





**CHRIST IN YOU**

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## PREFACE

Many preach you are to be a witness of Christ. Sounds Spiritual, but what does it mean to have Christ In You? Some might literally believe Jesus, as a being, must be in you. Others place a very mystical definition for Christ In You. With others, it is a feeling in one's heart.

Amazingly, you will see, it has to do with much more than the above human reasonings. Christ In You has to do with God's very **Inheritance** for each and everyone of you. This Inheritance has to do with God's Will or The New Covenant. As with any **Will**, two or three witnesses are required. This Will or Covenant must be certified to be enforced so its benefactors may receive their reward. Read this exciting and wonderful blessing of all of God's Riches.

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## CHAPTER 1

# THE MYSTERY OF GOD

**Very clearly, The Apostle Paul said the hope of Glory or Salvation is only through CHRIST IN YOU (Colossian 1:27). The Apostle revealed this Glory, which is CHRIST IN YOU, was a MYSTERY. This mystery is now made manifest by His SAINTS. The Saints are The Righteous Ones who become Christ's Bride (Revelation 19:7-8). Why are The Saints in The Church of God able to reveal CHRIST IN THEM?**

Paul clearly said you must have The MIND OF CHRIST, which is concern for others first and not yourselves (Philippians 2:1-5). As Christians, you need to have a mind, which is concerned about God and His Creation above ALL THINGS even your own life. That is The Mind of Christ or THE GREAT COMMANDMENT (Matthew 22:36-40). How do Christians manifest this Mind of Christ or CHRIST IN YOU?

Since Paul said the answer is A GREAT MYSTERY; what is this mystery?

## SPIRIT IN MAN

Job states there is a **SPIRIT IN MAN** and when The Lord gives this **SPIRIT IN MAN** – mankind will receive **understanding** (Job 32:8). It

makes you able **to think**. What is lacking is God must give understanding to The Spirit In Man. In the Hebrew the word for “spirit” is “ruach” and in Greek it is “pneuma” or “a blowing wind.” It is merely energy in the form of wind or blowing. This life energy makes your bodies work or function, physiologically. This is what gave life to Adam (Genesis 2:7). It is a blowing wind to start the physiological elements of a new babe. It is used as the **trigger** or **genesis of life**. It is what makes **human life begin**. That is why it states, “**man became a living being**” or “**soul**.” A **soul** is not immortal. As in Job, **The SPIRIT IN MAN** gives Life. Christ said the **soul** can be destroyed (Matthew 10:28).

There are different aspects in a man (all human beings). You have a human body, “soma,” and you have a soul “psuche.” This you have in common with animals, and Jesus said all these elements of human life can be destroyed (Matthew 10:28). **None** of these elements are eternal. That is why God told Adam he was a living being or soul. Soul merely is a “life” or “being”. When there is **life** it is the “psuche,” which is in both animals and mankind. However, humans, in the physical creation alone, have “pneuma,” or “**the spirit in man**.” It is the life energy, which comes from God and goes back to God when humans die. Your “soma” or “body” goes to **dust** at death and the **SPIRIT IN MAN** goes back to God who gave it (Ecclesiastes 12:7). The soul defines “a living thing” – when the soul dies – the living being is no longer. Once life is gone, the soul also dies or ceases. Christ plainly said only The Spirit, “pneuma,” “quicken” or “energizes” life (John 6:63).

## ONLY GOD HAS LIFE

Jesus Himself answers the questions you have regarding **life** and **death**. Nicodemus, a Pharisee who believed in Christ, said, “How can a man be born **again**?” He wanted to know if a man must enter his mother’s womb a second time? Nicodemus didn’t understand **The SPIRIT IN MAN**. Nicodemus only saw humanity as physical, just like science.

Jesus told you not to marvel that you must be born again (John 3:7). He compared the spirit (pneuma) to the wind. The wind is merely another form of energy. In fact, the English word, “wind,” in Greek is “pneuma.” As science understands, **energy** cannot be destroyed. **It just changes form**. Without a **physical entity**, it is not visible or cannot be **felt** when it is not wind, but just **spirit** or **life energy**. Since energy cannot be destroyed, **it is eternal** and can only come from God. There is no source of **perpetual energy** unless it comes from God, The Father, who is the first cause or the only source of life. He is the only one who **was, is** and always **will be** (Revelation 4:8). In John 5:26 Jesus clearly said it is The Father who has Life or perpetual energy in Himself. It is The Father, only, who therefore, can give Life. Even Jesus, Himself, said it is The Father, God, who gave Him life. Christ did not have Eternal Life until The Father gave it to Him, just as it is promised to you (Revelation 3:14). **Life can only come from life** and cannot come from **nothing**. There must be a **first cause**, who has life – who always had – and can create Life! **Only God, The Father**.

