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PREFACE

In all of the titles for my articles that I have written for my website, I use the words “mystery” and “revealed.” As I use the word “mystery,” it can be defined as, “Any truth unknowable except by Divine revelation.” As God has brought to my mind certain aspects of our Christian faith, I have learned to ask Him to share with me His “revealed truth” on certain mysteries of our faith using the spiritually “sound mind of Christ” to help me with my comprehension and the application of these Biblical truths. PARTS I and II about the kingdoms are such an endeavor. In all of the other mysteries that God has revealed to me, this one on the kingdoms has been the most difficult for me to comprehend, to digest, and then to put into a teaching that others can understand and implement into their spiritual and physical lives.

✓ Go to www.mysteryworldview.org. This brings up my Home Page. Go to “Please Select a Book” where you will find all of my titles that use the words “mystery” and “revealed.” Or if you click on the “Bible Study” icon, you will find all of my titles that use the words “mystery” and “revealed.”

I believe the revelations of the kingdoms contained in PARTS I and II will help prepare the Saints of Jesus Christ’s Bride Church to be better equipped for His Second Coming. My brothers and sisters, I cannot express to you the absolute © Daily Praying and seeking God...
necessity of your daily praying and seeking God and knowing the things of God as found in His Word using the spiritual supernatural “sound mind of Christ!” He will make known His mysteries to those of us who are truly seeking His revealed truth that applies to BOTH parts of our physical and spiritual lives! God loves to reveal Who He is to us – He is a “show off” God. He wants us to worship and serve Him as completely as possible using the Bible through the Holy Spirit.

✓ Jeremiah 33:2-3 Thus says the Lord Who made [the earth], the Lord Who formed it to establish it--the Lord is His name {God the Son/Jesus Christ}: 3 Call to Me and I will answer you and show you great and mighty things, fenced in and hidden, which you do not know (do not distinguish and recognize, have knowledge of and understand). AMP

- John 1:3 He {the Word – John 1:1 God the Son/Jesus Christ} created everything there is-nothing exists that he didn’t make. TLB

- Colossians 2:2-3 This is what I have asked of God for you: that you will be encouraged and knit together by strong ties of love, and that you will have the rich experience of knowing Christ with real certainty and clear understanding. For God's secret plan {mystery} , now at last made known, is Christ himself. 3 In him {Christ} lie hidden all the mighty, untapped treasures of {secular and spiritual supernatural} wisdom and knowledge {available to man}. TLB

✓ Psalms 145:18-20 The Lord is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him sincerely and in truth. 19He will fulfill the desires of those who reverently and worshipfully fear Him; He also will hear their cry and will save them. 20 The Lord preserves all those who love Him, but all the wicked will He destroy. AMP

✓ Amos 3:7 Surely the Lord God will do nothing without revealing His secret {mysteries} to His servants the prophets {All Christians are forth telling prophets because of our testimonies.}. [Rev 10:7.] AMP

- Revelation 19:10 Then I {John} fell prostrate at his feet {the angel’s} to worship (to pay divine honors) to him, but he [restrained me] and said, Refrain! [You must not do that!] I am [only] another servant with you and your brethren who have [accepted and hold] the testimony borne by Jesus. Worship God! For the substance (essence) of the truth revealed by Jesus is the spirit of all prophecy [the vital breath, the inspiration of all inspired
preaching and interpretation of the divine will and purpose, including both mine and yours]. AMP

✓ John 4:23-24 A time will come, however, indeed it is already here, when the true (genuine) worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and in truth (reality); for the Father is seeking just such people as these as His worshipers. 24 God is a Spirit (a spiritual Being) and those who worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth (reality). AMP
INTRODUCTION.

We are about to embark on one of God’s mysteries whereby He reveals the truth of two kingdoms – one whose eternal origin is in the third heaven and the other’s temporary origin was on the earth – that is almost beyond my natural human comprehension! BUT God has revealed to me that by praying for and using the spiritual supernatural “sound mind of Jesus Christ,” I can unravel this mystery.

✓ 2 Timothy 1:7 For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind. NKJV

✓ 1 Corinthians 2:16 For "who has known the mind of the LORD that he may instruct Him? But we have the mind of Christ. NKJV

✓ To know about the “sound mind of Christ” go to www.mysteryworldview.org This is my HOME page. Click on the “Bible Study” icon, then click on #4 – The MYSTERY of HAVING the SOUND MIND of CHRIST REVEALED. God the Holy Spirit using the Scriptures from the Bible will help you to know and understand with certainty the mystery of the origins of the eternal spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God/Heaven” and the kingdom(s) of the world.

The terms Kingdom of God and Kingdom of Heaven are interchangeable when applied to God’s Kingdom as evidenced by Christ’s usage of either term in His parables.

✓ Matthew 19:23-24 Then Jesus said to His disciples, "Assuredly, I say to you that it is hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven. And again I say to you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." NKJV {Compare Matthew 5:3 to Luke 6:20.}
✓ To know about the “Parables of Christ” go to www.mysteryworldview.org This is my HOME page. Click on “Please Select A Book,” then click on #2 – “The Mystery of Properly Interpolating the Parables Revealed.”

In **PART I**, I will put into perspective what the Bible has to share with us about the introduction in the time and place of history of these two kingdoms. We will see the introduction of the **eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God** complete with Its Throne(s), It King(s) on Its Throne (s), where It was first revealed, where It is now located, and the future of those who faithfully worship and serve God. I pray that as this study continues, you will be able to discern Its time and place and history in God’s foreknown and predestined plans. Beginning in the third heaven as “Eden, the Garden of God” and then on earth as the “Garden of Eden.” I believe these two Gardens are one and the same and represent the Kingdom of God at different times and places in history!

✓ **Ezekiel 28:13** "You {Lucifer/Satan} **were in Eden, the garden of God** {in the third heaven}; Every precious stone was your covering: The ruby, the topaz and the diamond; The beryl, the onyx and the jasper; The lapis lazuli, the turquoise and the emerald; And the gold, the workmanship of your settings and sockets, Was in you. **On the day that you were created They were prepared.** NASU

✓ **Genesis 2:15** And **the Lord God** {God the Son after He created Adam in the Land of Nod/”home of the “kingdom(s) of the world”} **took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden** {the Kingdom of God was physically on earth at that time} to tend and guard and keep it. AMP

We will come to know and understand that God did NOT create any of the nations or kingdoms of the world except for one. We will also see according to His plans His creation of the nation of Israel along with the formation of God’s Chosen People – the Jews who will survive in time and place in world history to be victorious over all of the other nations of the world at Christ’s Second Coming.

✓ **Jeremiah 31:7** For thus says the Lord: Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and shout **for the head** {greatest – TLB} **of the nations** {Israel} [on account of the chosen people, Israel]. Proclaim, praise, and say, **The Lord has saved His people, the remnant of Israel!** AMP

✓ **Deuteronomy 26:19** If you {Israel} do {keep all of His Commandments}, **he** {God} **will make you greater than any other nation**, allowing you to receive
praise, honor, and renown {among the nations}; but to attain this honor and renown you must be a holy people to the Lord your God, as he requires." TLB

We will also see the introduction of the temporary humanistic physical “kingdom(s) of the world” – with its “god” – Satan on his throne, his titles, when it was first revealed, how it came into being, where it is located, and the future of those sinful unrepentant humans who worship and serve this kingdom and its “god.” We will see a timeline of the foreknown and predestined plans that God has for the peoples of these kingdoms in their proper time and place in history.

✓ **Genesis 3:23** Therefore the Lord God sent him {Adam and Eve} forth from the Garden of Eden {kicked them out of the Kingdom of God now temporarily located on earth} to till the ground from which he was taken {in the Land of Nod}. AMP

* Ephesians 2:2 In which at one time you {a sinner now saved by God’s Grace} walked [habitually]. You were following the course and fashion of this world [were under the sway of the tendency of this present age], following the prince of the power of the air {Satan}. [You were obedient to and under the control of] the [demon] spirit {Satan} that still constantly works in the sons of disobedience [the careless, the rebellious, and the unbelieving, who go against the purposes of God {i.e. all sinners}]. AMP

As a Christian using the spiritual supernatural “sound mind” of Christ, I believe the Bible and God the Holy Spirit will help us to assimilate the necessary information as to **Who** has the **Sovereignty** – total rule and authority over His creation, and **Who** has the **Providence** – wisdom, destiny, care, and guidance over not only the nations, kingdoms, and tribes of people but also designates who are the leaders of these governments in their proper time and place in history.

✓ **Deuteronomy 10:14** Behold, the {first and second} heavens and the {third} heaven of heavens belong to the Lord your God, the earth also, with all that is in it and on it. AMP

✓ **Psalms 89:11** The heavens are Yours {O Lord}, the earth also is Yours; the world and all that is in it. You have founded them. AMP

✓ **Jeremiah 27:5** I {the Lord} have made the earth, the men, and the beasts that are upon the face of the earth by My great power and by My outstretched arm, and I give it to whomever it seems right and suitable to Me. AMP
Romans 13:1 Obey the government, for God is the one who has put it there. *There is no government anywhere that God has not placed in power.* TLB

2 Chronicles 20:6 And {Jehoshaphat} said, O Lord, God of our fathers, are You not God in heaven? And do You not rule over all the kingdoms of the nations? In Your hand are power and might, so that none is able to withstand You. AMP

As we continue this study, I pray that you will see and understand God’s eternal spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God” as It is revealed for “TODAY.” You will also see the establishing of the physical and secular “kingdom(s) of the world” as they are revealed for “TODAY.” I will reveal Lucifer’s {from now on his name is Satan} sin and his temporary objective and goal of blinding the eyes and understanding of sinners of knowing Jesus Christ, His message of the Gospel, and His Kingdom that allows him to the title of the “god of this world.”

Matthew 6:9-10, 13 {Jesus said} Pray, therefore, like this: Our Father Who is in heaven, hallowed (kept holy) be Your name. 10 Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven {“TODAY”}.

13 And lead (bring) us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one {Satan}. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever {“TODAY”}. Amen. AMP

2 Corinthians 4:4 Satan, who is the god of this evil {kingdom(s) of the} world, has made him {the unrepentant sinner} blind, unable to see the glorious light of the Gospel that is shining upon him or to understand the amazing message we preach about the glory of Christ, who is God. TLB

What is the connection between Satan’s deception and temptation and the need for God to deliver us from Satan and his temporary humanistic earthly kingdom thus ensuring us permanent residence in God’s eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom?

2 Corinthians 4:18 So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. NIV

Acts 26:16-18 {Jesus talking to Saul/Paul on the road to Damascus} Choosing you out [selecting you for Myself] and delivering you from among this [Jewish] people and the Gentiles to whom I am sending you-- [Ezek 2:1,3.] 18 To open
their eyes {unsaved sinners} that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, so that they may thus receive forgiveness and release from their sins and a place and portion among those who are consecrated and purified by faith in Me. [Isa 42:7,16.] AMP

✓ Mark 13:31 Heaven and {kingdom[s] of the} earth will perish and pass away, but My words will not perish or pass away {as found in the Bible}, AMP

✓ 2 Peter 1:10-11 Therefore, brethren, be all the more diligent to make certain about His calling and choosing you; for as long as you practice these things, you will never stumble; 11 for in this way the entrance into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will be abundantly supplied to you. NASU

And in the study for PART II, I will put these two kingdoms into their perspective in the daily lives of us as Christians – Christ’s adopted children in New Testament times and places in history.

✓ 1 John 2:15-17 Stop loving this evil {kingdom(s) of the} world {and its god - Satan} and all that it offers you, for when you love these things you show that you do not really love God; 16 for all these worldly things, these evil desires-the craze for sex, the ambition to buy everything that appeals to you, and the pride that comes from wealth and importance-these are not from God. They are from this evil world itself. 17 And this world is fading away, and these evil, forbidden things will go with it, but whoever keeps doing the will of God will live forever. TLB

✓ Colossians 3:1-2 IF THEN you have been raised with Christ [to a new life, thus sharing His resurrection from the dead], aim at and seek the [rich, eternal treasures] that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. [Ps 110:1.] 2 And set your minds and keep them set on what is above (the higher things), not on the things that are on the earth. AMP {Why MUST we set our minds on the Kingdom of God?}

- Philippians 3:20 For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. NKJV

✓ Luke 12:30-31 All mankind scratches for its daily bread, but your heavenly Father knows your needs. 31 He will always give you all you need from day to day if you will make the Kingdom of God your primary concern. TLB
✓ Ephesians 1:5 For He {God the Father} foreordained us (destined us, planned in love for us) to be adopted (revealed) as His own children through Jesus Christ, in accordance with the purpose of His will [because it pleased Him and was His kind intent] — AMP

✓ John 1:12 But to as many as did receive and welcome Him {Jesus Christ}, He gave the authority (power, privilege, right) to become the children of God, that is, to those who believe in (adhere to, trust in, and rely on) His name — [Isa 56:5.] AMP

As you continue with this study, follow the progression of the Scriptures as they reveal the beginning and the end result of the physical kingdoms of the world and the world’s ruler – Satan in time and place in history over these nations. These events will conclude with the shaking that God will cause to bring about his incurred judgment and his impending removal of Satan from power upon Christ’s Second Coming.

✓ Hebrews 12:27-29 Now this expression, Yet once more, indicates the final removal and transformation of all [that can be] shaken — that is, of that which has been created — in order that what cannot be shaken may remain and continue. [Ps 102:26.] 28 Let us therefore, receiving a kingdom {the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God} that is firm and stable and cannot be shaken, offer to God pleasing service and acceptable worship, with modesty and pious care and godly fear and awe; 29 For our God [is indeed] a consuming fire. [Deut 4:24.] AMP

✓ John 12:31 {Jesus speaking} Now the judgment (crisis) of this world is coming on [sentence is now being passed on this world]. Now the ruler (evil genius, prince) of this world {kingdom(s) – Satan} shall be cast out (expelled). AMP

These events are going to have to take place for Christ to join together His adopted children living in the humanistic secular “kingdom(s) of the world” with His spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God” which will reveal His work and His and His Father’s eternal Glory.

✓ 1 John 5:19 We know [positively] that we {adopted children} are of God, and the whole world {including ALL of the kingdoms and nations of the world except for Israel} is under the power of the evil one {Satan}. AMP
✓ **Revelation 11:15** The seventh angel then blew [his] trumpet, and there were mighty voices in heaven, shouting, *The dominion (kingdom, sovereignty, rule) of the world has now come into the possession and become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ (the Messiah), and He shall reign forever and ever* (for the eternities of the eternities)! [Ps 22:28; Dan 7:13, 14, 27.] AMP

✓ **John 17:1-5** Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said: "*Father*, the hour has come. *Glorify Your Son, that Your Son also may glorify You,* 2 as You have given Him authority over all flesh, *that He should give eternal life to as many as You have given Him.* 3 And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. 4 *I have glorified You on the earth. I have finished the work which You have given Me to do.* 5 And now, *O Father, glorify Me together with Yourself, with the glory which I had with You before the world was.* NKJV
PART I

The IMPORTANCE in OLD TESTAMENT HISTORY of WHEN, WHERE, and BY WHOM the ORIGINS of the TWO KINGDOMS WERE REVEALED in the THIRD HEAVEN and on the EARTH. WHAT ARE THEIR PURPOSES?

CHAPTER 1 – WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT the REVEALED MYSTERY of the ETERNAL SPIRITUAL SUPERNATURAL KINGDOM of GOD and ITS HUMAN and ITS ANGEL INHABITANTS?

As I study the Bible, God has shown me that we have to go back to BEFORE the beginning of time and place in history in Scripture to see the start of the principles of God that govern the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God, the angels, mankind, and the kingdoms of the world. The eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God reveals the MYSTERY of the rule of an eternal Sovereign God over all of its creatures including man on the planet earth and all of the things including the angels and the stars of the entire universe. The word “eternal” pertains to something that is timeless i.e. it has no beginning nor end. Only God has the Sovereignty and Providence to fulfill and utilize the concept of “eternity!”

✓ **Psalms 90:2** Before the mountains were created, before the earth was formed, you are God without beginning or end. TLB

✓ **Daniel 4:3** How great are His signs! And how mighty His wonders! **His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and His dominion** {Sovereignty over His creation} **is from generation to generation.** [Dan 7:13, 14; Luke 1:31-33.] AMP
The LORD has established His throne in His spiritual supernatural Kingdom in the third heavens, And His sovereignty rules over all.

Bless the LORD, you His angels. Mighty in strength, who perform His word. Obeying the voice of His word!

Bless the LORD, all you His hosts which includes all of His angels and all of the stars in the universe, You who serve Him, doing His will.

Bless the LORD, all you works of His. In all places of His dominion creation; Bless the LORD, O my soul!

I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, says the Lord God. He Who is and Who was and Who is to come, the Almighty God (the Ruler of all).

Declaring the end and the result from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure and purpose.

He has made everything beautiful in its time. He also has planted eternity in men's hearts and minds [a divinely implanted sense of a purpose working through the ages which nothing under the sun but God alone can satisfy], yet so that men cannot find out what God has done from the beginning to the end.

God the Son/Jesus Christ is the very embodiment/personification of the eternal God and His spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God! It is because of God the Son/Jesus Christ and His example that we learn about God. Wherever He is, there It is with Him whether in the third heaven as Eden the Garden of God or on the earth as the Garden of Eden or individually within His Saints or corporately within Christ’s Bride Church.

