



## 3.04 – The Blood Covenant Between God and Mankind.

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### 1.0 – Introduction Story.

(Scriptures from KJV unless noted otherwise)

#### Foundation Scriptures:

#### **Gal.3:13-14 &**

<sup>13</sup> *Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree”), <sup>14</sup> that the blessing of Abraham might come upon the Gentiles in Christ Jesus, that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith. (NKJV)*

#### **Gal.3:29**

<sup>29</sup> *And if you are Christ’s, then you are Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise. (NKJV)*

A man who had lost everything including home and money, was found on the street begging for money and trying to find food where ever he could. The man had lost everything including his understanding of his family line and family background. What this man did not know that someone had died and left to him a great inheritance that included a royal title and wealth. This made him very rich and it also meant that he would not have to be on the street anymore begging for a handout from the world. When he was finally told of his great inheritance, he would not believe that he was rich or had a royal title, because he would only believe in what he saw with his eyes and the circumstances that he lived in. This man even though he was very rich and of a royal household, actually kept himself in a condition of poverty living a life of defeat way below the life and the inheritance that was left to him.

**So many Christians are living on bread and cheese when God’s best is theirs all the time, why? Because they do not know the terms of their contract, their covenant - the New Testament.**

### 2.0 - Our Covenant – through Jesus to Abraham.

1. **The Bible is the covenant** that we have through Christ Jesus to God – both the *old and new testament together!* – “Testament” means Covenant!

2. King David new and operated out of his covenant with God – when he killed goliath he states his position and Goliath’s position - 1 Sam.17

- *He qualifies his own faith* (covenant with God), while at the same time he *qualifies his enemy* (uncircumcised – without covenant)

#### **1 Sam.17:26.**

<sup>26</sup> *And David spoke to the men that stood by him, saying, What shall be done to the man that kills this Philistine, and takes away the reproach from Israel? for who is **this uncircumcised Philistine**, that he should defy the armies of the living God? (KJV)*

- *He was aware* of his covenant to God, through Abraham – Deut.28:25 “*your enemies shall come at you one way and they shall flee in seven ways*” – **David believed God!**
- **Any (covenant) man** on the battle field could have done the same thing as David did!

3. God made a covenant with a man called Abraham to **get HIS word back** into the earth, to **break the union** between HIS creation (mankind) – and Satan, and to become once again the **absolute provider** for man!

4. Mark 16:15 says for us to go into all the world to preach the gospel – but it says more in the following verses, cast out demons, lay hands upon the sick.

- **God has called us to be men and women of the Spirit** – to operate out of our covenant, to base every word, action, decision, and thought on our covenant first – **covenant man and covenant women!**



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- Our example to follow – Christ Jesus – He operated out of His Abrahamic covenant to God as a man and not as the Son of God, Jesus showed us what to do, he was our example to follow!

### Phil.2:7-8

<sup>7</sup>But **made himself of no reputation**, and took upon him the form of **a servant**, and was made in the **likeness of men**:

<sup>8</sup>And being found in fashion as a man, he **humbled himself**, and became **obedient unto death**, even the death of the cross.

### 3.0 - What Is A Covenant?

#### **A basic definition;**

**Where two or two groups of people come together and make an agreement, where the strengths of each group cancel out the weaknesses or needs of each group. In the agreement there are terms and conditions that each group must keep or maintain and terms that describe what happens if the agreement is broken by either group.**

#### **In Abraham`s Day;**

1. Two families (or tribes) made covenant together – they gave everything they had to one another.
2. They were no longer two but one – they bound themselves together to fill in each other’s weaknesses and needs.
3. They made the terms of agreement and discussed them until they fully and mutually agreed, then chose representatives to cut the covenant.
4. Three large animals were killed and split down the spine and the halves laid on the ground, opposite which resulted in a trail of blood – called “the way of the blood”.
5. The two representatives exchanged their coats as a sign of exchange of their authority – all that I have is yours.
6. The representatives exchanged their weapons – “My strength is now your strength, and your enemies are now my enemies”
7. They both walked through the trail of blood, stop in the middle and say their pledges of loyalty, making promises to each other that could never be broken – “the blessing of the covenant”
8. They also pronounced a curse and this was the penalty for breaking the agreement – and swore by their God (the 3<sup>rd</sup> party).
9. Next was the cut of the covenant – they cut their hands and their wrists were bound together so that their blood would mix.
10. After their loyalty was sworn to each other, the families joined their names together as a permanent sign that they had become one.
11. Finally they ate a covenant meal together of bread and wine which represented their flesh and their blood – the covenant meal represented that they were willing to lay down their lives for each other.

