

"PROOFS OF ISRAEL - XXV"

"Seeking Lost Souls"

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Luke 19:10... "For the Son of man has come to seek and to save, that which was lost."

Luke 15:9... "And when she had found it, she calleth her friends and her neighbours together, saying, Rejoice with me; for I have found the piece which I had lost."

In the **fifteenth chapter of Luke**, Jesus used uses three (3) Parables to answer the charge of the Pharisees against him "that he both received and ate with sinners." One parable was about a man who had lost a SHEEP, another about a girl who had lost a silver coin, and the other about a man who had lost a son. Please note that each of these items was a material (matter) object-none were spiritual! Also, there was much rejoicing by each person upon finding "that which was lost."

Now I grew up believing, from the preaching and teaching I received on this scripture from the church, (body of believers) that "JESUS-CHRIST WAS SEEKING LOST SOULS" and that these SOULS WERE SPIRITUAL. These scriptures do not say that-rather, the opposite is true! They were human beings-"LIVING SOULS." LISTEN:

In **Genesis 2**, we find that "man became a living soul." In the 27th chapter, we find "all of the souls of the House of Jacob."

In **Exodus 1st chapter**, we find "the loins of Jacob were 70 souls. This was the number of Jacob-ISRAEL'S family when they went down into EGYPT.

Now let us hear what Jesus-the-Christ, (God-in-the-flesh) had to say about what he was "seeking and saving."
LISTEN:

Matthew 15:24 "But he answered and said, "I AM NOT SENT BUT UNTO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL."

Perhaps you have never heard this teaching before; but there it is! What are you going to do with it? Go along with your church and forget it, or do what our LORD COMMANDS us to do about it? You are perhaps familiar with **2 Timothy 2:15**; but perhaps you have not been told that it is a COMMAND. Our LORD says for us to "Study, to show ourselves proved unto God: a WORKMAN, RIGHTLY DIVIDING THE WORD OF TRUTH." (and we are not to be "ashamed" to espouse it after we have read and studied it.) With no "ands, ifs, or buts," we ARE COMMANDED TO STUDY GOD'S WORD! Let's do it:

As we have already seen, the HOUSE OF JACOB-ISRAEL (God changed his name) are his children, ("of his loins"). His offspring, and God tells us that he "formed ISRAEL in the WOMB!" Without question, these are live souls. JACOB-ISPAEL then, "is just what the Doctor ordered, and he ordered him with "ears to hear and eyes to see" so that when God came to earth in the form of JESUS-CHRIST, his CHOSEN FORMED RACE OF ISRAEL WOULD BELIEVE ON, AND IN, HIM! Oh, you haven't been told that I wager. Remember folks, we are now doing just what our LORD COMMANDED US TO DO! Listen:

John 1:31.... "And I (John the Baptist), knew him (Jesus-Christ) not, but that he (Jesus) should be made MANIFEST to ISRAEL, (not JEWS) therefore am I come baptizing with water."

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My trusty Webster's defines it succinctly: "...apparent to the senses...1. to make clear or evident; show plainly; reveal; evince 2. to prove, be evidence.. ." Because Jehovah-God had chosen ISRAEL, (not the JEWS) and had given them "ears to hear and eyes to see, it became "CLEAR AND EVIDENT" to the "CHILDREN OF ISRAEL" (NOT JEWS) that when the Lord "revealed" himself by "WORD, and MIRACLES", he was truly the "CHRIST: GOD-IN-THE-FLESH" come to earth. In other words, CHRIST came to ISRAEL to MAIFEST (be known) himself to them. His Word tells us that he gathered around him 11 Apostles who were all of Israel, and only one JEW, from Judea, who betrayed him! Folks, it is in the book! But there is more. LISTEN:

After our LORD had carefully trained these APOSTLES, he sent them on the road with the following charge: **Matt.10:5-6**..."GO NOT INTO THE WAY OF THE GENTILES, AND INTO ANY CITY OF THE SAMARITANS ENTER YE NOT: BUT GO RATHER TO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL."

Now your church teaches that the JEWS ARE THE CHOSEN PEOPLE OF THE BOOK, and that because they did not believe in JESUS-CHRIST, GOD sent the APOSTLES out to the GENTILES, and we believed. But this is not what our LORD said, folks: LISTEN: In the above quoted scriptures, CHRIST COMMANDED THE APOSTLES NOT TO GO TO THE GENTILES! He then told them, (commanded) to go "ONLY TO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL."

Then in **Matthew 15:24**, JESUS (God-in-the-flesh) tells us that "I AM NOT SENT BUT UNTO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL." There it is the LORD himself, telling us out of his own mouth, that he "came only to the Children of Israel," who had been given "ears to hear and eyes to see," that he had "formed Israel in the womb for this purpose" and also that all of his Apostles, save one, were Israelites, and that he sent them out to go to them only so that they would believe in him and his word so that churches could be formed of believers. It is more than probable, that you have never been told these things from the pulpit of your church!

We have also absolutely learned that THE JEWS ARE NOT GOD'S CHOSEN BECAUSE JESUS-(GOD-IN-THE-FLESH) MANIFESTED HIMSELF TO THEM, AND THEY DID NOT BELIEVE, EITHER IN HIM, OR HIS WORKS. To continue to believe the LIE, that "JESUS CAME TO THE JEWS AND THEY JUST DID NOT BELIEVE IN HIM, SO GOD SENT HIS APOSTLES OUT TO THE GENTILES," is to continue to rob JEHOVAH of his INFALLIBILITY! If you believe in the GOD OF ABRAHAM, ISAAC, AND JACOB, then believe what he says since he tells us that he does not lie, and does not make a mistake. HE SAYS:

"MY SHEEP HEAR MY VOICE, AND FOLLOW ME." The Jews do not!
"ISRAEL, IS A SCATTERED SHEEP."

"I MUST BE ABOUT FEEDING MY SHEEP." The Jews could not be his sheep because they did not eat his food. (the Word.)

"GO ONLY TO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL." The Jews could not be ISRAEL because they were never "lost."

We can see that our LORD did MANIFEST himself to the JEWS, and they did not believe because the following scripture tells us so:

JOHN 10: 25-30:

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"Jesus answered them, (the Jews) "I told you and you believed not; the works that I do in my Father's name, they bear witness of me. But ye believe not, because ye are not of my sheep, as I said unto you.

My sheep hear my voice and I know them, and they follow me, and I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.

My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand.

I AND MY FATHER ARE ONE