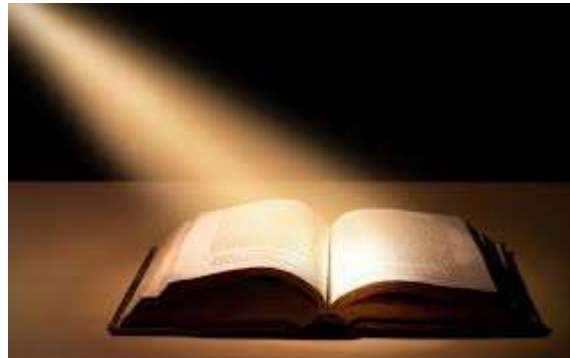


Explaining the *True* Gospel Given to Us By Jesus (Our) Christ

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It's a confusing world.

Our world is overloaded with confusing, and conflicting points of doctrinal debate. How do we find our way through it?

Of all things, should we not be able to look to the wisdom of ancient *religious philosophy* to point the way? Yet we find the same confusion there! Religion is plagued by all kinds of serious, fundamental disagreements.

Even within Christianity, there are a variety of different gospels: the gospel about Jesus Christ, the gospel of salvation, the gospel of grace, the gospel of the Kingdom, the social gospel, the Israel message—and many more. It's enough to confuse anyone.

Just in case you don't know yet, I am speaking of the same Jesus Christ you've heard of all of your life, but some people imagine his first name was Jesus and his family name was "Christ!" I think this was a very unfortunate translation from the Greek. "Christ" means – Our savior,

God with us. I know you want salvation but have not gotten all the information you need to understand completely. Read all you can at this site and I will cover all the word definitions and help you with history and all you need to know to understand, to accept God's Salvation and to receive eternal life by the power of the salvation offered you by God through Jesus. It's all here and you'll learn more than 99% of Professing Christians ever learn.

They say they are – they *Profess* – to be Christian but they don't follow God's Way, they are not keeping the commandments Jesus gave which are so clearly in The Bible, so they're in for a bad shock one day. Don't let that happen to you too. Learn all the information and get the entire picture clear in your mind.

What is the *true* gospel? Even practicing Christians have *lost* it! And the gospel is *everything!* That's what the entire message of the Bible is about! Good, kindly, decent people attend churches and Bible studies and read a bit of The Bible every day, and still they don't know that they have been taught a story and told it is the good news of salvation, but they got only two-thirds of the story! They don't know that there is ONE true gospel and the good future God has for you is so astonishing, will have such an impact upon you and your future, you can't even conceive of it. Even when I finish explaining it, and going into more detail in a larger work, (*Your Incredible Spiritual Potential*) it will still be completely beyond human imagination.

God HAS a future for you more magnificent than any you have ever expected or even been able to imagine!

Just how important is the gospel to you? And how important is it that you *believe* the *true* gospel?

To believe the gospel, you must know what it is. Do you *know* what the true gospel is, and can you prove it from your Bible?

A Double Curse!

The Apostle Paul knew the true gospel and preached it. And notice what he wrote to the people of God in Galatia: "But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach *any other gospel* unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. As we said before, so say I now again, If any man preach *any other gospel* unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed" (Galatians 1:8-9).

Paul, trained as Saul, to be a high Rabbi, with the authority of their social class, pronounced a double curse on himself or any man, or even an angel, who preached any other gospel. This is extremely serious!

We have to *know* what the true gospel is. We do not want to follow the gospel of men whom God has double-cursed! It is extremely important to get this right! This subject affects our eternal lives.

What is the true gospel?

‘The Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God’

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Let’s look at one of the most inspiring introductions to any book in the Bible. It is one verse, just 12 words—yet it tells you so much about the true gospel! It should be enough to inspire you for the rest of your life!

I’m going into a slight tangent about doctrine here but I think this is vitally important to you for the rest of your life, so hang in here with me.

Think about what this verse means to you: “The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God” (Mark 1:1).

This does not say that Jesus was A God. It says he was The Son of God. Let’s compare to John 1:1 in the NIV translation (same text in many others)

John

1In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, **and the Word was God.**

2He was with God in the beginning. **3**Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made.

It seems clear enough to me, God, as a UniPlural Word, represents a *family*. Jesus the Christ is the son of the Lord Creator of The Universe. He is The Living Word of God. In the ancient times when He walked amongst us he said, “If you have seen me, you have seen The Father!”

People referred to Jesus as “Torah.” Torah means – The Word of God! They knew HE was The World of God walking amongst them!

Since the times of Moses Jewish people learned to pray, “Hear O’ Israel, The Lord is God, the Lord is ONE.”

What does it mean? It means there is but ONE Ultimate God, we write his name YAWH which you cannot pronounce until you understand Hebrew, but the correct pronunciation sounds like YaHoVAH’ (accent on last syllable.) This is not G-hov-ahh (Jehova) as the Jehovah’s Witnesses pronounce it. They, and the Mormons speak of Jehovah God and Jesus as another God. The grammarians have argued this point for at least 100-years. From poetry we often refer to The Lord as “Yah” and it’s acceptable and understood. As for Eloheim and other labels, they came from ancient Sumerian traditions and were names of made-up gods. I think the use of these names is a bit questionable, so I avoid them.

The name Jesus came out of the Greek translation from Ya/hoo/shu/ah or Joshua. If Rabbi Jonathan Cahn pronounces it YaShuah ha Messhiah, (Jesus our/the Messiah) I feel confident in that translation. Most people assume a Rabbi went to a four year Rabbi’s school. *Not even close!*

To enter Yeshiva (Rabbi college) you must first prove your understanding of scripture and ability to read and write in Hebrew and Aramaic. Training began around age 7 or 8! Then, the board of examiners will decide where you can fit into the program and the program may run 4 or 6 years and include a final year or two in university, in Jerusalem.

Once I saw Rabbi Cahn reading to an audience on *The Sid Roth “It’s Supernatural”* show and in his reading for a moment he seemed to stumble. I wish I could tell the entire viewing audience, that was NOT a stumble. He was translating as he was reading from Hebrew into English, and at that moment he was questioning in his memory bank the best translation of that particular word, based upon the context of the word in the sentence. Do you know any pastors who can do that? Doubtful.

So, now we’re back to these people reinterpreting God’s Holy Word and saying that Jesus was *a* God. Their translation is amiss. I’ve seen well educated Jewish men including at least 3-Rabbis, discussing translations in

a Facebook Group. They like to banter about scripture. This is part of Jewish culture and the dream of the ancient Jewish man was that he could spend his last years sitting on the Temple steps debating scripture with friends. One of the men wrote about Strong's translation, "Generally, if it's from Strong's, it's wrong!"

I am confident There is One God, One family called God, and Jesus is The Living Word of God. I am convinced when Jesus was baptized by John the Holy Spirit descended upon/into him and at that moment The Living Word of God entered Joshua and he became The sinless, perfect Torah walking amongst men (and women). You might say Joshua was Possessed by The Holy Spirit.

I am contending, when you saw Jesus BEFORE the baptism you were seeing a man called Joshua. When you saw him *after* he came up out of that plunge into the river, you were seeing God in the form of The Holy Spirit imbued into Jesus the Christ/Yeshuah ha Meshiah. God was the same then as he is now. The same yesterday, today, and forever. (I'll get back to that in a moment but let me step to the side for another tangent.)

I acknowledge that you can find scripture in the gospels that explain that God by the Holy Spirit actually impregnated the blessed Mother Mary and Jesus was actually biologically the son of God. I am in no position to contradict that. I can only question some of it. Modern scholars have questioned these doctrine saying it was impossible for Mary to remain in the Quran monastic community, but it appears they were mistaken, or purposefully attempting to deceive potential believers.

They question because for a woman raised in the community where Mary was raised near Mt. Carmel, to show up pregnant out of wedlock would have had her ostracized. However....Mary and her husband Joseph were both of the royal line of King David – and of course they knew so.

Jewish royalty traditionally joined in a loving embrace about 3 months before their wedding. They timed the woman's pregnancy and their wedding to occur on a particular calendar date so that their wedding and later the birth of the child would not occur during a holy-day or holy-week. They did not want to disturb that worship time.

Therefore, if Mary were pregnant and showing before her wedding, that would have been understood amongst her family, because, they were the 7th generation and by prophecy were expecting someone in that community to give birth to The Messiah! And, of course all of those people were of the line of King David. Joseph in fact, wanted to foment a revolution, and push Herod

off the throne and replace him with one of his sons. Therefore a Messiah King who would chase the Romans out of Israel made perfect sense within that politico-historical context!

(Now you can really see why Herod wanted this child found and murdered before he grew to replace the Herod family with his own. Thus, we had the story of an angel telling Joseph to get up in the night and cross into Egypt until Herod had died.)

The gospel story says Joseph got the angel's message that Mary was pregnant with God's Child and when the boy was born he would be named Emanuel and by various meanings we understand it meant God with us, our savior.

Luke 1: tells us (New International Version)

THE BIRTH OF JESUS FORETOLD

²⁶In the sixth month of Elizabeth's pregnancy, God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee, ²⁷to a virgin pledged to be married to a man named Joseph, a descendant of David. The virgin's name was Mary. ²⁸The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you."

²⁹Mary was greatly troubled at his words and wondered what kind of greeting this might be. ³⁰But the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God. ³¹You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. ³²He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, ³³and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end."

³⁴"How will this be," Mary asked the angel, "since I am a virgin?"

³⁵The angel answered, "The Holy Spirit will come on you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the holy one to be born will be called^(b) the Son of God. ³⁶Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be unable to conceive is in her sixth month. ³⁷For no word from God will ever fail."

³⁸"I am the Lord's servant," Mary answered. "May your word to me be fulfilled." Then the angel left her.

In Mathew 1:23 we read: [New International Version](#)

"The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

[The Birth of Jesus](#)

...²²All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: ²³["Behold!The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call Him Immanuel" \(which means, "God with us"\)](#).²⁴When Joseph woke up, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him, and embraced Mary as his wife....

