE IS THE TAIL!**  Are you catching on, my friends?  The **TAIL OF THE DRAGON** speaks to us of **FALSE TEACHERS AND PROPHETS** who are misinterpreting and mishandling the Word of God to preach **LEGALISM INSTEAD OF GRACE!**  The **FIRST DIMENSION CHURCH** is especially full of them. Let's continue to build our case.

Stars are luminaries, and luminaries are lights!  Following me?  **PSALM 119:105,** tells us that, "Thy **WORD** is a **LAMP** unto my feet, and a **LIGHT** unto my path".  So, if we put two and two together here, we discover that the **"STARS OF HEAVEN"** which are spoken of in **REVELATION 12,** represent the spiritual luminaries, or heavenly **REVELATIONS** of the “**WORD OF GOD",** " which are designed to guide us through **THE DARK NIGHT OF OUR SOUL, AS THE IMAGE OF GOD IS BEING FORMED WITHIN.**  Also, as we've discussed before in many of our other articles, when we talk about the Word of God in this manner, we're not talking about the literal black words which are pristinely printed on the snow-white pages of our bibles, my friends, but rather the underlying **SPIRITUAL REVELATION** of those words. Look at what Paul had to say about the matter.

"Who also hath made us able ministers of the New Testament; not of the letter, but of the spirit: for **THE LETTER KILLETH,** but **THE SPIRIT GIVETH LIFE."** **(2 COR 3:6)**

Can you here that, beloved?  **THE HEAVENLY LUMINARIES OF THE WORD OF GOD ARE NOT THE LITERAL INTERPRETATION OF IT,** for all that the literal can do besides give us a great history lesson, is lead us into death!  So, when **REVELATION 12,** speaks to us of the **"STARS OF HEAVEN",** it's only the spiritual interpretation of the word that's being referred to.  It's through the understanding of the **"LINE BENEATH THE LINE",** and the **"PRECEPT BENEATH THE PRECEPT"** that our Heavenly Father has always intended to bring us into life with.  And yes, I'm going to say it now.  It's **"THE THIRD PART"** of the stars of heaven!  **THE PORTION OF THE WORD OF GOD THAT CAN ONLY COME FROM "THE THIRD PART" OF THE TABERNACLE FROM BEHIND THE VEIL!**

Can you now begin to understand the mystery of what John was seeing here, my friends?  Without getting into the contents of my book again in this article, let me just say this.  **CORPORATELY SPEAKING,** the **"WOMAN"** here in **REVELATION 12** speaks to us of the **SPIRIT-FILLED CHURCH** as it travails in birth from a many-membered **"TEKNON” ("**child", verse 4), to deliver a many-membered **"HUIOS", ("MANCHILD", MATURE SON,** verse 5), who's been fully formed into the **IMAGE OF GOD.**  However, we must also understand that this birthing into a mature, corporate body, only occurs as **ONE PERSON AT A TIME** goes through an **INDIVIDUAL EXPERIENCE,** which Paul tells us in 1 Corinthians 15, will happen, **"EVERY MAN IN HIS OWN ORDER"**  On an individual level, therefore, the **"WOMAN"** of this chapter represents the **SOUL** of man as she goes through the necessary dealings and processing's which bring her back into **UNION WITH THE SPIRIT AGAIN.**  A union which was **LOST OR "VEILED TO HER UNDERSTANDING"** through the **CONDEMNATION** which came about at the fall.  So, all that this passage is really telling us, is that during this time of development, **AS FAR AS SATAN'S ACTIVITY IS CONCERNED,** there are false teachers and prophets ( Satan's angels (messengers) **i.e. the "TAIL OF THE DRAGON"),** who are taking the heavenly luminaries **("STARS")** or truths of the Word of God,  which were always intended to be **SPIRITUALLY INTERPRETED**, and are casting them down into **THE "EARTH" REALM OF NATURAL INTERPRETATION!**