**These covenants in those days were very serious and that is why God chose the Blood covenant so that Abraham would understand the offer from God.**

### 4.0 - Abraham’s Covenant.

In the beginning God creates the heaven and the earth:

#### **Gen. 1:26 - 31:**

<sup>26</sup> 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 creeps upon the earth. <sup>27</sup> So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them. <sup>28</sup>

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 moves upon the earth.

<sup>29</sup> And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat. <sup>30</sup> And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to everything that creeps upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and



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it was so. <sup>31</sup> And God saw everything that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day. (KJV)

- God **creates man** called Adam and places him in the middle of the Garden of Eden.
- Adam was **given lordship** over everything by God ( Gen.1:26 -31)
- God gave Adam the **right to have his own family** – to father humanity.

#### The law of Genesis

God puts into motion a law that says that everything created by God, produces after its own kind –“the law of Genesis.”

#### **Gen.1:11-12**

<sup>11</sup> And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so. <sup>12</sup> And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, after his kind: and God saw that it was good. (KJV)

- Man was no exception to the law, Adam created in God’s image (a spiritual being), God becomes Adam’s spiritual father that is the spiritual father of mankind.
- Satan in the Garden of Eden **deceives Adam** and Eve **into disobeying** God’s command not to eat of the fruit (Gen.2:16-17 & Gen.3:1-7).
- Mankind falls into sin loses all dominion and authority through disobedience, and at the same time **changes spiritual fathers from God to Satan**. Satan who lost all of his authority in his rebellion against heaven, plans and manipulates man’s authority into his own hands – he became the god of this world. (2 Cor.4:4)
- Jesus was **tempted by Satan** in the desert but, did not sin and did the will of his FATHER. (Matt. 4:1-11)

#### **Luke 4:5-7**

<sup>5</sup> And the devil, taking him up into an high mountain, shewed unto him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time.

<sup>6</sup> And the devil said unto him, All this power will I give thee, and the glory of them: for that is delivered unto me; and to whomsoever I will I give it. <sup>7</sup> If thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be thine (KJV)

- Jesus was tempted but he used the word against Satan, “**It is written**”.

### 5.0 - Spiritual Death.

After man sinned, they changed for the nature of God (spiritual life - ZOE), to the nature of Satan (spiritual death – separation from God), and Adam became the first person to be “born again” from “life to death” that is, spiritual life to spiritual death.

#### **Gen. 2:17**

<sup>17</sup> But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, you shalt not eat of it: for in the day that you eat thereof you shall surely die. (KJV)

- Man **died spiritually** immediately and began to die physically over time.
- The **sin nature** (spiritual death) within Adam and Eve, **was reproduced in mankind** from that point onwards.

#### **Rom.5:12**

<sup>12</sup> Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned: (KJV)

- A result from Sin entering into the Garden of Eden and Adam and Eve which was passed down to the rest of mankind over generations, through birth.



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### 6.0 - Spiritual Life.

This process is reversed when you make Jesus the lord of your life – you are born from “spiritual death to spiritual life” in Christ Jesus – this is why Jesus went to the cross!

#### 1 John 3:8

<sup>8</sup> *He that commits sin is of the devil; for the devil sins from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil. (KJV)*

- When Jesus spoke to the religious leaders of the day, he said in (John 8:44), “you are of your father the devil.”
- Through the cross, Jesus defeated Satan and took away from him the dominion that Satan had over mankind.
- Had the princes of this world known this, they would have never crucified the Lord of Glory (1 Cor.2:8).

#### Rom.5:17-18

<sup>17</sup> *For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ.)* <sup>18</sup> *Therefore as by the offence of one judgment came upon all men to condemnation; even so by the righteousness of one the free gift came upon all men unto justification of life. (KJV)*

#### 2 Cor. 5:17

<sup>17</sup> *Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. (KJV)*

### 7.0 - God Finds a Way Back into the Earth.

After the fall of man, God is on the outside of his creation and creation of mankind, therefore he must find a way back into the earth to separate the union between his (creation) man, and Satan.