IN THE beginning [before all time] was the Word (Christ), and the Word was with God, and the Word was God Himself. [Isa 9:6.] He {God the Son/Jesus Christ} was present originally with God. AMP

No man has ever seen God at any time; the only unique Son, or the only begotten God, Who is in the bosom [in the intimate presence] of the Father. He has declared Him {He has revealed Him and brought Him out where He can be seen; He has interpreted Him and He has made Him known}. [Prov 8:30.] AMP
1 Peter 2:21 For even to this {suffering} were you called [it is inseparable from your vocation]. For Christ also suffered for you, leaving you [His personal] example, so that you should follow in His footsteps. AMP

Ezekiel 28:13 You {Satan} were in Eden, the garden of God {Kingdom of God}; every precious stone was your covering {adornment}, the carnelian, topaz, jasper, chrysolite, beryl, onyx, sapphire, carbuncle, and emerald; and your settings and your sockets and engravings were wrought in gold. On the day that you were created they were prepared. [Gen 3:14,15; Isa 14:12-15; Matt 16:23.] AMP

Genesis 2:15 And the Lord God {God the Son} took the man {Adam} and put him in the Garden of Eden {Kingdom of God on earth at that time} to tend and guard and keep it. AMP

Luke 17:21 Nor will people say, Look! Here [it is]! or, See, [it is] there! For behold, the kingdom of God is within you [{individually} in your hearts] and among you [surrounding you] {corporately as Christ’s Bride Church}. AMP

The Kingdom of God gives to those who are truly “Born Again” – Christ’s adopted children – righteousness, peace, joy, and God’s abundant blessing and life while the “kingdom of the world” and its “god” – Satan brings curses and eternal destruction to all unsaved sinners.

John 3:7-8 {Jesus speaking} Marvel not [do not be surprised, astonished] at My telling you, You must all be born anew (from above). 8 The wind {Holy Spirit} blows (breathes) where it wills; and though you hear its sound, yet you neither know where it comes from nor where it is going. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit. AMP

- John 1:12-13 But to as many as did receive and welcome Him, He gave the authority (power, privilege, right) to become the children of God, that is, to those who believe in (adhere to, trust in, and rely on) His name-- [Isa 56:5.] 13 Who owe their {new spiritual} birth neither to bloods {one’s so called ethnicity} nor to the will of the flesh [that of physical impulse {sexual lust}] nor to the will of man [that of a natural father {wanting to have a family}], but to God. [They are born of God!] AMP

- Ephesians 1:5 For He {God the Father} foreordained us {pre}destined us, planned in love for us) to be adopted (revealed) as His own children
**through Jesus Christ**, in accordance with the purpose of His will [because it pleased Him and was His kind intent]—AMP

✓ **Romans 14:17** for **the kingdom of God** {which is in you} is not eating and drinking, but **righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit**. NKJV

✓ **John 10:10** The thief {Satan} **comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy** {ALL Make Believers and Unbelievers in his kingdom}. I {Jesus Christ and My Kingdom} **came that they** {My adopted children} **may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance** (to the full, till it overflows). AMP

When a lost sinner is “Born Again,” they are immediately spiritually seated with God the Son/Jesus Christ on His Throne of His Kingdom with His Father in the third heaven.

✓ **Colossians 3:1** **IF THEN you have been raised with Christ** [to a new life, thus sharing His resurrection from the dead], **aim at and seek the** [rich, eternal treasures] **that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.** [Ps 110:1.] AMP

✓ **Ephesians 2:6-7** **And He** {God the Father} **raised us up together with Him** {Jesus Christ} **and made us sit down together** [giving us joint seating with Him] **in the heavenly sphere** {spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God} [by virtue of our being] in Christ Jesus (the Messiah, the Anointed one). 7 **He** {God the Father} **did this that He might clearly demonstrate through the ages to come the immeasurable (limitless, surpassing) riches of His free grace** (His unmerited favor) **in [His] kindness and goodness of heart toward us in Christ Jesus**. AMP

The Kingdom of God is the eternal home for all “Born Again” created intelligence including angels and humans.

✓ **Revelation 19:10** **Then I** {John} **fell prostrate at his feet** {the angel} **to worship** (to pay divine honors) **to him, but he** [restrained me] **and said, Refrain!** [You must not do that!] **I am [only] another servant with you and your brethren who have [accepted and hold] the testimony borne by Jesus. Worship God!** For the substance (essence) of the truth revealed by Jesus is the spirit of all prophecy [the vital breath, the inspiration of all inspired preaching and interpretation of the divine will and purpose, including both mine and yours]. AMP
Revelation 22:8-9  And I, John, am he who heard and witnessed these things. And when I heard and saw them, I fell prostrate before the feet of the messenger (angel) who showed them to me, to worship him. 9 But he said to me, Refrain! [You must not do that!] I am [only] a fellow servant along with yourself and with your brethren the prophets and with those who are mindful of and practice [the truths contained in] the messages of this book. Worship God! AMP {All Christians should be forth telling prophets – continually sharing their testimony for Christ with others!}

While we as Christians MUST physically live and work in the temporary humanistic secular “kingdom of the world,” we also MUST spiritually live and worship and serve God in and for the eternal spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God.” While these two kingdoms may appear to have similar characteristics and workings, they are diametrically opposed in their eternal purposes!

1 Corinthians 7:31 Those in frequent contact with the exciting things the world offers should make good use of their opportunities {continuously indulge them to their fullest} without stopping to enjoy them; for the world in its present form will soon be gone. TLB

1 John 2:16 for all these worldly things, these evil desires—the craze for sex, the ambition to buy everything that appeals to you, and the pride that comes from wealth and importance—these are not from God. They are from this evil world itself. TLB

2 Peter 1:11 Thus there will be richly and abundantly provided for you {as a child of God} entry into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. AMP

In the “kingdom of the world,” our physical life and work is to have an occupation, produce useful things, provide for and nurture our families i.e. the Christian husband and wife bearing fruit of their loins – their children and raising them in the confines of the physical world, but all the while bearing eternal fruit for Christ by introducing them to and nurturing them in Jesus Christ as their personal Savior, Lord God, Master, and living according to the Kingdom Of God in the world by the power of God the Holy Spirit through His Word. We are then to live and conduct our lives according to the Law of Christ which fulfills the Ten Commandments/God’s Law.
✓ Psalms 127:4-5 As arrows are in the hand of a warrior, so are the children of one's youth. 5 Happy, blessed, and fortunate is the man whose quiver is filled with them! They will not be put to shame when they speak with their adversaries [in gatherings] at the [city's] gate. AMP

✓ Acts 16:34 The jailer brought them {Paul and Silas} into his house and set a meal before them; he was filled with joy because he had come to believe in God — he and his whole family. NIV

✓ Galatians 6:2 Bear (endure, carry) one another's burdens and troublesome moral faults, and in this way fulfill and observe perfectly the law of Christ (the Messiah) and complete what is lacking [in your obedience to it]. AMP

✓ Matthew 22:37-40 And He {Jesus} replied to him, You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind (intellect). [Deut 6:5.] 38 This is the great (most important, principal) and first commandment. 39 And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as [you do] yourself. [Lev 19:18.] 40 These two commandments sum up and upon them depend all the Law {Ten Commandments} and the Prophets. AMP

In the “Kingdom of God,” our spiritual supernatural work is to bear eternal fruit – winning lost sinners to accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and become spiritual children of God {brothers and sisters in Christ’s Bride Church} and to disciple/nurture them to live their physical and spiritual lives according to God’s Word and the principles of His Kingdom while living in the “kingdom(s) of the world.”

✓ John 15:16 You did not choose Me {Jesus Christ}, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain {Meaning that YOU have eternal life with God and also the spirit of the sinner that you witnessed to who accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Savior now also has eternal life with God.}, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you. NKJV

✓ Proverbs 11:30 The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life, And he who wins souls is wise. NKJV

✓ Daniel 12:3 And the teachers {of sanctification to those who are saved} and those who are wise {wins lost sinners to justification} shall shine like the brightness of the firmament, and those who turn many to righteousness (to
uprightness and right standing with God) {through discipleship teaching and training} [shall give forth light] **like the stars forever and ever.** [Matt 13:43.]

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CHAPTER 2 – ADAM and EVE in the “GARDEN of EDEN” or LUCIFER in “EDEN, the GARDEN of GOD”– IS IT ONE and the SAME, WHAT IS IT, WHERE WAS/IS IT?

In Genesis Chapter One, we have God creating the heavens and earth and all of the things in creation including Adam and Eve. God saw that all of His creation was “very good.” The Bible tells us that God created Adam from the dust of the ground, but we are not told the “location” in creation where Adam was created. I believe that Adam was created in the part of creation that was called the “Land of Nod/wandering” {Genesis 4:16} and from which would develop the “kingdom(s) of the world.” It is important to know and understand this “Land of Nod!” It contains two separate entities – one entity becomes a “place of seeming permanency” in the decaying foundation of the earth for the temporary humanistic physical “kingdom(s) of the world.” The other entity is a way of escape through this minefield of chaos and instability of the kingdoms – a spiritual supernatural “highway to heaven” for God’s righteous people/aliens on earth as God’s Saints travel through the “Land of Nod” towards obtaining our goal of becoming a permanent resident in the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God.

✓ Genesis 1:31 And God saw everything that He had made, and behold, it was very good (suitable, pleasant) and He approved it completely. And there was evening and there was morning, a sixth day. AMP
Genesis 2:7 Then the Lord God formed man from the dust of the ground {in the Land of Nod} and {God the Holy Spirit} breathed into his nostrils the breath or spirit of life, and man became a living being. [1 Cor 15:45-49.] AMP

Genesis 3:23 So the LORD God banished him {Adam because of his and Eve’s sin} from the Garden of Eden to work the ground from which he had been taken {in the Land of Nod – Genesis 4:16}. NIV

Romans 8:20-21 For the {physical} creation (nature) was subjected to frailty (to futility, condemned to frustration {death and decay}), not because of some intentional fault on its part, but by the will of Him Who so subjected it—[yet] with the hope [Eccl 1:2.] That nature (creation) itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and corruption [and gain an entrance] into the glorious freedom of God’s children {upon Christ’s Second Coming}. AMP

Isaiah 35:8 And a {spiritual supernatural} highway {to heaven} shall be there, and a {spiritual} way {through the Land of Nod – “kingdoms of the world”}; and it shall be called the Holy Way {leading God’s adopted children to the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God}. The unclean {unsaved sinners} shall not pass over it, but it shall be for the redeemed {adopted children of Christ}; the wayfaring men, yes, the simple ones and fools {most stupid – TLB}, shall not err in it and lose their way. AMP
✓ **Hebrews 11:13-14** These {Old Testament} men of faith I have mentioned died without ever receiving all that God had promised them; but they saw it {the Kingdom of God} all awaiting them on ahead and were glad, for they agreed that this earth was not their real home but that they were just strangers. {aliens/exiles/temporary residents} visiting down here. 14 And quite obviously when they talked like that, they were looking forward to their real home in heaven. TLB

In Genesis Chapter two, we have God placing the already created Adam in an “additional garden” that He planted east of someplace on the earth” – called the Garden of Eden where he was to take care of and guard its contents {from whom or what?}. This Garden contained fruit trees which were pleasing to one’s sight and good for food. It also contained the “Tree of Life” and the “Tree of Knowledge” which God commanded/made known to Adam as to their proper use in his life.

✓ **Genesis 2:8-9** And the Lord God planted a garden toward the east, in Eden [delight]; and there He put the man whom He had formed (framed, constituted). 9 And out of the ground the Lord God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight or to be desired — good (suitable, pleasant) for food; the tree of life also in the center of the garden, and {along with} the tree of the knowledge of good and evil and blessing and calamity. [Rev 2:7; 22:14, 19.] AMP

✓ **Genesis 2:15-17** And the Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to tend and guard and keep it. 16 And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, You may freely eat of every tree of the garden; 17 But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil and blessing and calamity you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die. AMP

Some Christians believe this Garden was part of the original creation that took place on the third day {Genesis 1:11-13}. This is quite possible! I believe the Garden acted as a nursery for the formation of the earth’s vegetation. About the time Christ removed Adam and Eve from the Garden, its vegetation spilled over the earth. Christ and His Kingdom/Garden may have left the earth at this time but returned for Cain and Abel’s visit. The Garden was also a physical illustration and representation of His eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God that was
to be revealed and take Its place within and among the “Born Again” children of God who now live in the decaying humanistic secular physical kingdoms of the world {over the whole earth – the Land of Nod} as man’s history evolved. Again, it must be clearly understood that God’s eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom is diametrically opposed in function and purpose to the demonically formed humanistic secular physical kingdoms of the world.

✓ Luke 17:21 Nor will people say, Look! Here [it is]! or, See, [it is] there! For behold, the kingdom of God is within you [{individually} in your hearts] and among you [surrounding you] {corporately as Christ’s Bride Church}. AMP

Many Christians either have NOT been correctly taught the necessity of distinguishing between these two kingdoms or if they do know, they do NOT want to accept it and virtually continue to live their lives the SAME as they did before they were saved in the “kingdom(s) of the world! This to God is an extremely horrific sin!!! It will cost them their salvation!!!

✓ 2 Corinthians 6:14-7:1 Do not be unequally yoked with unbelievers [do not make mismated alliances with them or come under a different yoke with them, inconsistent with your faith]. For what partnership have right living and right standing with God with iniquity and lawlessness? Or how can light have fellowship with darkness? 15 What harmony can there be between Christ and Belial [the devil]? Or what has a believer in common with an unbeliever? 16 What agreement [can there be between] a temple of God and idols? For we are the temple of the living God; even as God said, I will dwell in and with and among them and will walk in and with and among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be My people. [Ex 25:8; 29:45; Lev 26:12; Jer 31:1; Ezek 37:27.]

17 So {My children}, come out from among [unbelievers], and separate (sever) yourselves from them, says the Lord, and touch not [any] unclean thing; then I will receive you kindly {into My Kingdom} and treat you with favor. [Isa 52:11.] 18 And I will be a Father to you, and you shall be My sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty. [Isa 43:6; Hos 1:10.]

7:1 THEREFORE, SINCE these [great] promises are ours, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from everything {in the “kingdom(s) of the world”} that
contaminates and defiles body and spirit, and bring [our] consecration to completeness in the [reverential] fear of God. AMP

✓ Matthew 7:21-23  {Jesus speaking} "Not all who sound religious are really godly people. They may refer to me as 'Lord,' but still won't get to heaven.

For the decisive question is whether they obey my Father in heaven. 22 At the Judgment many will tell me, 'Lord, Lord, we told others about you and used your name to cast out demons and to do many other great miracles.' 23 But I will reply, 'You have never been mine {because you continued to worship and serve the “kingdom(s) of the world” and its god – Satan rather than Me}. Go away, for your deeds are evil.' TLB

We must realize that the “Garden” represents and reveals God’s criteria for angels and men of His eternal spiritual supernatural “STANDARD” that was part of his original physical creation BEFORE Lucifer sinned in “Eden the Garden of God” in the Third Heaven. All of the original created angels AND Adam and Eve had this SAME “STANDARD” BEFORE they sinned! This “STANDARD” will be revealed in PART II and is imputed {credited to the account of ALL redeemed sinners} when they accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior.

The word “STANDARD” can be secularly defined as a measure of comparison attained by an individual during their lifetime. It is the level of excellence attained by someone in their physical lifetime that brings them distinction. It is also the principles or values that govern a person's behavior.

As we will see in PART II, to Biblically and spiritually define the word “STANDARD” is to compare the level of excellence imputed {credited to the} “Born Again” Saint’s partaking of the spiritual DNA of God {Divine Nature of the Almighty} and having a new spiritual profile/character that includes the Biblical principles and values that now govern his/her life’s behavior in Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ is our example/“STANDARD” for comparison!

✓ 2 Corinthians 5:17 Therefore if any person is [ingrafted] in Christ (the Messiah) he is a new creation (a new {spiritual} creature altogether); the old [previous moral and spiritual condition] has passed away. Behold, the fresh and new {“STANDARD”} has come! AMP
2 Peter 1:4 By means of these He has bestowed on us His precious and exceedingly great promises, so that through them you may escape [by flight] from the moral decay (rottenness and corruption) that is in the world because of covetousness (lust and greed), and become sharers (partakers) of the divine nature {of God. You must know that while we will share God’s character, we will NEVER be God!}. AMP

2 Peter 1:4 And by that same mighty power he has given us all the other rich and wonderful blessings he promised; for instance, the promise to save us from the lust and rottenness all around us, and to give us his own character. TLB

1 John 4:17 By this, {God’s} love is perfected with us, so that we may have confidence in the day of judgment; because as He {Jesus Christ} is, so also are we in this world. NASU

1 Peter 2:21 For even to this were you called [it is inseparable from your vocation]. For Christ also suffered for you, leaving you [His personal] example, so that you should follow in His footsteps. AMP

As this study progresses, I pray that you will see the difference in the dynamics of these kingdoms, and while they both are part of your life, it is the Kingdom of God that truly is by far the most important ONE in your life. It is the Kingdom that God desires for you to worship and serve Him in spirit and truth. There is an old saying, “While Christians live in the world, we must not become part of it!” This saying is much MORE true than most Christians understand and live their lives accordingly!

Matthew 6:33 But seek (aim at and strive after) first of all His kingdom and His righteousness (His way of doing and being right), and then {as you mature in your faith} all these things {of His Kingdom} taken together will be given you besides. AMP

John 18:36 Jesus answered, My kingdom (kingship, royal power) belongs not to this world. If My kingdom were of this world, My followers would have been fighting to keep Me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, My kingdom is not from here (this world); it has no such origin or source. AMP

John 4:23-24 A time will come, however, indeed it is already here, when the true (genuine) worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and in truth (reality); for the Father is seeking just such people as these as His worshipers.
24 God is a Spirit (a spiritual Being) and **those who worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth** {in His Kingdom} (reality). AMP

✓ **1 John 2:15** Stop loving this evil world and all that it offers you, **for when you love these things you show that you do not really love God**; TLB

Let us continue on differentiating these kingdoms. The question becomes, “Why did God need to plant this ‘special’ Garden in a creation that was already ‘very good’?” Why must He reveal/make it known on the earth? Of what significance is it? What were/are some of the spiritual characteristics of this Garden/Kingdom of God? The word “Eden” means “**delights**” because it was/is a place of absolute “**perfection**.” Another word used to describe the “delights” of the Garden is “**paradise.**” **These descriptions go way beyond the original rational for His “Very Good” creation.**

✓ **Luke 23:43** And **He {Jesus} answered him** {the repentant thief on the adjacent cross next to Him}, **Truly I tell you, today you shall be with Me in Paradise** {the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God}. AMP

✓ **2 Corinthians 12:4** {Paul} **Was caught up into paradise** {the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God}, and he heard utterances beyond the power of man to put into words, which man is not permitted to utter. AMP

✓ **Revelation 2:7** He who is able to hear, let him listen to and **give heed to what the Spirit says to the assemblies** (churches). **To him who overcomes (is victorious), I will grant to eat [of the fruit] of the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God** {The Garden of Eden – the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God}. [Gen 2:9; 3:24.] AMP

Adam was already formed from the dust of the ground in the Land of Nod prior to **when God placed him in the Garden of Eden** and then formed Eve from his side. Adam and Eve were extremely intelligent. Adam and Eve talked face to face with God – they were in an intimate relationship with Him. The Garden’s trees were to be used for food. It also contained the “Tree of Life” and the “Tree of Knowledge” about which God cautioned Adam. Eve and Adam then sinned by disobeying God’s command of NOT eating from the “Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil” and **God removed/sent them out of the Garden to cultivate the ground from which Adam was formed.** Where did He put them BACK into? God placed them back into the original “very good” creation in the “Land of Nod.” This physical
representation of the spiritual Garden of Eden/Kingdom of God was RADICALLY different from the rest of physical creation!!!