Yes indeed, my friends, **SATAN HAS INDEED TRANSFORMED (MASQUERADED) HIMSELF INTO AN "ANGEL (MESSENGER) OF LIGHT"!**Nowhere else in scripture is he ever mentioned, or referred to, as being an **ANGEL,** except **2 CORINTHIANS 11:14,** where the word for **"TRANSFORMED"** means to **"MASQUERADE” OR PRESENT ONESELF AS A FALSE IDENTITY!**  Through false teachers and ministries, this phony headship company, which is still preaching **LEGALISTIC PERFECTION,** **BY ATTEMPTING TO MAKE THE FIRST-MAN ADAM ACCEPTABLE TO GOD THROUGH A LIST OF DO'S AND DON'TS,** Satan and his messengers ("angels") are having an absolute hay day with the vast majority of the church!  They are still trying to **CLEAN UP ADAM,** rather than preach and teach the messages which would return them to the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST)!** As a result, through constant accusation night and day, for not holding up to their self-imposed lists of legalistic righteousness, a **SPIRIT OF CONDEMNATION** is still running rampant within much of Christendom, for they have yet to receive of **"THE THIRD PART"** of the heavenly luminaries, which only present themselves to **THOSE BEHIND THE VEIL!**

Therefore, can we not now see, that in **REVELATION 12:3-4,** it **IS NOT** God casting out Satan and his angels, from a geographical place called heaven to a geographical place called earth, but rather **SATAN'S FALSE MESSENGERS (HIS "TAIL")** within the heavens of the **"SPIRIT" OF OUR MINDS,** exchanging the **SPIRITUAL TRUTHS** of the Word of God for **NATURAL, EARTHLY, CARNAL RELIGION?**  Is there any wonder, then, why it's of absolute necessity for a **WAR IN HEAVEN** to break out in **REVELATION 12:7-9?**  As a believer begins to hear the soul-stirring shouts of the voice of the archangel, through the life-changing truths of the spiritually interpreted word, hear a little, there a little, a glorious message concerning **THE REVELATION OF HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS** begins to clearly unfold **AS CHRIST, THE IMAGE OF GOD, CONTINUES TO BE FORMED FROM WITHIN.**  With each progressive piece of heavenly illumination, the long-held grip of Satan and his demonic messengers take less and less effect **WITHIN THE ENLIGHTENED REALM OF THE ONCE DARKENED SOUL,** until suddenly, without notice, **AT MICHAEL'S FINAL WAR CRY, THE "WOMAN" (SOUL), IS TRIUMPHANTLY "CAUGHT UP", TO HER FORMER UNION WITH THE SPIRIT (MALE) WITHIN.**  Through this process, **"EVERY MAN IN HIS OWN ORDER"** there's a glorious **OVERCOMING** from the inner war within, **THROUGH THE BIRTHING OF A MATURE SON, A MANCHILD, THE CHRIST OF GOD!**  Through this process, as was predicted by the words of Paul, in **1 TIMOTHY 2:14-15, THE "WOMEN (SOUL/CHURCH) WILL BE SAVED THROUGH CHILDBEARING"!**

 "And Adam was not the one deceived; it was the woman who was deceived and became a sinner.  But **WOMEN WILL BE SAVED THROUGH CHILDBEARING°" (1 Tim. 2:14-15)**

With this said, notice something which is stated both here and in **REVELATION 12,** my friends. **THE WOMAN (SOUL) DOES NOT EXPERIENCE SALVATION UNTIL THE CHILD IS BIRTHED WITHIN!  SHE IS NOT SAVED UNTIL THE MANCHILD, THE CHRIST IS FULLY FORMED WITHIN**!  Please allow me to say that one more time for **ALL THE MINISTERS OF BABYLON**, who are still preaching otherwise to hear. **THE WOMAN (SOUL) DOES NOT EXPERIENCE SALVATION UNTIL THE CHILD IS BIRTHED WITHIN!  SHE IS NOT SAVED UNTIL THE MANCHILD, THE CHRIST IS FULLY FORMED WITHIN**!  So, let’s now take a look at the **INTENDED RESULT** of this **ONGOING WAR OF REVELATION 12,** between **MICHAEL AND HIS MESSENGERS,** and **SATAN AND HIS.**