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God says he is the same, yesterday, today, and forever. He speaks to us with his view of The Entire Time-track. He did not speak to Abraham and Moses as if the words were only for their century. Never. He spoke to them from eternity into eternity, from forever, into forever, because he is the same forever.

He is one, he was one. One Family. In the beginning was The Word, and the word was (face-to-face) with God and the word was God.

1In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, **and the Word was God. John 1:1**

The Word was never "a God." I'm not running a church. I'm just an author who believes we must do as The Lord ordered and spread the true Gospel. You are welcome to your own beliefs and I'm not going to argue with anyone directly. I don't do that. I'm just saying, I don't accept the argument that leads to poly-theism. I'm not doing Hinduism with 50,000 gods. I'm not doing Jehovah's Witness doctrine either. To me they're too similar. There is one God family and Jesus and the Lord YAWH are Son and Father and both have authority to speak for the family. One God, not two or three or more.

There was ONE Lord/God at the time of Moses. At that moment an eternal God was speaking out of eternity. I should write, "There **is** ONE Lord/God at the time of Moses. It makes for incorrect English grammar but the point I make should be understood. THE Eternal God saw from the beginning of the history of Humankind on Earth to the End of Human history on Earth and he spoke in the context of eternity.

There will always be one Supreme God. We who want to be part of his family must respect him as The Father in Heaven, and as the Ultimate and

Supreme Most Honorable Authority and the head of the family. If you won't submit to God, you're doing what Lucifer did and it drove him psychotic. He thought he could steal the universe and be more powerful than God. It's a ridiculous idea. Now he is "Satan the Crazy One" and he'll eventually pay for his craziness.

This (One Supreme God) is the doctrine that sustains ministers and most excellent Christian teachers in jail, persecuted for giving out Bibles or teaching a child the gospel message and asking that child to accept Jesus.*

This is the doctrine that will sustain millions who will die at the hands of Satanists in the near future. Without this doctrine to cling to, you have nothing.

* (This is happening in India NOW (October 2017) since the past liberal president was replaced by a devout Hindu. Now the country is persecuting Christians, pushing homeless little kids out of Christian orphanages and schools into the streets to be beggars again! People caught preaching The Gospel of Jesus Christ are likely to end up in jail! (These are NOT comfortable jails. A younger attractive women thrown into a jail – God Protect Her!) We live in a wicked, mentally sick world and The Lord has had too much of this. The time for his tolerance has come to its end. Those who use sex as punishment and use intelligent well-meaning people as slaves to be abused are going to receive their punishment and I will have nothing to say in their defense! We're supposed to pray for our enemies. I can't do it yet. I pray, God's Will Be Done and stop there.

End of tangent

Mark introduced "the gospel *of* Jesus Christ, the Son of God." It was not the message of or about a man, not a legend about his life and times, but *the message Jesus Christ was given by God to deliver*. Understanding "the real gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God" leaves you deeply inspired.

This is a *wonderful* introduction to Mark's book—yet people don't understand it because they don't get beyond the deception of this world. You can prove to yourself that even speakers who are teaching a gospel have *shredded* this verse many times over!

Many preach what they call a "gospel" message. But do they preach "the gospel of/FROM Jesus Christ, the Son of God"? Most do not!

This word/article “of” has many people confused. They do not know its correct definition. Open A Dictionary! Learn Your Language!!!

If you’re falling asleep over your reading probably you are passing misunderstood words. Go back several lines, find those words, look them up and find where they fit into one of the several definitions of the word. Suddenly, like magic, you understand what you could not previously.

If you have been telling friends that you never open a dictionary you are really saying that you’re proud to be a functional illiterate! It’s time for you to improve your understanding of word definitions. Look up words that you don’t fully understand, use them in the proper context in sentences until you have made their meanings your own, and really know the meanings of what you’re speaking about! Don’t fall for any “semantics” arguments. Clear your vocabulary so you truly understand word meanings. Suddenly you’ll understand many subjects better than you ever did.

We who love God need to study God and understand what He told us. You can’t do that watching TV. You need to serious study and be sober and serious about your effort to follow God’s teachings and His Ways. You have the authority, The Holy Bible available to you. What does it tell you?

That gospel is a message FROM God, given to Jesus the Christ, to speak to the world. He told us: **What I’ve said and done is what the Heavenly Father wanted me to say and do.**

People imagine THIS is the gospel: (NIV Translation) Romans 10:9-10 ⁹If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

They think this is it. This is all you need. Do this and you’re save and that’s the gospel.

No, that’s just final instructions about what to do to be saved – at a minimum.

The more you do in Christ’s service, the more you do to follow His commandments, the better your situation will be when you arrive in The

Heavenly Kingdom. This is made clear in two parables about those who have and those who do not have. The ones that did the most with what was invested in them get more responsibility and a better situation later on.

It is not about the person whom we call Jesus Christ—it is the message that Christ Himself brought to this world. Some want to say He only came to die for your sins. THAT IS NOT SO! He came to teach, and preach and correct twisted doctrine. He came to bring an astonishing message to humankind. Jesus delivered a *message*, and that message was not *about Himself!*

The gospel is the good news that Jesus Christ preached.

God in the form of The Christ Jesus, came from heaven to Earth, and took on the risk of losing His *own* eternal life. God had created a being who, as viewed by at least one famous theologian, was the greatest being God could create (I don't think so!) and then ended up in a challenge with this character. (I don't think so because an Infinite God could continue to become infinitely more and more capable and therefore create someday a being much more capable than Lucifer/Satan.)

As Jesus the Christ He was tortured, and died for our sins, AND rose from the dead, so we could be saved and could understand this precious truth! Talk about *Bravery!*

I'm sure this might confuse you. Jesus was Jesus but also God? How can that be? There are scriptures that point to this but about nearly everything of major importance there are debates. Again, I'm not running a church and I'm not telling you what you *must* believe. I believe God can be a family, The Father and The Living Word who was Jesus, and The Holy Spirit. He can be all three. I think so. You are welcome to disagree and we'll still be friends.

Go Online, look up any question. You might even run into two seminary students writing debate articles. I ran into this about the question of what happens when we die, Hell, or No Hell? Eternal torture or Outer Darkness, Punishment and then the second death? Oh, these two very astute and extremely intelligent gentlemen wrote several very long articles debating theological points. It was remarkable work! If those two and their professors would have such a debate, what can I, a feeble minded old doctor be expected to do?

This subject is tremendously important. God was willing to put everything on the line in the fight against Satan to save YOU. I occasionally speak about people who repeat prayers they hear on television.... “and Lord, --- we just pray and ask you to bless him in a *special way*” --- and I always want to

interrupt and say, “If the Lord even so much as lowers his eyes to look at you, believe me Sir, it’s SPECIAL!”

He not only lowered his gaze to look upon mere humanity. He was willing to go to battle in the most terrible legal and physical fight ever known between him and Satan’s forces who are, quite truthfully, fighting desperately for their lives! They rebelled terribly, and in The Book of Enoch (not in the Bible) we read that they heard God’s judgment upon them for their nefarious deeds, included mating with women and creating mutant life forms which we see later called Nephilim. These demons are terrified!

This is intended to be a secret story. For a reference about Nephilim see this: From Genesis Chapter 6:1 – 4 New International Version Bible (NIV)

6 1 When men began to increase in number on the earth and daughters were born to them,
2the sons of God saw that the daughters of men were beautiful, and they married any of them they chose.
3Then the Lord said, "My Spirit will not contend with man forever, for he is mortal; his days will be a hundred and twenty years."
4The Nephilim were on the earth in those days-and also afterward-when the sons of God went to the daughters of men and had children by them. They were the heroes of old, men of renown.

These demons are terrified because they left their “home” and lowered themselves to get involved sexually with humans. They did this so they could create new life forms. WHY did they want new life forms? That’s entirely another story and not for this article series, though I suppose I’ll have to touch upon the issue again later and clarify more. In any event, they were doing Satan’s bidding in his attempt to take over the universe and replace God! God is NOT amused!

They’re still busy creating mutant life forms, thanks now to gene mapping and all sorts of things ongoing in laboratories, the public is not allowed to see.

This is Christ's message even now. This message *fills your life* with good news! It is no fantasy—it is real, true news. The true gospel is the best news this world has ever received! It's so astonishingly good most people don't comprehend it. They see and hear but their mind skips over it and doesn't recognize it is new for their future!

1 John 3:2

Dear friends, now **we** are children of God, and what **we** will **be** has not yet **been** made known. But **we** know that when Christ appears, **we shall be like him**, for **we shall** see **him** as he is.

Mark 1: ¹⁵“The time has come,” he said. “The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and **believe the good news!**”

What good news? What? What? What is he talking about? I'll cover this in much more detail as we go along, but to give you a quick mental picture – everyone knew they were sinners. No one had kept the Ten Commandments and the Law perfectly. That is why they had animal and grain sacrifices and offerings and the Day of Atonement each year. These ceremonies, they hoped, would provide to them a promise of a happy eternal life in God. Rather than to just die and be “gathered to one's people” at worst suffering forever, at best, dead and gone. Both options sounded like a prospect deserved by wild dogs not women and men who lived for God every day!

Now Jesus came and said this Kingdom of God would replace the evil of the world with honor and justice and the eternally happy life they wanted if they would just believe, repent, keep God's commandments, accept forgiveness, and continue through their lives to accept this Messiah had finally come to rescue them. I'll highlight for you.

Before you read this, note Paul will say “they are zealous for God.” That's a big problem. People without knowledge, living by rumors and what they are taught by other authorities can be zealous for Allah or Vishnu or Shiva or a golden calf or Voomba-Voomba the goddess of sex that some Hindu dreamed up last night!

There is ONE true and living God and we must be zealous to learn from The Holy Bible His commandments and do as He instructs us to do.