Since **life** can only come from **life** and true Christianity is having CHRIST IN YOU – how does this happen? What does The Bible mean when it states **The MYSTERY OF GOD IS CHRIST IN YOU?** (Colossians 1:27)

## THE LAODICEAN DILEMMA

One of God's seven Christian Churches has had and has today – a big problem (Revelation 3:15-22). Jesus tells them they believe they have all the Spiritual riches they need (about Christ). This Church preaches they have The Truth of God and they do not need any more truth. They are rich and have The Truth of God. They feel they have all The Truth, so it must come from them.

But, Christ tells them they are **Spiritually** naked and need eye salve on their eyes so they can really **see** The Truth. They cannot phantom what they are lacking **Spiritually**. He reminds them they must go into The Lake of Fire to be refined as gold. Since this is very serious – what was their problem?

## RICHERS IN CHRIST

Amazingly, The Bible clearly has the answer. The Bible interprets itself. Notice God's Biblical answer. The Book of Colossians clearly reveals the problem with The Laodicians. Paul said he was an able minister to fulfill God's Will (Colossians 1:25-28). He continues telling The Colossians that this **WORD OF GOD IS GOD'S MYSTERY**, which has been



hidden for ages, and only now is made known to **His Saints**. Saints are those Christians who grow Spiritually to be The Bride of Christ in The New Heaven and New Earth (Revelation 19:7-9). Notice, only The Saints, or The Righteous Ones, are qualified to be Christ's Bride. How does this happen? This mystery among The Gentiles is The **RICHES** of God's Glory (Colossians 1:27). This was The Laodicean's problem. They believe they had and still have all the riches or truth in Christ, but are blinded to The Real Truth of Christ, which is **CHRIST IN ALL OF YOU**. The Laodiceans are filled with church doctrines, but they do not understand what **CHRIST IN YOU** really means. These are The True Riches. You will find The **Laodiceans** believed Spiritual Growth or Salvation required **Human Effort**.

## CHURCH AND THE BODY

Did you know that The Church of God is not necessarily The **Bride of Christ**? The "ecclesia," in the Greek for "Church" is defined as a "**general public assembly**," or "called-out ones," who are invited to The Wedding Feast of Christ and His Bride. "**Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper**" (Revelation 19:9).

The Church are those called of God who are being invited to Christ's Wedding Feast. God said to His servants, "**Go ye therefore into the highways, and as many as ye shall find, bid to the marriage**" (Matthew 22:9). This is truly a **general assemble**. He says to call not only **the good**, but even **the bad** to the feast (Verse 10). But notice, "**many are called but few are chosen**" (Matthew 22:14). Not everyone in The

Church of God is going to be **chosen** to be The Guests, let alone The Bride. Why?

The Apostle Paul answers this question when he states Christ is The Head of His Church and is responsible to sanctify, cleanse and wash His wife by God's Word (Ephesians 5:23-28). The **Church** – the called-out ones who are to attend The Wedding Feast must become the **body of Christ** or have **CHRIST IN YOU** to become Holy as Jesus and His Father. That is the difference. You must become Christ's body. To just sit in The Church of God and doing human works doesn't get you an invitation to attend The Wedding let alone be The Bride. Paul states this is **A GREAT MYSTERY** between Christ and The Church. What is that mystery? **THE MYSTERY is CHRIST IN YOU!** (Colossians 1:27)

## LAODICEANS ARE BLIND

Why couldn't The **Laodiceans** see they were blind concerning Christ living in their very body?