✓ Genesis 2:7 Then the Lord God {God the Son/Jesus Christ} formed man from the dust of the ground {in the Land of Nod} and {God the Holy Spirit} breathed into his nostrils the breath or spirit of life, and man became a living being. [1 Cor 15:45-49.] AMP

• John 1:3 All things were made and came into existence through Him {The word “through” means from the beginning to the end of. “Him” is Jesus Christ, and He is the Word of God and God the Son}; and without Him was not even one thing made that has come into being. AMP

• Job 33:4 The Spirit of God has made me {to function/to be alive}, And the breath of the Almighty gives me life. NKJV

• Job 27:3 as long as I have life within me, the breath of God in my nostrils, NIV

✓ Genesis 2:8 And the Lord God {God the Son} planted a garden toward the east, in Eden [delight]; and there He put the man whom He had formed (framed, constituted) {in the Land of Nod}. AMP

✓ Genesis 2:21-22 And the Lord God {God the Son} caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam; and while he slept, He took one of his ribs or a part of his side and closed up the [place with] flesh. 22 And the rib or part of his side which the Lord God had taken from the man He built up and made into a woman, and He brought her to the man. AMP

✓ Genesis 2:19 And out of the ground {Strong’s O.T. #127 not “dust” [Strong’s O.T. #6083 as in Genesis 2:7]} the Lord God {God the Son} formed every [wild] beast and living creature of the field and every bird of the air and brought them to Adam to see what he would call them; and whatever Adam {using his intellect} called every living creature, that was its name. AMP

✓ Genesis 3:9-10 But the Lord God {God the Son/Jesus Christ} called to Adam and said to him, Where are you? 10 He {Adam} said, I heard the sound of You [walking] in the garden { Spirits do NOT make sounds walking IF indeed they do walk.}, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself. AMP {If Adam HEARD the sound of Jesus walking in the Garden and HID from His sight, then God the Son/Jesus Christ MUST have had a visible physical bodily form.}
* John 1:18 **No one has seen God** {the Father} **at any time**: the only begotten God {the Son/Jesus Christ} who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained Him {made Him known}. NASU

✓ Genesis 2:9 And **out of the ground the Lord God** {God the Son} **made to grow** **every tree that is pleasant to the sight or to be desired** — **good (suitable, pleasant)** for food; **the tree of life also in the center of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of [the difference between] good and evil and blessing and calamity.** [Rev 2:7; 22:14, 19.] AMP

✓ Genesis 3:23-24 Therefore the **Lord God** {Jesus Christ} **sent him** {Adam and Eve} **forth from the Garden of Eden** {Christ physically removed them and all that was created in the Garden of Eden/Kingdom of God was returned} **to till the ground from which he was taken** {in the Land of Nod}. 24 So **[God] drove out the Adam** {“Adam” is what God called BOTH Adam and Eve.}; and He placed at the **east of the Garden of Eden** the cherubim and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep and guard the way to the tree of life. [Rev 2:7; 22:2, 14, 19.] AMP

* Genesis 5:2 He {God the Son} created them male and female and blessed them and **named them [both] Adam [Man] at the time they were created.** AMP
CHAPTER 3 – LUCIFER CAST OUT of HEAVEN to the PLANET EARTH.

Why must God reveal/make this Garden of Eden known on the earth? Does this Garden give us a glimpse back into the history of the Kingdom of God in the third heaven long BEFORE man was created? To me, the following story of Lucifer is amazingly parallel to the above story of Adam and Eve. I believe that “Eden the Garden of God” represented the spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God” as found in the third heaven and the Garden of Eden was a physical representation on earth of the SAME spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God.

✓ Ezekiel 28:12-13; 15-17 ….Thus says the Lord GOD {talking face to face to Lucifer in Eden the Garden of God}, "You {the angel Lucifer} [angels are spiritual beings] were the seal of perfection, Full of wisdom and perfect in beauty. 13 You were in Eden, the garden of God {in the Kingdom of God in the third heaven}....; 15 You were perfect in your ways from the day you were created, Till iniquity {sin} was found in you. 16 "..... You became filled with violence within, And you sinned; Therefore I cast you as a profane {blasphemous, disrespectful} thing Out of the mountain of God {Kingdom of God}; 17 "..... I cast you to the ground {on the planet earth. By this action of casting Satan out of the Kingdom of God to the ground, did God give Satan the authority to bring forth the “kingdom(s) of the world” on the earth?},..... NKJV

Because of the parallel similarities of the occupants before and after they sinned, I believe they were all in the same eternal spiritual supernatural environment of the Kingdom of God. One of the similarities was that Satan sinned in Eden the Garden of God and was cast out of the third heaven to the planet earth/Land of Nod, and Adam and Eve also sinned in the Garden of Eden and had to be removed from the
Garden back to the Land of Nod. To me, the Garden whether in the third heaven or on the earth is the SAME spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God and reveals that sin cannot nor will not be allowed in God’s Kingdom at any time in history.

✓ Luke 10:18 And He {Jesus Christ} said to them, I saw Satan falling like a lightning [flash] from heaven {to the earth – Land of Nod}. AMP

✓ Genesis 3:23 Therefore the Lord God sent him {Adam and Eve} forth from the Garden of Eden {back} to till the ground from which he was taken {in the Land of Nod}. AMP

✓ Revelation 22:14-15 Blessed (happy and to be envied) are {are those who are righteous – } those who cleanse their garments, that they may have the authority and right to [approach] the tree of life {located in the Garden of Eden/Kingdom of God} and to enter through the gates into the city. [Gen 2:9; 3:22, 24.] 15 [But] without {outside in Hell} are the dogs and those who practice sorceries (magic arts) and impurity [the lewd, adulterers] and the murderers and idolaters and everyone {Unbelievers} who loves and deals in falsehood (untruth, error, deception, cheating). AMP

And later, God reintroduced and further revealed and confirmed the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God in Jesus Christ during His ministry here on earth some 2000 years ago? Where is Jesus Christ from?

✓ John 18:36 Jesus answered, My {eternal spiritual supernatural} kingdom (kingship, royal power) belongs not to this world. If My kingdom were of this world, My followers would have been fighting to keep Me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, My kingdom is not from here (this world); [it has no such origin or source]. AMP

- John 8:23 He {Jesus} said to them, You are from below; I am from above {the third heaven}. You are of this world (of this earthly order); I am not of this {kingdom(s) of the} world. AMP

✓ Luke 17:21 {Jesus speaking} Nor will people say, Look! Here [it is]! or, See, [it is] there! For behold, the kingdom of God is within you [in your hearts] {of Born Again believers} and among you [surrounding you] {in Christ’s Bride Church}. AMP

✓ Romans 14:17 [After all] the kingdom of God is not a matter of [getting the] food and drink [one likes], but instead it is righteousness (that state which
makes a person acceptable to God) and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. AMP

As God reveals the mystery of these kingdoms, we will see Jesus Christ and His eternal spiritual supernatural Gospel Message contained within His Kingdom as contrasted and compared to the message of the decaying humanistic secular physical kingdoms of the world through their governing agencies and their laws.

✓ Mark 1:14-15 Now after John was arrested and put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the good news (the Gospel) of the kingdom of God. And Jesus saying, The [appointed period of] time is fulfilled (completed), and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent (have a change of mind which issues in regret for past sins and in change of conduct for the better) and believe (trust in, rely on, and adhere to) the good news (the Gospel). AMP

✓ 1 Corinthians 7:31 And those {Make Believer Christians and Unbelievers} who deal with this world [overusing the enjoyments of this life] as though they were not absorbed by it and as if they had no dealings with it. For the outward form of this world (the present world order) is passing away. AMP
CHAPTER 4 – ADAM and EVE – God’s INNOCENT “PAWNS” in HISTORY.

In Genesis Chapter 2, God laid out the rules for the Garden of Eden to Adam then He formed Eve from Adam’s side. I believe that BOTH Adam and Eve were “naïve/innocent/unknowing” in their mind-set and character BEFORE God introduced them to the “serpent” {the great opposer, adversary, and deceiver of man and angels – Satan} in the Garden of Eden in Genesis Chapter 3. Satan was very wise, calculating, deceptive, and yet charismatic, and he mentally seduced, caused mental confusion, and out smarted Eve and deceived both Eve and Adam into sinning by disobeying God’s commands in Chapter 2. This was NOT a “fair” matchup, but this is what had to happen to bring to fruition God’s foreknown and predestined plans for the curse of sin to fall upon man, His creatures, and creation!

✓ Genesis 2:16-17 And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, You may freely eat of every tree of the garden; 17 But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil and blessing and calamity you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die. AMP

✓ Genesis 2:21-22 And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam; and while he slept, He took one of his ribs or a part of his side and closed up the [place with] flesh. 22 And the rib or part of his side which the Lord God had taken from the man He built up and made into a woman, and He brought her to the man. AMP

✓ Genesis 3:1 NOW THE {spiritual in nature but now with a visible physical countenance} serpent was more subtle and crafty than any {physical} living creature of the field which the Lord God had made. And he [Satan] said {sarcastically/mockingly/enticingly} to the {innocent} woman, Can it really be that God has said, You shall not eat from every tree of the garden? [Rev 12:9-11.] AMP

• Genesis 3:2-5 "Of course we may eat it," the woman told him. "It's only the fruit from the tree at the center of the garden that we are not to eat. God says we mustn't eat it or even touch it {God the Son did NOT say they could not touch the tree.}, or we will die." 4 "That's a lie!" the serpent hissed. "You'll not die! 5 God knows very well that the instant you eat it you will become
like him, for your eyes will be opened—you will be able to distinguish good from evil!" TLB

✓ **Genesis 3:6** And when the woman saw that the tree was good (suitable, pleasant) for food and that it was delightful to look at, and a tree to be desired in order to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate; and she gave some also to her husband, and he ate. AMP

✓ **Genesis 2:17** But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil and blessing and calamity you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die {be eternally separated from Me spiritually and die physically}. AMP

✓ **Romans 8:20-21** For the {rest of physical} creation was subjected to frustration {death AND decay}, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one {God} who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay {turning back to dirt} and brought into the glorious freedom of the children of God {upon their redemption}. NIV

I have always felt sorry for Adam and Eve. In their innocence BOTH physical and spiritual, God set them up as “pawns” against an extremely formidable and wicked SPIRITUAL foe in Satan – a foe they could NOT have had victory over any more than you or I could have! God KNEW Satan’s capacity to sin and his charismatic ability to draw others – fellow angels and now man – into his devious and eternally destructive and sinful plans of ruling the only inhabited planet in the universe – the earth.

✓ **Revelation 12:4** His {Satan’s} tail swept [across the sky] and dragged down a third of the stars {sinful fallen demonic angel cohorts} and flung them to the
earth {to eventually minister with him against God’s offspring in the nations and “kingdom(s) of the world”} ..... AMP

✓ Ephesians 2:2 In which at one time you walked [habitually]. **You were following the course and fashion of this world** [were under the sway of the tendency of this present age], **following the prince of the power of the air. [You were obedient to and under the control of] the [demon] spirit that still constantly works in the sons of disobedience [the careless, the rebellious, and the unbelieving, who go against the purposes of God].** AMP

✓ 1 John 5:19 We know [positively] that we are of God, **and the whole world [around us] is under the power of the evil one.** AMP

✓ Isaiah 45:18 For **thus says the Lord--Who created the heavens, God Himself. Who formed the earth and made it, Who established it and did not create it to be a worthless waste; He formed it to be inhabited--I am the Lord, and there is no one else.** AMP

Scripture shares with us that Satan made the claim to Jesus – which Jesus did NOT deny nor refute – that from the time he was cast to the earth and because of Adam and Eve’s sinning through Christ’s Second Coming all of the authority and splendor of the physical kingdoms of the world had been given to Satan. But Jesus Christ/God the Son did NOT accept Satan’s offer to worship him because it was He Who had the authority, power, and splendor of the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God. Christ also knew that at the end of the age, He would reconcile His Saints of the “kingdom(s) of the world” to His Kingdom.

✓ Luke 4:5-7 The **devil** {Satan} led **him** {Jesus} up to a high place and **showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world.** 6 And he said to him, **"I will give you all their authority and splendor, for it has been given to me, and I can give it to anyone I want to."** NIV 7 So **if you worship me** {as your god}, **it** {the authority and splendor of the physical kingdoms of the world} **will all be yours.**

• Luke 4:8 And **Jesus replied** to him, **Get behind Me, Satan! It is written, You shall do homage {pay respect} to and worship the Lord your God** {Jesus was talking about Himself}, and **Him only shall you serve.** [Deut 6:13; 10:20.] AMP
✓ Colossians 1:12-13 and always thankful to the {God the} Father who has made us fit to share all the wonderful things that belong to those who live in the Kingdom of light {God’s Kingdom is light}. For he has rescued us out of the darkness and gloom of Satan's kingdom {of the physical world} and brought us into the {spiritual} Kingdom {of God} of his dear Son, TLB

✓ John 8:12 Once more Jesus addressed the crowd. He said, I am the Light of the world. He who follows Me will not be walking in the dark, but will have the {Kingdom of} Light which is Life. AMP

✓ Revelation 11:15 The seventh angel then blew [his] trumpet, and there were mighty voices in heaven, shouting, The dominion (kingdom, sovereignty, rule) of the world has now come into the possession and become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ (the Messiah), and He shall reign forever and ever (for the eternities of the eternities)! [Ps 22:28; Dan 7:13,14, 27.] AMP
CHAPTER 5 – ADAM and EVE WERE the FIRST of the PHYSICALLY “WANDERING REMNANT” in the “kingdom(s) of the world.”

To start this chapter, I am going to express what I believe God in His Grace and Love did for Adam and Eve in His judgment of their sinning by disobeying His command for them NOT to eat of the Tree of Knowledge {nor of the Tree of Life} by clothing them with the skin of an animal and then removing them from the Garden of Eden. I believe that by His killing an animal – shedding its blood – and using its skin to cloth and cover Adam and Eve’s nakedness, God in His Grace and Love restored them to His righteousness in His eternal spiritual supernatural “KINGDOM of GOD” by His cleansing and forgiving them of their sin. I cannot find a Scripture that directly shares with us God imputing His Grace to Adam and Eve thus making them righteous, but God would NOT have left them eternally separated from Him!

✓ Leviticus 17:11 For the life of the flesh is in the blood, and I have given it to you upon the altar to make atonement for your souls; for it is the blood that makes atonement {God’s forgiveness} for the soul.’ NKJV

But Adam and Eve did sin! And sin has its consequences! Let’s move on to take a look at the text whereby God places Adam in the Garden of Eden and then at the text whereby He removes Adam and Eve from the Garden. They became the FIRST and apparently willing participants of His physically “wandering remnant” in the Land of Nod east of Eden. They wandered in the NOW hostile environment of the earth in the Land of Nod caused by their association with Satan who led them to sin.
✓ Genesis 2:15 And the **Lord God** {Jesus Christ} took the **man** {Adam from the Land of Nod} and **put him in the Garden of Eden** {the Kingdom of God} to tend and guard and keep it {pure}. AMP

✓ Genesis 3:22-24 And the **Lord God said**, **Behold, the man** {Eve and Adam after they ate from the Tree of Knowledge} has become like one of Us [the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit], to know [how to distinguish between] good and evil and blessing and calamity; and now, **lest he put forth his hand and take also from the tree of life and eat, and live forever** — 23 Therefore the **Lord God sent him** {Adam with Eve} **forth from the Garden of Eden to till the ground from which he was taken** {Back to the Land of Nod.}. 24 **So [God] drove out the man** {because of their sin}; and **He placed at the east of the Garden of Eden the cherubim and a flaming sword which turned every way**, to keep and guard the way to the tree of life {that was in the Garden of Eden}. [Rev 2:7; 22:2, 14, 19.] AMP

  • **Genesis 4:16** So {Adam first and later} Cain went away from the presence of the Lord and **dwelt in the land of Nod [wandering], east of Eden.** AMP

✓ Genesis 3:17-19 And to Adam He {God the Son} said, Because you have listened and given heed to the voice of your wife and have eaten of the tree of which I commanded you, saying, You shall not eat of it, **the ground** {in the Land of Nod} is under a curse because of you {your sinning}; in sorrow and toil shall you eat [of the fruits] of it all the days of your life. 18 Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth for you, and you shall eat the plants of the field. 19 **In the sweat of your face shall you eat bread until you return to the ground,** for out of it you were taken; for dust you are and to dust you shall return. AMP

  • **Romans 8:20-21** For the creation (nature) was subjected to frailty (to futility, condemned to frustration), not because of some intentional fault {sin} on its part, but by the will of Him {God the Son} **Who so subjected it** {because of the sin of Eve and Adam} — [yet] with the hope [Eccl 1:2.]

21 **That nature (creation) itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and corruption [and gain an entrance] into the glorious freedom of God's children** {upon their redemption}. AMP
It MUST be noted that when God placed Adam and Eve in the Land of Nod {wandering} apparently they did NOT fuss nor resist their punishment. As we shall see, the next occupant of the Garden was NOT as humble as his parents.

While those first mentioned in the Old Testament are of the physical “wandering remnant” of God’s People, it also included those Old Testament Saints who are of the same eternal spiritual supernatural righteousness as the New Testament spiritual “wandering remnant” Saints as we will see as we go along.