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10 Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved. ²For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God (YAWH), but their zeal is not based on knowledge. ³Since they did not know the righteousness of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. ⁴Christ is the culmination of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes.

⁵Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: "The person who does these things will live by them."^[a] ⁶But the righteousness that is by faith says: "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'"^[b] (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷"or 'Who will descend into the deep?'"^[c] (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). ⁸But what does it say? "The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart,"^[d] that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim: ⁹If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. ¹¹As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame."^[e] ¹²For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, ¹³for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."^[f]

At last we come to understand, the law will not condemn us for eternity. There is a way to be saved from the eternal punishment of God's Law. The Way is to believe upon, trust in, cling to, rely upon Jesus the Christ, (Jesus the Savior, Yahshua ha Mashiach in the Hebrew.) Confess your sincere faith, turn from your wicked, sinful ways.

We must work within ourselves all the time to change ourselves, continue to pray, ask forgiveness, and do all we can to keep God's Commandments and rely upon Jesus to save us when we have no ability to be constantly righteous.

This transcendent message has been lost! We read right past it. We don't understand it because it doesn't fit into the context of our modern culture.

Most people do not understand it. Many seem to not *want* to understand it. Our society today tells everyone that God is a myth and people who believe

in God and the Bible are crazy, and just live for pleasures, hang out with friends on social media, live in your smart phone and dance until the world ends.

This lazy, foolish, life-wasting attitude will yield to those who live this way, their own pain, suffering and shame. Such folly and for what? Why? Why do most people turn away from the true and living God? Because the majority of people—throughout mankind's entire history—have been *deceived*. They even killed The Christ Jesus, who brought the message. A few even allowed the murder of He who healed the sick, raised the dead, and proved he was God walking among men. They remained convinced that he was calling himself God but could not be God and for this they wanted him stoned.

Mind you, ALL the Jews did not want Jesus dead. Of course not. Thousands followed him when he rode into Jerusalem on "a colt" or "donkey".

This phrase, "the Jews" is a very unfortunate translation. Some Jewish men influenced by the high rabbi's at the Temple threatened him. Besides, Jerusalem was almost entirely Jewish. There would not have been any gentiles who wanted to stone him, so obviously using the phrase "the Jews" here and there is (my opinion) just a Satanically inspired trick to make the world hate the people whom God chose to be his family and teach His Way to the world.

Either what you just read is true or some early translators really did tinker with the scripture and changed it to suit their grand scheme which was intended to provide a constant payment of penance, confessions, and request inside church buildings for forgiveness. This is a very long standing doctrinal dispute. Let's not go into it further here.

[John 10:27-36](#), "My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, **and they follow Me**; (they keep his commandments!) ²⁸and I give eternal life to them, and they shall never perish; and no one shall snatch them out of My hand. ²⁹"My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. ³⁰**"I and the Father are one."**

³¹The Jews took up stones again to stone Him. ³²Jesus answered them, **"I showed you many good works from the Father; for which of them are you stoning Me?"** ³³*The Jews (well...some one person answered)* answered Him, "For a good work we do not stone You, but for blasphemy; and because You, being a man, make Yourself out to be God." ³⁴Jesus answered them, "Has it not been written in your Law, **'I said, you are gods'?** ³⁵**"If he called them gods, to whom The Word of God came (and the Scripture cannot be broken),** ³⁶do

you say of Him, whom the Father sanctified and sent into the world, 'You are blaspheming,' because I said, 'I am the Son of God?'"

Again this is a bit confusing. Jesus says here that he is God and that The Heavenly father calls all humans (potentially) gods! The Living Word of God (Jesus the Christ) came to them.

Now Jesus asks them, in a more modern English, "Are you saying about Me, The Living Word of God walking among you, whom The Heavenly Father set aside as of most precious and special importance and sent to the world to preach this message, that I am lying and blaspheming because I just revealed to you the truth, that I am the Son of God?"

Later in the stories Jesus asks, "Who do people say I am?" and the conclusion of the story is, "You've been with me so long and you still don't know? **If have seen ME You Have Seen The Father.**"

I say! What MORE must be said to prove to you that Jesus the Christ was then and is now The Heavenly Father who clothed himself in a human body and preached among women and men?

People were overtaken by Satan's deceit and they still are. They deny the message Jesus offered then and still offers because modern people are even more deceived than their "forefathers." **They/We are being offered an eternal, happy, working, interesting, busy, satisfying and fulfilling eternal life leading to becoming LIKE GOD. This implies being raised and trained by God in His family!** (THAT is the gospel and who knows it? Very few!)

The confused don't know, they don't want to hear it. They behave like brainwashed soldiers. Their perception of reality is altered and they don't want to know the truth that will set them free.

In Malachi 3:1, God prophesied that He would send "the messenger of the covenant." That prophecy was talking about Jesus Christ. Christ was the Messenger of the New Covenant. He brought the good news of the message of the New Testament. Christ was a messenger, and He wants us to focus on the *message* He brought. The gospel never was the legend of Jesus Christ. It was and is the message that we can be saved if we follow God's Ways and confess and believe, and continue to worship, confess, believe and follow. And at the end of this long road we shall be like The Heavenly Father and the miracles Jesus did, you also will do and even greater (so he said!)

Today, millions of people believe a gospel that focuses on the person of Christ, as if this were a forerunner of a legend of some historical figure like Davy Crocket. That is where the deception lies:

People do not focus on *what Jesus said*. They have been deceived to focus on *what he did*, healing the sick, raising the dead, debating and teaching, and being tortured to death on the cross. But that is not the gospel.

The story of this baby being born in a manger and being hidden in Egypt, showing great wisdom even at age 12 and 13 talking to Rabbis in the Temple, and finally around age 30, going out as an itinerant preacher until he was sacrificed on the cross, is not the gospel. It's the story of his life's activities.

Jesus came to deliver God's message. God's message was the true Good News – the true gospel!

What kind of love does God have, that He would give His only begotten Son to this sick and dying world to let them mercilessly torture and murder Him so *we* (slobs as we are) could be transformed into decent, clean minded people qualified to become a part of this good news and eternally magnificent plan for all eternity? What a transformation!

Imagine (there are several true stories like this) that a boy born to a prostitute living in a filthy ghetto, committing crimes, accepts Christ, receives The Holy Spirit into his life, rises to become completely entranced by God and does God's will in all things, and dies qualified to be drawn into The Heavenly Kingdom and made part of God's eternal plan which will one day lead to him being Like God!!! Can you picture such a life story?

That love God gives to you, transcends anything we can imagine. It is the love of God! In a world overflowing with bad news, the gospel is good news for *you*. It is quite truthfully, your only shelter from the gathering storm which I personally calculate has begun to be seen and felt, and will explode over our heads before the middle of this year, 2018 or 2020. By 2022 the world will be nearly unrecognizable. I hope I'm wrong. I want more time but looking at the world's geopolitics it appears I'm right. Unhappy about it, but right.

It is important you understand just what it is that God wants you to learn, which will fill your life with hope for an eternally beautiful future.

Father and Son

Read those words one more time: **“The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.”** Why does Mark mention the *Son of God* with the gospel? Isn't “Jesus Christ” enough?

No, it is not. You need “Jesus Christ, the Son of God.” That is not an embellishment or honorary title. It is a critical understanding. We have to understand what this gospel is all about, and the *Son of God* is a most important part of it!

If there is a *Son* of God, there must also be a *Father*. To understand this truth, look at the Gospel of John. He *begins* by describing a time when only God and the Word existed. “In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God” (John 1:1). He BEGINS this way because he was inspired to say this was the most important point in the story.

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God!

We can see this verse mentions God and the Word, but it *does not* talk about Father and Son.

If you put this together with other scriptures, you see that God became the Father and the Word became the Son. Why? Because of a great master plan God has not only for His Son but for all the billions of people who have ever lived—even those who, to this point, have never heard the name Jesus the Christ!

There’s a true story from a missionary who went to India. He approached a prominent man in a small village and asked, “Do you know the name Jesus Christ – the name of a man?”

The fellow answered, “Sir, I know everyone in this village and I have never heard this name. I think if you go east about 3 kilometers to the larger village, someone there can help you find this man you speak of.”

There are millions yet who have not heard of “Jesus Christ” and His Good News.

This news is this message Jesus taught, that you can have a happy eternal life in God’s Family if you will believe upon his doctrine, beg forgiveness for your sins, and do your best to change your ways (with God’s help) and become a more righteous person.

I know I’m repeating but it’s worth saying again: The gospel is not about Jesus born in a manger, being baptized, tempted by Satan, healing the sick and raising the dead, then dying for your sins. All of that are the circumstances by which he did a fabulous work. But the MESSAGE he brought was as you see above.

The gospel (some sort of gospel) has been preached throughout the world, but all people have not heard it. There is yet more work to do to rescue lost souls; and it appears to me, we're running out of time!

I've worked carefully and long on this booklet and a much longer one. I'm afraid it will live a short life and then the evil ones who rule the Internet will shut down all Christian websites and television and every Christian communication they can reach. I'll do my best to have a 2nd website from another server not in the US but it may be a worthless effort. They are so sophisticated they can search every website everywhere and anything with the words Jesus Christ on them can be blocked in a moment and forever more. So, I'm doing my best to help you and the advertisers (God bless them) are doing their best to help me to help you and then in a year or three it may all be gone. The only copies of this will be on your flash drive and hard drive or external hard drive and perhaps you'll be able to pass these copies around to friends that way – and I believe God will bless you if you do!

It appears those who turn up facing God and are not written into The Book of Life might yet have a chance at eternal life after they see The Lord and hear the gospel they had missed. There are a great many innocent people who never heard the true gospel and they will have their chance.

But what shall we say then about those who rejected the gospel in their lifetime? What can we say about those who argued they were not sinners and didn't need this gospel and this savior? They will have to go before God and hear HIS decision. I do not know the answer to this question, but I fear the answer might be a rejection into "outer darkness" and "the second death."