The Church of Colosse was not far away from their neighboring town of Laodicea and Hieropolis. They were located in present-day central Turkey by The Lycus River. Christian preachers spoke in each town. Notice what Paul said to them: He contended he was in **great conflict** when he thought of both The **Colossian** Church and The **Laodicean** Church (Colossians 2:1-2). This was no small matter. That is why Christ condemned The Church of Laodicea so harshly in Revelation 3:14-22. Their church teaching or doctrines **totally missed The Truth of God's Word**. They were saturated in human effort or works. What did they

miss? The **Laodiceans** and **Colossians** needed to be knit together in love (agapé) and unto **all riches** of the **full assurance** of **understanding of THE MYSTERY OF GOD** and of **The Father** and of **Christ** (Colossians 2:2). They did not know what had been hidden, was **THE MYSTERY OF GOD**, which is **CHRIST IN YOU**. That was their **blindness!** They thought they were rich in **Truth** but the **Real Purpose** of God's Word, **CHRIST IN YOU**, they did not understand. They were blinded to this **MYSTERY**.

Paul pleads for The Colossians and The Laodiceans as well, to pray for him to have an open door to speak of this **MYSTERY OF CHRIST** (Colossians 4:3). What is that mystery? The **mystery** is **CHRIST IN YOU – THE HOPE OF GLORY** (Colossians 1:27).

Paul said he bore record of Ephaphras, their minister, of **the great zeal** he had for The **Colossians** and The **Laodiceans**. Both churches had the same deficiency **Spiritually**. They both thought they had The Truth and as God's Churches were already **spiritually rich** but Laodicea especially couldn't see or understand they were **Spiritually** destitute! What did they lack? They did not understand the cardinal basis of all Christian Spiritual Growth, which is **CHRIST IN YOU**. Paul told The Colossians to make sure after they read this letter, to be sure to send it to Laodicea so it could be read there also (Colossians 4:15-16). What did Paul mean when he told Laodicea and Colosse that Christ had to be in them? Evidently The Colossians, finally got the point, although those in Laodicea were still blind to this Truth.

## LAODICIAN BLINDNESS

What doctrines or teachings were blinding The Laodiceans? You will Biblically prove there were **two false teachings** in Laodicea. These two false teachings were blinding them so they could not see The Truth to obtain Salvation or The Glory of God (I Corinthian 15:38-28). One misleading **doctrine was temporary** and was **only to be a shadow** or prophecy until Christ came. The second was trying to overcome the flesh being so weak to sin – with their man-made solution of self-denial. (1) Doing works which was only **a shadow to come**. (2) Overcoming the sins of the flesh through **self-denial**. Both require human works or human effort, neither of which could change human nature nor write God's Laws in their hearts and minds. It cannot be emphasized enough that all human religious effort or works by humans never pleases God (Romans 8:8). Christ said the flesh or your human effort, as sincere as it might be, **PROFITS NOTHING!** (John 6:63). This is **will worship** – contrived only by human minds – to do works by human effort. They were doing religious human works which they thought please God. It was their way of acting **righteous**. It was their own effort to attempt to keep The Letter of The Law – and, of course, they couldn't (Hebrews 8:8).

## PAUL'S ANSWER

Paul said **ONLY IN CHRIST** can all **fullness dwell** (Colossian 1:19). Anything and everything that is required for Salvation is **in Christ**. It is the only way, at The Resurrection that you can receive God's Glory or be as God. God's Purpose is to be **ALL AND IN ALL** (I Corinthians 15:28).

Nothing else counts for a Christian even if it seems good or seems pleasing to God. God does not want human ideas of how God gives you **Salvation**. Only God can give Life by His Son, Jesus.

Only **in Christ** are **hid all the treasures** (riches) of **wisdom and knowledge** (Colossians 2:3). No other **religious system or teaching** counts or matters to God.

Paul warns those in Colosse and Laodicia to beware of **ANY MAN** or **ANY ONE** spoiling them from this **truth** with their philosophy and traditions (religious systems) after the **rudiments** of the world rather than **CHRIST IN YOU** (Colossian 2:8-10).

“Rudiments” in the Greek signify “any religious system that basically follows **works** in a **row**.” It is a **religious system of works**, following a traditional ritual or system in neat rows continually year after year.

Paul said for **in Christ** dwells all **The Godhead – bodily**. “Theotes” in the Greek defines “Godhead of all in God’s mind and thoughts,” which brings Salvation only by **CHRIST IN YOU**, which is **the mystery** of God given only to His Saints to understand.

