

Bible Study Through
ROMANS
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the wisdom of the prudent
is to **FIGURE IT OUT**

Proverbs 14:8

TONIGHT'S PLAN

CAPITVLVM IV - SECVNDA PARS

- Continue with verses 13-25
- Replacement Theology
- Review Abraham Timeline
- Wrath-Separation Follow-up on:
Sheol-Hades-Hell-Abyss-Tartarus-Gehenna
- BASICS on Angels and demons
- Preview of Romans 5

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OUTLINE

Chaps 1-8

FAITH

1-3 Recognize our sin

4-5 How is one saved

6-8 Process of sanctification

Chaps 9-11

HOPE Can God love us without rescinding His Holy nature?

9 Israel's past history

10 Israel's current situation

11 Israel's future

Chaps 12-16

LOVE The *process of sanctification* in our lives.

12 Service to others

13 Respect government

14-15 One's conscience

16 Greetings/salutations

Romans 4:13-15

The Promise to **Abraham** and to his descendants, that he would be heir of the world was **NOT** thru the Law, but thru the *righteousness of faith*.

For if those who are of the Law are heirs, then faith is made void and the promise is then nullified because *the Law can only bring about WRATH*.

But where there is **NO law** there also is **NO violation**.

Abram's Faith [5 items]:

- 1- *New God Revealed Himself* to Abram in Ur of Chaldeas [Gen. 12:1-4]
- 2- *Obedied this God* and left Ur, went to Haran with Terah [Gen. 11:31 – Acts 7:4]
- 3- *Worshipped this God* at altar in Canaan [Gen. 12:7-8]
- 4- Chose to *Stay with God* but separate from nephew Lot [Gen. 13]
- 5- *God gave him victory* over the kings – meets *Melchizedek* [Gen. 14]
- 6- *Believed God* about his seed/heir, *reckoned as righteousness* [Gen. 15]

Romans 4:16-18

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, but also to those who are of the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all - as it is written:

“A FATHER OF MANY NATIONS HAVE I MADE YOU”

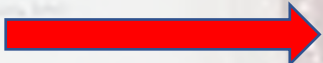
In the presence of Him in whom he believed [God] who gives life to the dead and calls into being that which does not exist. In hope against hope he [Abram] believed so that he might become a father of many nations according to that which had been spoken:

“SO SHALL YOUR DESCENDANTS BE.”

WE ARE ALL Abraham's seed [Gen. 12:1-3] **with same Justification** [Galatians 3:29]

That Promise was 400 years before Moses and the Law [Galatians 3:17]

SAVED by **Grace** [getting what we do not deserve] vs. **Mercy** [not getting what's deserved]

BUT REMEMBER do not substitute the church for Israel!!! **Replacement Theology** 

Replacement Theology

ORIGINS - Well meaning Christian theologians of 1500s 1600s 1700s 1800s and early 1900s could not reconcile ***Biblical descriptions of literal Israel in the land post-70 AD.***
As late as 1930s!! ***Then May 15, 1948 [end of British Mandate]***

Church is the “new” Israel *Supersession*

- Israel’s role ended when Jesus Messiah came
- Israel has no future part in God’s plan for the world
- New Covenant with Christ “replaces” Mosaic Covenant

Hebrews 8:13 – “new covenant made the first obsolete”

- This camp now uses **“Fulfillment Theology”**

Virtually ALL Catholic, Orthodox, Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopal, Lutheran

“We believe that the international Church has superseded for all times national Israel as the institution for the administration of divine blessing to the world.” - Ken Gentry [also a preterist]

Replacement Theology *rebuttal*

YHWH's Promise to Israel is still in place. Even though Gentiles also saved

Do NOT only spiritualize the Promises to Israel

Do NOT transfer the Promises to Israel

Do NOT abrogate/repeal the Promises to Israel

YES there is a spiritual dimension that is extra-temporal to “salvation to all mankind”