✓ Genesis 45:7 God sent me {Joseph} before you to preserve for you {the Jews} a posterity {future generations} and to continue a physical remnant on the earth, to save your lives by a great escape and save for you many survivors. AMP

✓ Romans 11:5 So too at the present time there is a {spiritual} remnant (a small believing minority {those who are Born Again Adopted Children of God}), selected (chosen) by grace (by God's unmerited favor and graciousness). AMP

✓ Hebrews 11:39-40 And all of these {Old Testament Saints}, though they won divine approval by [means of] their faith, did not receive the fulfillment of what was promised. 40 Because God had us in mind and had something better and greater in view for us, so that they [these heroes and heroines of faith] should not come to perfection apart from us [before we could join them]. AMP
CHAPTER 6 – The MYSTERY of HOW the “kingdom(s) of the world” CAME INTO BEING REVEALED.

Have you ever thought about how these “kingdoms/nations of the world” came into being? Previously, I have believed that only God has the “omnipotence” {power and authority} to create these things, but as I have stated earlier, there are NO Scriptures that state that God created or brought into being the “kingdom(s) of the world” except for Israel! Many questions can be asked about the “kingdom(s) of the world.” How and why do we have kingdoms/nations? How many nations, kingdoms, and tribes have existed in history? How did they come and go? They have certainly caused a lot of chaos and turmoil – war and death in the world! Think about this! God is a “God of Love” {1 John 4:8} but in the Old Testament, He is seen as a “God of death” not only for some of the Jews – His chosen People {He always reserved a physical remnant for Himself} but also for the kingdoms and nations that sought to destroy them!

As a resident on the planet earth, do you have any idea how many nations, kingdoms, and/or tribes of people there are on the earth at this time? Google tells us that there are about 195 nations. It tells us there are some 27 kingdoms, and there are an unknown thousands of tribes. Many of these different tribes/peoples around the world do not believe or accept that they belong to a specific nation or kingdom but rather are a nation or kingdom unto their own.

Google also tells us the population of the world is over 7 billion people. To me, all of these statistics are so mind boggling as to “how can all of this work with some kind of cohesive unity for mankind around the world to survive?” In my worldly logic/common sense/reasoning/rational thinking, it is too big and too complex to make all of the pieces fit and work together let alone have some kind of worldwide unity and harmony for mankind’s survival and well being.

In other words, it is too complicated for my humanistic secular human mind to comprehend! But if I use the spiritually “sound mind” of Christ, I find the Bible shares with us that it is God Who has the plans and is their architect for ALL of the events of the world. Let’s see if we can understand God’s plans for the peoples of the world to have kingdoms and nations, their governments, and societies.
Do you know what the scriptures say about the concept and origin of the “kingdom(s) of the world?” Who is its “god?” What is his sinful mind-set and heart? Why does he want to make the physical “kingdom of the world” appear to be our “god” for our “salvation?”

It is VERY important that ALL Christians MUST
understand and live according to the answer to the above question! **Again, there are NO scriptures that state that God originally created/brought forth the physical humanistic secular kingdoms and nations of the world EXCEPT FOR ONE NATION which I will discuss later in CHAPTERS 13 and 14.** If God did NOT originally create them, how did the concept of the kingdoms and nations form and come into being?

For the answer to the above question, we will start with Satan and his sinful mind-set that led to the consequences of his sins. We do know that BEFORE Satan sinned, he was considered to be extremely beautiful in appearance, having much dignity and righteousness in his actions, having a throne in the Kingdom of God in the third heaven, being very talented musically, and very intelligent. I view the following Scriptures from Isaiah and Ezekiel to be “veiled references” as to the sins of Satan the Devil.

✓ **Isaiah 14:11-12** *Your pomp {/splendor/grandeur} and the music of your harps
Have been brought down to Sheol; Maggots are spread out as your bed beneath you And worms are your covering.*

> "How you have fallen from heaven, O star of the morning, son of the dawn {Lucifer}! You have been cut down to the earth, You who have weakened the nations {as the “god” of this world}!

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But because of his God given gifts, Satan’s pride rose up in him and created a mind-set whereby he desired to be “as God.” His sin was detected by God Who banished him from the third heaven – Eden the Garden of God, the Kingdom of God – to the planet earth. In Isaiah 14, his five “I will’s” reveals the initial claims of his sinful mind-set and the desires of his heart to be the “god of this world” having his own “throne” in the world which means he MUST have his own “kingdom(s) of the world” to go with his throne.

✓ **Isaiah 14:13-14** And you {Lucifer} said in your {spiritual} heart, *I will ascend to {third} heaven; I will exalt my throne above the stars {of the second heaven} of God; I will sit upon the mount of assembly in the uttermost north.*

> I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will make myself like the Most High {God}. AMP

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• Satan’s sinful mind-set said in his spiritual heart, “I will ascend above the stars of the second heaven and place MY THRONE in the third heaven in the Kingdom of God and make myself like God having a kingdom of my own for MY throne. I MUST have MY own ‘kingdom’!”

In his fallen state, do you think that he is smart enough, influential enough, and powerful enough to establish the “kingdom(s) of the world” on the earth? We MUST understand what took place so many many eons ago! Again, God discovered Satan’s sinful heart/nature and his sinful mind-set and cast him out of Eden the Garden of God/His Kingdom of God as a “profane/blasphemous/irreligious/wicked thing” to the earth.

✓ Ezekiel 28:15-17  {God said,} You {Lucifer} were blameless in your ways from the day you were created until iniquity {sin} and guilt were found in you. 16 Through the abundance of your commerce you were filled with lawlessness and violence, and you sinned; therefore I cast you out as a profane {blasphemous/irreligious/wicked} thing from the mountain of God {Kingdom of God in the third heaven} and the guardian cherub {angel} drove you out from the midst of the stones of fire. 17 Your heart was proud and lifted up because of your beauty; you corrupted your wisdom for the sake of your splendor. I cast you to the ground {to the physical planet earth. The third heaven is a spiritual supernatural realm.}; I lay you before kings, that they might gaze at you {to determine who they will follow – you or Me}. AMP

Satan with his mind-set and evil wicked spiritual heart is cast to the physical planet earth. Why was Satan cast down to the earth? Is this when in time and place in history that God gave him his authority over the “kingdom(s) of the world?” There are NO scriptures that state that God gave authority over the “kingdom(s) of the world” to Satan! What was his mind-set/plans for the earth? As we shall see as this study progresses, Satan’s mind-set for the earth was for it to become HIS kingdom for HIS throne. He would become the master mind for establishing the “kingdom(s) of the world” on the earth, but he would need some human cohorts to make it happen. Who would they be? How would he manipulate their mind-set and spiritual hearts for them to become partakers of his demonic spiritual nature and his “kingdom(s) of the world” humanistic secular worldview rather than focus on God and His spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God?”
As I stated previously, God DID NOT CREATE the KINGDOMS/NATIONS of the WORLD except for one. Watch and learn how Satan can manipulate and maneuver the mind-set of BOTH sinners and the Saints within the “Christian Church.”
Sin has now been established on the planet earth with its main players – God and His angels, Satan and his demonic angels, and lowly man. Let’s continue on with the next generation of Cain and Abel to watch God’s continued unveiling and the evolving, if you will, into the time and place in history of His eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God within the soon to be developed demonically inspired and formed humanistic secular physical “kingdoms(s) of the world.”

We must understand God’s complete Sovereignty and Providence in the progression of the generations of man – people – but NOT the “kingdom(s) of the world” from the beginning of man.

✓ Isaiah 41:4 Who has done this and carried it through, calling forth the generations {of people} from the beginning? I, the LORD — with the first of them and with the last — I am he.” NIV

There are some events and personal confrontations in Genesis 4:2-16 that we must put into their PROPER PERSPECTIVE. I cannot stress this enough! God the Son/ Jesus Christ is the very embodiment/personification of the eternal {without beginning or end} God and must be recognized as such.

✓ Hebrews 1:3 He {God the Son/Jesus Christ} is the sole expression of the glory of God [the Light-being, the out-raying or radiance of the divine], and He is the perfect imprint and very image of [God's] nature, upholding and maintaining and guiding and propelling the universe by His mighty word of power. When He
had by offering Himself accomplished our cleansing of sins and riddance of guilt, He sat down at the right hand of the divine Majesty on high {His Father on His Throne in the third heaven}, AMP

✓ Philippians 2:6 {Jesus Christ} *Who, although being essentially one with God and in the form of God [possessing the fullness of the attributes which make God God],* did not think this equality with God was a thing to be eagerly grasped or retained {No need for Him to desire what He already had!}, AMP

Wherever God the Son/Jesus Christ is, the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God is with Him whether in the third heaven as “Eden the garden of God” or on the earth as the “Garden of Eden” or individually within His Saints or corporately within Christ’s Bride Church.

✓ Luke 11:20 {Jesus talking} *But if I am casting out demons* because of power from God, *it proves that the Kingdom of God has arrived.* TLB

✓ Luke 17:21 {Jesus talking} *Nor will people say, Look! Here [it is]! or, See, [it is] there! For behold, the kingdom of God is within you* [{individually} in your hearts] and *among you* [surrounding you] {corporately as Christ’s Bride Church}. AMP

FIRST as we have seen in a previous chapter, *Adam and Eve* were removed from the Garden of Eden and *placed back in the Land of Nod/wandering.* In order to do this, I am going to discuss Genesis chapter 4 in detail. We have in: *Genesis 4:1* Adam lay with his wife Eve {had intercourse}, and she became pregnant and gave birth to *Cain* {her firstborn}. She said, "*With the help of the LORD I have brought forth a man.*"

How Eve KNOW that God was involved in the procreation process with her? How come we Christians with all of our humanistic secular knowledge do NOT understand God’s Providence and Divine intervention in the process of human procreation?

✓ For information on human procreation, go to [www.mysteryworldview.org](http://www.mysteryworldview.org) click on Click on the Bible Study icon. Continue on down to #2 and click on “The MYSTERY of the INTRICACY and INTIMACY of GOD’S INVOLVEMENT in YOUR PHYSICAL LIFE REVEALED.” Click on “show” in the TOC box, then click on PART II.
Genesis 4:2, Later she gave birth to his brother Abel. Now Abel kept flocks {raised living animals – sheep and/or goats}, and Cain worked the soil {raised crops – fruits and vegetables. Eve conceived both Cain and Abel in the Land of Nod.}

3 In the course of time Cain brought some of the fruits of the soil as an offering to the LORD {WHO WAS WHERE?}. 4a But Abel brought fat portions from some of the firstborn of his flock.

In Genesis 4:3-4a, we have both Cain and Abel bringing their offerings before the Lord {God the Son/Jesus Christ}. To me this means that Cain and Abel had to travel from the Land of Nod where they were born and where they did their farming to the Garden of Eden – the physical presence of the “Kingdom of God” on earth in order to present their offerings to God the Son/Jesus Christ.

Next, let’s continue on with Cain and Abel being with the Lord {Jesus Christ}:

4b-5a The LORD looked with favor on Abel and his offering 5a but on Cain and his offering he did not look with favor.

Now this is where we must seek the spiritually sound mind of Christ in order to understand the following scenario. As we study Cain and Abel, we must believe that both Cain and Abel’s natural physical parents were Adam and Eve. Abel’s mind-set and actions somehow showed that he knew there was a “God” which made him righteous. Even though Cain had an intimate relationship with Christ in the Garden, his mind-set, spiritual heart, and actions demonstrated that he wanted no part of God and the things of God. Cain was being molded to the mind-set of Satan which would make him demonically possessed and controlled from his beginning thus making him eternally wicked and evil – an unrepented sinner!

✓ Hebrews 11:4 [Prompted, actuated] by faith Abel brought God a better and more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, because of which it was testified of him that he was righteous [that he {Abel} was upright and in right standing with God], and God bore witness by accepting and acknowledging his gifts. And
though he died, yet [through the incident] he is still speaking. [Gen 4:3-10.]
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✓ 1 John 3:12 [And] not be like Cain who [took his nature and got his motivation {mind-set}] from the evil one {Satan} and slew his brother. And why did he slay him? Because his {Cain’s} deeds (activities, works) were wicked and malicious {sinful} and his brother's {Abel’s} were righteous (virtuous) {making him redeemed}. AMP

This was Cain’s FIRST unrepented sin – his having a mind-set of believing that he could offer an unacceptable sacrifice to God. Genesis 4:5b So Cain was very angry {Cain’s SECOND unrepented sin of having GREAT anger/rage against God for NOT accepting his offering!}, and his face was downcast.

Why did Jesus look with favor on Abel’s offering but NOT on Cain’s? Because Abel’s sacrifice involved the killing of an animal thus shedding its blood. We MUST remember that the ONLY thing of value that Adam and Eve {and you and I have is} had to share with others was their testimony of God working in their {our} life. They should have shared their testimony of God’s clothing them with animal skins which would have conveyed to the mind-set of BOTH Cain and Abel the importance in their lives of the shedding of blood for the remission of Adam and Eve’s sins. They were NOT stupid people!!!

✓ Hebrews 9:22 [In fact] under the Law almost everything is purified by means of blood, and without the shedding of blood there is neither release from sin and its guilt nor the remission of the due and merited punishment for sins. AMP

6 Then the LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast?

7 If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must master it."

We now have Jesus revealing Satan’s influence – his very character, mind-set, and spiritual heart – on Cain. Jesus tells us in the New Testament that Satan was a “murderer” AND a “liar” {BOTH of which Cain will display very shortly} from
the beginning. The character of a murderer is among other things initially having
great anger, animosity, hatred, and rage to do violence. God is opening the door of
His Grace to Cain through repentance versus the consequences he faces if he
does NOT repent and master sin as God commanded in verse 7.
✓ Ephesians 4:31 Let all bitterness and indignation{/outrage} and wrath
(passion, rage, bad temper) and resentment (anger, animosity) and quarreling
(brawling, clamor, contention) and slander (evil-speaking, abusive or
blasphemous language) be banished from you, with all malice (spite, ill will, or
baseness of any kind). AMP {Jesus commands us to replace these thoughts and
emotions with His LOVE for one another: that you love one another [just] as I
have loved you. (John 15:12) AMP}

8 Now Cain said to his brother Abel, "Let's go out to the field." And while they
were in the field, Cain attacked his brother Abel and killed {murdered} him.

I have inserted the word “murdered” in the place of killing because Cain had
"premeditated thoughts" about taking Abel out into the field in the Garden of Eden
to murder him! Cain’s THIRD unrepented sin was the murdering [Strong’s O.T.
#2026] of his brother! This act requires premeditated hateful and vengeful thoughts
which turn into actions of rage and violence that results in the death of self or
others. This mind-set and spiritual heart shows who holds sway over one’s life.
✓ John 8:44 You {Cain} are of your father, the devil, and it is your will to
practice the lusts and gratify the desires [which are characteristic] of your
father. He was a murderer from the beginning and does not stand in the
truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a falsehood, he speaks
what is natural to him, for he is a liar [himself] and the father of lies and of all
that is false. AMP
• 1 John 3:15 Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer; and you
know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him. NASU

9 Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is your brother Abel?" "I don't know," he
replied. "Am I my brother's keeper?"
YES, WE ARE OUR BROTHER’S KEEPER!!! Cain’s FOURTH and FIFTH unrepented sins! Cain’s FOURTH unrepented sin was his lying about NOT knowing where his brother was. His murdering and lying reveals “who” was influencing his life. The “god of this world {Satan}” had MORE influence on Cain’s life than the true, living loving God Who in His Grace was trying to “save” him as we shall continue to see. His FIFTH unrepented sin was NOT accepting his responsibility for loving and caring for his brother/others.

✓ 2 Corinthians 4:4 For the god of this world has blinded the unbelievers’ minds [that they should not discern the truth], preventing them from seeing the illuminating light of the Gospel of the glory of Christ (the Messiah), Who is the Image and Likeness of God. AMP

✓ Jeremiah 10:10 But the Lord is the true God and the God of truth (the God Who is Truth). He is the living God and the everlasting King. At His wrath the earth quakes, and the nations are not able to bear His indignation. AMP

• 1 John 4:8 The one who does not love does not know God, for God is love. NASU

✓ 1 John 4:7 Beloved, let us love one another, for love is (springs) from God; and he who loves [his fellowmen] is begotten (born) of God and is coming [progressively] to know and understand God [to perceive and recognize and get a better and clearer knowledge of Him]. AMP

✓ Matthew 22:37-39 And He {Jesus Christ} replied to him, You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind (intellect). [Deut 6:5.] 38 This is the great (most important, principal) and first commandment. 39 And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as [you do] yourself. [Lev 19:18.] AMP

10 The LORD said, "What have you done? Listen! Your brother's blood cries out to me from the ground.

✓ Hebrews 11:4 [Prompted, actuated] by faith Abel brought God a better and more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, because of which it was testified of him that he was righteous [that he was upright and in right standing with God], and God bore witness by accepting and acknowledging his gifts. And though he died, yet [through the incident] he is still speaking {having obtained and sharing a “good testimony for God”}. [Gen 4:3-10.] AMP
CHAPTER 8 – The DEMONICALLY POSSESSED and SATAN CONTROLLED CAIN ESTABLISHES the PRINCIPLES for the “kingdom(s) of the world.”

We continue on with the further revealing of the two diametrically opposed kingdoms – one is the temporary decaying humanistic secular physical kingdom(s) of the world, and the other is the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God – which taken together reveals God the Father’s foreknown and predestined plans and judgment to deal with the curse of sinful man, and His blessing on repentant man.

Continuing in Genesis Chapter 4, Cain in his self-pity literally thumbed his nose at God when he rejected God’s offer of His Grace and Providence over him, his family, and his followers by preferring to continue to sin by doing it his own way.

Genesis 4:11 {God the Son said} Now you {Cain} are under a curse and driven from the ground {Garden of Eden}, which opened its mouth to receive your brother’s blood from your hand. 12 When you work the ground {in the Land of Nod/wandering}, it will no longer yield its crops for you. You will be a restless wanderer on the earth.