- Since a man was the **key figure of the fall**, a **man had to be key figure in the redemption**.
- **God approaches a man called Abram** and re-enacts with Abram what Satan had done with Adam, except God does not use deception.
- God **offers Abram a deal** and Abram took it.

#### Gen.17:1-5

<sup>1</sup> *And when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect.* <sup>2</sup> **And I will make my covenant between me and thee, and will multiply thee exceedingly.** <sup>3</sup> *And Abram fell on his face: and God talked with him, saying,* <sup>4</sup> *As for me, behold, my covenant is with thee, and thou shalt be a father of many nations.* <sup>5</sup> *Neither shall thy name any more be called Abram, but thy name shall be Abraham; for a father of many nations have I made thee. (KJV)*

- **Abram accepted** the offer of his own free will.
- This gave access back into the earth and at the same time gave man access to God.
- The time from Adam to Abraham, man had lost real knowledge of God.

### 8.0 - Understanding the Authority placed in the Covenant.

1. This was an absolute agreement between God and Abram sealed on both sides.
2. God sealed His own side and swore by Himself (Gen.22:16), there was no higher authority to swear by, if God broke the Covenant, He would have to destroy Himself.
3. Man's part of the Covenant was sealed in the act of circumcision of his flesh (Gen.17:10-14).
4. It was made official by the shedding of man's blood – the Hebrew word **covenant** means “**to cut where blood flows**” – this is the strongest word of agreement in any language.



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5. A covenant is a contract, or agreement, made between two parties and sealed by the shedding of their blood.
6. Once this is done the covenant can never be broken.
7. Every heathen tribe on the face of the earth has a blood covenant e.g. American red Indians.
8. The blood covenant between God and man was marked in the man's flesh through circumcision, in other words, circumcision was "***the cut of the covenant.***"

#### 9.0 - God Consults with His Covenant Man.

God consults Abraham about the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah, and here we see Abraham discusses the conditions of their destruction – **the number of righteous would stop the destruction of the cities.** (Gen.18:23)

**God finds a man called Moses to lead the Israelites out of Egypt, because he remembered His covenant with Abraham.** (Exodus 2.23-25; Ex.3:1-10)

- **After the Israelites were free and went out into the wilderness, Moses had to go to God on behalf of them for God was angry with them.**
- **God wanted to destroy Israel and start a new race with Moses as He had with Noah after the flood.**

#### **Exodus 32:11-14**

<sup>11</sup> *And Moses besought the Lord his God, and said, Lord, why doth thy wrath wax hot against thy people, which thou hast brought forth out of the land of Egypt with great power, and with a mighty hand?* <sup>12</sup> *Wherefore should the Egyptians speak, and say, For mischief did he bring them out, to slay them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth? Turn from thy fierce wrath, and repent of this evil against thy people.* <sup>13</sup> **Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, thy servants, to whom you swore by thine own self, and said unto them, I will multiply your seed as the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have spoken of will I give unto your seed, and they shall inherit it for ever.** <sup>14</sup> *And the Lord repented of the evil which he thought to do unto his people. (KJV)*

- God repented! Why?
- **Because of the covenant** He had made with Abraham so many years before.

#### 10. - The Blessing of Abraham.

**God promises to care for Abraham and his descendants in every way – spiritually, mentally, physically, financially, and socially.**

#### **Gen.17:7**

<sup>7</sup> *And I will establish my covenant between me and thee and thy seed after thee in their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto thee, and to thy seed after thee. (KJV)*

#### **In Gen.17:1**

<sup>1</sup> *And when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect. (KJV)*

- **The Hebrew name for Almighty God is *EL Shaddai*. EL means "supreme"; *Shaddai* means "the breasty one"**
- **God was promising to be their father, their mother, their nurse – the supreme provider for everything.**

The people of Israel badly damaged the Covenant at Mount Sinai, but through the intervention of Moses, God forgave them but He handed down the Law and brought in the Levitical priesthood to repair the damage done in the Covenant. **God was sworn to their destruction for breaking the Covenant, but He allowed sacrificial offerings to cover for their sins – Atone (to cover) and not Remit (to chase, remove entirely).**



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- The Levitical priesthood was brought into existence for one purpose: **to minister between God and man to bridge the gap (in relationship)**
- The blood of animals that were spotless and without blemish, was to be offered once every year, to cover the sins of men, **but only the blood of Jesus could do away with sin altogether.**

#### Heb.9:22

<sup>22</sup> *And almost all things are by the law purged with blood; and without shedding of blood is no remission. (KJV)*

- **There had to be a mediator between man and God**, the first mediator was the Levitical priesthood; **the last mediator was Jesus** – our High Priest who makes intercession for us. (1 Tim.2:5; Heb.7:25)

### 11.0 - God's Law and the Articles of the Covenant.

In the book of Deuteronomy, Moses recorded God's law and the articles of the Covenant and then went on to record the blessings for any person that would put God's word first place in their lives.