There was a point in history when the Word *gave up* His divinity, and became a tiny cell, and God *begat Him* in Mary's womb. At that point, the Word became the *Son of the Father*. There was The Heavenly Father and there was His Son—they were a *family*. That was Herbert W. Armstrong's view and of course, there are people who will debate him (posthumously) but I think he was right. He researched all the words and all of their derivations and concluded this is the real meaning. I think he was right.

Why? What is this all about? It's about you! It's a plan for you and for me and for all mankind! "The gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God," (or as I like to put it, The gospel from God spoken by Jesus the Christ) is about the God *Family into which you may be adopted and made one of God's children*. So what do good fathers do with their children? They raise their children to be like themselves.

Did you ever hear of a Muslim father producing a Christian son, or a Hindu father graduating his son from a yeshiva to be a rabbi? Of course not. God the father *will raise His children* to be very much like himself, filled with the same grace, knowledge, wisdom and capabilities – eventually. I don't expect it to happen in an instant, but given time We Shall be Like Him!and “shall” is an order – an “ordering” word. It is God's will that one day you shall be like him; righteous and capable as He is. **Astonishing but likely it is, few are reading this and most just read what I wrote here and realized nothing.**

The Son Declared the Father

Read again verse 18 of John chapter 1: “No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him.”

The world didn't even *know* about God as The Heavenly Father who had a son named YaShuah, God with us, Savior, or Jesus, until Jesus came to Earth and began *declaring God as His Father and saying he came here to do God's will*. The locals didn't want to hear it. They wanted to prove he was wrong and stone him for saying he was given authority to pardon sins! Even after he was known to heal the sick and raise the dead, still, they didn't want to accept he was God walking amongst men and women.

Why would The Christ come and declare the Father? Because He is the Son, and His message was all about the Father and the Son. He brought a message about the God Family.

In John 12:49, Christ said, “I have not spoken of myself; but the Father which sent me, He gave me a commandment, what I should say, and what I should speak.” Imagine Jesus our Christ following His Father's instructions so exactly!

In John 14:24, He said, “[T]he word which ye hear is not mine, but the Father's which sent me.” His message was *from the Father*, and it was about the God Family.

My Dear Friend, what must I do to get your attention and cause you to think about this carefully? Much of what is written in the website from which you got this book: www.FindingHome2022.com is material proving God is real, The Bible is truth, We should turn away from the worldly distractions and lustful temptations and return our minds completely to things Godly.

There are several articles backed by good science to prove God is real and must have created the universe. I have a health science background and a

strong interest in theoretical physics, and I cannot find anything to prove the universe just came together over billions and billions of accidents. I say such a fantasy is a lie that sounds like a story from the mind of an 8-year-old boy, or a demon animating Karl Marx.

When you look at the evidence, the physics, the numbers, it is impossible to believe that the energy and minerals of the universe were always out there and eventually they fell together as they are. Such an idea is preposterous! I'd sooner believe in the Easter Bunny!

Why would I write these (hundreds) of articles and posts? Is it because I "got religion," fell off the deep end, went a little crazy, and am now (temporarily) a nut case "on fire for God?" I don't think that's the right answer. I'm an old Chiropractor/Massage Therapist/Nutritionist with specialties in nervous system physiology and orthopedics, and a lot of training from an exercise physiologist. All of my life I've been interested in natural healing, nutrition, and exercise. I still have the physique of a high-school gymnast. Follow God's Ways and it pays great benefits. God is real. The best science we have proves repeatedly, God Created The Universe and all life. If God IS real and the prophecies are coming true, only a stubborn fool would deny these truths.

I don't write to be popular. I don't care if I write all of this and some nearly illiterate fool says I'm "one of the crazies." Who cares what someone like that thinks?

I don't get paid to make some other publisher happy. I won't bend my doctrinal view to make any advertiser happy.

I write what I'm inspired to write and if a reader here and there is upset with me for putting a mirror before his face, so be it. Sorry guy. I'm not the one with the problem here. YOU are the one with the problem. God says you must change. God says He loves you and wants to save you! What do you answer to your Creator?

I'm edging toward my 68th birthday and would rather be sailing. I can afford to do nothing before the ground opens up to swallow me. I'm here, with you,



because I am charged by God to get your attention, and spread his gospel message...and...Not some other message about how God wants to make you rich, or God says you can have 17 wives or some other nonsense! Certainly not.

My job is to invite you to find true freedom by giving your will to God who will change you and set you free from the

misery we now call “Life Stages” and “Psychological imbalances.” It’s time wise people like you drop to your knees, beg forgiveness for every sin you can remember, ask Jesus to rescue you from this muddy, polluted, sickly, dying world, and save you for eternity before “they launch” the worst war you never wanted to imagine.

That’s why I’m not wearing wet shorts on the edge of a little boat looking up at the shape of a mainsail somewhere much as I might prefer to be.

“You may be right. I may be crazy.” (Billy Joel) Sometimes I write material and look at it and think, “I didn’t write this. I can’t write this well. I’m writing what is being given to me by The Holy Spirit!” It’s a shocking experience when it happens.

I can tell you I have met Chinese engineers who have no theological interest. I met an engineer salesman and asked him if he had ever studied Christian thought and compared it to Buddhism, Jainism, Taoism, and other religious views. He answered, “I never thought about it.” There’s an intelligent man who needs the gospel and should think about it!

What percentage of the world population understands this gospel? How many even understand what The Christ was teaching from the Father and about the Father’s plans?

Here is where people make many mistakes. “And Jesus answered and said unto them, *Take heed that no man deceive you.* For many shall come in my name, saying, I am the Christ; and shall deceive many” (Matthew 24:4-5).

He wasn’t warning about many people claiming to *be the Christ*. He was prophesying that *many* people would be talking about the Christ! ***They say Jesus is the Christ***—they preach a gospel about the person of the Christ! *But they ignore the good news that the Christ brought!* The true gospel, the real good news of Jesus the Christ, is not about the person we call the Christ.” Sadly, that is exactly where Christianity goes off the track. (This is nearly an exact quote from the work of Herbert W. Armstrong.)

The Roman Catholic church has been teaching this sort of thing for centuries.

There are so many secret symbols in the Catholic Church, even in the shape and size of the entry doors to the sanctuaries, if you read about all of it you would be stunned/shocked for days!

They teach and depict in sculpture and paintings the Lord and Jesus and saints and the Mother Mary. They all appear as did ancient Roman gods. They teach that Jesus died for your sins and they imply that this is the gospel.

Just believe upon, even worship Mother Mary and Jesus and you shall be saved, (they imply). Confess your sins, pay tithes and penance to support the church, and the Priest will pray for you and you will be saved.... But that is not what The Bible teaches! Protestants of any denomination (non-Catholics) who really do know their Bible, do not accept their many Pope created doctrines. I'm sad to say I may lose some Catholic friends here, but that is the truth of the matter. You must dig to see the truth, but it's there!

By the way, have you considered the meaning of "catholic"? It's rather telling. The Roman Catholic Church would like to absorb everyone with whatever pagan doctrines they bring to it.

The word *catholic* (with lowercase c; derived via [Late Latin](#) *catholicus*, from the [Greek](#) adjective καθολικός (*katholikos*), meaning "universal"^{[1][2]}) comes from the Greek phrase καθόλου (*katholou*), meaning "on the whole", "according to the whole" or "in general", and is a combination of the Greek words κατά meaning "about" and ὅλος meaning "whole".^{[3][4]} The term **Catholic** (usually written with uppercase C in English) was first used to describe the [Christian Church](#) in the early 2nd century to emphasize its [universal scope](#). In the context of [Christian ecclesiology](#), it has a rich history and several usages.

The word in English can mean either "of the [Roman Catholic faith](#)" or "relating to the historic doctrine and practice of the [Western Church](#)".^{[5][note 1]} Many Christians use it to refer more broadly to the whole [Christian Church](#) or to all believers in [Jesus Christ](#) regardless of denominational affiliation;^{[6][7]} it can also more narrowly refer to [Catholicity](#), which encompasses several historic churches sharing major beliefs. "[Catholicos](#)", the title used for the head of some churches in [Eastern Christian](#) traditions, is derived from the same linguistic origin.

In non-ecclesiastical use, it derives its English meaning directly from its root, and is currently used to mean the following:

- including a wide variety of things; all-embracing
- universal or of general interest;
- [liberal](#), having broad interests, or wide sympathies;

These ideas are in opposition to the protestant position that we worship following doctrine taught by the disciples, written in The Bible, and nothing else is acceptable.

Roman Catholicism is the largest religious group on earth and most of the believers are deceived. They are zealous for God. They are some of the most decent and civilized, well-mannered and culture people on Earth and I just love them. But, they don't know the real message God sent to us through his son, his emissary, Jesus the Savior/Jesus the Christ.

They think, "Christ, Christian, Catholic. It's all the same with different labels. We're Christians and we worship Jesus. We don't need anything else."

Do they know they should make an effort to keep God's ways and laws and worship God through Jesus? Do they realize their "religion," their denomination -- looks more like a separate religion, that separate religion

being The ancient Sumerian Mystery Religion, than it does like Christianity? No; They do not know this.

Many have never even opened a Bible! I met two women past age 30 who for the first time sat in a Baptist church. I and they were guests of the same man. The preacher told us to turn to a BOOK in the bible and find the chapter and verse. They had never done that. They were completely confused.

Even the Cathedral entries are shaped to symbolize something from the Sumerian Mystery Religion. They are receiving a different Christ and another Gospel. They have no idea about what deceptions they have been receiving. Try to tell them. See how quickly you lose friends. That's why I write. You can dare to send them to my blog/website and if it is God's will, they will find this piece and study it with an open mind. I don't expect a great flood of readers. As Jesus said, Many are called, few are chosen.