We now have the unfolding of God’s judgment of Cain’s unrepented sins. God’s foreknown plans and desire to “save” him would have made him a wanderer using the “highway to heaven” in the Land of Nod as an alien in the world for the rest of his life thus making him dependent on God’s foreknown and predestined plans for his life! But this was NOT Cain’s mind-set nor spiritual heart. His
unrepented sins now set him up to become Satan’s puppet bringing forth the materialization of the “kingdom(s) of the world” with Satan as their “ruler.”

✓ John 14:30 I {Jesus} will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming, and he {Satan} has nothing in Me. NKJV

13 Cain {in his whimpering and whining – oh, pity me God} said to the LORD, "My punishment is more than I can bear. 14 Today you are driving me from the land, and I will be hidden from your presence {which is a fabricated lie as we will see}; I will be a restless wanderer on the earth. {Cain’s SIXTH unrepented sin! Cain had absolutely NO remorse! All he was interested in was “ME, MYSELF, and I! O whoa is me! Cain’s flesh/worldly mind-set and spiritual heart is revealed! If he were to be a “restless wanderer” on the earth, he would have to trust in God to provide for him. He does NOT want to trust in God but in self and the things of the world that he can see and manipulate!}

✓ Romans 8:6-8 Now the mind of the flesh {which is} common sense and reason without the Holy Spirit is death {death that comprises all the miseries arising from sin, both here and hereafter}. But the mind of the [Holy] Spirit is life and [soul] peace [both now and forever]. 7 [That is] because the mind of the flesh [with its carnal thoughts and purposes] is hostile to God, for it does not submit itself to God’s Law; indeed it cannot. 8 So then those who are living the life of the flesh {catering to the appetites and impulses of their carnal nature} cannot please or satisfy God, or be acceptable to Him. AMP

15 But the LORD {in His Providence and Grace still trying to “save” Cain} said to him, "Not so; if anyone kills Cain, he will suffer vengeance seven times over."

Then the LORD put a mark on Cain so that no one who found him would kill him. 16 So Cain {in unrepentant pride} went out from the LORD’s presence and lived {settled/put down temporary roots} in the land of Nod, east of Eden.

The Land of Nod means “land of wandering,” but Cain did not wander rather he took actions which established “roots of seeming permanency” in the land of Nod/wandering {eventual “kingdom(s) of the world”} by building a city in:
Cain lay with his wife, and she became pregnant and gave birth to Enoch. **Cain was then building a city**, and he named it after his son Enoch.

By Cain directly disobeying God by “putting down temporary roots” in the Land of Nod and then building a “city,” we now come to the revealing and comparing of the **eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God** to the **demonically inspired and formed humanistic secular kingdoms of the world**. God tried to reveal His Love and Grace to Cain by offering to take care of him and his family as they wandered on the spiritual “highway to heaven” through the “Land of Nod” eventually upon his death entering the “Kingdom of God,” but he refused to accept it and went about “building a city.” What we MUST understand is his “building a city” means that Cain and his family and followers were in **ABSOLUTE and TOTAL REBELLION AGAINST GOD** and His **Providence** and His desire and promise to take care of him and/or them!

The use of the word “building” means that Cain did NOT finish this city, but its “influence” continued to spread from that time and place in history to the time and place in history to the city of Babel which contained the Tower of Babel. Cain’s city was the blue print and start of the infrastructure for humanistic secular governments for the forming of the “kingdom(s) of the world” for that immediate region at that time and place in history. What we MUST also understand is **this “city” housed a large number of the people of the earth who agreed with Cain’s mind-set towards God** i.e. **they were also anti-God**.

At the dissolution of the building of the Tower of Babel in the city of Babel and the scattering of its citizens upon the face of the earth, the concept of the “kingdom(s) of the world” would ultimately spread around the world from which came the politics, laws, rules, and social interaction that govern the humanistic secular kingdoms of the entire world “TODAY.”

**Genesis 11:8** So the Lord scattered them abroad from that place upon the face of the whole earth, **and they gave up building the city**. AMP

This anti-God human movement which was from the beginning of man is comparable to sinful man down through the ages who did NOT desire to know, love, and serve the true living loving God – the unsaved lost sinner i.e. the
Unbeliever. This mind-set of sinful man was the SAME towards Jesus Christ when He came to the earth some 2000 years ago and still continues to this day!
✓ **John 1:10** He {God the Son/Jesus Christ} **came into the world, and though the world was made through Him, the world did not recognize Him** [did not know Him {nor did/does it want to}]. AMP

God offered Cain the “Kingdom of God,” but he in his love for the world sought to start the building of his own “kingdom” from which evolved the humanistic secular “kingdom(s) of the world” containing the things of this world. This “city and its people” was the foundation of Satan’s domain and demonically inspired “kingdom(s) of the world.” Can you see how Cain had the SAME evil demonic mind-set and spiritual heart as Satan which made Cain a cohort with Satan in this demonic setting up of the humanistic secularist “kingdom(s) of the world?”
✓ **1 John 2:15-17** **Do not love or cherish the world or the things that are in the world. If anyone loves the world, {“love for the Father”} is not in him.** {versus the “love of the Father” is not in him. NKJV} 16 **For all that is in the world — the lust of the flesh [craving for sensual gratification] and the lust of the eyes [greedy longings of the mind] and the pride of life [assurance in one's own resources or in the stability of earthly things] — these do not come from the Father but are from the world [itself].** 17 **And the world passes away and disappears, and with it the forbidden cravings (the passionate desires, the lust) of it; but he who does the will of God and carries out His purposes in his life abides (remains) forever.** AMP

I MUST note that **1 John 2:15** can be correctly translated in two ways giving quite different meanings. IF a Christian loves and puts the world and the things of the world ahead of God, the “love of the Father” {NASB; NKJV; KJV; NIV} or the “love for the Father” {AMP; RSV} is NOT in them. Both translations are correct BUT with quite different meanings! It is very important to correctly understand the implications of both translations. If a Christian loves the world and the things of the world, the LOVE of God is NOT in them. This has extremely serious implications!!! The Godhead does NOT love nor live in that Christian! IF THAT IS THE CASE, THEY ARE NOT SAVED!!!
John 14:23 Jesus answered, If a person [really] loves Me, he will keep My word [obey My teaching]; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home (abode, special dwelling place) with him. AMP

1 Corinthians 6:19 Do you not know that your body is the temple (the very sanctuary) of the Holy Spirit Who lives within you, Whom you have received [as a Gift] from God? You are not your own, AMP

Colossians 2:10 And you are in Him, made full and having come to fullness of life [in Christ you too are filled with the Godhead — Father, Son and Holy Spirit — and reach full spiritual stature]. And He is the Head of all rule and authority [of every angelic principality and power]. AMP

Romans 8:9 But you are not living the life of the flesh, you are living the life of the Spirit, if the [Holy] Spirit of God [really] dwells within you [directs and controls you]. But if anyone does not possess the [Holy] Spirit of Christ, he is none of His [he does not belong to Christ, is not truly a child of God]. [Rom 8:14.] AMP

Let’s change the word “of” to “for” and see what that means. If a Christian loves the world, the LOVE for God is NOT in them. This also has extremely serious implications!!! One of the things that goes with one being saved is their “love for God.” This same love for God is the SAME love we are to have for one another is AGAPE – an unconditional and all inclusive love that is diametrically opposed to the love that we had when we were “unsaved” in the world. There is an old saying, “There is ‘head knowledge’ about God and there is ‘heart knowledge’ about God.” The same thing can be said for “loving” God. IF your love for God is because you believe in your head that you should, that is diametrically different that loving God with ALL of your heart, soul, mind, and strength! If you love God in your head, you do NOT have a personal relationship with God because of the lack of your “personal” faith in Jesus Christ as your “personal” Savior. You need to look at your salvation. Are you really “saved” in BOTH your spiritual heart and mind or are you just going through the “motions” playing games with God and looking “good” to other Christians, family, and friends?!

Read 1 Corinthians Chapter 13 to find out more about LOVE.

Mark 12:30-31 And you shall love the Lord your God out of and with your whole heart and out of and with all your soul (your life) and out of and with all your mind (with your faculty of thought and your moral understanding) and
out of and with all your strength. This is the first and principal commandment. [Deut 6:4, 5.] 31 The second is like it and is this, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these. [Lev 19:18.]

• John 13:34 I {Jesus Christ} give you a new commandment: that you should love one another. Just as I have loved you, so you too should love one another. AMP

✓ Luke 6:32 If you [merely] love those who love you, what quality of credit and thanks is that to you? For even the [very] sinners love their lovers (those who love them). AMP

✓ John 15:19 {Jesus talking} If you {True Believers} belonged to the world, the world would treat you with affection and would love you as its own. But because you are not of the world [no longer one with it], but I have chosen (selected) you out of the world, the world hates (detests) you. AMP

Cain’s rejection of God’s love and grace of taking care of him and his family and followers as wanderers in the Land of Nod to “put down seeming roots of permanency” in it was Cain’s SEVENTH unrepented sin! This sin culminates all of his unrepented sins which literally nails his spiritual coffin shut in Hell – whereby God judges him as “wicked” which means he is eternally rejected and separated from God. We MUST know and not forget that Cain’s judgment and actions came because of his LOVE/lusting for the world and the things of the world and not for God and the things of God.

✓ 1 John 3:12 [And] not be like Cain who [took his nature and got his motivation] from the evil one {Satan – a murderer and a liar from the beginning. [John 8:44]} and slew his brother. And why did he slay him? Because his deeds (activities, works) were wicked and malicious and his brother's were righteous (virtuous). AMP

✓ 1 John 2:15 Do not love or cherish the world or the things that are in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in him. AMP

Cain and his followers became the FIRST collaborators of the future “NEW WORLD ORDER” with its “god” – Satan and its One World Government and Religion based on man thinking he can become “god” over creation and his life!
I will try to piece together Satan’s influence and relationship with Cain that resulted in bringing forth the “kingdom(s) of the world.” Cain had initial knowledge and personal relationship with God, BUT the progression of all of his unrepented sins caused him to stray further and further from God and culminated in him building a city which contains the governmental and societal components that goes with that mind-set which eternally separated him from God. As I stated before, Cain was demonically possessed and controlled! His mind-set and spiritual heart was induced by Satan thus they had “parallel” mind-sets and spiritual hearts. Even though Cain came upon the world scene eons after Satan, they were working in “tandem” with one another to accomplish God’s foreknown and predestined plans to bring into existence the demonically inspired “kingdom(s) of the world” with Satan becoming the “god of this world.”

✓ 2 Chronicles 20:6 And said, O Lord, God of our fathers, are You not God in heaven? And do You not rule over all the kingdoms of the nations? In Your hand are power and might, so that none is able to withstand You. AMP

✓ Daniel 4:17 This sentence is by the decree of the [heavenly] watchers and the decision is by the word of the holy ones, to the intent that the living may know that the Most High [God] rules the kingdom of mankind and gives it to whomever He will and sets over it the humblest and lowliest of men. [Dan 2:21; 5:21.] AMP

BOTH Satan and Cain had initial intimate knowledge of God’s Kingdom in their realms – Satan in “Eden the Garden of God” in the Third Heaven and Cain in the “Garden of Eden” which was situated in the Land of Nod. Satan’s sinning against God caused him to be thrown out of “Eden the Garden of God” in the Kingdom of God in the third heaven to the planet earth. This eventually would result in his acquiring the “kingdom(s) of the world” along with his spiritual demonic angels and his earthly henchmen who had the same sinful mind-set.

Cain sinned against God and was thrown out of the “Garden of Eden” here on earth into the Land of Nod. This resulted in Cain along with him, his family, and his many anti-God followers putting down roots in the world by building a city – a forerunner to the establishing the demonically inspired physical kingdoms of the world along with their earth bound sinful peoples ALL with the SAME sinful mind-set and spiritual heart.
Can you see and understand how the “kingdom(s) of the world” was set up? Satan so inspired and influenced Cain that they BOTH had the SAME evil wicked sinful mind-set and spiritual heart of literally becoming “god” by establishing their OWN kingdoms! And because of the collaboration of what each did one with the other, we have the physical nations, kingdoms, tribes around the world. This is the SAME sinful mind-set and spiritual heart – the loving of the world and the things of the world – that I had {and you too} BEFORE I/we came to know Jesus Christ as my/our personal Savior. Our mind-set and spiritual heart MUST change from loving the world and the things of this world to loving, worshiping, and serving God and extoling Christ in His Kingdom here on earth! This is why the Bible states:

✓ 1 John 5:4-5 For **whatever is born of God is victorious over the** {kingdom(s) of the} **world; and this is the victory that conquers the world, even our faith.**

  5 Who is it that is victorious over [that conquers] the world but **he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God** [who adheres to, trusts in, and relies on that fact]? AMP

For information on the results of my own personal kingdom building, go to [www.mysteryworldview.org](http://www.mysteryworldview.org) Click on the “TESTIMONY” icon then click “show” in the TOC box, then click on “GOD REVEALS the WORKINGS of HIS KINGDOM to ME.”

I must interject that when Cain left the presence of God in the Garden of Eden, we do NOT know what happened to the Garden/Kingdom of God although we do KNOW where the Kingdom of God is “TODAY.” It is and always has been with Jesus Christ and in and among the righteous Old Testament and New Testament children of God. Throughout the Old Testament, God appeared to man in bodily form which is called a “Theophany.” There are many Christians who believe these human bodily forms was Jesus Christ which are called “Christophanies.” In the New Testament, Jesus tells us that if one is in His presence, the Kingdom of God is among them. IF this is true, then every time Jesus appeared in human form whether in the Old Testament {Christophanies} or His being in human form in the New Testament, the Kingdom of God was with Him. **God the Son/Jesus Christ was/is the very embodiment and personification of the Kingdom of God! The Saints within Jesus Christ’s Bride Church have the exact SAME embodiment and personification of the Kingdom of God here on earth TODAY!!!**
Luke 17:21  Nor will people say, Look! Here [it is]! or, See, [it is] there! **For behold, the kingdom of God is within you** {because of the indwelling of God the Holy Spirit} **[in your hearts]** and **among you** [surrounding you] {in the Bride Church of Jesus Christ}. AMP

Matthew 4:17  From that time **Jesus began to preach, crying out, Repent** (change your mind for the better, heartily amend your ways, with abhorrence of your past sins), **for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.** AMP

Matthew 12:28 "But if I {Jesus Christ} cast out demons by the Spirit of God, **then the kingdom of God has come upon you.** NASU

Romans 14:17 [After all] **the kingdom of God is not a matter of** [getting the] **food** and **drink** [one likes], **but instead it is righteousness** (that state which makes a person acceptable to God) and **[{spiritual} heart]** **peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.** AMP

John 18:36 **Jesus** answered, **My** {spiritual} **kingdom** (kingship, royal power) **belongs not to this world.** If My kingdom were of this world, My followers would have been fighting to keep Me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, **My kingdom is not from here** (this world); [it has no such origin or source]. AMP

Philippians 2:7 But stripped Himself {God the Son} [of all privileges and rightful dignity {of God}], **so as to assume the guise of a servant (slave), in that He became like men and was born a human being.** AMP
CHAPTER 9 – GOD’S SOVEREIGNTY and PROVIDENCE in BRINGING FORTH the PHYSICAL INTERNAL WORKINGS of the FOUNDATION of the KINGDOMS and SOCIETIES of the WORLD.

Let us continue on in Genesis Chapter Four with God bringing forth from the beginning of man the generations of people that evolved and brought with them the foundations and mechanisms upon which government and human society began and would eventually explode across the face of the earth.

✓ Isaiah 41:4 Who has prepared and done this, calling forth and guiding the destinies of the generations [of the nations {and their peoples}] from the beginning? I, the Lord--the first [existing before history began] and with the last [an ever-present, unchanging God]--I am He. AMP

We now come to the dawning of different entities/industries and the “technology” that is used by them to continue the expansion of civilization around the world. I define technology as, “man using his superior knowledge to develop technological mechanisms to use God created resources to develop and accomplish and/or further the desires and needs of his heart and the societies of the world.” I continually marvel at the intellect of man and the ingenuity of how he uses existing resources to keep bringing forth new innovations which result in new consumer products affecting our daily lives. The trouble with technology is that it produces both good things that help people and society and bad things that are evil in nature and produce the degradation that sin brings into the lives of the people and their societies of the world. I think it is fascinating how Satan, Cain, and Nimrod brought into creation the “kingdom(s) of the world” their civilizations, their societies, and their industries, and how they progressed through time and place in...
history, but yet man’s knowledge and the technology that goes with it gradually changed from the creation of man through the mid-18th century {1750’s} which brought the advent of the “Industrial Revolution” in Britain. Today – 2014 – is TOTALLY different! Man’s knowledge and the technology accompanying it doubles every 12-18 months. Amazing!!!

Let’s take a look at the third child of Eve – Enoch – and his offspring – Lamech – and what his offspring contributed to civilization. From Genesis 4:18 To Enoch was born Irad, and Irad was the father of Mehujael, and Mehujael was the father of Methushael, and Methushael was the father of Lamech. 19 Lamech married two women, one named Adah and the other Zillah. 20 Adah gave birth to Jabal; he was the father of those who live in tents and raise livestock. Jabal was the forerunner of the “Agricultural Industry” – which provides fruits, vegetables, meat, skins/hides, eggs, milk, dairy products, etc., and the technology that is needed to efficiently produce these food products resulting in commerce that sustain human life around the world.

21 His brother's name was Jubal; he was the father of all who play the harp and flute. Jubal was the forerunner of the “Humanities Industry” which provide humans with their schooling, their education – knowledge and wisdom about human culture, its history, its literature, the arts, philosophy, music, medicine, etc. and the technology that provides the resources for all of the facilities that further the intellect and education of man.

22 Zillah also had a son, Tubal-Cain, {the father} who forged all kinds of tools out of bronze and iron. Tubal-Cain's sister was Naamah. Tubal-Cain was the forerunner of the “Industrial Industries” involving and applying technology in the discovering of the minerals found in the earth and the mining of their ores, and then the processing of those minerals to produce products.
that help to sustain and further commerce and mankind around the world. These
three men brought forth the foundations of agriculture, education, and industry that
we know and use “TODAY.”