BUT also a ***clearly physical dimension***

AND specifically ***temporal dimension*** [one remaining Shabua - 70th]

God ***literally fulfilled*** the first 69 Shabua. **God will fulfill the final Shabua.**

1-Israel and 2-Gentiles *Unique origins Unique end-results*

3-Church *This group - NO distinctions Jew-Greek, slave-free, male-female*
[Galatians 3:28 + Colossians 3:11]

Romans 9-10-11 *70th “week of years” . . . followed by 10-century Millennium*

Romans 4:19-25

Without becoming weak in faith he contemplated his own body as good as dead since he was 100 years old [and the deadness of Sarah's womb at age 90] - yet with respect to **the Promise** of God, he did not waver in unbelief - but ***grew strong in faith***, giving glory to God, being ***fully assured*** what God had Promised, He was able also to perform, so that:

"IT WAS ALSO CREDITED TO HIM AS RIGHTEOUSNESS".

Not for his sake only was it written that it was credited to him, but for our sake also – to whom it will be credited as ***those who believe in Him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead***, He who was delivered over **because of our transgressions** and was then ***raised because of our Justification***.

Missler – “the best way to glorify God is to BELIEVE Him”

Fully assured - filled right to the brim with no other room for anything else to fit

RAISED for JUSTIFICATION - 1st Corinthians 15:1-4 CENTRALITY OF DEATH + RESURRECTION

Romans 4:19-25

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CENTRALITY OF DEATH + RESURRECTION

Definition of the Gospel by which you are SAVED:

- Christ **died for our sins** according to the Scriptures
- **Buried, raised on 3rd day** according to the Scriptures

THAT IS "JUSTIFICATION"

JESUS BECAME SIN ON MY BEHALF

JESUS TOOK PENALTY OF DEATH IN MY PLACE

I DIDN'T GET A "FREE PASS"

MY CERTIFICATE OF DEBT NAILED TO CROSS

[Colossians 2:14]

*As **ABRAHAM** was justified thru **BELIEF** – so too All Jews and All Gentiles
exactly the same way – **BELIEF** credited as righteousness*

Romans 4 *summary*

Abraham BELIEVED *that faithful action was credited as righteousness while still a pagan idol-worshipping Chaldean*

Advantage to Jews? *Yes! Entrusted with oracles of God
Beacon to the nations – Foreshadow of God's entire plans*

Promise to Abram? *Before circumcision – Before Law – Before "Israel"*

Circumcision? *It sealed AFTER what faith had secured FIRST*

Abraham-David-Nicodemus-Rich Young Ruler-James *"Is it faith or works?
Show me faith without works.
I'll show faith BY my works"*

Timeline of Faith *Next slide reviewed*

NOAH

- Flood

2484 BC

SHEM

- 100yrs old, 2 yrs after Flood, has son Arpachshad

2482

His line to Nahor, Terah, **Abram** [Gen. 11:10-32]

1989

ABRAM

- **Chaldean** pagan **Called** of Tigris-Euphrates delta age 30

1959

- Settles Haran with Terah [Gen. 11:31]

1955

- Abram 75 leaves Haran for Canaan [Terah stays]

1914

Promise from God to Abram [Gen. 12:1-3]

- Egypt during famine [Gen. 12]

1914

- **Up from Negev settles at Mamre Oaks, Hebron**

1913

- War of the Kings [Gen. 14] Melchizedek tithes/'bread-wine

1910

- **Promise of son, heir, nation** [Gen. 15:6] **"believed"**

1908

- **10 years in Canaan** [Gen. 16:3]

1903

- Ishmael by Egyptian Hagar [Gen. 16:16] Abram 86

1903

Ishmael age 13 **circumcised** with Abraham

1890

- Sodom-Gomorraah **now Abraham** age 99 [Gen. 17:10]