#### Duet.28:1-14 (the blessings)

<sup>1</sup> *And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the Lord thy God, to observe and to do all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the Lord thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth:*

<sup>2</sup> *And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the Lord thy God. ....(KJV)*

- **The blessing of Abraham covers every area of life – Spiritual, Soul, Body, Financial, Social.**
- **As long as the people of Israel were doing what God said to do in His Word, they were not harmed. His agreement with them said, "if an enemy comes out against you one way, I will cause him to flee seven."**

### 12. - The Curse of the Law.

When a man was under the Abrahamic Covenant, refused to obey the law and receive the blessings, there was one alternative – the curse (by default)

- **When a person steps out from under the Covenant with God, he automatically steps over into the hands of Satan.**
- **The curse came into the earth as a direct result of the sin act by Adam & Eve in the Garden of Eden.**
- **There is no in-between ground, if you do not have the blessings of God, you have the problems of the world.**
- **When God made Covenant with Abraham, He did not do away with the curse: he offered Abraham a way to live free from its effect by providing an umbrella of protection.**

#### Duet. 28:15-68 (the Curse)

<sup>15</sup> *But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of the Lord thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day; that all these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee: (KJV)*

#### V 29 - Poverty

<sup>29</sup> *And you shalt grope at noonday, as the blind grope in darkness, and you shalt not prosper in thy ways: and thou shalt be only oppressed and spoiled evermore, and no man shall save you. (KJV)*

#### V44 - Debt

<sup>44</sup> *He shall lend to thee, and thou shalt not lend to him: he shall be the head, and thou shalt be the tail. (KJV)*



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### V61- Sickness

<sup>61</sup> Also every sickness, and every plague, which is not written in the book of this law, them will the Lord bring upon thee, until thou be destroyed. (KJV) – **(ALL sickness and ALL disease)**

### 13. Our Redemption.

#### Gal.3:13-14

<sup>13</sup> **Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangs on a tree:** <sup>14</sup> **That the blessing of Abraham might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith. (KJV)**

- **Jesus was a product of the Abrahamic Covenant – he was an Israelite circumcised on the eighth day.**
- **Jesus was the only man that could fulfill the articles of the “Abrahamic Covenant” and walk perfect and upright before God.**
- He used his covenant to control the laws of nature and **Jesus** emptied himself of His divine privileges and walked as a man.
- He was a prophet operating under the Abrahamic covenant.....
- Any person at the time, could have done the same thing as Jesus, except to go to the cross, because they had the same covenant as Jesus had through Abraham to God - the **people had just lost sight and revelation** over the years, of it – **and so have most believers today!**

#### Phil.2:7-8

<sup>7</sup> **But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men:** <sup>8</sup> **And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. (KJV)**

#### Heb.4:15

<sup>15</sup> **For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. (KJV)**

- Jesus was tempted with sin as we are, yet **he withstood it** and continued to walk perfect before God.
- Under the Levitical Law, the high priest was to take an unmarked lamb and offer it as a sacrifice for sin. Jesus was offered up as the sacrifice for mankind unspotted by sin.
- The high priest offered up the spotless Son of God on the altar of the cross for the sins of mankind. The blood of Jesus was poured out in behalf of the Covenant He upheld.
- Because God had asked Abraham to sacrifice his son Isaac upon the alter, God was also obligated to offer His Son Jesus, as a sacrifice upon the alter of the cross, because of their covenant.
- Because Isaac did not die, because God supplied a ram for sacrifice as a substitute, **God had the right to raise Son from the dead**, because of their covenant.