23 Lamech said to his wives, "Adah and Zillah, listen to me; wives of Lamech,
hear my words. I have killed a man for wounding me, a young man for injuring
me. 24 If Cain is avenged seven times, then Lamech seventy-seven times."
25 Adam lay with his wife {Eve} again, and she gave birth to a son and named him
Seth, saying, "God has granted me another child in place of Abel, since Cain
killed him.
26 Seth also had a son, and he named him Enosh. At that time men began to call
on the name of the LORD {Something that had never happened before, man now
started to earnestly believe in and pray to God.}. NIV

We now close one of the most expansive times of human intellect in early human
history.
CHAPTER 10 – NIMROD BECOMES the FIRST KING in the WORLD BY ESTABLISHING the FIRST “kingdom(s) of the world.”

We MUST realize that Cain’s city and the other cities that were formed by these anti-God people would be formed into the first kingdom of the world with Nimrod as its first king. Extra-biblical sources and traditions give to him his reputation as a king who was rebellious against God. In other words, he was a demonically controlled anti-God sinner continuing to bring to fruition the demonically controlled humanistic secular “kingdom(s) of the world” under the auspices of Satan.

✓ Genesis 10:8, 10 Cush became the father of Nimrod; he was the first to be a mighty man {king – TLB} on the earth.

10 The beginning of his kingdom was {the cities of} Babel, Erech, Accad, and Calneh, in the land of Shinar [in Babylonia]. AMP

What we MUST realize and understand is that this establishing the first kingdom in the world was the continuation of sinful man’s rejection of God and His eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God and replacing it with a humanistic secular “kingdom(s) of the world” ultimately trying to bring forth a “One World Government” and a “One World Religion” all seemingly under the authority and rule of sinful man. But who was the master mind for this “kingdom(s) of the world?” Let us remember that it is God Who has authority over the “kingdom(s) of
the world” in His time and place in history. Satan and sinful man cannot rule the world without God’s Providence over His creation.

✓ Romans 13:1 LET EVERY person be loyally subject to the governing (civil) authorities {of the “kingdom(s) of the world”}. For there is no authority {kings, presidents, sheiks, dictators, rulers, etc.} except from God [by His permission, His sanction], and those that exist do so by God's appointment. [Prov 8:15.] AMP
CHAPTER 11 – NOAH, A “RITEHEOUS MAN of GOD” in the “kingdom(s) of the world.”

Let’s continue to watch the “two kingdoms” continue to unfold and their advancement throughout history towards the NEW WORLD ORDER with its goal of a “One World Government” and “One World Religion,” and the emergence and revealing of the eternal spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God” which the Bible reveals is upon us.

The evil and wickedness of sinful unrepentant man continues to bring crises in early human history. In Genesis Chapter 6 when sin became so rampant that God said He was sorry that He had created man and that He was going to blot him and all other land based creatures {BUT not the creatures of the waters} from the face of the earth.

✓ Genesis 6:5-7 The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination and intention of all human thinking was only evil continually. 6 And the Lord regretted that He had made man on the earth, and He was grieved at heart. 7 So the Lord said, I will destroy, blot out, and wipe away mankind, whom I have created from the face of the ground — not only man, [but] the beasts and the creeping things and the birds of the air — for it grieves Me and makes Me regretful that I have made them. AMP

What we MUST realize and understand is how repugnant the evil and wickedness of SIN is to God. SIN is a COMPLETE, UTTER, and ABSOLUTE ABOMINATION to the holy, righteous, living, loving, and unchanging God! God’s destroying of His creation by the Flood BECAUSE of the unrepented SINS of man was probably the closest God in His righteous anger ever came to saying,
“OOPS, I am sorry that I made the earth and its role in man’s mind-set and spiritual heart!”

✓ Isaiah 5:16 But the LORD of hosts will be exalted in judgment, And the holy God will show Himself holy in righteousness. NASU

✓ Malachi 3:6 For I am the Lord, I do not change; that is why you, O sons of Jacob, are not consumed. AMP

✓ Genesis 8:21 When the Lord smelled the pleasing odor [a scent of satisfaction to His heart], the Lord said to Himself, I will never again curse the ground because of man, for the imagination (the strong desire) of man's heart is evil and wicked from his youth; neither will I ever again smite and destroy every living thing, as I have done. AMP

✓ Isaiah 45:18 For thus says the Lord — Who created the heavens, God Himself, Who formed the earth and made it, Who established it and did not create it to be a worthless waste; He formed it to be inhabited — I am the Lord, and there is no one else. AMP

✓ 2 Thessalonians 2:9-12 The coming of the lawless one is according to the working of Satan, with all power, signs, and lying wonders, and with all unrighteous deception among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth, that they might be saved. And for this reason God will send them strong delusion [which is the “kingdom(s) of the world” and creation itself], that they should believe the lie [and worshiped the kingdoms and the creation rather than the Creator], that they all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness {worshiping the “kingdom(s) of the world” and its god – Satan}. NKJV

BUT there still remained ONLY one man on the entire earth whom God considered as righteous with his family and that man was Noah! His wife, their three sons, and their wives also were included so they could repopulate the earth when the time came. But God found Noah to be the ONLY righteous man on the face of the earth just prior to the Flood.

✓ Genesis 6:8-10, 18 But Noah found grace (favor) in the eyes of the Lord. This is the history of the generations of Noah. Noah was a just and righteous man, blameless in his [evil] generation; Noah walked [in habitual fellowship]
with God. 10 And Noah became the father of three sons: Shem, Ham, and Japheth.

18 But I will establish My covenant (promise, pledge) with you, and you shall come into the ark — you and your sons and your wife and your sons' wives with you. AMP

✓ Genesis 7:1 The Flood Then the LORD said to Noah, "Enter the ark, you and all your household, for you alone I have seen to be righteous before Me in this time. NASU

The Bible continues to reveal to us the “Kingdom of God” and those who will be righteous co-heirs of it. Noah became the SECOND man to represent the physical “wandering remnant” while he was afloat on the waters in the Ark for some months. He also became the FIRST man of the spiritual righteous “wandering remnant” of the Kingdom of God in the “kingdom(s) of the world” — those who by faith and trust in God willingly followed God’s commands that would fulfill His foreknown and predestined plans in bringing them into heir-ship in the eternal spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God.

✓ Romans 8:17 Now if we are {righteous} children {of God}, 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. NIV

✓ Genesis 6:9 This is the history of the generations of Noah. Noah was a just and righteous man, blameless in his [evil] generation; Noah walked [in habitual fellowship] with God. AMP

✓ Hebrews 11:7 [Prompted] by faith Noah, being forewarned by God concerning events of which as yet there was no visible sign, took heed and diligently and reverently constructed and prepared an ark for the deliverance of his own family. By this [his faith which relied on God] he passed judgment and sentence on the world's unbelief and became an heir and possessor of righteousness (that relation of being right into which God puts the person who has faith). [Gen 6:13-22.] AMP

Let’s watch Noah’s faith in action as he built the Ark. We know that in building the Ark Noah must have incurred a lot of heckling and ridicule because the Bible shares with us that prior to Noah’s time, it had never rained which would have produced rivers and lakes. Why was he building something as stupid, utterly
insane, and unnecessary as something that could “float” on WHAT?

✓ James 2:14, 17 What is the use (profit), my brethren, for anyone to profess to have faith if he has no [good] works [to show for it]? Can [such] faith save [his soul]?

17 So also faith, if it does not have works (deeds and actions of obedience to back it up), by itself is destitute of power (inoperative, dead). AMP

✓ Genesis 6:22 Noah did this; he did all that God commanded him. AMP

✓ Genesis 2:4-6 This is the history of the heavens and of the earth when they were created. In the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens — 5 When no plant of the field was yet in the earth and no herb of the field had yet sprung up, for the Lord God had not [yet] caused it to rain upon the earth and there was no man to till the ground, 6 But there went up a mist (fog, vapor) from the land and watered the whole surface of the ground. AMP

✓ Genesis 7:11-12 In the year 600 of Noah's life, in the seventeenth day of the second month, that same day all the fountains of the great deep were broken up and burst forth, and the windows and floodgates of the heavens were opened. 12 And it rained upon the earth forty days and forty nights. AMP

We all know the story of Noah. Of God telling him to build an ark along with its specific dimensions and the specified creatures and supplies that were to be in it. God told Noah that he was going to destroy man because of his great propensity to sin and would include all of the land and its creatures.

✓ Genesis 6:11-13 The earth was depraved and putrid in God's sight, and the land was filled with violence (desecration, infringement, outrage, assault, and lust for power). 12 And God looked upon the world and saw how
degenerate, debased, and vicious it was, for all humanity had corrupted
t heir way upon the earth and lost their true direction. 13 God said to Noah,
I intend to make an end of all flesh, for through men the land is filled with
violence; and behold, I will destroy them and the land. AMP

But Noah by faith followed God’s commands and when all of the creatures and
supplies had entered the ark, God HIMSELF closed the only entry/exit door.
✓Genesis 7:5 And Noah did all that the Lord commanded him. [Heb 11:7.]
  AMP
✓Genesis 7:16 And they that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God
  had commanded [Noah]; and the Lord shut him in and closed [the door]
  round about him. AMP

Noah’s faith and willing action because of his faith set him apart as the SECOND
person of the “wandering remnant” of the Kingdom of God in the “kingdoms
of the world.” This greatly pleased God as we have seen when He called Noah
“righteous.” God then blessed Noah and his family commanding them to
repopulate the earth.
✓Genesis 6:9 This is the history of the generations of Noah. Noah was a just and
  righteous man, blameless in his [evil] generation; Noah walked [in habitual
  fellowship] with God. AMP
✓Genesis 9:1 AND GOD pronounced a blessing upon Noah and his sons and
  said to them, Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth. AMP
✓Genesis 9:7 {God said,} And you {Noah and his sons}, be fruitful and multiply;
  bring forth abundantly on the earth and multiply on it. AMP
Noah and his family did exceedingly well at repopulating the earth! But we now a crisis that caused God to come down to the earth to the city of Babel with its Tower of Babel. This crisis caused God to confuse man’s language and scatter him over the face of the earth so as to stop man from prematurely bringing forth the “One World Government” with its “One World Religion.”

Genesis 11:6-9 And the Lord said, **Behold, they are one people and they have all one language; and this is only the beginning of what they will do, and now nothing they have imagined they can do will be impossible for them.** 7 Come, let Us {God the Son and God the Holy Spirit} **go down and there confound (mix up, confuse) their language, that they may not understand one another's speech.** 8 **So the Lord scattered them abroad from that place upon the face of the whole earth, and they gave up building the city.** 9 Therefore **the name of it was called Babel — because there the Lord confounded the language of all the earth; and from that place the Lord scattered them abroad upon the face of the whole earth.**

What God showed here was that in His Sovereignty and Providence, He can take whatever hiccup, bump in the road, whatever you want to call sinful man’s thoughts, intentions, and actions of his mind and heart – his “wiggle room” using his intellect, emotions, free will, and his decision making in sinning against God and realign them into bringing to fruition God’s foreknown and predestined plans.
Proverbs 16:25  There is a way that seems right to a man and appears straight before him, but at the end of it is the way of death. AMP

Proverbs 30:12  There is a class of people who are pure in their own eyes, and yet are not washed from their own filth. AMP

Psalms 36:1-4  TRANSGRESSION [like an oracle] speaks to the wicked deep in his heart. There is no fear or dread of God before his eyes. [Rom 3:18.] 2 For he flatters and deceives himself in his own eyes that his iniquity will not be found out and be hated. 3 The words of his mouth are wrong and deceitful; he has ceased to be wise and to do good. 4 He plans wrongdoing on his bed; he sets himself in a way that is not good; he does not reject or despise evil. AMP

Jeremiah 2:35  Yet you keep saying, I am innocent; surely His anger has turned away from Me. Behold, I {God} will bring you to judgment and will plead against you because you say, I have not sinned. AMP

2 Corinthians 13:5  Examine and test and evaluate your own selves to see whether you are holding to your faith and showing the proper fruits of it. Test and prove yourselves [not Christ]. Do you not yourselves realize and know [thoroughly by an ever-increasing experience] that Jesus Christ is in you — unless you are [counterfeits] disapproved on trial and rejected? AMP

Isaiah 46:9-10  [Earnestly] remember the former things, [which I did] of old; for I am God, and there is no one else; I am God, and there is none like Me. 10 Declaring the end and the result from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure and purpose. AMP

God took Cain’s initial building of a city – his putting down of his physical roots – his starting the humanistic secular “kingdom(s) of the world” and ended the building of that regional city/government at the “Tower of Babel.” It MUST be remembered that even though God confused the language of the people and scattered them over the face of the earth, their mind-set and spiritual heart was not changed – it was still to make the earth their permanent home and their “god!” God’s action at that time did NOT stop the desires of the future generations of sinful man from forming a “One World Government” with its “One World Religion” BEFORE its appointed time. By God’s scattering of the people over all the face of the earth, He assured that His foreknown and predestined plans for a
“One World Wide Government” and a “One World Wide Religion” would come about at His right time and place in history just BEFORE Christ’s Second Coming which I will discuss later.
CHAPTER 13 – ABRAHAM, OUR SPIRITUAL FATHER AS GOD’S SPIRITUAL “WANDERING REMNANT” in the “kingdom(s) of the world.”

The **THIRD person** in the Bible who was to take part in the physical “wandering remnant” in the “kingdom(s) of the world” and the second person of the spiritual “wandering remnant” of the Kingdom of God in the “kingdom(s) of the world” was our spiritual forefather. For a true understanding about God creating the Nation of Israel with its Jewish People, it is imperative to study and know about one of the greatest patriarchs and brother in Jesus Christ of the Old Testament – **Abram/Abraham**.

✓ Isaiah 43:15 "I am the **LORD**, your Holy One, *The Creator of Israel*, your King." NASU

✓ Isaiah 45:11 "This is what the **LORD** says — the **Holy One of Israel, and its Maker**: Concerning things to come, do you question me about my children {the Jews}, or give me orders about the work of my hands? NIV

✓ Hosea 1:10 "Yet the time will come when **Israel shall prosper and become a great nation; in that day her people will be too numerous to count-like sand along a seashore!** Then, instead of saying to them, 'You are not my people,' I will tell them, 'You are my sons, children of the Living God.' TLB

✓ Genesis 12:1 NOW [in Haran] **the Lord said to Abram, Go for yourself [for your own advantage] away from your country, from your relatives and your father's house, to the land that I will show you.** [Heb 11:8-10.] AMP

✓ Genesis 17:8 {God} will give to you and to your descendants after you, the land of your sojournings {wanderings}, all the land of Canaan, for an everlasting possession; and I will be their God." NASU
✓ Hebrews 11:8-10 [Urged on] by faith Abraham, when he was called, obeyed and went forth to a place which he was destined to receive as an inheritance; and he went, although he did not know or trouble his mind about where he was to go. 9 [Prompted] by faith he dwelt as a temporary resident in the land which was designated in the promise [of God, though he was like a stranger] in a strange country, living in tents with Isaac and Jacob, fellow heirs with him of the same promise. [Gen 12:1-8.] 10 For he was [waiting expectantly and confidently] looking forward to the city [New Jerusalem] which has fixed and firm foundations, whose Architect [is God the Father] and Builder is God [the Son]. AMP

This is VERY important! There are TWO things that Abraham’s faith in God accomplished and provided for him that God also imputes/credits to all of us. ALL of Abraham’s promises from God also belong to us Christians – by his faith in God, God credited to him the SAME righteousness as we have in Christ.

✓ Galatians 3:29 And now that we are Christ's we are the true descendants of Abraham, and all of God's promises to him belong to us. TLB

• 2 Corinthians 1:20 For as many as are the promises of God {some 37,000}, they all find their Yes [answer] in Him [Christ]. For this reason we also utter the Amen (so be it) to God through Him [in His Person and by His agency] to the glory of God. AMP

✓ Genesis 15:6 And he [Abram] believed in (trusted in, relied on, remained steadfast to) the Lord, and He counted it to him as righteousness (right standing with God). [Rom 4:3, 18-22; Gal 3:6; James 2:23.] AMP

✓ Romans 4:13 For the promise to Abraham or his posterity {future ancestors}, that he should inherit the world, did not come through [observing the commands of] the Law but through the righteousness of faith. [Gen 17:4-6; 22:16-18.] AMP

• Revelation 21:7 He {the True Believer} who is victorious {over sin} shall inherit all these things, and I will be God to him and he shall be My son. AMP

✓ Philippians 3:9 And that I may [actually] be found and known as in Him {Christ Jesus}, not having any [self-achieved] righteousness that can be called my own, based on my obedience to the Law's demands (ritualistic uprightness and supposed right standing with God thus acquired), but possessing that
[genuine righteousness] which comes through faith in Christ (the Anointed One), the [truly] right standing with God, which comes from God by [saving] faith. AMP

✓ Hebrews 11:39-40 And all of these {Old Testament Saints}, though they won divine approval by [means of] their faith, did not receive the fulfillment of what was promised, 40 Because God had us in mind and had something better and greater in view for us, so that they [these heroes and heroines of faith {in the Old Testament}] should not come to perfection apart from us [before we could join them]. AMP

Much can be said about our spiritual, righteous brother Abraham, but what I want to focus on was his willingness by faith to be part of the “physical wanderers” on the land and to be a true representative of the true “spiritual remnant” of the Kingdom of God in the “kingdom(s) of the world.” He and two generations after him were physical “wanderers” on the land as well as being part of the “spiritual remnant” of God. Even though Abraham “possessed” land, it MUST be clearly understood that he did NOT “own” any land except for a “small” parcel that he purchased to use as a burial ground for Sarah, himself, and other family members.

✓ Genesis 23:14-20 Ephron replied to Abraham, saying, 15 My lord, listen to me. The land is worth 400 shekels of silver; what is that between you and me? So bury your dead. 16 So Abraham listened to what Ephron said and acted upon it. He weighed to Ephron the silver which he had named in the hearing of the Hittites: 400 shekels of silver, according to the weights current among the merchants.

17 So the field of Ephron in Machpelah, which was to the east of Mamre [Hebron] — the field and the cave which was in it, and all the trees that were in the field and in all its borders round about — was made over 18 As a possession to Abraham in the presence of the Hittites, before all who went in at his city gate.