Paul plainly clarifies the entire purpose in this Epistle (Colossians 2:10). **Any man, teaching a different philosophy** whether by **judging** (Colossians 2:16) or **beguiling** (Colossians 2:18) God’s people contrary to **CHRIST IN YOU** is false. Paul summarizes in Verse 10, “**For in him dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily.**”

“**Fullness**” in this case is “**pleroma**” or “completely full” or “perfect in Christ only.” This was the blindness of The Laodiceans and why they thought they had **all the truth they needed**. Christ’s warning: If they do not understand The Truth, they will have to go into The Lake of Fire and be refined as gold. The Laodiceans and Colossians thought they had to do human works, follow a religious system, to be Saved.

## TWO FALSE TEACHINGS

What kept The Colossians and especially The Laodicians from learning The Truth so they could receive The Gift of Salvation?

First, Paul said don’t let **any man judge you** about **meat and drink, Holy Days, new moons** or **The Sabbath days**. Why? Because they were only **shadows** or prophecy of things **to come**. Doing these traditions, which were rudimentary in the Jewish **faith** – only pointed to Christ as a prophecy. Keeping the new moons, Holy Days, Sabbaths and its related works did not, nor could produce **Salvation**. Only **CHRIST IN YOU** where all of the Godhead dwells. The only Truth Christians needed was **CHRIST IN THEM**. That is why Paul said in Colossians 2:17 that the body, The Church is of **Christ**. Keeping a rudimentary religious system doesn’t offer you Salvation.

It does not mean it was wrong to keep those days. This Epistle was written in 60 A.D. when Paul was in prison and The Temple with God’s Glory was still there. God’s Glory left The Temple between 66 and 70 A.D. when Titus destroyed The Temple. When **God’s Presence** left, one could no longer keep **the works** of The Sabbath and Holy Days. They

still were a shadow or prophecy about The Messiah and what He would do to bring you to Salvation. Once Christ gave His Life, and The Temple in 70 A.D. was destroyed, **God's Presence or Glory** was gone – no one, any longer, could keep **the works** of The Sabbath, new moons and Holy Days. From this point on, God wants Christians only to worship Him Spiritually – **CHRIST IN YOU** (John 4:21-24). That is why all Jews, Christians, Apostles, as well as circumcised Gentiles, kept these days only until God's Glory left. Once God's Presence was gone, The Law about the new moons, Sabbaths and Holy Days could never be kept.

Justus, as a circumcised Gentile kept these days only as long as The Temple stood (Colossians 4:11). In the millennium, all these days will once again be enforced for the whole world to observe so they too (in everyone's individual order), can come to Christ.

There was nothing wrong with God's days, but they never changed human nature and therefore, they are **not required for Christians to receive Salvation**. Christ already fulfilled these days for Christians. Only **CHRIST IN YOU** can give a Christian: Salvation.

## NO MAN BEGUILE YOU

So far, Paul states not to let any human religious philosophy, taught by **ANY MAN**, fool a Christian, nor **ANY MAN** judge you about God's days because they are only to prophecy about Christ. Finally, never let **ANY MAN** beguile you about **WILL WORSHIP** (Colossians 2:23). This is the second religious philosophy causing The Laodiceans to be blind.

**The Gnostic philosophy** also infiltrated The Laodicean Church. The term, “Gnostic,” merely meant “KNOWLEDGE.” Gnostics with their abundant “knowledge” had many spiritual levels of belief. One was the **worshiping of angels**. Others believing in the denial of the flesh, such as personal beatings or never speaking – taking a vow of silence or anything they figured could control the sins of the flesh. They believed the human body was evil and everything associated with it was evil. Therefore, they even denied Christ was ever **human**. He was only **God in the flesh**. Christ was not really human according to The Gnostics.

These **two false human rudimentary philosophies of the world** (human works) were plaguing Laodicean’s doctrine, and causing them to be blind and naked. They did not **see**, just as The Jews could not see – only **CHRIST IN YOU** brings you and every other human being The Gift of Salvation.

All human religious efforts to please God, whether His Holy Days, Sabbaths, new moons, which were given only as prophecies and the false Gnostic teachings blinding Christians from Salvation and True Spiritual Growth couldn’t save them.. Only **GOD’S MYSTERY – CHRIST IN YOU** – can give you **SALVATION** (Colossians 1:27).