March 1889

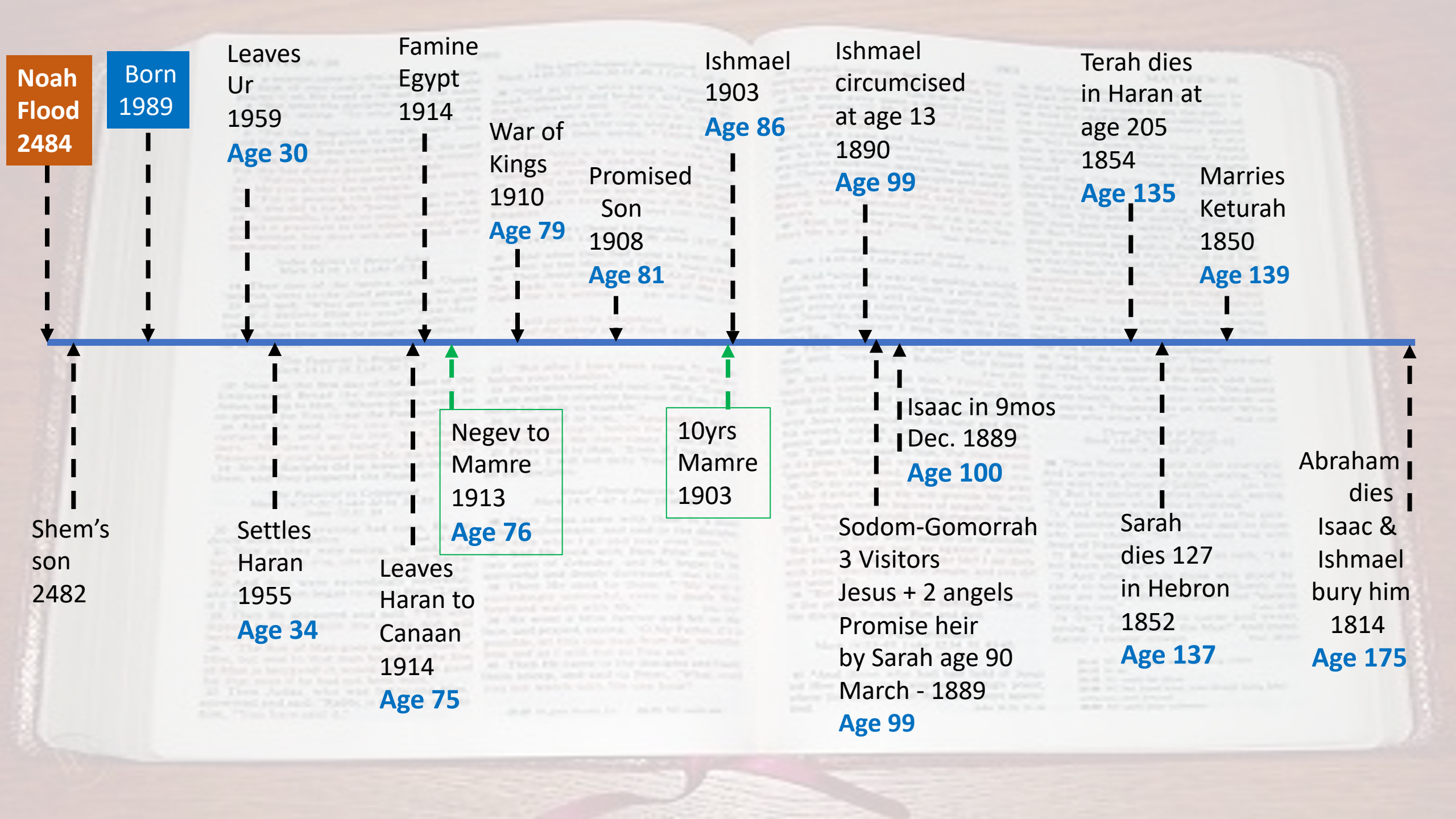
- Isaac born 9 months later **Abraham** age 100