19 After this, Abraham buried Sarah his wife in the cave of the field of Machpelah to the east of Mamre, that is, Hebron, in the land of Canaan. 20 The field and the cave in it were conveyed to Abraham for a permanent burial place by the sons of Heth. AMP
**Acts 7:16** And their bodies [Jacob's and Joseph's] were taken back to Shechem and laid in the tomb which Abraham had purchased for a sum of [silver] money from the sons of Hamor in Shechem. [Gen 50:13; Josh 24:32.] AMP

**Acts 7:5** Yet He {God} gave him {Abraham} no inheritable property in it {Haran}, [no] not even enough ground to set his foot on; but He promised that He would give it to {him} for a permanent possession and to his descendants after him, even though [as yet] he had no child. [Gen 12:7; 17:8; Deut 2:5.] AMP

Why is it so important and necessary to know and understand why Abraham as the “father of our faith” was considered to be a “physical wanderer” in the “kingdom(s) of the world” and part of the “spiritual remnant” of the Kingdom of God in the world?

**Romans 4:16** For this reason it is by faith, in order that it may be in accordance with grace, so that the promise will be guaranteed to all the descendants, not only to those who are of the Law {physical blood descendants – the Jews}, but also to those who are of the faith of Abraham {spiritual descendants through one’s faith in Jesus Christ}, who is the father of us all {truly “Born Again” Old Testament and New Testament Saints}, NASU

**Hebrews 11:8-10** By faith Abraham, when he was called, obeyed by going out to a place which he was to receive for an inheritance; and he went out, not knowing where he was going. 9 By faith he lived as an alien in the land of promise, as in a foreign land, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob, fellow heirs of the same promise; 10 for he was looking for the city {New Jerusalem} which has foundations, whose architect {is God the Father} and builder is God {the Son}. NASU

I have talked about Abraham’s righteousness – his being declared righteous by his faith and actions. Let’s take a look at some Scriptures that affirm his faith and his actions, his friendship with God, and the required faith and the destiny of his spiritual heirs:

**Luke 16:23-26** And in Hades (the realm of the dead), being in torment, he {the rich man} lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far away {in the Kingdom of God}, and Lazarus in his bosom {holding him very close}. 24 And he cried out and said, Father Abraham, have pity and mercy on me and send Lazarus to dip
the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame. 25 But Abraham said, Child, remember that you in your lifetime fully received [what is due you in] comforts and delights, and Lazarus in like manner the discomforts and distresses; but now he is comforted here and you are in anguish. 26 And besides all this, **between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who want to pass from this [place] to you may not be able, and no one may pass from there to us.** AMP

✓ **Galatians 3:6-9** Thus **Abraham believed in and adhered to and trusted in and relied on God, and it was reckoned and placed to his account and credited as righteousness** (as conformity to the divine will in purpose, thought, and action). [Gen 15:6.] 7 **Know and understand that it is [really] the people who live by faith who are [the true] sons of Abraham.** 8 And the Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify (declare righteous, put in right standing with Himself) the Gentiles in consequence of faith, proclaimed the Gospel [foretelling the glad tidings of a Savior long beforehand] to Abraham in the promise, saying, **In you shall all the nations [of the earth] be blessed.** [Gen 12:3.] 9 **So then, those who are people of faith are blessed and made happy and favored by God [as partners in fellowship] with the believing and trusting Abraham.** AMP

✓ **James 2:21-24** Was not our forefather Abraham [shown to be] justified (made acceptable to God) by [his] works when he brought to the altar as an offering his [own] son Isaac? [Gen 22:1-14.] 22 **You see that [his] faith was cooperating with his works, and [his] faith was completed and reached its supreme expression [when he implemented it] by [good] works.** 23 And [so] the Scripture was fulfilled that says, **Abraham believed in** (adhered to, trusted in, and relied on) **God, and this was accounted to him as righteousness** (as conformity to God's will in thought and deed), **and he was called God's friend.** [Gen 15:6; 2 Chron 20:7; Isa 41:8.] 24 **You see that a man is justified through what he does and not alone through faith** [through works of obedience as well as by what he believes]. AMP

• **Genesis 18:17** And the **Lord said, Shall I hide from Abraham [My friend and servant] what I am going to do,** [Gal 3:8.] AMP

• **Exodus 33:11** And the **Lord spoke to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend.** Moses returned to the camp, but his minister Joshua son of Nun, a young man, did not depart from the [temporary prayer] tent. AMP
• **John 15:14** {Jesus said,} *You are My friends if you keep on doing the things which I command you to do.* AMP

✓ **Luke 13:28** There will be weeping and grinding of teeth *when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God, but you yourselves being cast forth (banished, driven away){because of your lack of true faith in God and the things of God}. AMP

• **Matthew 7:22-23** *Many will say to Me on that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name and driven out demons in Your name and done many mighty works in Your name?* 23 And *then I will say to them openly (publicly), I never knew you; depart from Me, you who act wickedly [disregarding My commands].* [Ps 6:8.] AMP
CHAPTER 14 – GOD CREATES a NATION – ISRAEL and PROVIDES LAND for HIS CHOSEN PEOPLE – the JEWS and for CHRIST’S SECOND COMING.

God created the nation of Israel and its people through Abraham and his descendants. What makes Israel unique among all of the nations of the world? What are its peculiar features that separate it from those “other” nations of the world that indicate to us God’s Divine Providence over it?

“Israel is the very embodiment {personification/example} of Jewish continuity. It is the only nation on earth that {now} inhabits the same land, bears the same name, speaks the same language, and worships the same God that it did {some} 3,000 years ago.” {Quote from Charles Krauthammer – The Weekly Standard, May 11, 1998} I will try to clarify this statement. This does NOT mean the Jews continuously occupied the land of Israel for the last 3000 years. The Jews did NOT occupy the city of Jerusalem from 63 B.C. to 1963 A.D. some 2026 years although a remnant of Jews has always lived in Jerusalem. I believe that what Mr. Krauthammer is saying is that Israel is the ONLY nation on earth that NOW inhabits the same land, has the same name, has the same language, and worships the same God as it has for some 3000 years. No other nation on earth today can make that same claim!

We must fully understand the importance of this claim and fact! All we have to do is to step back and take a look at the changes in the number of nations worldwide in history. I tried to find an estimate of the number of kingdoms and nations in the world’s history but could not. Apparently there are too many making it too difficult to make an accurate estimate. But according to Wikipedia there are about 15 other
sovereign nations currently that predate the time of Christ (BC). But all of these other nations have been occupied by other nations at one time or another in their history. What happened all of these former kingdoms and nations? The truth is there is very little stability in the nations of the world over a long period of history. The United States of America has continuously survived some 238 years making it a relatively long continuously surviving nation in the history of the world in modern times!


The rise and fall of the kingdoms and nations of the world are a revolving kaleidoscope that God even though He did NOT create them, changes by His Sovereignty according to His foreknown and predestined plans. BUT this is NOT the case for Israel! I believe that God in His foreknowledge predestined the nation Israel with its people “to endure through Christ’s Second Coming” to bring to fruition the Father’s plans for His Second Coming. Scripture states that God established Israel and its people to exist forever! Following is a synopsis of its introduction and beginning through Christ’s setting up His Kingdom here on earth for a thousand years.

✓ 2 Samuel 7:24 And You {God} have established for Yourself Your people Israel to be Your people forever, and You, Lord, became their God. AMP

✓ Revelation 20:4 Then I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was given to them. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded because of their testimony of Jesus and because of the word of God, and those who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received the mark on their forehead and on their hand; and they came to life and reigned with Christ for a thousand years. NASU

As we all know, God in His Sovereignty and Providence used Abram to create/bring forth the nation of Israel with its land {taken from Canaan} with His chosen people – the Jews. God promised Abram that his Jewish offspring would be as numerous as the stars in the heavens and as the sand on the seashore.

✓ 2 Chronicles 9:8 Blessed be the Lord your God, Who delighted in you {Solomon} and set you on His throne to be king for the Lord your God! Because your God loved Israel and would establish them forever. He made you king over them, to do justice and righteousness. AMP
✓ **Genesis 12:1-2** NOW [in Haran] the Lord said to Abram. Go for yourself [for your own advantage] away from your country, from your relatives and your father's house, to the land that I will show you. [Heb 11:8-10.] 2 And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you [with abundant increase of favors] and make your name famous and distinguished, and you will be a blessing [dispensing good to others]. AMP

✓ **Genesis 13:14-15** The Lord said to Abram after Lot had left him, Lift up now your eyes and look from the place where you are, northward and southward and eastward and westward; 15 For all the land which you see I will give to you and to your posterity [physical descendants] forever. [Acts 7:5.] AMP

✓ **Genesis 15:5-6** And He [God] brought him [Abram] outside [his tent into the starlight] and said, Look now toward the heavens and count the stars — if you are able to number them. Then He said to him, So shall your [Jewish] descendants be. [Heb 11:12.] 6 And he [Abram] believed in (trusted in, relied on, remained steadfast to) the Lord, and He counted it to him as righteousness (right standing with God). [Rom 4:3, 18-22; Gal 3:6; James 2:23.] AMP

We have Abram being declared righteous by God for his faith in believing what God had physically showed him which now enables him {now Abraham} to truly become the “spiritual father of our faith.”

✓ **Genesis 22:16-18** And said, I have sworn by Myself, says the Lord, that since you {Abraham} have done this and have not withheld [from Me] or begrudged [giving Me] your son, your only son {Isaac}, 17 In blessing I will bless you and in multiplying I will multiply your descendants {spiritual brothers and sisters} like the stars of the heavens and like the sand on the seashore. And your Seed (Heir) will possess the gate of His enemies, [Heb 6:13, 14; 11:12.] 18 And in your {lineage the} Seed [Christ] shall all the nations of the earth be blessed and [by Him] bless themselves, because you have heard and obeyed My voice. [Gen 12:2-3; 13:16; 22:18; 26:4; 28:14; Acts 3:25, 26; Gal 3:16.] AMP

✓ **Romans 4:16** Therefore, inheriting the promise is the outcome of faith and depends [entirely] on faith, in order that it might be given as an act of grace (unmerited favor), to make it stable and valid and guaranteed to all his descendants — not only to the devotees and adherents of the Law, but also to those {spiritual descendants} who share the faith of Abraham, who is [thus] the father of us all. AMP
Romans 9:8 That is to say, it is not the children of the {physical} body [of Abraham] who are made God's children, but it is the offspring {spiritual descendants} to whom the promise applies that shall be counted [as Abraham's true descendants]. AMP

Let’s take a look at the lineage of Abraham to discern as to who are his physical descendants, and who are his spiritual descendants. Abraham lived about 1800 BC and during his life time fathered two famous people – Ishmael and Isaac. Ishmael was the child of the bond woman Hagar and Abraham. He is the Muslim’s link to claim Abraham as their physical father. In Scripture, Ishmael is called a “wild ass” to indicate his radical spiritual thinking and violent physical behavior which still carries forward to this day with the militant Muslims particularly in their adamant opposition to Israel in continually trying to completely annihilate that nation and its people from the face of the earth. It is important to include the radical Muslims in this history because they will be involved in the war(s) against Israel {and other nations} at the end of the age. These militant Muslims are intent on saving the world for Islam and brainwashing and molding these new converts to make them their slaves in the “kingdom(s) of the world” with its god – Satan.

Genesis 16:12 And he [Ishmael] will be as a wild ass among men; his hand will be against every man and every man's hand against him, and he will live to the east and on the borders of all his kinsmen. AMP

Revelation 16:13-14 Armageddon And I saw coming out of the mouth of the dragon and out of the mouth of the beast and out of the mouth of the false prophet {false demonic trinity}, three unclean spirits like frogs; 14 for they are spirits of demons, performing signs, which go out to the kings of the whole world, to gather them together for the war of the great day of God, the Almighty. NASU

Galatians 4:29 Yet [just] as at that time {3,800 years ago} the child {Ishmael} [of ordinary birth] born according to the flesh despised and persecuted him {Isaac} [who was born remarkably] according to [the promise and the working of] the [Holy] Spirit, so it is now also {“TODAY” 2014 AD}. [Gen 21:9.] AMP

Isaac was the first offspring of the free woman Sarah and Abraham – the child born of the promise from God that she would conceive and have a child even though she
was well beyond child bearing age – 90 years old. She would then become the mother of many kings and their nations.

✓ **Genesis 17:17** Then Abraham fell on his face and laughed and said in his heart, Shall a child be born to a man who is a hundred years old? And shall Sarah, who is ninety years old, bear a son? AMP

✓ **Galatians 4:23** But whereas the child {Ishmael} of the slave woman {Hagar} was born according to the flesh and had an ordinary birth, the son {Isaac} of the free woman {Sarah} **was born in fulfillment of the promise**. AMP

✓ **Genesis 17:16** And I {God} will bless her {Sarah} and give you a son {Isaac} also by her. Yes, I will bless her, and she shall be a mother of nations; kings of peoples shall come from her. AMP {Sarah shall be the mother of the kings of the peoples of the nations.}

The descendants of Abraham became the nation of Israel about 500 years after Abraham lived. To make the long history of Israel very short and repetitious, the people of Israel intimately knew and prayed to God and lived in their land, and then they sinned against God and by God’s judgment, another nation took them captive and drove them from their land. Then they repented and prayed to God to return them to their land – which He did, and then they sinned against Him again, and He would let another nation take them captive again driving them from their land. Then they repented and prayed to God to return them to their land – which He did. This “merry-go-round” repeated itself many times for many centuries, but this came to an end in 1948.

I believe that because of the “Holocaust” – the killing of six million Jews during WWII, the sympathies of many nations of the world helped with the reemergence of the Israeli nation in 1948.

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Only one problem! The United Nations formed TWO nations – the Palestinian/Arab Nation and the Jewish Nation. What do you see? God’s Sovereignty and Providence in the reestablishment of the continuing conflict between the Muslims {Ishmael} and the Jews {Isaac}.

In recent history, there have been several wars between Israel and its Arab neighbors ALL trying to annihilate the Nation of Israel – the 1948 War of Independence, the 1956 Sinai War, the 1967 Six Day War, and the 1973 Yom Kippur War. Israel is a TINY nation BUT it has won ALL of those wars! What does this reveal about God’s Sovereignty over Israel and the other nations who fought against her? But that still does NOT detour them from continuing to try to annihilate Israel as we shall see.

But the “battle and war” against Israel is NOT finished yet. This is part of God’s reason for His continued Providence for Israel to remain a nation with LAND. There is yet ONE major war coming between Israel and her neighboring nations. But this war will take place on Israeli LAND on one of the most famous battlefields in the world – **the Valley of Megiddo** which will host the “**Battle of Armageddon**.”

✓ **Zechariah 12:11** In that day shall there be a great mourning in Jerusalem, as the mourning of [the city of] Hadadrimmon in **the Valley of Megiddo** [over beloved King Josiah]. [2 Chron 35:22-25.] AMP
✓ **Revelation 16:16** And they gathered them together at the place which in Hebrew is called Armageddon. [2 Kings 9:27.] AMP

There are others who believe there will be **up to nine other wars** which will precede Armageddon. “The Gog and Magog War” which some call World War III and “The Great Middle East War” which some believe will pit Israel against all of its other neighboring nations who did NOT fight against her in “The Gog and Magog War.” Does this war bring ALL of the nations of the world against Israel? There is a lot of speculation about the events of the end times and I do NOT know the order of when these things are going to happen, but whatever takes place, one thing can be sure – ONLY the nation of Israel, its people along with the city of Jerusalem will come through these wars in their FINAL VICTORY and PLACE in
the “kingdom’s of the world” because of God and His love for His only created nation and people!

✓ **Revelation 20:8** And he will go forth to deceive and seduce and lead astray the nations which are in the four quarters of the earth — Gog and Magog — to muster them for war; their number is like the sand of the sea. [Ezek 38:2, 9, 15, 22.] AMP

✓ **Revelation 16:14** For really they are the spirits of demons that perform signs (wonders, miracles). And they go forth to the rulers and leaders all over the world {all of the “kingdom(s) of the world”}, to gather them together for war on the great day of God the Almighty. AMP

It is imperative to understand why God created the nation of Israel with its LAND for His Chosen People – for the Jews to be the mightiest nation on earth and an everlasting nation amongst all of the nations on the earth.

✓ **Jeremiah 31:7** For thus says the Lord: Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and shout for the head of the nations [on account of the chosen people, Israel]. Proclaim, praise, and say, The Lord has saved His people, the remnant of Israel! AMP

✓ **Deuteronomy 26:19** And He will make you {Israel} high above all nations which He has made, in praise and in fame and in honor, and that you shall be a holy people to the Lord your God, as He has spoken. AMP

✓ **Isaiah 66:22** For as the new heavens and the new earth which I make shall remain before Me, says the Lord, so shall your offspring and your name remain {Israel}. AMP

As you follow through this chapter, I pray that you can see the unfolding of God’s plan for Israel as a nation as was stated at the beginning of this chapter – “Israel is the very embodiment of Jewish continuity. It is the only nation on earth that inhabits the same land, bears the same name, speaks the same language, and worships the same God that it did {some} 3,000 years ago.” {Quote from Charles Krauthammer – The Weekly Standard, May 11, 1998} Why is JUST the nation of Israel among all of the nations of the world so important and necessary to God? Can you see why it is so important for you to support the nation of Israel? Can you see why the other nations of the world aren’t AS important as Israel? Are OTHER nations going to be “saved” by God? Is the United States of America
among these “OTHER” nations to be “saved?” I believe that God has placed in leadership of the United States of America a man who will drastically speed its decline so as to become impotent during the end times. The nation of Israel including the New City of Jerusalem will be the only nation to survive the worldwide “holocaust” of the end times.

✓ Zechariah 12:3 Jerusalem will be a heavy stone burdening the world. And though all the nations of the earth unite in an attempt to move her, they will all be crushed. TLB

✓ Zechariah 12:9 For my {God’s} plan is to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem. TLB
CHAPTER 15 – WHY the “BASTARD” NATIONS of the “KINGDOM(S) of the WORLD” HATE ISRAEL.