I hold the personal believe these people will hear the truth and will be saved but they're going to be amazed at the corrections to their doctrine when they hear it all and get the complete picture in mind.

“Many shall come in my name,” Christ warned. Many *have* come with a message about Christ, and they *have* deceived many. This has happened, and it continues to happen. **Jesus didn't come to declare Himself. He came to declare the Father, and the message of the Father about the God Family!**

The Family of God!

Herbert W. Armstrong knew the Bible like few men on Earth ever have. Five months before he died, in the August 1985 issue of the *Good News* magazine, he addressed this very subject of the gospel of the Kingdom of God. And with good reason because Jesus left us with teaching His true message as His final standing order.

“And what was that gospel message?” Mr. Armstrong wrote. “It was the *news* of the coming Kingdom of God. And what is the Kingdom of God? It is the divine *Family* of God, ruling all Earth's nations with the government of God” (emphasis mine throughout).

How much do you know about the God Family? Most people are confused about it. *Family? What family? God has a family? You are saying God IS a family? What is this about?* But the Bible's teaching about it is clear and plain.

The Bible reveals that the God Family is what is going to rule the entire Earth in the future coming world. Jesus Christ will be King of kings and Lord of

lords—the preeminent King and Lord over *many* kings and lords who will be under Him (e.g. Revelation 19:16).

Jesus was *born* as a Son to God the Father. But though He is the *firstborn* Son, He is not to be the *only* Son—but “**the *firstborn* among many brethren**”! (Romans 8:29). Here is the NIV translation Romans 8:28 – 30.

28And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

29For those God foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the likeness of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brothers.

30And those he predestined, he also called; those he called, he also justified; those he justified, he also glorified.

That is right—God’s saints “are the children of God: And if children, then *heirs*; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ – indeed Brothers and beloved Sisters of Jesus the Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together” (verses 16-17). Here is the NIV translation – still in Romans 8: Verses 15 – 19

15For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave again to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship. And by him we cry, "Abba, Father."

16The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children.

17Now if we are children, then we are heirs--heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

18I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. 19The creation waits in eager expectation for the sons of God to be revealed.

That is what the gospel is about! God is going to save billions of people and bring them into His Family, which began with the Father’s begetting of Christ.

Mr. Armstrong went on to say: “And God **is a Kingdom**— that is, the supreme divine Family that rules the universe!”

It’s all about God’s *family* and your opportunity to be adopted into it!

In his booklet *What Is the True Gospel?* Mr. Armstrong wrote, “Four things are necessary to constitute a kingdom,” or God’s Family, in this case:

1) the territory, with its specific location and definite boundary lines, with 2) a king or supreme ruler or governing agent, ruling over

- 3) subjects or citizens within that territorial jurisdiction, with
- 4) laws and a form of government.”

That is what it takes to make a kingdom—and that is what this Family is going to be in the World Tomorrow: a *Family* of God, or a *Kingdom* of God. *Those two terms mean the same thing here.*

“The Kingdom of God starts with a family relationship,” Mr. Armstrong wrote in that *Good News* article. “[F]irst, the physical human families, second, the one compacted-together Church, and, finally, when the Church is changed to immortality, the God Family—which is the Kingdom of God.”

The God Family is going to rule the Earth with Jesus Christ—and it *will include* the Spirit-begotten saints. Those who are called out now, before Christ returns, are going to rule with Him and God the Father for all eternity—in the God Family!

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The true gospel reveals that you can enter the God Family today, in embryo, and be filled with the kind of love that God has for this world. And you can ultimately be born into God’s Family a brother and sister of Jesus Christ!

A Family Gospel

Mark introduced the true gospel with “Jesus Christ, the Son of God because the *true* gospel is a family gospel! It is a family overflowing with a love beyond any you have ever seen in a family before—the kind of love where one member of the Godhead risked it all and also came and *died* for all of our sins to give us a chance to be a part of the *true* good news. He took the punishment so we don’t have to.

Mr. Armstrong went on to write: “When Jesus was born human of the virgin Mary, He became the Son of God. **He was ‘Immanuel’—God with us—God in mortal human flesh** to make it *possible* for the rest of us humans to be born into the God Family!”

What act of love could *ever* equal that? What act of love has ever come close? God came to Earth and *died* for these lumps of clay that He created. That is love like you have never understood before if you don’t understand the real gospel of the Bible.

My doctrinal view and Mr. Armstrong's diverge a bit here. I'm not saying he is wrong. Maybe I'm wrong! I don't know. You'll have to read my other materials about Jesus to see my viewpoint. I will endeavor to [bring all of it together into an article series](#) so you can have it all conveniently – no charge of course. (see: From Whence Cometh This Jesus?)

Mr. Armstrong continued to explain:

When Jesus was begotten in the womb of the virgin Mary, He was not, as all other humans, begotten by a human father, but by God the divine Father, by the power of God's Spirit, which emanates from His very person.

When Jesus became adult, He set us the example of praying to His Father in heaven. He had become the Son of God.

And so we have the divine Family relationship—Father and Son. That is a Family relationship. The Father and Son *opened up* that Family to *all people* who have ever lived! Why? Because God the *Father* and Jesus Christ the *Son* want a family!

The Church will, then, become the actual *born* inheritors of the Kingdom of God, the divine Family! Mr. Armstrong further explained.

“The Kingdom of God will then become the God Family, ruling the universe!” It's all to become a family! We can understand God's love a lot better if we can understand a loving human family. That gives us a good insight into it. But still, it strains the imagination to think about God's Family of love.

In 1 Corinthians 15:19, the Apostle Paul wrote **that if we have hope in this life only, we are of all men most miserable. You must have hope that goes *beyond* this life, or you're going to be miserable!** But if you have the hope that Christ offered in His message of good news, you will be filled with joy!

Do you have hope in your life? Or are you miserable? God's very elect have this hope, and every human being on Earth has the opportunity to have that in their lives. But Satan has deceived them, and they have rejected it.

There is going to be a family! What does that mean to you? What does it mean to be able to be a member of the Family of God for all eternity?

Gloriously Good News!

With the true gospel in mind, think about what is happening to *family* right now. Satan is *destroying* the human family relationship! What does that

mean for this world and that good news? It deceives people. They are ever more confused about God. That is why there is so much *miser*y in this world: People don't know the true gospel about God's Family, and they are even destroying the physical human family! Ultimately Satan wants war with weapons of mass destruction to leave every human dead! God will prevent this. He loves His own and intends to preserve those who love Him.

God is going to put an end to the destruction. That is part of the good news! As Mr. Armstrong explained, In that happy World mortal humans, taught and ruled by the God Family, will learn the *joys* and *blessings* of a healthy home-and-family relationship, with spiritual salvation and eternal life to look forward to" (ibid).

Jesus Christ was disseminating the truth of their plans. **The Father and the Son are going to have a family of billions!** How tragic that the whole world is *blind* to this truth! And how tremendous is the magnificently *wonderful* truth of God!

The true gospel, I repeat, is not some story about a child born in a manger. It is the good news of the coming Family of God ruling this world—a family that will administer the loving, self-sacrificing government of God. Further it is the news that you can be forgiven your sins and adopted into God's family as one of God's Children to be raised by God and to one day Be Like Him!

Mark introduced this gospel by focusing on the good news message of "Jesus Christ, the Son of God"! That Son has a Father. And there are going to be *billions of other sons and daughters* brought into that Family!

Do You Believe Christ?

If you want to be a part of that good news, you must accept and *believe* what God says! Jesus the Christ taught people that they had to believe the gospel! At that time, a great many people did believe upon Him. (**Believe upon** means to cling to, trust in, rely upon.) But astoundingly, many of those Jews *who believed on Him* (John 8:31) tried to kill Him! (verse 37). Why?

"[Y]e seek to kill me, *because my word hath no place in you,*" He explained. They wanted to kill Him because of His message!

Do you believe Christ? It is *not enough* to believe on the *person* of Christ. That is *another gospel*. To say, *I believe in Jesus* says you believe he was alive

and not a myth. But to understand and truthfully say *I believe the true gospel brought to us by Jesus* is entirely different.

I'm reminded of a girl who told me, "I believe in God." I was thinking, "Yeah, and I believe in the Easter Bunny. So what?" The devil believes in God and trembles.

- Will you follow God's Way and do as He commands you to do? That is entirely different.
- Will you ask for God to save you by the power of the sacrificial blood of Jesus the Christ?
- Will you ask for the Holy Spirit to fill your life and direct your life hereafter?
- Will you ALLOW The Lord God to show you day by day how to run and regulate your life so that you avoid sin and live a morally upright, life?
- Will you allow God to change your thinking so that over time you develop pure thought and thus love God with all your heart, mind, soul, and strength and then Love Your Neighbor as you love yourself?

To believe the true gospel, we have to believe Jesus! We have to *believe Christ's* message which was the subject and words The Lord God wanted him to teach and preach.

Some of us are so turned away from God it will take hard work and difficult times of thinking to build faith and *believe* what He said!

When you are finally doing that -- getting the message with clear understanding, you will discover you have a courage, a strength and peace of mind that is beyond the understanding of most other people.

Suddenly you'll realize you have the happiness and joy that every person on Earth was intended to have.

People, even religious people—even people who believe on Christ—will do terrible things if the true gospel is not a part of them.

But if you *believe* Him *and* you *believe* His gospel, you will have an unimaginably wonderful future that will absolutely stun you! It's the most wonderful picture you could ever have in your mind! It is the true gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God !

The Lost Revelation: Christ's Gospel

We have seen how the most important of all knowledge, sent by the Creator of all races, was suppressed and another “gospel” foisted on a very deceived and unknowing world. The world heard thereafter about the *Messenger*, but not the message He brought.

The time has come for that awesome message to be revealed to the world. A few of us sincerely know it is our time and place to reveal it, in its clear form. We will not speak things people would prefer to hear. We will speak the truth even if it leads to lack of popularity or even death. We don't work and preach and teach and write to be popular. We do these things because we feel/hear/know with certainty that God is telling us to do so and we want only to deal with the truth.