Dec 1889

- Terah dies in Haran age 205 [age 70 had Abram]

1854

18 centuries still to go until Jehoshua born at Yom Teruah, 2 BC



WRATH

separation

Wrath concludes at Great White Throne

[Rev. 20:11-15]

- Righteous judgment of those who "miss the mark"
- MANY **Books** *records, evidences of "deeds"* [without excuse]
- **ONE Book of Life** *names of God's own* [either Y or N]

2nd Peter 3:3-8 Last days mockers "where is Promise of His coming, it's been the same for our forefathers, nothing has changed since the creation.

Not willing any perish. Patient, longsuffering, 1 day as 1,000 years

2nd Resurrection Grave, Death, Hades/Hell/Sheol . . . ***into Gehenna***

Progressives/Social Gospel reinterpret "***every knee shall bow***" ALL get 2nd chance

[***Isaiah 45:23, Romans 14:11, Philippians 2:10-11***]

[***Revelation 5:13, 15:4, 22:1-5***]

Bible doesn't teach 2nd chance. At judgment, outer darkness, weeping, gnashing teeth, aware.

"Every knee bow every tongue confess" is same as conquering king brings in vanquished foes to kneel before him and give recognition of his victory.

WRATH

separation

Within Physical Spatial-Temporal Earth:

Sheol-Hades-Hell [Grave-Death]

Abraham's Rest

[before Calvary]

[now vacated]

Abyss

Torment

[2nd Resurrection]

Tartarus

[reserved for angels]

White Throne Final Judgment. ALL to Gehenna

Mammoth Cave, Kentucky





Luray Caverns, PA

Soon Dong, Vietnam



An aerial photograph showing a dense, green forest. In the center-left, there is a large, dark, irregularly shaped opening in the canopy, which is the entrance to a cave. The surrounding forest is thick and lush. In the upper part of the image, there are some white clouds or mist hanging over the forest.

Esa'ala Cave
Papua New Guinea

HRANICE
ABYSS

Czech Republic



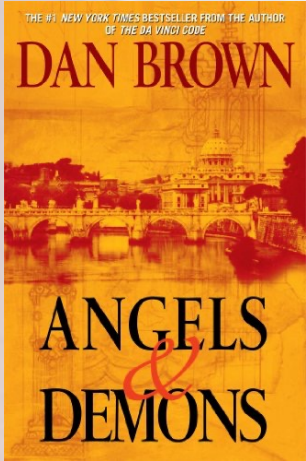
ANGELS and DEMONS

overview

ANGELS - Always appear in human form, speak, eat meals, take person by the hand

Not/never disembodied spirits **ALWAYS dispatched Messengers**

- ἄγγελος unique from Cherubim [dozens in OT] Χερούβ [only **once** in Hebrews]
Saraph/Seraphim שְׂרָפִים [only 4x in Isaiah] **NOT sent out messengers**
- Supernatural envoy **Messenger** [Psalm 8:5, Hebrews 2:7, 9]
- People have entertained angels unaware [Hebrews 13:2]
- Fellow servants like people [Rev. 19:10, 22:9] *“don’t worship me, worship God”*
- Ate food Abram’s tent Mamre Oaks [Gen. 18:6-8]] And with Lot in Sodom [Gen. 19:3]
- Can do physical warfare [Passover, Sennacherib’s Assyrians]
- Mankind created “just a little lower” than angels who can move between temporal-physical and extratemporal-spiritual realm
- **Mankind not “little lower than” Zoa, Seraphim, Cherubim** [all in heavenly realm]
These have specific functions in God’s Heaven. NOT messengers dispatched.
- Ministering spirits sent to people who inherit salvation [Hebrews 1:14]
- Curiously watching Jehovah’s plan of redemption for mankind [1st Peter 1:12]