### 14.0 - Jesus fulfilled the terms of the Old Covenant (Abrahamic).

- He **brought in** the NEW COVENANT – a better covenant with better promises.
- He died and **paid the price** for the OLD COVENANT – he finished it!
- He was **raised from the dead a new man** – a NEW COVENANT MAN – untouchable by sin and death.
- He sits at the right hand of His Father God, ready to carry out HIS NEW TESTAMENT.
- The cut of the OLD COVENANT was the shedding of man`s blood through circumcision, the cut of the NEW COVENANT was the shedding of the blood of Jesus.
- There is no curse under the NEW COVENANT because Jesus became the curse for us!
- Old Covenant covered every area of life – spirit, soul, body financial and social.
- New Covenant - **the blessings of the Old, the new birth, baptism of Holy Ghost, Remission of sins, no Curse and much more.**



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### 15. - The Seed of Abraham.

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#### Gal.3:16

<sup>16</sup> **Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He said not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, **And to your seed, which is Christ** (KJV)**

**God made a covenant with Abraham and made him a mediator, as a way to get His Word into the earth, to open the way for Jesus to come!**

- Abraham only operated in a part of his covenant and down through all the prophets of God operated in the covenant as best as they could.
- The covenant was far too difficult for them to completely follow until Jesus came who was spiritually a lot stronger – **the promise was made to one seed, which was Christ.**

### 16.0 - Jesus Operated as a Prophet under the Old Covenant.

**In the old Testament God promised to care for His people;**

#### Duet.28:7

<sup>7</sup> **The Lord shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face: they shall come out against thee one way, and flee before thee seven ways.** (KJV)

**God further said;**

#### Isaiah 58:9

<sup>9</sup> **Then shalt thou call, and the Lord shall answer; thou shalt cry, and he shall say, Here I am. If thou take away from the midst of thee the yoke, the putting forth of the finger, and speaking vanity; (KJV)**

- **In Hebrew language this literally means, "You call and the Lord will answer, even before you finish the sentence"**
- **We see in the ministry of Jesus when Jesus spoke and said to the storm, "Peace, be still" and "Lazarus, come forth!" and these things happened, that God moved and honored His covenant man.**
- We see that Jesus did not operate in his earthly ministry as the Son of God, **he operated as a man**, a prophet, under the Abrahamic Covenant.
- Jesus took **the principles in the Word of God** and ministered them to Israel **in faith** and in the love of God.
- Jesus **did not introduce healing**, it was already a provision the old Covenant.
- Jesus did not use His son ship as a weapon – **he used the Word** of God instead, "It is written..."
- God did not answer Jesus`s prayers because Jesus was His son, God answered **the prayers because of the covenant** that Jesus had with Him.

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#### Gal. 3:16-19

<sup>16</sup> Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He said not, And to seeds, as of many; **but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.** <sup>17</sup> And this I say, that the covenant, that was confirmed before of God in Christ, the law, which was four hundred and thirty years after, cannot disannul, that it should make the promise of none effect. <sup>18</sup> For if the inheritance be of the law, it is no more of promise: but God gave it to Abraham by promise. <sup>19</sup> **Wherefore then serves the law? It was added because of transgressions, till the seed should come to whom the promise was made; and it was ordained by angels in the hand of a mediator. (KJV)**

- The Law was brought in to protect the promise until when Jesus came.
- Once God`s Word was in the earth, Satan could do nothing to stop it.

#### Isaiah 55:11

<sup>11</sup> So shall my word be that goes forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it. (KJV)

### 17.0 - People under the Old Covenant.

A man could make a decision to live in line with God`s Word, but sin was still a problem to him. In the 11<sup>th</sup> Chapter of the book of Hebrews we see such outstanding feats of faith in the old saints mentioned, why?

- **The power of sin was still inside them (their spiritual man), spiritual death was lodged in their hearts.**
- When Jesus came to the earth, bore the penalty of spiritual death, broke its power, and was raised from the dead in triumph over Satan and his kingdom and when you made Jesus your Lord, the power of eternal life came around your spirit and a new man was born inside you.