"And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him. And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, **NOW IS COME SALVATION,** and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for **THE ACCUSER OF OUR BRETHREN IS CAST DOWN,** which accused them before our God day and night." (Rev. 12:9-10)

Can you hear that my friends?  First and foremost, according to verses nine and ten, **YOUR SALVATION HAS NOT YET COME (OR BEEN COMPLETED), UNTIL THE WAR WHICH IS TAKING PLACE WITHIN THE HEAVENS OF YOUR MIND HAS BEEN ONCE AND FOR ALL SETTLED CONCERNING RIGHTEOUSNESS**. How did I come to that conclusion? According to verse 10, the benchmark by which one will know that the war is over, and salvation is come, is that there will be **NO MORE CONDEMNATION!**  Why not?  Because when Satan, **"THE ACCUSER OF THE BRETHREN"** is cast out of the heavens of your mind, **CONDEMNATION CAUSED BY ACCUSATION HAS TO FLEE!**  So, how is he cast out?  By gaining a revelation within, that your right standing **(RIGHTEOUSNESS)** before the father is no longer based upon anything that you have or haven't done, but by accepting through faith, the eternal truth that the **SCEPTRE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS** which Christ gained on resurrection morning **WAS FOREVER GAINED FOR YOU AS WELL.**  Your behavior, my friends, **HOWEVER GOOD OR BAD,** will never contain the power to **UNDO** the results of the finished work of Christ!  Let me say that one more time, my friends.  **YOUR BEHAVIOR WILL NEVER HAVE THE POWER TO UNDO THE RESULTS OF HIS BEHAVIOR!  NEVER!**  Why not?  Because his behavior **COMPLETELY FULFILLED THE LAW,** and according to Paul in **1 CORINTHIANS 15,** "the sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law"!  In other words, **IF THEIR AINT NO LAW (PARDON MY ENGLISH), SIN NO LONGER HAS ANY POWER;** **BECAUSE SATAN NO LONGER HAS A LIST OF RULES TO PIN YOUR SIN TO IN ORDER TO BRING ABOUT ACCUSATION!**  When we get a revelation of this, brethren, we are **"CAUGHT BACK UP"** to the same **HEAVENLY REALM** in which Adam originally dwelt.  A realm in the **FULLNESS OF THE SPIRIT**, **APART FROM CONDEMNATION, ENTIRELY WITHOUT THE LAW!** For those who just can’t let go of the **RAPTURE THEORY** and still think that getting **“CAUGHT UP”** is about physically flying off the planet any minute,by all means, please enjoy your trip, but that teaching is perhaps the largest, and most destructive **TARE** ever to be sown within the **SLEEPING SOULS** of fallen mankind!

Based on past experience, however, I'm well aware of the fact that as soon as you speak of **RIGHTEOUSNESS** not being based upon our actions around anyone from the religious church scene, you're immediately accused of using **GRACE** as a **LICENSE TO SIN!**  **HYPER-GRACE,** they love to label it! Those who bring about such accusations, however, have no idea, whatsoever, of the revelation of which I speak, nor do they realize the vast number of **SACRED COWS** which must still be slaughtered to thoroughly explain it; but unfortunately, in this article, I have neither the time nor the space to thoroughly address such an issue. However, I will say this much about it.  In the exact same chapter in which the Apostle Paul addresses the issue of having **NO CONDEMNATION,** which is **ROMANS 8,** he later states of those people who have received that revelation that, **"NOTHING SHALL SEPARATE THEM FROM THE LOVE OF GOD"!  NOTHING!**So, who gave the religious church systems of our day the right to reestablish their never-ending list of self-righteous rules, which Christ gave his life for to forever take away? Anyone? Perhaps if these **MINISTERS OF CONDEMNATION** would quit guarding the pulpit microphone as if it were a bar of solid gold and open the floor up to the Apostles and Prophets, the untold mysteries of the **KINGDOM OF GOD,** which they are currently entrusted with might be able to answer some of their questions and help loosen the chains of **RELIGIOUS BABYLON:** the **CARNAL CHURCH SYSTEM!**  Back to our study.