## WHO IS THE MAN?

Paul continually warns to **avoid** listening to **A MAN**. In Colossians 2, Paul states **four times** not to follow **ANY MAN** who does not teach you all you need to receive God’s Glory or receive Salvation is **CHRIST IN YOU**. No religious human works or efforts are necessary. Who is Paul



talking about when he mentions **a man** or **any man** or when he only refers to “**MAN?**” (**MAN** in his human state is not directed by God’s Holy Spirit, which is **CHRIST IN YOU**. He is totally speaking from the natural mind of **man** – his own human imagination of what seems right to him.)

## LAODICEANS ARE DEAF

With the introduction to The Laodicean Church, John gives you Christ’s words: “**These things saith the amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of the creation of God**” (Revelation 3:14). Notice, Jesus is the **faithful witness**. Revelation 1:5 clearly compares Christ as the **true witness** of God or **CHRIST IN YOU**. Your Savior finalizes His plea to Laodicia **specifically** and states in Revelation 3:20, “**If any man hear my voice, Christ in you.**”

Jesus warns The Spiritually Growing Philadelphians in Revelation 3:11, “**Behold, I come quickly, hold that fast which you have, that no man take your crown.**” There are even more warnings against listening, or allowing **ANY MAN** to take away **CHRIST IN YOU** by beguiling you or judging or teaching a different philosophy from **CHRIST IN YOU**. Now, for a mysterious statement by God’s angel.

## NO MAN WORTHY

God, The Father, is holding a book in His right hand and a **strong** (powerful) angel said, “**Who is worthy to open the book?**” (Revelation

5:2). Even a powerful angel wasn't worthy to open the book. This book has **seven seals**, which kept the book closed.

This book is The Book of Revelation and gives the answer of Salvation with the revelation of how God's Kingdom will come. Only Jesus is worthy to enforce this testimony or will (Revelation 19:10).

Revelation 5:3-10 reveals **NO MAN** is worthy to open the book. An important disclosure! The words time and again, in The Epistle of Colossians, and Revelation, reiterates "**no man**" or "**any man**." The angel states Jesus of Judah proved **worthy** to open up the book. Why? He gave His blood, He died and He was Resurrected. Christ, truly is the first worthy witness of God with His death and Resurrection. This is a **GREAT REVELATION!**

Paul warned and Jesus warned to not allow **any man** to listen, take, beguile, judge, etc., or even take away someone's crown of Salvation. The only one worthy to offer Salvation is **CHRIST IN YOU!** So there is **a man** The Bible talks about who can and **will deceive you**. Who is this **man**? Does The Bible tell you? The Bible will reveal this **man** to you.

## PAUL ANSWERS THE QUESTION

The Corinthian Church is called a **carnal church** by Paul. He claims that in **Spiritual Knowledge**, they are only **babes**. They know **very little** about gaining Salvation. What is the reason?

Paul declares they pick and choose what preacher they believe has The Truth or right doctrinal teaching about God (I Corinthians 3:1-23). Some want to follow Apollos or Paul or others. The Corinthian Church was divided into **several denominations**, just as Christians today follow their **personal, preferred preachers**.

Paul informs them that each preacher must be tested. Just as The Ephesian Church did to see if the preacher came from the original Jewish Apostles. What was The Truth that Paul said would let Christians know they are hearing The **Truth** about **Salvation**. Surprisingly, no doctrines or creeds are considered but only **Christ** as the foundation of Salvation. **CHRIST IN YOU** was what some preachers did not understand. Any other teaching was **false**. What was Paul's resolution?

Paul states every **MAN'S teaching** will be tested or tried in The **Lake of Fire**. Every **MAN'S preaching** is either of gold (truth), silver, precious stones (good and evil), wood, hay, or stubble (I Corinthians 3:11). **Man – preachers** are teaching The Truth, while others are teaching a false message – whether they are sincere or not.

How will falsehood be destroyed? In The **Lake of Fire**, but **THE MAN** will be Saved after “**THE MAN**” Repents (I Corinthians 3:13-15). What will be destroyed is the false teaching? Quite plain.

Paul then reveals that Christians, themselves are God's Temple because God's Holy Spirit dwells there – **THE GLORY OF GOD OR CHRIST IN YOU**. The Scriptures reveal The Truth of God. What has been

discussed here only scratches the surface of false teachings in many of God's churches.