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- ANGELS**
- **Messenger** rolled away stone at Jesus' tomb [Matt. 28:2]
 - **Messenger** to Zacharias, John the Baptist [Luke 1] "Gabriel from God's presence"
 - **Messenger** to Mary, Jesus [Luke 1] "I am Gabriel who stands in God's presence"
 - **Messenger** to shepherds in Bethlehem fields
 - **Messenger** to Bethesda pool at Temple [John 5:4]
 - **Messenger** walks Peter "by the hand" out of prison [Acts 5:19]
 - **Messenger** instructs Peter to Ethiopian [Acts 8:26]
 - **Messenger** to Roman Cornelius "send for Peter" [Acts 10:7]
 - **Messenger** struck Peter's side, chains fell off, out of prison [Acts 12:7-15]
 - **Messenger** told Paul no one drowns at shipwreck [Acts 27] "you will see Caesar"
 - Sadducees say "no angels" Pharisees say "yes angels" [Acts 23:8-9]
 - Protection for people [Psalm 91:1, 34:7, Exodus 23:20, "children" Matt. 18:10]
 - Churches have angels appointed to them [Rev. 2:1, 8, 12, 18, 3:1, 7, 14]
Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia, Laodicea

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- ANGELS**
- Satan is capable of disguising as **“angel of light”** [2nd Corinthians 11:14]
 - God **allowed** Satan to impact Job’s earthly life [Job 1:6-12] **bene-Elohiym**
 - Satan demanded access to Peter to “sift him like wheat” [Luke 22:31]
 - **Messenger** of Satan Paul’s “thorn in flesh” to TORTURE [2nd Corinth 12:7]
- Even if **angel preaches another Gospel, he’s accursed** [Galatians 1:8]
- Islam - new revelation from Gabriel - Quran supplants Bible*
- Mormons - new revelation from angel Maroni - Mormon supersedes Bible*
- Charles Taze Russell —new revelation JW - Watchtower instructs Bible*
- Mary Baker Eddy - Science & Health Key to Scriptures*
- Bill Johnson [Bethel] Mike Bickle [IHOP-KC] Jason Westerfield Patricia King Rick Joyner*
- Todd White Steve Furtick Che & Sue Ahn Todd Bentley Heidi Baker LaVerne Adams*
- John & Carol Arnott – ALL talk of regular interaction with angels, trips to heaven.*

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- DEMONS**
- Always disembodied “occupying”
 - Many inside man of Gerasenes
 - Always subject to God-Jesus-Holy Spirit
 - “Know” Paul but “who are you?”
 - “Know” how it ends for them
 - Always “unclean” “evil” spirits
 - Also “servants of Satan”
 - Idol worship/”sacrifice is demons”
 - Span all time 1st Sam. 28, Psalm 106:36-67, 1st Corinth 10:20 [OT to NT]
 - Corrupt person’s physical body and mind
 - Behind world governments
 - “World systems are Satan’s”*
 - Doctrine of demons
 - Christian defenses
 - ***Cannot possess/hurt/afflict Believers***

Matt. 9:32, 15:22 Mark 7:25, Luke 4:33
Mark 5, Luke 8 [2,000 pigs!!]
James 2:19 Matt. 8:31-32 Mark 1:23-24
Acts 19:15
Luke 8:31
Mark 1:23, 32-34 Rev 13:13-16
Matt. 12:26-27, 25:41
1st Corinth 10:19
Matt. 12:22, 17:15-18, Luke 13:16
Dan. 10:13, Eph. 6:12
Rev. 5 [title deed to Earth]
1st Tim. 4:1-4, 1st John 4:1-6 “spirits”
Eph. 6:10-20
1st Corinth. 3:16, 6:19-20