What, Then, Is the True Gospel?

The true gospel is the good news that God sent from heaven by Jesus Christ. That message, when *fully* understood, reveals a human potential so stupendous it appears at first to be totally beyond belief! It is *incredibly wonderful news* revealed from the Creator.

It reveals the most wonderful truth a human mind could come to know. It reveals what Herbert W. Armstrong called “the missing dimension in knowledge—the *most necessary* knowledge so vital to know.”

That vital message reveals why humanity was put here on Earth. That's vital knowledge science cannot discover, religion has not revealed, education cannot teach.

Why? Were we put here for a purpose? What is that purpose? Is there purpose and meaning to human life? Some of us have had our doubts.

Is there a purpose and meaning to human life which has been suppressed so that people could not hear, read, learn of it? That's vital knowledge outside the scope of today's science, religion, or education!

The Missing Dimension in Knowledge

If there is purpose, what is it? Why were *you* born? Where are we going? What is the ultimate transcendent potential of man? What is the way? *How* do we achieve that destiny?

What is *the way to peace*—among nations, between individuals, and between groups? Why is there so much evil in our world? Why can't we solve our human problems? There is a way, and the true gospel reveals it!

The basic dynamics for living are a list of 8 most important priorities in our lives. Very briefly they cover our need to

- 1 survive through good health, good nutrition,
- 2 sex and raising a family
- 3 the urge to help our local community survive
- 4 the urge to help all human kind survive
- 5 the urge to care for plants and animals and maintain a healthy environment
- 6 the continuation of the physical universe and for us, this planet
- 7 urge to survive as a spirit or soul
- 8 urge to reach for infinity or God.

These are not from the Bible, they are observations made by various psychologists and discussed at length by the late L. Ron Hubbard. You may agree or disagree with them as you like. I'm not going to get into a long discussion about this theory now. My point in mentioning these is, our natural urge for these dynamics is presently out of normal balance. The entire Western society is being directed by something in their right hand and poured into their head. Now, I realize what I'm saying is a lunatic fringe thesis. I may be entirely wrong here.

What the young generation has in their right hand is a smart phone and the stuff constantly poured into their frontal lobes is about sex, drugs, rock-n-roll, self-desire, self-concern, self-centeredness, disrespect for nearly anyone but themselves. They are emotionally sick and miserable.

Could this have anything to do (from aside) with the "mark of the beast" discussion in the final Bible book "Revelation"? Well, maybe and maybe not. It's just an odd thought that ran through my mind one evening.

I see people so addicted to their smart phone they would rather constantly play with social media and music videos and games, than to take a break for

cooking and eating! I think that's a serious issue. They can't concentrate on anything of any real value – like working for a living as an example.

There is a huge emphasis on self-survival, self-comfort, sex without reproduction just for the lust of it, and almost no concern by many about the environment, and certainly no interest whatsoever in God.

What has happened and how could it happen? Who might be responsible?

Why is it every time a terrible dictator dies, another rises often worse than the last? Where are all these psychotic people coming from and why is it they are so clever they can rise to tremendous power and gain the loyalty of their surrounding countrymen and military?

People say they were mesmerized by Adolph Hitler.

The North Koreans really believe anything Mr. Kim says and believe he is like a god!

One reporters said when he was near Barak Obama he was overtaken by a feeling that he was in the presence of a great and heroic leader.

Pol Pot was a slime ball ugly little man with a gummy smile who needed his head handed to him and was surrounded by people who could take a man's life in under 8-seconds. Instead, people did his bidding and wiped out 25% of innocent impoverished Cambodian people in the process!

What is the source of this terrible power? Why is it these guys are always protected? No military guard shoots them. No cook poisons them. They don't get major diseases and just die. Why is it they seem to have all the good luck to stay alive and do their evil as long as imaginable? Many of them secretly escape and live out a normal life in hiding when their war ended badly. Pol Pot lived in the Cambodian jungle with friends for years after that "bitter time" and died a natural death at an old age. Adolph Hitler's death in a bunker by suicide is questioned. Some people close to him say he escaped and lived comfortably in Argentina until his natural death, in a lake side home in Argentina.

Vladimir Putin is destined to be equally terrible, and more deceptive than any of those before him.

I'm afraid a fellow named Karl T. Zu-Gutenberg will take over German politics and be overtaken by an evil spirit too. Just watch and we'll see.

There were just 28-years between the end of World War I and the start of World War II. Between 1945 and 2017 there have been hundreds of little wars, skirmishes, and violent outbreaks all over the world, and particularly

in South America, Africa, and The Middle East. Muslims do the most terrible things imaginable. Christians are often their victims.

The US got out of World War II and in short order was embroiled in a Korean conflict and then a Viet Nam debacle that cost at one point over \$200,000,000 per minute -- and numerous wars in North Africa, Afghanistan, Iraq, Lebanon, Syria|....| the U.S. claims to be attempting to maintain the peace around Israel, is constantly goaded by Russia and China, and Russian and China are secretly attacking The USA all the time! When will it all end? Where does it all come from?

The Way to peace comes from God's basic law and it *works* by inexorable and relentless force.

What is "human nature?" It's a very strange term, I think. It bespeaks quality, character, and description. These words are all of them nebulous in their meanings. Like the phrase "common sense" no one really can clearly define them.

Is it an "instinct in humans" to fight each other, even murder one another? On one hand many men and women admire the opposite gender and wonder if this one or that one would be a fun lust-partner. So, there is a desire for sex, survival, a partner with whom to share life, and some desire to raise children. It's not all bad.

On the other hand very powerful people want to compete for survival and are willing to launch Inter-Continental-Ballistic-Missiles against several million potential friends because one government official believes the opposite number has dented his self-pride. What are we missing? What's really wrong here?

Did God create and instill a profoundly seated desire in humans to trouble one another and for this desire to trouble our conscience? Is it hereditary? How does it work?

Neither modern science, religion, nor education can tell you. *What* is the human mind, and *how* does it differ from the animal brain? The minds of men can invent the computer and can learn to send men to the moon and back, map the genome, cure diseases, but cannot solve their social problems and be in peace with others all around the world.

What is man? Just what *are* we, after all? Science can't learn that secret, religions have never *rightly* explained it, but the true gospel, when *fully* understood, reveals the answer. It IS the truth and you should understand it.

I may dare to say, it's the most important understanding you should gain in your life!

What are the true values? What is important, and what is insignificant or of no value? Humanity dissipates its energy pursuing *false* values—spends its labor and its thinking in pursuits that are valueless and prove useless when achieved.

The true gospel, when *fully* understood, explains the origin of the devil. Did God create a devil to mislead and harass humanity? The gospel explains how Satan came to be the great—though invisible and hidden—power that sways invisibly and actually rules this world. It explains why Satan moved with all his wiles and subtleness to suppress, or twist the truth of this absolutely essential gospel message which God sent by Jesus Christ to mankind.

God apparently *designed* the universe and handed the plans to Jesus to create it. Later he send Jesus to be a messenger of a truth that was destined to get him tortured and murdered.

The Romans made a science of torture and murder, picking up from where the Persians left off. They first tortured a criminal and then hung him on the cross in terrible pain and the pain forced the body to slowly torture itself to death! The naked man hanging on the cross, his belly distended full of body fluids, died an embarrassed, horrified, humiliated shell of what had been a potentially useful man. He died, half conscious. He died when his body ran out of energy to keep breathing. The nervous system forced the body to automatically torture itself to death. Would normal humans devise such a monstrosity? I think “no”.

Did Jesus The Savior of Humankind deserve this? For what crime did anyone justify such a hideous end to the most perfect God-Man who ever lived and breathed?

Remember this: The true gospel message, had humanity *heeded* it, would have saved this world nearly all its anguish, troubles, suffering, and evils.

I wish I could, in a few words, impart with sufficient emphasis the comprehension of the supreme, meaning and importance of that *true* gospel message.

And even today, when heard, it is seldom *really* understood in all its colossal significance because Satan has created the world's greatest deception of false and counterfeit religions, “gospels,” philosophies, psychologies, and other distractions.

Today's world is intended to distract every woman and man from God in any way and through each of the five senses until one day the man realizes he is age 65, retiring, and still has no wisdom, and thinks God and "religious stuff" are just a lot of foolish mythology. He tells himself he's too lazy and old to learn. He tells himself that religion is nonsense. He downs another shot of rum and washes away his thoughts in a dizzy fog.

Nevertheless, now just before the end of this age (Matthew 24:3), Almighty God has decreed that "*this* gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations ..." (verse 14). This is the message the Eternal God is delivering now, in one last desperate effort, all over the world.

As I interpret the words Jesus last spoke to men, this is our final assignment and at least for those of us who feel called, I and many others are attempting to deliver a message about God to others. However, unfortunately, many of the world's teachers don't really know the true gospel and therefore deliver half the message.

The war is on and I am one of many who were drafted into this service. I am no more than God's "Servant In Training," hopeful he has good employment for me when my life on this iron ball ends.

The true gospel, when viewed *with* all that it embodies—the reason for it, the prehistoric truth of Earth's first inhabitants, the reason humans were created and put on Earth, the cause of all the Earth's evils and sufferings, the nature of the human mind, the need for spiritual salvation and what it is, the coming future of our world – the promise of peace, what lies beyond, and man's ultimate incredible potential—become the *most all-encompassing* subject for a man's serious consideration and pursuit.

Beside this study, *everything else* becomes insignificant. WE, you and I, are on the cusp of the end of the greatest story ever written by the finger of God.

Human author's imaginations cannot begin to write with such drama, imagine such a plot, find so many intertwined mysteries within mysteries and dreams within dreams, in such beautiful language. More! It'll all burn down to numbers and the most astonishing theoretical physics proven to be **FACTUAL** physics anyone ever saw, more than anything they have conceived.