## ONLY CHRIST IN YOU

“**ANY MAN**” are “**THE PREACHERS.**” None, except Jesus, was worthy to open The Truth about God's Kingdom. Why? Only Jesus died for your sins (Revelation 5:9). **CHRIST IN YOU** comes by God's Holy Spirit. Only **God's Spirit** opens **THE SPIRIT IN MAN** to God's Truth (I John 2:20). There is The Biblical answer.

“**Any man**” that is a “**preacher,**” and not preaching this Biblical teaching were not (and are not today) worthy, and it made The Apostle John cry. He realized how many preachers misled, intentionally or not, and having deceived Christians who do want The Truth of God! Preacher – take heed.

The answer to Salvation has **nothing to do** with **human religious systems of works**. Even if those works or deeds have to do with **God's Shadows** of future prophesy like the meal offerings, Sabbaths, **new moons** or Holy Days. Any days – Easter, Halloween, Valentine's Day, etc., don't count – they are meaningless. God wants you to become Holy like He is (Ephesians 1). Human works may seem pleasing to many but it doesn't please God (Romans 8:8, John 6:63). Anything you do physically isn't how God wants you to worship Him. God, in The New Covenant, only demands you worship God **Spiritually** and in **Truth** (John 4:23-24). There it is. **CHRISTIAN SALVATION ONLY IS POSSIBLE BY CHRIST IN YOU – THE HOPE OF SALVATION OR GOD'S GLORY.**

The Biblical answer is clear. **THE MYSTERY** preaching of God's Truth for Salvation is **CHRIST IN YOU**.

The exciting last chapter of this book declares all those who do not understand this **mystery**, **CHRIST IN YOU** and its meaning have the dreaded mark of the beast 666. Read and study each scripture carefully, and thoroughly. With this and constant prayer, you will understand **CHRIST IN YOU!**



## CHAPTER 2

# SPIRIT IN MAN

**You now know Salvation and Spiritual Growth is only predicated upon CHRIST IN YOU (Colossian 1:27). This is God's Mystery, which He reveals to His Saints (Ephesians 1).**

**How can Christ be In You? Obviously it does not mean Jesus, as an INDIVIDUAL BEING is to be in each and every one of you. Jesus said He would send you a COMFORTER, which is The Spirit or "pneuma" in the Greek, which is "The Spirit of Truth" (John 15:26). Plainly, Jesus told you this Spirit testifies of Christ, Himself or Christ In You.**

It is God's Holy Spirit which Jesus gives you at baptism, which reveals **Christ In You** (Matthew 3:11). How does this happen? First, you must know what a "spirit" or "pneuma" in the Greek really is. Is God's Holy Spirit another being? If God's Holy Spirit is another being, then it means you would be possessed by another god or being. There would have to be billions and trillions of other beings, which would be available for each and every Christian or many, many holy spirits to be in each and every one. Remember, Jesus is filled with God's Holy Spirit (John 3:34). Then John, The Baptist said this Holy Spirit given to Christ without measure gives Him the very Words of God. So, God's Holy Spirit, not another

being, are God's very Words and Thoughts of God, The Father. How does this Comforter lead you to God's Truth?

Those in Christ walk not after the flesh or human works, but after The Spirit (Romans 8:1). This Spirit is the very Essence of God, The Father (John 3:34). Now, you are getting some Biblical understanding about **Christ In You**. The Holy Spirit is not another god-being, but the very **Words of God** and God's very essence.

## GOD'S SPIRIT AND SPIRIT IN MAN

God's Holy Spirit and **The Spirit In Man** are **both of God** which you have proved. Both are "**A PNEUMA**" or **Spirit**. Spirits, which is "ruach" in Hebrew or "pneuma" in the Greek are not **BEINGS**. **Spirit**, as Christ said in John 3 is "as the wind." **Spirits** are **not individual beings** but an **eternal life energy** sent from God. When humans die, this life energy goes back to God who gave it to you at birth. A **Spirit** is not a separate being, but energy or life essence from God Almighty who only has **Life** to give. God is the only source of this **life energy**, and God takes it back when He chooses. Death then follows, but **the life energy** or "pneuma" goes back to God (Ecclesiastes 12:7). Now, an important question! If **The Spirit In Man** goes back to God and is only a life-giving energy from God, it cannot be a **separate being** but a direct part of God, Himself.