#### Rev. 1:18

<sup>18</sup> I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; **and have the keys of hell and of death.** (KJV)

### 18.0 - People under the New Covenant.

#### 2 Cor. 5:17

<sup>17</sup> Therefore if any man be in Christ, **he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.** (KJV) - **This is the New Covenant!**

#### Gal. 3:19-29

<sup>19</sup> Wherefore then serves the law? It was added because of transgressions, till the seed should come to whom the promise was made; and it was ordained by angels in the hand of a mediator. <sup>20</sup> Now a mediator is not a mediator of one, but God is one. <sup>21</sup> Is the law then against the promises of God? God forbid: for if there had been a law given which could have given life, verily righteousness should have been by the law. <sup>22</sup> But the scripture hath concluded all under sin, **that the promise by faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe.** <sup>23</sup> But before faith came, we were kept under the law, shut up unto the faith which should afterwards be revealed. <sup>24</sup> Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup> But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster. <sup>26</sup> For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. <sup>27</sup> For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. <sup>28</sup> There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup> **And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise. (KJV)**



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- If you are in Christ Jesus, **THEN ARE YOU ABRAHAM’S SEED**.....
- The word **seed** in the 29<sup>th</sup> verse is as **singular** as it was in verse 16 when it was referring to **Jesus**.
- **The promise is to you** and it will work in the name of Jesus.
- When **you are in Christ**, you come into the same promise as He – **Jesus has passed the promise to you as His Joint Heir!**
- It is your promise and Jesus has given it to you – to operate in His name

#### Gal. 3:13-14

<sup>13</sup> *Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangs on a tree: <sup>14</sup> That **the blessing of Abraham might** come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; **that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.** (KJV)*

- **“That we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith,”** is referring to the **entire** promise of God given through Abraham - it means that we might receive **the promise which the Spirit made to Jesus**.
- Receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit is a part of the promise of being in Christ Jesus.
- The promise of God should be so real to you that you believe and act upon it the same way Jesus did.
- The promise should be worked according to the Word of God, not according to the way you feel or think.

The natural mind does not consider the prayer answered until the answer can be seen – but prayer is answered the moment you receive the answer by faith based on the authority of God’s Word.

- We do **not** confess the problem but we **confess the answer – God’s Word!**
- **Do what Jesus did, He spoke the end results** – he called those things that are not as though they were!
- God also **calls things that be not**, as though **they were!**

#### Heb. 11:1-3

<sup>1</sup> **Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.** <sup>2</sup> *For by it the elders obtained a good report.* <sup>3</sup> *Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, **so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear.*** (KJV)

#### Gen. 1:3

<sup>3</sup> *And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.* (KJV).

#### Rom.4:17

<sup>17</sup> *(As it is written, I have made thee a father of many nations,) before him whom he believed, even God, who quickeneth the dead, and calls those things which be not as though they were.* (KJV)

### 19.0 - The Promises of God are received through Faith in Jesus Name.

#### Mark 11:22-26

<sup>22</sup> *And Jesus answering said unto them, Have faith in God. <sup>23</sup> For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he said shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he says. <sup>24</sup> Therefore I say unto you, **What things so ever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.** <sup>25</sup> And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have ought against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. <sup>26</sup> But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.* (KJV)

- God’s Word tells us that **we have a right to pray and expect God to answer**, but not according to what we have done, but according to what Jesus has done.



## 3.04 – The Blood Covenant Between God and Mankind.

### Isaiah 1:19

<sup>19</sup> *If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land: (KJV)*

- **Obedient to what? – The Word of God, The new Covenant.**
- You can expect God to move because of His Word, **because of His promise to Abraham`s seed – You!**

### Matt. 8:17

<sup>17</sup> *And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican. (KJV)*

- God is **speaking directly to you the seed of Abraham**, the believer in Christ Jesus.
- Christ has redeemed you from the curse of the Law **so that the blessings of Abraham might come upon you**
- **All the blessings of God belong to you** as a born-again **believer** – just **stand on God`s Word** and allow these blessings to come into your life.

## 20.0 - The Blessings are upon us Already.

### Duet. 28:7-8

<sup>7</sup> *The Lord shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face: they shall come out against thee one way, and flee before thee seven ways. <sup>8</sup> **The Lord shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou set thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee. (KJV)***

- We have been trying to get God to bless us when **He has already commanded the blessings upon us!**
- Every time you stand on God`s Word, **you are commanding Him to a point, to do it** – an honest man will honor his word when he gives it and when you stand on that word he has to do it! – **He is obligated!**
- In the same way you, you put a **command on God through His Word.**

### Isaiah 43:26

<sup>26</sup> ***Put me in remembrance:** let us plead together: declare thou, that thou may be justified. (KJV)*

When we pray we go to God`s Word the answer, and pray the answer in faith (according to Mark 11:22-26) to the Father in heaven, in the name of Jesus, **and remind (put Him in remembrance) God of His Word or promise to us because we are joint heirs with Christ Jesus** – and expect God to answer our prayer!