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- Pre-Flood** - “sons of God” *bene-Elohiym* before Lord [Job 1:6] **“and Satan with them”**
- *bene-Elohiym* sex with “daughters of men” = **Nephilim** [Gen. 6:1-6] **Greek TITANS**
Lord sorry/grieved he had made men
Satan’s attempt to corrupt “seed of woman” with “serpent’s seed” [Gen 3:15]
 - That was the REASON for the flood and to start again with 4 men + 4 women
- Post-Flood** - Anakim again in Canaan came from the Nephilim [Numbers 13:32-33]
- 3 Clusters-Tribes: **Rephaim** “like Anakim” [Gen. 14:5, Deut. 2]
King Og of Bashan - last one his bed 9x4 cubits 13.5x6 feet [Deut 3:11]
 - Moabites call them: **Emim** “tall as the Anakim” [Deut. 2:10-11]
 - Ammonites call them: **Zamzummim** [Deut. 2:20]
 - Canaan reconnaissance: *Ahiman, Sheshai, Taimai* **GIANTS** [Numbers 13:22]
 - No tribes after conquest, only **Gaza, Ashdod, Gath** [Joshua 11:22]
Philistine cities. Goliath hailed from **Gath** [1st Samuel 17:4]

Valley of Rephaim in O.T. adjoined **Valley of Hinnom** [ge-Hinnom, Gehenna]

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DEMONS

- Unlike angels who have bodies, **Demons do NOT have bodies.**

They are disembodied spirits who possess other physical bodies.

- Satan does not RULE from Hades/Hell – Abyss was made for Satan

- Satan limited to one place at time, MANY demons all over the world

- οἰκητήριον - 2nd Corinth 5:2 “we long to be in our new **home**” [resurrection body]
- Jude 6 “angels disrobed their original **home**” [lost their body]
 - Jude 7 “angels went after strange flesh” [Sodom-Gomorrah example]
 - Adam forfeited immortality. Jesus restores immortality - become “sons of God”
 - Nephilim on earth pre-flood [Gen. 6:4]
 - Enmity between “seed of woman” **BUT ALSO “seed of the serpent”**
 - Noah’s lineage “uncorrupted” preserved thru flood [Genesis 6:8-9]
- Hebrew תָּמִים *tāmîm* [taw-meem] is “physically unblemished”

NOTE: Enoch “harpazo” out before flood [Genesis 5:24]

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- ***Nephilim*** died in the flood, HOWEVER:

They are not angels held in chains, darkness, Tartarus

They did not go to Sheol [they are not humans]

- Demons are ***disembodied spirits of Nephilim*** who drowned in Flood

Genesis 6:1-6 Numbers 13:33

- Not included in ANY resurrection Isaiah 26:14

*“These dead will not live, their departed spirits will not rise,
therefore You will punish and destroy them, and
You will wipe out all remembrances of them.”*

- **JESUS did not die on the cross for Nephilim – AND not for angels**

Sidenote 1st Enoch and Dead Sea Scrolls: Nephilim offspring of angels and women as “evil spirits”

OPTIONS

summarized

DEMONS

- Fallen Angels?
HAVE bodies, not disembodied spirits
Yes, “cast down to earth” but that describes them in Tartarus “deepest pit, dark, reserved for final judgment”
- Spirits of dead people?
Dead in Christ: “absent from body present with Lord”
Dead in sin: Sheol-Hades-Hell awaiting 2nd resurrection
- Evil spirits created by God?
God does not create/initiate evil
God does not tempt with evil, God cannot be tempted
- Disembodied spirits of dead Nephilim?
 - Enmity of “seed” of woman and “Satan’s seed”
 - **bene-Elohiym** + daughters of men = corrupted seed
 - Satan’s attempt to counter God’s plan of Gen. 15
 - Don’t go to Sheol at death. Will not be resurrected.
Jesus did not die for these “corrupted” hybrids
Jesus did not die for fallen angels

Mankind is not “a little lower than” Zoa, Cherubim, Seraphim

*Next Monday
July 26th*

ROMANS

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*Results of Justification
Adam-Jesus Typology
Law, sin, and Grace*