The second thing which we need to grasp from **REVELATION 12:9-10,** above, is that not only does **COMPLETED SALVATION** not come until this War within the mind is concluded, but the **KINGDOM OF GOD (LIFE IN THE FULLNESS OF THE SPIRIT REALM)** doesn't come on a personal level either!  Do you remember the words of both the repentant sinner, which we discussed earlier, as well as Jesus's immediate reply, as the two of them hung at Calvary?

" And he said unto Jesus, Lord, **REMEMBER ME WHEN THOU COMEST INTO THY KINGDOM** And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, **TODAY** shalt thou be with me **IN PARADISE."** **(LK. 23:42-43)**

Notice a very important concept here, my friends.  What the repentant sinner called the **KINGDOM,** Jesus called **PARADISE.**  They are one in the same!  Now listen to this, beloved.  According to common Jewish speech pattern, as well as many Jewish scholars, when the phrase **"IN PARADISE"** is used in the scriptures, it's a reference to one and only one place: **THE GARDEN OF EDEN!**  What's the significance of this?  **THE KINGDOM OF GOD, PARADISE, AND EDEN ARE ALL REFERENCING THE SAME THING!**  Therefore, according to **REVELATION 12:9-10,** the purpose of the War in Heaven, is to **COMPLETE YOUR SALVATION** by returning you all the way back to the **GARDEN OF EDEN** where Adam was before the fall, **THE KINGDOM OF GOD ON EARTH!**

The Garden of Eden, therefore, as we have just discovered, is a symbolic picture of the blessed realm of the **"PRESENCE OF GOD" RIGHT HERE ON EARTH.** It's the realm of the **FULLNESS OF THE SPIRIT!**  As we are each “**CAUGHT UP",** on " an individual basis ("every man in his own order"), Satan, in turn, is violently **"CAST OUT TO THE EARTH".**What do I mean by that?   I don't actually mean that Satan has gone anywhere, for what actually happens, is that you and I simply **ASCEND** to a **HIGHER DIMENSION OF THE SPIRIT** and leave him completely behind in the lower realm of **THE DUST OF THE CARNAL MIND (**the realm of the **ANTICHRIST)!**

Though we could spend much more time concerning the **BIRTHING OF THE MANCHILD** and the **OVERCOMING OF THE ANTICHRIST,** in this particular article, I'm going to refrain from doing so.  The primary reason that I've gone as far as I have to this point, is to simply add some explanation to this mysterious passage concerning the **WAR IN HEAVEN!**  **LUCIFER** is nowhere to be found, my friends, because **LUCIFER, THE LIGHT BEARER, NEVER WAS SATAN IN THE FIRST PLACE.**  Though I dare not go into it here, a close examination of **1 THESSALONIANS 4:13-16,** in my book **"THE SPLITTING OF THE ADAM, IT'S TIME TO AWAKEN!",** will show that there is a direct parallel between that passage, and the **FINAL MOMENTS OF THIS WAR IN HEAVEN!**

As we attempt to close, I would be completely remiss if I didn't quickly make mention of one final passage which the religious church system has continually tried to link to their theory concerning **LUCIFER: LUKE 10:18.**

"And he said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven." **(LUKE 10:18)**

**FIRST OF ALL, WE MUST QUICKLY MAKE MENTION AGAIN, THAT THE NAME "LUCIFER", IS NOWHERE TO BE FOUND IN THIS PASSAGE, FOR ONCE AGAIN, LUCIFER IS NOT A PROPER NOUN!** It has simply been assumed that it was the proper name for Satan!  So, before we discuss this passage, let me just interject a thought here that many may now be asking.  Many of you may be legitimately asking yourselves the following question: **"If Lucifer is not Satan, and Satan was not a fallen angel, then what's his true identity and origin"?**Great question, my friends, and here's your answer.  Another time, another place, and another article! LOL! But, actually I already gave a strong hint on this matter, earlier on in this article.  Let's move on.