## 21.0 - The Daughter of Abraham.

### Luke 13:10-16

<sup>10</sup> *And he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. <sup>11</sup> And, behold, there was a woman which had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years, and was bowed together, and could in no wise lift up herself. <sup>12</sup> And when Jesus saw her, he called her to him, and said unto her, **Woman, thou art loosed from thine infirmity.** <sup>13</sup> And he laid his hands on her: and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God. <sup>14</sup> And the ruler of the synagogue answered with indignation, because that Jesus had healed on the sabbath day, and said unto the people, There are six days in which men ought to work: in them therefore come and be healed, and not on the sabbath day. <sup>15</sup> The Lord then answered him, and said, Thou hypocrite, doth not each one of you on the sabbath loose his ox or his ass from the stall, and lead him away to watering? <sup>16</sup> **And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day? (KJV)***

- **v.12** – Jesus said to the woman that **she was already loosed** from her infirmity, **he did not say** to her “*I am going to lose you,*” or “*Be loosed*” – Jesus did not waste words, they were important to Him!
- **v.13** – When he laid hands upon her she was **immediately healed.** (*she glorified God*)



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- **v.14** – The ruler of the Synagogue questioned Jesus over the healing on the sabbath day.
- **v.16** – Jesus answered that she was a daughter, therefore **she had a right** to be loosed from her infirmity – she had lived with this problem for 18 years because **she did not know the blessing of Abraham** and this was the blessing to set her free.

When Israel was were held in bondage in Egypt for over 400 years, this was **due to their ignorance** of God's Covenant with them – God called the man called Moses to go to Egypt and stand before the Pharaoh and release His people out of their bondage because of the Covenant. **They had forgotten their Covenant** for over the 400 years.

- He was the **same God**, it was **the same Covenant**, as it was before the 400 years – **God and His covenant had not changed!**

Note that **Jesus did not pray** for the daughter of Abraham, **Jesus said** to her that she was loosed and then **Jesus Laid hands** on her and she was healed!

#### Mark 16:15-18

<sup>15</sup> *And he said unto them, **Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.** <sup>16</sup> *He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.* <sup>17</sup> *And these signs shall follow them that believe; **In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;** <sup>18</sup> *They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they **shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.** (KJV)***

- Jesus did not say that we should pray for the sick, even though there is nothing wrong with praying for the sick.
- What Jesus was saying was the **gospel would do the job** – when we **preach the gospel** (good news, or the Word of God), then as we lay hands on them we can expect them to be healed – in His Name!
- **Preach the truth.....the signs and wonders will follow.**

### 22.0 - Applying this to yourself.

<sup>16</sup>**And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond ....**

- Or this can be said in today's language as,

<sup>16</sup>**And ought not this woman** (or man - insert your name) **being a daughter** (or son- insert your name) **of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond...**(insert your bondage for example- financial, sickness, etc.)

- **This applies directly to you, right now and right where you are!** It does not matter what nationality you are or where you were born, it matters who you are in Christ Jesus! Why?

#### Gal.3:13,14

<sup>13</sup> *Christ hath **redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangs on a tree:** <sup>14</sup> *That the **blessing of Abraham might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.** (KJV)**

#### Gal.3:29

<sup>29</sup> **And if you be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.** (KJV)

- Because **you are in Christ Jesus** (through faith), **then are you Abraham's seed** and **you are heirs to the promise**, - What promise? – the promise that was made to Jesus through Abraham – the Blessings and redemption from the Curse.



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#### Heb.7:22

<sup>22</sup> By so much was **Jesus made a surety** of a better testament (KJV)

- When Satan comes to you and puts a problem in your life, lift up your bible and remind Satan that **you are redeemed** from the curse and the thing he is trying to put on you – **you have authority as a believer**.
- When you are walking in the ways of God, which is living according to His Word, you can expect God and the Holy Spirit to back you with power, because Jesus is the surety or guarantee of the New Covenant.

#### 1 Cor.13:8

<sup>8</sup> Charity (love) never fails: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away. (KJV)

- **Before the Covenant can fail, Jesus would have to fail** and he can't fail because there is **no failure in Him**, because He is love - love never fails.