In likeness, it is the same as the sperm from a man impregnating a woman's egg which starts a human life. All of the male genes are in the new babe. That is exactly what happens to a human being when God



places His Spirit in a human and they become a living being. When that living being dies that essence of **life energy** received from God then returns to God and that human no longer possesses life but has died. Now, the all-important question about God's Holy Spirit. If Spirit is not another being, but only **life energy** from God what is **God's Holy Spirit**?

## GOD'S HOLY SPIRIT

Since **Spirit** – “pneuma,” is only **life energy**, what is the difference between God's **Holy Spirit** or Holy Pneuma from **The Spirit In Man**? **Spirit is Spirit**. God's Holy Spirit is a **Holy Life Energy** of God almighty. It is all that God is, God in you. It cannot be another god being. If it were, then each and every Christian, when they receive God's Holy Spirit, would be possessed by another being. Obviously, that is not true. God does not possess people. With God, it is always a matter of free choice, not possession.

**God's Holy Spirit** is **The Life Energy** of God Almighty, Himself. It is **The Essence of God Himself**, which is undefiled, totally God's Goodness, and God's very Words (thoughts) and all The Riches of God's Glory. It is God imparting His Essence which when as little babes, you in faith, accept from Him to become Holy as He is Holy.

This Holy Spirit of God does not possess you as another being in you, but reveals Truth or reality. **“God's Word is Truth”** (John 17:17).

Once you repent of sin, you become receptive to receive God's very truth about Himself and His creation. That is why Paul said **all have sinned**

and come short of The **Glory** of God. God's Holy Spirit reveals the very **Mind of God** – the very way He **Thinks!** God firmly believes in your having free choice. This is the story of The Holy Bible. Your Faith or the way you see and understand life is the knowledge you accept as Truth.

## ADAM AND EVE

From the original Garden of Eden with Adam and Eve, God enforced no laws, no forced restrictions or requirements. Adam and Eve were totally free to do whatever they wished. God only told them about two choices they could make and He left it up to them to choose. He told them what the results would be if they chose to eat from one tree or the other. He didn't even tell them it would be a sin if they chose the wrong tree. It was totally up to them. They had absolute free choice. God merely warned them what would happen if they made the wrong choice. God does not force His way upon anyone. Humans must come to seek God and want **His Way**. It's called **Repentance**. God does influence events, at times, for you to come to reality or The Truth.

Once you seek God and His **Way**, He then gives you a Comforter to understand Truth so you can make sound-minded decisions. Paul clearly said, **“For God hath not given us the spirit [His Spirit] of fear; but of power and of love and of a sound mind”** (II Timothy 1:7). God's Holy Spirit is not **another being** but God, The Father's very **MIND!** His mind is a mind of love and power. That is what God bestows upon each and every Christian upon Repentance – then baptism and the laying on of hands. Christians now have access to God's very Mind, which is love and

His power. How plain and clear. The very Words of God are then understood and accepted by each Christian. You, then, in your minds and hearts want to live by every Word of God as Christ said (Matthew 4:4)

## GOD'S HOLY SPIRIT AND OUR SPIRIT

Now to understand the complete reality of **The Spirit In Man** and the need for God's Holy Spirit.

Paul said he finds a **law** or a controlling force within his human nature (Romans 7:21-25). When he wanted to do good – he, instead found evil in his nature. The law of survival as with all animals and humans, is most paramount. Survival of the fittest prevails within your flesh. Sexual drives, hunger, self-protection, takes precedents while in your human bodies as with any animal.

Paul, however, said after his inward man (mind and heart) he delighted in God's Law, but in his members, flesh – survival of the fittest – would come first. **“O’wretched man that I am! Who shall deliver me from the BODY of this death?”** (Romans 7:24) Paul thanked God through Jesus Christ, so with the **MIND**, he served The Law of God; but with the **flesh – The Law of Sin.**

Very clear, the answer is **your mind** and how you see and understand things. **Christ In You** by **God's Holy Spirit**, which is having a **sound mind** is the answer. How does **Christ In You** happen in one's Christian's Life?

## GOD'S HOLY SPIRIT AND YOUR SPIRIT

Paul answers the question he previously presented in Romans 7 (Romans 8:1). With your flesh, you obey The Law of Sin; but, with your mind, The Law of God can win over the flesh? Paul states those who fight against their own fleshly desires and **walk** (in Greek defined as) “not to follow their flesh, but are to achieve their goal of **Christ in them**” (Verse 1). God's **mystery** – **Christ In You**, is the solution to become perfect (Matthew 5:48).