In **LUKE 10:18,** above, the common thing for religion to do with this passage has been to link it to the **SUPPOSED** pre-Adamic fall of Lucifer in our earlier passages from **ISAIAH 14, AND EZEKIEL 28.**  Nonsense, my friends. Again, Lucifer is not a proper name!  So, if we were to link this passage up with the actual meaning of the Hebrew word **"HEYLEL",** from **ISAIAH 14:12,** which is **"LIGHT BEARER",** Jesus would be making the following statement in Luke **10:18: "I BEHELD THE LIGHT BEARER AS LIGHTNING FALL FROM HEAVEN!**Can you see how ridiculous this sounds, beloved?  Why would Jesus say that he saw God cast a "light bearer" out of heaven?  Absolutely nonsense, my friends. Again, **SATAN** was never a **"LIGHT BEARER",** he was a murderer from the beginning!  **ADAM** was the **"LIGHT BEARER",** created "**PERFECT" (IN THE IMAGE OF GOD)** until iniquity was **FOUND IN HIM!**  So, what was it that was actually happening here in **LUKE 10:18?**  A proper placing of this verse within its actual context will give us a much better explanation.

In **LUKE 10:1-17,** Jesus puts together, and anoints a group of 70 elders (two by two), as his personal representatives, to go forth into the cities and countryside to minister on His behalf.  He clearly tells them in verse 9, to say to those whom they are ministering to that the **"KINGDOM OF GOD"** had come nigh unto them.  And what was the principle that we just discovered from Revelation 12:9-10, my friends?  **WHEN THE KINGDOM COMES, SATAN IS CAST OUT!**  Throughout the 3 ½ year ministry of Jesus of Nazareth, over and over again, the power of Satan was forced to completely bow down to the power of the Kingdom of God which was operating through our savior.  Now, in Luke 10, Jesus delegates his power and authority to a group of 70 and basically says, **"YOU GO AND DO AS IF I WERE THERE"!**  When the 70 return in verse 17, they were rejoicing greatly and said "Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through thy name"!  Now, having heard that, do you really think that Jesus was suddenly going to talk to them about some pre-Adamic, Heavenly war, concerning an angel named Lucifer, whose name doesn't even exist?  Of course not!  He's going to explain to them an extremely important concept of the Kingdom of God!  It's simply this.  **WHEREVER THE POWER OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS ACTIVATED, SATAN'S SPHERE OF INFLUENCE IN THAT PARTICULAR AREA OF A PERSON'S LIFE IS IMMEDIATELY CAST OUT AND OVERCOME.**  Whether it be health issues, financial issues, family issues, or another, when his true, delegated ministers finally a ride on the scene, his controlling influence has got to bow the knee; and that's all that Jesus was saying here when the passage is placed into context.