#### Heb.1:3

<sup>3</sup> Who being the brightness of his glory, and the express image of his person, **and upholding all things by the word of his power**, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high; (KJV).

- You have a contract with God, go to His written Word, it is your copy of the Covenant and Jesus is upholding all things by the power - His Word

### 23.0 - The Reality of your Inheritance.

**If you have made Jesus the Lord over your life, than you are a covenant person under the New Covenant,**

#### **Therefore you are;**

- Redeemed **from** the Curse of the Law - every part of it. (Duet.28:15-68)
- Redeemed **from** all sicknesses and diseases that are named and not named. (Duet.28:61)
- Redeemed **into** all the Blessings of Abraham (Duet. 28:1-14) through being joint heirs with Jesus.

#### **Under the New covenant you have;**

- The **new birth** in Christ Jesus. (2 Cor.5:17)
- The promise of **eternal life** in heaven with God and Jesus. (John 3:16)
- The **infilling and indwelling** of the Holy Spirit. (Luke11:13)
- The right to expect to **speak in other tongues** – your heavenly prayer language. (Acts 2:4)
- The right to **use the name** of Jesus over all you enemies. (Matt.28:18 / Matthew 18:18)
- The right to **lay hands on the sick** and see them healed in the name of Jesus. (Mark 16:18)
- The right to **cast out demons** in the name of Jesus. (Mark 16:17)
- The right to walk in **divine health, divine life and divine prosperity**.
- The right to **pray to God** in the name of Jesus and have your pray answered. (1 John 5:14-15)
- The right to **pray for your country** and to see these things change. (2 Chor.7:14)
- The right to **pray for your government and leaders**. (1 Tim.2:1-4)
- The right to **have the angels** of God at your side to help you and minister to you. (Heb.1:13-14)
- The right to be a **King and Priest** through Christ Jesus. (Rev.1:6)

**The only reason that these blessings or promises of God are not operating in your life, is because you have not stood up and declared that they are for you and then started to believe for them in your own life just like the daughter of Abraham was not aware that she had promises from God to her.**



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### 24.0 - The Inner Image of our Covenant.

We must develop on the inside of our hearts or spirit man, ***an image of the covenant promises***, for the bible says that you must believe in your heart and not doubt, then you can have what you say (or pray for).

#### Mark 11:23

<sup>23</sup> *For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith. (KJV)*

- The **key to believing in your heart is meditation** – for you will eventually believe what you think about continually.

#### Heb.11:1

<sup>1</sup> *Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. <sup>2</sup> For by it the elders obtained a good report. (KJV)*

- The bible says that **faith is the substance of things hoped for** and the evidence of things you cannot see.
- **Hope is the inner image of the promise** of God that you put into your heart or spirit.
- As you **meditate** long enough **you will build an inner image**.
- **Your faith is built up by confessing the promise of God** so that your spirit man can hear it – because ***faith comes by hearing and hearing by hearing and hearing by the Word of God.*** (Rom.10:17).
- As you **apply your faith by speaking it**, it will give the inner image, the hope, **the promise, substance** and it will come to pass.

### 25.0 – A Final Word over the Blood Covenant.

1. As you start to confess ***the promise or the Word of God***, an image forms in your imagination much like a blue print or a plan, and the Holy Spirit just like an artist, starts to fill in the blue print with ***your substance of Faith*** so that it becomes more real in your spirit man than what you see with your natural eyes. This is where ***your Faith*** is built up in the situation – this also means work from the believer and no doubt or unbelief.
2. As you release ***your faith*** into receiving the promise of God ***according to Mark 11:22-26 in the name of Jesus***, your ***faith connects to heaven and brings that promise*** from the supernatural realm into the natural realm to become a reality.
3. When that ***image becomes so real to you on the inside of you***, more real than what you see in the natural with your natural eyes, it will come to pass.
4. This is ***real bible Hope*** which is a real promise of God, the hope of the world is not a sure thing, ***but bible Hope is a sure thing*** and ***Jesus is waiting to fulfil the promises of God*** because of the Covenant.
5. Abraham used the Word of God (Hope of the Gospel), against the hope of the world which said that it was impossible to have a child at his old age. He took a higher truth and used his faith to believe God, in a hopeless situation, to change a fact in the natural to produce a son – Isaac the promise of God.

**JESUS IS LORD!**