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God the Father had promised to send a messenger into the world from heaven, bearing a message from Him for all human-kind.

This promise is recorded in Malachi 3:1: “Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me [and *that* messenger, as explained in Mark 1:2, was John the Baptist]; and the Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to his temple, even the messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in” The “Lord,” here, of course, refers to Jesus Christ.

Here is the same passage from the NIV translation:

3"See, I will send my messenger, who will prepare the way before me. Then suddenly the Lord you are seeking will come to his temple; the messenger of the covenant, whom you desire, will come," says the Lord Almighty.

It is worthy of note: Jesus told his disciples, I and the Lord are One, and If you have seen me, you *have* seen The Father! I get a double meaning from what we just read. It also means to me God, YAWH, Yah, YaHovAH will send his messenger John the Baptist, and then God himself will come to HIS temple. But he will not be seen as God Almighty but as “the messenger of the covenant, whom (we) desire.” Indeed, we can argue in agreement with John 1, that Jesus was God walking amongst men.

Here you can read this opening of John 1 and puzzle over the English. He was God, he was not God, he was God but was at God’s side?

John

1In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, **and the Word was God.**

2He was with God in the beginning.

3Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made.

4In him was life, and that life was the light of men.

5The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.

6There came a man who was sent from God; his name was John.

7He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all men might believe.

8He himself was not the light; he came

only as a witness to the light.
9The true light that gives light to every man was coming into the world.
10He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him.
11He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him.
12Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God--
13children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.
14The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.
15John testifies concerning him. He cries out, saying, "This was he of whom I said, 'He who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me.' "
16From the fullness of his grace we have all received one blessing after another.
17For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.
18No one has ever seen God, but God the One and Only, who is at the Father's side, has made him known.

Returning to this passage:

...from the NIV translation:

Malachi 3:1 **3**"See, I will send my messenger, who will prepare the way before me. Then suddenly the Lord you are seeking will come to his temple; the messenger of the covenant, whom you desire, will come," says the Lord Almighty.

That was the prophecy. The record of its happening is in the first chapter of Mark: “The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God” (verse 1). Then follows the account of John the Baptist preparing the way before Him.

Verses 12 and 13 record the temptation of Jesus by Satan, *wherein Satan sought to destroy Christ spiritually, before He proclaimed a word of the message He brought from God the Father.*

Then follow verses 14 and 15:

“Now after that John was put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God” That is the gospel Christ proclaimed. The message He brought was the message about *the Kingdom of God.*

That is the message God wanted proclaimed as a witness to all nations! But since the first century the world has known nothing of the Kingdom of God because that message was *not* proclaimed to the world after the first century.

That message, when explained and fully understood, covers a very wide range of revealed knowledge. It reveals, as Herbert W. Armstrong wrote those many years ago, “what science has been utterly unable to discover, what religion has never revealed, what this world’s education has never known nor taught.”

I want you to understand, Mr. Armstrong was not some eccentric old guy who suddenly “got religion.” He was apparently called by God to go on this mission to teach and the power of God to open doors and make things happen in his favor is evident. It was not random chance that kings and presidents all over the world invited him to come and speak to them! Nor was it a short mission launched by a super-salesman. He went on with this work for nearly 40-years. If he were just a charlatan, the world would have recognized it and rejected him. But rather, thoughtful and well educated people the world over sought his counsel and read his works with strong interest!

Points For Consideration

There are a number of points to be noted which are significant. One is, that in Malachi’s prophecy, Christ was called *a messenger bearing a message*—but moreover, He is called *the “messenger of the covenant,”* which carries very important meaning.

A “covenant” between men and God cannot be broken. It’s a blood oath, an un-breacheable contract. Men have broken a covenant and entire civilizations were punished severely for doing so. God always upholds his promises in the

covenant – promises of blessings if you do as you promise, and curses if you lied to Him!

No one insults God or reneges on a promise to God, and gets away with it! That is impossible. Jewish thought calls God “The Infinite.”

He knows everything and knew your every thought and deed before your parents were born. He knows every hair that falls from your head, every feather of every bird that loses feathers, every flower that blooms and withers. He planned it all, dreamed it all, designed and created it all, and controls all of it.

No one can afford such arrogance as to decide not to participate in God's dream without severest of consequences – the 2nd death – the ultimate END, being deleted from God's Universe forever. This is who we serve and indeed we all serve or take our independence to the moment when our file is deleted.

Again, the 15th verse of Mark 1. Jesus came into Galilee “preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God” and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel.”

What did He mean, “The time is fulfilled”? And why was the Kingdom of God *then* “at hand,” when it had not been *before* that precise time?

These points are of prime significance. But first, before we receive a fuller understanding of *what* the Kingdom of God is, notice further **that this definitely is the very gospel message Christ brought from God the Father**—the same gospel the original apostles proclaimed—the same gospel the Apostle Paul proclaimed to the Gentiles.

Christ Brought No Other Gospel

Jesus said, “I must preach the kingdom of God to other cities also: *for therefore am I sent*” (Luke 4:43).

Jesus commissioned His disciples to teach the Kingdom of God. “Then he called his twelve disciples together, and ... he sent them to preach the kingdom of God ...” (Luke 9:1-2).

“But when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning *the kingdom of God*, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women” (Acts 8:12).

This is interesting because it broke Jewish tradition. Men and women were usually separated in the synagogue but here men and women were plunged into the water like in a slow moving parade. They each rose out of the water with their clothing stuck to their skin revealing their

figure/physique. No one was thinking about looking at girls with a lustful eye. They had just given their lives and future, even if unto torture and death, to God. They believed they had killed and buried the old sinful ways and been rebirth as a new person, a purer person who would constantly strive to be sin free and yield perfect pure thought.

“And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching *the gospel of the kingdom ...*”

(Matthew 4:23).

Jesus’s parables concerned the Kingdom of God.

To His disciples, in explaining the parable of the sower, He said: “Unto you it is given to know the mystery of *the kingdom of God,*” and then He explained to them the parable.

Again, “Then said he [Jesus], Unto what is *the kingdom of God* like? and whereunto shall I resemble it?” (Luke 13:18)— and then came a parable.

“And again he said, Whereunto shall I liken the kingdom of God? It is like leaven ...”—and then follows the parable of the leaven (verses 20-21).

One of His most important parables is recorded in the 19th chapter of Luke: “... he added and spake a parable, because he was nigh to Jerusalem, and *because they thought that the kingdom of God should immediately appear*” (Luke 19:11). Then He gave the parable of the nobleman going to a far country to receive for himself a kingdom and to return This was the picture of Christ’s ascension to heaven, where the coronation ceremony shall take place, and His return to Earth to rule all nations, as King of kings and Lord of lords, in all the supreme power and glory of the great God.

What gospel did the apostles and Paul proclaim?

Did Apostles and Paul Preach a Different Gospel?

After Christ’s resurrection, the disciples were with Him 40-days. Were they talking among themselves about any *other* gospel during that time than the Kingdom of God?

What happened just before Jesus ascended into heaven? Luke had previously recorded what Jesus had done. Let’s look through the candle light over St. Paul’s shoulder at the first three lines from Acts 1:1-3 as Apostle Paul is writing a letter.

[Acts \(NIV\)](#)

1In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. 3After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God.

and said (King James Version) 2“[u]ntil the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy [Spirit] had given commandments unto the apostles whom he had chosen: To whom also he showed himself alive after his passion by many infallible proofs, being seen of them forty days, and *speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God*” (Acts 1:2-3).

Notice after His resurrection Christ was speaking to His disciples about “the things pertaining to the kingdom of God.”

They, then, just before He ascended into heaven, asked Him: “Lord, wilt thou at this time *restore again the kingdom* to Israel?” (verse 6).

The apostles did not understand that the Kingdom of God was not to be set up on Earth in their lifetime, even though Jesus’s teaching—especially the parable of the pounds (Luke 19)—should have made it clear to them.

This is that parable from the NIV translation:

12He said: "A man of noble birth went to a distant country to have himself appointed king and then to return.

13So he called ten of his servants and gave them ten minas. 'Put this money to work,' he said, 'until I come back.'

14"But his subjects hated him and sent a

delegation after him to say, 'We don't want this man to be our king.'

15" He was made king, however, and returned home. Then he sent for the servants to whom he had given the money, in order to find out what they had gained with it.

16" The first one came and said, 'Sir, your mina has earned ten more.'

17" 'Well done, my good servant!' his master replied. 'Because you have been trustworthy in a very small matter, take charge of ten cities.'

18" The second came and said, 'Sir, your mina has earned five more.'

19" His master answered, 'You take charge of five cities.'

20" Then another servant came and said, 'Sir, here is your mina; I have kept it laid away in a piece of cloth.

21 I was afraid of you, because you are a hard man. You take out what you did not put in and reap what you did not sow.'

22" His master replied, 'I will judge you by your own words, you wicked servant! You knew, did you, that I am a hard man, taking out what I did not put in, and reaping what I did not sow?

23 Why then didn't you put my money on deposit, so that when I came back, I could have collected it with interest?'

24" Then he said to those standing by, 'Take his mina away from him and give it to the one who has ten minas.'

25" 'Sir,' they said, 'he already has ten!'

26" He replied, 'I tell you that to everyone who has, more will be given, but as for the one who has nothing, even what he has will be taken away.

27 But those enemies of mine who did not

want me to be king over them--bring them here and kill them in front of me.' "

(There are two obvious powerful messages here. ▪Do with your life all you can to make good of it and make yourself approved to God, and ▪Those who insult their king and say they do not want to be his subjects will die for saying so. They don't have to be his subjects. They can be dead. God doesn't just want your submission. He requires it. We have run the world our way for a LOT longer than 5,000 years and show no wisdom, only rivers of blood and cemetery boundaries that go over the horizon! We have had our chance and now it is past due time we do things God's Way learning God's wisdom.)