While the 70 Elders were only focusing upon the outward, manifested results of their initial, Kingdom journey, **JESUS' EMPHASIS WAS TO HELP THEM UNDERSTAND THE UNDERLYING SPIRITUAL PRINCIPLE WHICH WAS TAKING PLACE THROUGH THOSE MANIFESTATIONS.**  A spiritual principle, which if truth be told, shall soon re-occur in the earth with multiplied ramifications; for there's about to be a birthing in the earth like nothing ever witnessed before, my friends!  Through the glorious manifestation of the **MATURE SONS OF GOD,** the miraculous works of those original seventy elders, will become nothing but a fading memory in comparison to the greatest release of Kingdom power and authority that the planet has ever witnessed; but this time, the life-long works of Satan and his messengers (angels), will come crashing down to the earth with a final, devastating blow.  As one kingdom minister has so aptly put it: **"THROUGH THE WORKS OF JESUS, AT CALVARY, SATAN WAS COMPLETELY AND THOROUGHLY DEFEATED; BUT THROUGH THE WORKS OF HIS MANIFESTED SONS, THE EARTH WILL FINALLY BE RID OF HIS INFLUENCE"**  Not to be separated from this influence, my friends, are the multiplied myriads of religious traditions **(TARES)** that have thoroughly infiltrated the pristine pulpits of modern-day Christendom; and as we've certainly just discovered, the life-long teachings concerning our precious friend Lucifer are near to the pinnacle of these meaningless traditions. For **LUCIFER**has nothing to do, whatsoever with **SATAN,** my friends,but was the original **"LIGHT BEARER"** to this late, great planet we call earth.Lucifer was the **FIRST MAN ADAM!** He was mankind, who was lowered into the realm of **ANOTHER IMAGE** **(ANTICHRIST),** through the corruption of his **MIND** at the fall, and the same **MANKIND** who will be **AWAKENED TO RIGHTEOUSNESS** and returned to His **RIGHT MIND** as the **IMAGE OF GOD (CHRIST),** at the **TRUE CATCHING UP (**the **PASSING THROUGH THE VEIL, EVERY MAN IN HIS OWN ORDER)!**

According to **1 CORINTHIANS 15:47-49,** in the eyes of the scripture, there has only ever been but **TWO MEN** on the planet, and both men are **CORPORATE (MANY-MEMBERED):** **CHRIST** and **ADAM!** One man is **CARNALLY MINDED,** which is **ENMITY** against God; but the other man is **SPIRITUALLY MINDED, CHRIST,** the **IMAGE OF GOD!** So, if that be the case, and it most certainly is, my friends, then with only **TWO MEN** on the planet to choose from, it shouldn’t be that difficult for the church-world to determine who the **ANTICHRIST** is! The religious church systems of our day, through their unhealthy infatuation with **FUTURISM,** have made this relatively simple concept far more difficult to understand than it actually is. For, once again, as I just stated, **ACCORDING TO THE BIBLE**, there has only ever been but **TWO MEN** on the planet, and both men are **CORPORATE (MANY-MEMBERED): CHRIST** and **ADAM!** If that be the case, and it most certainly is, my friends, then it shouldn’t be that difficult for us to determine who the **ANTICHRIST** is! The **ANTICHRIST** is the fallen, **ADAMIC NATURE,** beloved, the **CARNAL MIND** within every man,who can only be **OVERCOME** by a complete and thorough journey through the **REALM OF PENTECOST,** until the Holy Spirit within **CIRCUMCISES THE HEART,** and **CATCHES YOU UP THROUGH THE VEIL! PARADISE (EDEN) REGAINED!** The **KINGDOM OF GOD ON EARTH! SELAH!**

It's time for the religious church system of our day to take a long, hard look at this concept they call **REDEMPTION,** my friends. For you cannot **“RE-” ANYTHING,** without first returning that thing to its **ORIGINAL CONDITION!** At the fall of mankind **(THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD),** **ADAM** did not **FALL** from a vacation resort in the sky, three miles south of Mars, and land on planet earth. Neither then will he be **REDEEMED** to such a resort! When he fell, he fell from the **FULLNESS OF THE REALM OF THE SPIRIT (HEAVEN)** and was **LOWERED DOWN** into the realm of the **SOUL,** as his **MIND** was joined to the **FLESH.** As a result, an **IMAGE** other than the one which was originally created was formedwhich proceeded to completely infiltrated the **EARTH…... ANTICHRIST!** The purpose of **TRUE REDEMPTION,** therefore, is not about bringing mankind to a physical location in the sky somewhere, but to **OVERCOME THE ANTICHRIST** and return mankind back to the **ORIGINAL IMAGE** in which he was created **(CHRIST: THE IMAGE OF GOD, SPIRIT and SOUL REUNITED!),** and the **ORIGINAL** **DIMENSION** of the **FULLNESS OF THE SPIRIT (HEAVEN)** from which he fell! But, what about my **MANSION** and **GOLDEN STREETS,** brother Don? **……………….TO BE CONTINUED!**