The LAST reason for the necessity for Nation of Israel and its land to be preserved will be revealed upon Christ’s Second Coming. We must remember that prophecy states that Christ will stand upon the Mount of Olives at His return to wage war against the “bastard nations” – the nations of the world that He did NOT create. Christ has to have “land” to set down on for His Second Coming to establish His earthly kingdom and His 1000 year reign in the New Jerusalem.

✓ Zechariah 14:3-4 {The prophecy of Jesus Christ’s return.} Then shall the Lord go forth and fight against those nations, as when He fought in the day of battle. 4 And His feet shall stand in that day upon the Mount of Olives, which lies before Jerusalem on the east, and the Mount of Olives shall be split in two from the east to the west by a very great valley; and half of the mountain shall remove toward the north and half of it toward the south. [Isa 64:1, 2.] AMP

✓ Acts 1:11-12 {The angels} Who said, Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing into heaven? This same Jesus, Who was caught away and lifted up from among you into heaven, will return in [just] the same way in which you saw Him go into heaven. 12 Then [the disciples] went back to Jerusalem from the hill called Olivet {Mount of Olives}, which is near Jerusalem, [only] a Sabbath day's journey (three-quarters of a mile) away. AMP

✓ Revelation 11:15 Seventh Trumpet: The Kingdom Proclaimed Then the seventh angel sounded: And there were loud voices in heaven, saying, "The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever!" NKJV

✓ 1 Corinthians 15:24-25 After that comes the end (the completion), when He delivers over the kingdom to God the Father after rendering inoperative and abolishing every [other] rule and every authority and power. 25 For [Christ] must be King and reign until He has put all [His] enemies under His feet. [Ps 110:1.] AMP

✓ Zechariah 14:11 And it {Jerusalem} shall be inhabited, for there shall be no more curse or ban of utter destruction, but Jerusalem shall dwell securely. [Rev 22:3.] AMP
This being the case – that upon Christ’s victory over all of the other nations of the world – **after rendering inoperative and abolishing every [other] rule and every authority and power** – I believe that rather than become politically involved in the politics in the “bastard” kingdoms and nations of the world, all truly “Born Again” Christians must be actively involved in supporting the nation of Israel through Christ’s Second Coming. If “Born Again” Christians continually try to work against what God is doing worldwide to prepare for Christ’s Second Coming by working to “save” their kingdom or nation from virtual political and physical destruction, they are actually “fighting against God!”

✓ **Acts 5:39** but **if it is of God** {worldwide preparation for Christ’s Second Coming}, you cannot overthrow it — **lest you even be found to fight against God.**" NKJV

Why is the nation of Israel and Its people so hated by other nations and their peoples? Because of the way these other kingdoms/nations came into being! They are literally “bastards” in the mix of God’s “very good” creation! And you know how if you were to call someone a “bastard” in their family setting, how much animosity, nastiness, resentment, and outright physical hostility that would cause! Same goes for the kingdoms and nations of the world only on a MUCH larger scale. Their bitterness and hatred against Israel is because Israel is God’s **ONLY created** kingdom/nation in the world. The bitterness and hatred is **so ingrained in the “kingdom(s) of the world”** that it boils over into the pot of
world chaos resulting in the continual troubles and turmoil particularly in the Middle East and spreading out to other “kingdom(s) of the world”.

I use the term “bastard” to indicate the stature of these illegitimate entities in God’s “very good” creation. The term “bastard” as pertaining to the origin of the world’s kingdoms and nations is used for “something that is spurious {of falsified origin}, inferior {NOT up to God’s “STANDARD”}, or is of questionable origin {NOT created by God the Son}. Jesus Christ created only ONE nation in the world and that was Israel, and He is the maker of Its people – the Jews. Satan has deceived the world and the Christian Church for many many centuries on this matter! You may not like my perception of how the “kingdom(s) of the world” and their “god” came into being and power, but I believe that I have represented God’s truth accurately on this matter.

✓ Isaiah 43:15 I am the Lord, your Holy one, the Creator of Israel, your King. AMP

✓ Isaiah 45:11 Thus says the Lord, the Holy one of Israel, and its Maker:
   Would you question Me about things to come concerning My children, and concerning the work of My hands [would you] command Me? AMP

✓ Revelation 12:9 And the huge dragon was cast down and out--that age-old serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, he who is the seducer (deceiver) of all humanity the world over; he was forced out and down to the earth, and his angels were flung out along with him. [Gen 3:1, 14, 15; Zech 3:1.] AMP {This Scripture reveals Satan’ s role throughout history.}

The term “bastard” also refers to an illegitimate child who is so called because he/she was born without a legitimate father and mother by marriage. By interpolating this term {laying the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God meaning alongside of the generally accepted physical meaning for a “bastard” child} gives to us the “kingdom(s) of the world” with its “god” as illegitimate because while they do have a “father” – Satan that brought them into being – he is NOT God the Son Who as the “everlasting Father” is credited as the Creator of everything.

✓ Isaiah 9:6 For unto us a child is born; unto us a son is given {Jesus Christ}; and the government shall be upon his shoulder. These will be his royal titles: "Wonderful," "Counselor," "The Mighty God," "The Everlasting Father {of the things of His creation}," "The Prince of Peace." TLB
✓ Colossians 1:16 Christ himself is the Creator who made everything in heaven and earth, the things we can see and the things we can't; the spirit world with its kings and kingdoms, its rulers and authorities; all were made by Christ for his own use and glory. TLB {This paraphrase translation correctly interprets/portrays what Christ created in the spiritual realm with its kingdoms and kings. There are NO Scriptures in the Bible that make mention of Christ creating the physical “kingdom(s) of the world” except for the nation of Israel.}
• Isaiah 43:15 I am the Lord, your Holy one, the Creator of Israel, your King. AMP

✓ Acts 17:26 He {God} created all the people of the world from one man, Adam, and scattered the concept of the nations across the face of the earth {at the time of the Tower of Babel – Genesis 11:1-9 with Nimrod who as a mighty but evil warrior became the first king of a group of cities forming the first kingdom of the world – 1 Chronicles 1:10, Genesis 10:10-12}. He {God} decided beforehand which should rise and fall, and when. He determined their boundaries. TLB {This paraphrase correctly shares that God first created man who later formed kingdoms/nations in the world.}
• Isaiah 14:24 The Lord of hosts has sworn, saying, Surely, as I have thought and planned, so shall it come to pass, and as I have purposed, so shall it stand-- AMP

Even Satan came against Israel by getting David to sin against God by taking a count of the number of troops that Israel could place in battle rather than trusting God for their victory against their enemies.

✓ 1 Chronicles 21:1 Now Satan stood up against Israel, and moved David to number Israel. NKJV {2 Samuel 24:1 states that, “AGAIN THE anger of the Lord was kindled against Israel, and He moved David against them, saying, Go, number Israel and Judah.” AMP The seeming contradiction of these two Scriptures reveals God’s Sovereignty over all of His creation. Satan and his evil demonic spirits are always under God’s authority and subject to God’s will as He commands them. Satan and his demonic angels can do nothing of their own volition!}
• Job 2:1 AGAIN THERE was a day when the sons of God [the angels] came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan (the adversary and
the accuser) came also among them to present himself before the Lord.

AMP

- 1 Samuel 16:14 But the Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul, and an evil spirit from the Lord tormented and troubled him. AMP

Why is JUST the nation of Israel among all of the nations of the world so important and necessary to God? It is the ONLY “God created nation” on the planet earth! Can you see why it is so important to support the nation of Israel against ALL comers? Can you see why the other nations of the world aren’t AS important to God as Israel through the course of time and history? The nation of Israel will be the ONLY nation to survive the worldwide “holocaust” of the end times.

✓ Zechariah 12:3 Jerusalem will be a heavy stone burdening the world. And though all the nations of the earth unite in an attempt to move her, they will all be crushed. TLB

✓ Zechariah 12:9 For my {God’s} plan is to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem. TLB

Just before Christ’s Second Coming, I believe that God will so politically and physically bring to ruins and destroy the power of these “kingdom(s) in the world” that they will be helpless to take a united stand against what He is doing.
CHAPTER 16 – KING NEBUCHADNEZZAR’S “CONVERSION” from the “kingdom(s) of the world” to the KINGDOM of GOD.

In closing PART I, we must look at an Old Testament example that provides an excellent illustration of the humanistic secular mind-set and spiritual heart of a proud and powerful king, and God’s ability and capacity in His Sovereignty and Providence to cause testing, trials, circumstances, tribulations, etc. to actually manipulate and change the thinking and actions of such a powerful man. I do NOT believe this is just a “story!” Knowing God as I do, I believe that he can do anything He wants, at any time He wants, and to anyone He wants!

✓ Mark 10:27 Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but not with God; all things are possible with God." NIV

Watch as you read through the Scripture text how the mind-set and spiritual heart of King Nebuchadnezzar turns from the humanistic secular physical “kingdom(s) of the world” to the spiritual heart-set and spiritual heart of the eternal spiritual supernatural “Kingdom of God” and to the Sovereignty and Providence of God over these matters.

✓ Daniel 4:28-37 All this was fulfilled and came upon King Nebuchadnezzar. 29 At the end of twelve months he was walking in the royal palace of Babylon. 30 The king said, Is not this the great Babylon that I have built as the royal residence and seat of government by the might of my power and for the honor and glory of my majesty? 31 While the words were still in the king's mouth, there fell a voice from heaven, saying {God speaking in judgment}, O King Nebuchadnezzar, to you it is spoken: departed from you. 32 And you shall be
dwelling will be with the living creatures of the field. You will be made to eat grass like the oxen, and seven times [or years] shall pass over you until you have learned and know that the Most High [God] rules in the kingdom of men and gives it to whomever He will.

• Jeremiah 27:5 I have made the earth, the men, and the beasts that are upon the face of the earth by My great power and by My outstretched arm, and I give it {the kingdoms/nations} to whomever it seems right and suitable to Me. AMP

33 That very hour the thing was [in process of] being fulfilled upon Nebuchadnezzar. He was driven from among men and did eat grass like oxen [as Daniel had said he would], and his body was wet with the dew of the heavens until his hair grew like eagles' [feathers] and his nails [were] like birds' [claws]. 34 And at the end of the days [seven years], I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up my eyes to heaven, and my understanding and the right use of my mind returned to me; and I blessed the Most High [God] and I praised and honored and glorified Him Who lives forever, Whose dominion is an everlasting dominion; and His kingdom endures from generation to generation.

35 And all the inhabitants of the earth are accounted as nothing. And He does according to His will in the host of heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth, and none can stay His hand or say to Him, What are You doing?

36 Now at the same time my reason and understanding returned to me; and for the glory of my kingdom, my majesty and splendor returned to me, and my counselors and my lords sought me out; I was reestablished in my kingdom, and still more greatness [than before] was added to me. {God BLESSED King Nebuchadnezzar just as He did Job when he returned to his God given sanity.}

• Job 42:10 And the Lord turned the captivity of Job and restored his fortunes, when he prayed for his friends; also the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before. [Deut 30:1-3; Ps 126:1, 2.] AMP

37 Now I, Nebuchadnezzar, praise and extol and honor the King of heaven, Whose works are all faithful and right and Whose ways are just. And those who walk in pride He is able to abase and humble. AMP
There are no Scriptures that share with us that God recognized King Nebuchadnezzar as “righteous” by his confession of faith in God, but I believe that he will stand with those of us who are righteous when the time comes.

✓ Galatians 3:8-9 And the Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles by faith {King Nebuchadnezzar was a Gentile!}, preached the gospel to Abraham beforehand, saying, "In you all the nations {Kingdom of King Nebuchadnezzar included} shall be blessed." 9 So then those who are of faith are blessed with believing Abraham. NKJV

• Malachi 3:6 For I am the Lord, I do not change; that is why you, O sons of Jacob, are not consumed. AMP

✓ Joel 2:32 And whoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be delivered and saved, for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the remnant [of survivors] shall be those whom the Lord calls. [Acts 2:17-21; Rom 10:13.] AMP

I believe that King Nebuchadnezzar acknowledged God for Who and What He is!

✓ Matthew 10:32 Therefore, everyone who acknowledges Me before men and confesses Me [out of a state of oneness with Me], I will also acknowledge him before My Father Who is in heaven and confess [that I am abiding in] him. AMP
CHAPTER 17 – SUMMATION of PART I.

What have we learned in this study? We have learned that “Eden the Garden of God” which was in the third heaven was the SAME Garden as “the Garden of Eden” that God planted in the Land of Nod in His “very good” creation on the planet earth. **We have learned that this “Garden” was something special above and beyond His original “very good” creation.** It was a “delight.” It was “perfection.” It was a “paradise.” **This Garden of Eden was the physical manifestation of the spiritual supernatural Kingdom of God in the third heaven and on the earth!** And **God’s Kingdom is the very embodiment of God the Son/Jesus Christ. Him and His Kingdom are inseparable!** This has monumental implications for His adopted children of the New Testament which we will discuss in more detail in PART II.

When God created the universe which contains the heavens, its stars, the angels, and the planets including the planet earth and its inhabitants, God viewed it and called it “Very Good.” But sin entered God’s creation when Lucifer/Satan sinned in the “Eden the Garden of God/Kingdom of God” in the third heaven, and he was cast out of there to the earth which would become his “kingdom(s) of the world.” The depravity of his mind-set and spiritual heart was set on sin which would cause wide ranging changes in God’s “very good” creation.

Alfred Wegener in 1915, believed that all of the continents of the earth were formed from one supercontinent that he called the
“Urkontient.” I believe this original land mass on the earth was originally known as the “Land of Nod.” It was originally designated by God as the “land of wandering” meaning those God deemed righteous would be traveling their life’s path in the “kingdom(s) of the world” along the spiritual supernatural “highway to heaven” as aliens on the earth moving toward their heavenly spiritual supernatural home. I make this statement because even though God foreknew that man would sin, His heart’s desire was for all of humanity to be saved thus providing for them a “way out.”

✓ **1 Corinthians 10:13** No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and *God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, so that you will be able to endure it.* NASU

God created Adam and Eve and introduced them to Satan. Satan then seduced them to sin by disobeying God’s command of NOT eating from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil in the Garden. They were then cast out of the Garden/Kingdom of God into the Land of Nod – the Land of Wandering. BOTH Satan and man were now together on the earth.

We now come to Cain who I believe was demonically possessed by Satan. I say this because Satan deceptively influenced his way into Cain’s life so his spiritual heart’s desire and mind-set became exactly the SAME as Satan’s spiritual heart’s desire and mind-set – to put himself above God having his own kingdom! The “kingdom(s) of the world” – the kingdoms and nations of the world except for the nation of Israel – came about through the collusion of Satan’s demonic possessing of Cain to gain his ultimate goal of becoming the “god of the ‘kingdom(s) of the world’.”

Cain’s unrepented sins took place in the Garden of Eden/Kingdom of God on earth resulting in him going back to the Land of Nod, but rather than become a wanderer as God gave him a choice to be with His protection, he choose to put down “roots of seeming permanency” and started to build a city for him, his family, and his many followers.

From Cain’s offspring came the different systems of the world – agriculture, education, and industry, and the technologies used to develop them. From the evil desires of sinful man’s hearts came the continuation and expansion of Cain’s city to
eventually become the Tower of Babel in the city of Babel. Sinful man’s united evil and wicked spiritual hearts and mind-set was to build a tower reaching to the heavens to bring about the rise and implementation for the beginning of the “One World Government” with its “One World Religion.” God came down to earth to stop the building of the Tower of Babel and scattered the people with this evil and wicked mind-set over the face of the earth.

In God’s foreknown and predestined plan it was NOT time for a “One World Government” with its “One World Religion,” so God scattered sinful man over the face of the earth from which sprouted the numerous peoples with the demonically inspired “kingdom(s) of the world.” This scattering of man over the face of the earth did NOT change sinful man’s mind-set nor spiritual heart! He still did NOT trust God for His guidance in his life but rather striving to be his own god trying to achieve his own government with its own religion which continues to this day.

Next on the scene came Nimrod whom we do not know much about. When you find a commentary that includes him they depict him as a rebellious man/warrior of great ambition who stared to organize cities into a kingdom. Where upon, he became the first king in time and place in history with his kingdom of cities.

When Adam and Eve were placed in the Land of Nod, they were the first of the “wandering physical remnant,” then after them came Noah who was the first of the “wandering spiritual remnant” and then our spiritual forefather Abraham. Abraham is extremely important because from him came the God created nation of Israel with its people, the Jews with their land. The nation of Israel with its people and land are extremely important for the “end times” events for Christ’s Second Coming. God’s plan needs an area – the Valley of Megiddo – for the final Battle of Armageddon. And the final reason for Israel and its people to survive and be victorious in all of the battles that will come against it is because Christ needs to have the Mount of Olives to land on when He comes back to set up His millennial kingdom on earth at His Second Coming.

I also have included the testimony of King Nebuchadnezzar to show God’s grace in the Old Testament. The Bible states that anyone who calls on/acknowledges the
Name of the Lord shall be saved. Do you believe that King Nebuchadnezzar was saved? There are those who believe that he was NOT saved.

✓ Matthew 10:32 Therefore, \textit{everyone who acknowledges Me before men and confesses Me [out of a state of oneness with Me} \{I in them and they within Me.\}, \textit{I will also acknowledge him before My Father Who is in heaven and confess [that I am abiding in] him}. AMP \{This is an extremely powerful and intricate statement from Jesus Christ about God’s ONENESS with Christ’s adopted children in PART II!!!\}

“The MYSTERY of the KINGDOMS REVEALED – PART II” will reveal the absolute necessity of continual daily praying for the spiritual “sound mind” of Christ and applying it to the daily lives of those who are truly “Born Again” as a new spiritual creation in Christ. It will reveal our new spiritual supernatural “STANDARD”/SPIRITUAL PROFILE, our imputed spiritual supernatural “DNA,” our spiritual supernatural “ONENESS” with God, our spiritual supernatural gifting, and our spiritual supernatural work of “bearing eternal spiritual supernatural fruit” for Christ – winning lost sinners to Jesus Christ as their personal Savior, Lord God, and Master.

To God be the Glory! AMEN AND AMEN!!!