After two years, from the inception of the Church of God on the day of Pentecost, a.d. 31, the counterfeit movement set in, headed by Simon the Sorcerer. The historic book of Acts records: "... And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, except the apostles. ... Therefore they that were scattered abroad went

everywhere *preaching the word.*"

"Then Philip went down to the city of Samaria But when they believed Philip *preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God*, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized ..." (Acts 8:1-12).

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The Apostle Paul spoke boldly at Ephesus for three months "disputing and persuading the things concerning *the kingdom of God*" (Acts 19:8). On a later trip, at Miletus, Paul called for the elders of the Church at Ephesus. Saying his farewell to them Paul said, "And now, behold, I know that ye all, among whom I have gone *preaching the kingdom of God*, shall see my face no more" (Acts 20:25).

At Rome, "there came many to him [Paul] into his lodging; to whom *he expounded and testified the kingdom of God* ..." (Acts 28:23).

Again at Rome, "Paul dwelt two whole years in his own hired house, and received all that came in unto him, *Preaching the kingdom of God* ..." (verses 30-31).

Did Paul preach any *other gospel*? To the Galatians he wrote, "But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that

which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. As we said before, so say I now again, If any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed” (Galatians 1:8-9).

But verses 6 and 7 showed that the Galatians had, already, turned to another gospel. Jesus spoke of His message—the Kingdom of God—as the “word” that He spoke. The apostles, as you’ll read all through the book of Acts, went everywhere preaching “the word”— meaning the Kingdom of God.

The Realization that comes with Comprehension.

A full and *complete* understanding of the message sent by God to all mankind, brought through His divine Messenger Jesus Christ, involves a vast comprehension of God’s great purpose, and of events prehistoric, historic, present and future.

It means an understanding of *everything!* Once understood, the libraries of knowledge disseminated in the great universities, will pale to insignificance. Great minds of Theoretical physicists will seem stupid beside those who have received God’s new awareness and wisdom. The promises of super capability made to some of us mind-expansion seekers by the devil and his co-workers will be desolate beside God’s generous awareness imparted into our at last completed minds.

The missing dimension in knowledge is the all-important knowledge! Good reader friend, expect great things to be revealed in the further studies at this website. As I said, the time to reveal is come and you shall be one of the few who will open your mind to receive it – NOT from me, not because I am so grand and generous. It will come as what I write, that which is given to me to write and it will be available to you at no cost. But – there’s a forewarning here. Often people who are presented readings at no charge do not value them and do not read them. Don’t you be also amongst those fools. Read and learn. God gives you opportunity as in the parable you just read.

As I told you earlier, God is infinite and knew your mind and your destiny before your birth. He knew of this moment for you and now You are required to make a decision and follow your path. Do you choose the easy path to the gates of Hades and eternal condemnation, or the uphill more difficult path to the Gates of Heaven and eternal life and happiness? Make your choice. Decide whom you will serve.

The ‘Gospels’ Being Preached Today

Mr. Armstrong warned years ago, you may hear many gospel programs. They say they are, “Preaching Christ to the Nations.” One might ask, “Well, what’s

wrong about preaching about Christ?” Or, “What’s *wrong* about preaching a gospel of grace?” Or, “What’s *wrong* about proclaiming a message about salvation?”

I have shown you the scriptures showing they started, even in the first century, preaching about a different Jesus—a Jesus supposed to have abolished His Father’s commandments—who turned “grace” into license to disobey (2 Corinthians 11:4, 13-15 and Jude 4).

They do not today preach the real Jesus, who said, “I have kept my Father’s commandments,” setting us an example that we should keep them also.

Here we are again. I say you cannot get by with a 15-second prayer and nothing more. You must make every effort to follow God’s Way.

If those who claim to preach a gospel of salvation understood and proclaimed what salvation really is—whether it is going to a place, being changed into a different condition, or what—or where—and how it may be obtained, it might be a part of the true gospel. But *today’s “gospel” programs do not* teach what salvation *really* is or how one may receive it. When the blind lead the blind, they all fall into the ditch.

Modern pastors give you introductory information. They get you started thinking. They cannot teach hard, even emotionally painful truths to a megachurch of several hundred, even several thousand people.

I recommend you take their introductory messages as an invitation to do more study and do your own thinking. No man can think for you. No man can save you for eternity. Only God can do that.

Just What Is the Kingdom of God?

So it’s time we come to understand. Let’s define. *What is the Kingdom of God!* What is a kingdom? The Bible speaks of several kingdoms.

The first world empire—the Chaldean Empire often called “Babylon”—was a kingdom. God inspired the Prophet Daniel to say to its king, Nebuchadnezzar, “... the God of heaven hath given thee a kingdom, power, and strength, and glory” (Daniel 2:37).

Then there was the kingdom of Israel—the family descended from Israel, which became one of Earth’s nations or governments.

The kingdom of Israel was a forerunner of the Kingdom of God. It will be composed of the Spirit-born children of God—the Family of God, organized into a governing kingdom.

Therefore the Kingdom of God will be dual:

(1) A government. A government—or kingdom—is composed of four things:

(a) a king, ruling over

(b) people, subjects or citizens within

(c) a definite jurisdiction of territory, with

(d) laws and an organized system of administering them.

(2) A family (as the kingdom of Israel was a family of the children of Israel)—in this case the Family of God—a family into which humans may be born, which shall be a governing, or ruling, family that shall have jurisdiction over all nations—that is, the whole Earth—and, later, the entire universe.

The Kingdom: a Government

Christ is to be the King of the Kingdom of God. He is the *Son* of God, whom He addressed as His Father. When the Church, by a resurrection or instantaneous *change* from mortal to immortal (from physical to spirit composition), becomes the Spirit-composed children of God, Christ will marry the Church, which shall become His wife. So we have Father, Son, wife, and children of the Father—all a family relationship—the divine God Family!

Let us read some of the prophecies:

“Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel [which means ‘God with us’]” (Isaiah 7:14).

“For unto us [Israel] a child is born, unto us a son is given: and *the government* shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Of the increase of *his government* and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his *kingdom*, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even forever. The zeal of the [Eternal] of hosts will perform this” (Isaiah 9:6-7).

The angel Gabriel is a super archangel—a cherub—one of only three mentioned in the Bible. It is recorded, “And in the sixth month [of the pregnancy of Elizabeth] the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth, To a virgin espoused [betrothed] to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin’s name was Mary.

And the angel came in unto her, and said, Hail, thou that art highly favored, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women. ... And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favor with God. And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name Jesus. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest; and the Lord God shall give unto him *the throne* of his father David: And *he shall reign* over the house of Jacob forever; and of his kingdom there shall be no end” (Luke 1:26-33).

When Jesus was on trial for His life before Pilate, the Roman ruler said unto Him, “Art thou a king then? Jesus answered, Thou sayest that I am a king. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth” (John 18:37).

However, Jesus also explained to Pilate that His Kingdom—His rulership—was not of this world—this time—this present age, saying, “*My kingdom is not of this world ... but now is my kingdom **not from hence***” (verse 36).

In the NIV the translation reads:

36 Jesus said, "My kingdom is not of this world. If it were, my servants would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jews. **But now my kingdom is from another place.**"

37 "You are a king, then!" said Pilate. Jesus answered, "You are right in saying I am a king. In fact, for this reason I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone on the side of truth listens to me."

What Christ’s Gospel Was All About

I say Christ’s gospel—the message He brought from God—was the advanced good news of the establishment of the Kingdom of God.

What does that include? And why is the Kingdom of God necessary? How does it affect and relate directly to your personal and individual life?

Actually, Christ’s message of God’s coming Kingdom is directly concerned with world conditions as they are—with human nature—its source and origin—with world evils, suffering, unhappiness—with world peace. It’s

concerned with government—with the reason present human governments fail to be the benefactors of their peoples they are expected to be.

His message hits directly at the very roots of individual personal happiness and at the awesome transcendent potential of each human life. It is concerned with the causes of present conditions that affect every human and with the way that will solve all problems.

But it is concerned with far, far more.

It is concerned with God's tremendous, overwhelming, overall purpose as Creator of the entire universe. It's concerned with the entire vast universe, filled with its uncountable galaxies, nebulae, suns, stars, planets, and with God's purpose for them. It's concerned with all the angels— and that one third of all God's created angels turned to sin from which there can be no redemption, and God's great purpose and plan to prevent such a catastrophe happening to the other two thirds.

Most of these things are never remotely considered in religious teachings in this world. God's message is concerned with overall truth.

What you have learned thus far is but the introduction to the entire story of Christ's gospel message.

There shall be much more.

My Dear Friend, I hope you have noticed that I go out of my way to make extra effort to bring you the bible quotes and define words so you will not be confused and lose interest. I hope you're pleased with this effort and if you would like to write to me at my contact address about my teaching method and advise me further of your needs, I will be happy to read you note to me and do my best to help you and other readers further.

This isn't "Christianity Light." This is the real thing and you need to know it. Please continue to study and watch for more new postings, and please help me to save lives and souls for eternity! Recommend to your friends to come and read here too. With My Advanced Thanks. sn

More will be coming. Look for a larger work entitled,
Your Incredible Spiritual Potential.

People read this and go right past this. Nothing happens in their mind.

1 John 3:2 New International Version (NIV)

2 Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what we will be has not yet been made known. But we know that when Christ appears,[a] we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

This is the beginning of the truth. It's not a story about a baby born in a manger and it's not a story about a man who became a legend. It's the news that God will forgive us our sins if we request rescue from this mess and what he has for us then is to raise us as his own children, and we will mature to be like Him! And more, we will help to restore the Universe to what it was before Satan ruined it.....and only about 2% of the world knows any of this!!!

So, now it's YOUR turn to go teach it before the end of all opportunities to teach. Spread the word, send the link to his PDF file, get it into the computers owned by everyone who shows any interest whatsoever.

God will Bless you for spreading HIS truth. sn