As long as you are human and have the desire to **survive**, you will sin. That is why Jesus said if you **lose your life** – human life, you will live. If you try to **save your life**, you will **die** (Matthew 10:39). **Christ In You** must have something to do with **giving up** the human desire in your hearts and minds – the desire for **survival of the fittest**.

That is why Jesus had to be your High Priest, Melchisedec, to intercede on your behalf for all the sins you keep committing. Reread Chapter 4 ‘Why The Priesthood’ for a deeper understanding.

If you have Christ In You, then you will have no condemnation or not be held **guilty** for sinning against The Law (Romans 8:1). Since Christ removed the **curse** or **death penalty** for breaking The Law, you are dead to The Law or in other words, The Law no longer makes you guilty when you sin or break The Law (Galatians 3 and Romans 7). As long as you continue to **repent** sincerely, when you sin, you are free from The Law of sin and death (Romans 8:2). **Christ Is In You** and is your Intercessor and

High Priest. Then, you cannot sin, that is, be guilty. Christ lives in you by God's Holy Spirit, but only in your hearts and minds.

To continue following the flesh is to be **carnally minded** – still making choices in your **mind** by the pulls or weakness of your flesh. **Having Christ In You** has to do with the **mind** and not your body. **Christ In You** only deals with your **mind** or **how you think!** Your heart is then flesh (God's Love), and not of stone (II Corinthians 3;16).

Since a carnal-minded individual – who tries to be either **good** or **evil** on their **own** by human ability or works, never pleases God. Read Romans 8:5-8 about the story of Job over a few times. Even by trying to please God by living right by your own human ability, never pleases God. Your flesh or human effort never pleases God (Romans 8:8). God is The One who does the work, not you!

All **Christian growth** has only to do with your **minds** and **hearts**. Spiritual growth can never be achieved by human effort because the flesh will always be **weak**.

Paul tells you what is required for **spiritual growth** or **Christ In You**. If you are not in the flesh, following human effort or works, and have The Holy Spirit of God in you, then your **body** is **dead** (Romans 8:9-17). Every time survival of the fittest such as reproduction (sex), hunger, thirst, clothing, safety or self-survival prevails over **Christ In You** or God's Holy Spirit, you will sin. As Christians, you need to repent and be forgiven. Then, your High Priest, Melchisedec intervenes, and your minds and hearts are clean to follow God's Holy Spirit because Jesus confesses

your sins and you are **Saved** (Romans 10:9-10). You are then sinless, In Christ.

Paul said following human effort or works will bring you death (Romans 8:13). But if God's Holy Spirit leads you in your thoughts and minds, your fleshly desires can be overcome. God is a God of Choice and as Christians, God demands you begin to make right choices because His Holy Spirit reveals His Truth through **Christ In You**. God will never take possession of anyone. You are always **free** to choose to follow your flesh or The Truth God reveals in your minds by God's Holy Spirit – His unblemished Spirit. The choice is yours just as it was with Adam and Eve. You either choose God's Tree of Life, The Holy Spirit or The Tree of Good and Evil (confusion) which is Babylon.

By making the right choice in your minds and hearts, you then are led by God's Holy Spirit, and therefore, are The **Sons of God** (Romans 8:14).

The Spirit of God removes bondage or confusion in your minds and you will be able to speak clearly, honestly, truthfully to God in your prayers and call out, "Daddy, Father" (Romans 8:15). How does this happen? God promises to hear you (Luke 11:13).

God's answer through Paul, "**The Spirit [God's] beareth witness with our spirit [in man], that we are the children of God.**" That is **adoption**. You change from **fleshly human beings**, led by the flesh, to **Godly children** led by God's Holy Spirit, which makes your minds see and understand The Truth or reality. You are now growing Spiritually. You are God's family because you can understand and speak honestly and

truthful with your **new heavenly** Father – God Almighty. That is what **Christ In You means** and exactly how you come from an adoption of human birth to a **spiritual birth** because flesh is **flesh** and Spirit is **spirit**. One cannot be united with the **other**. That is why God is not interested in Christians keeping **The Letter** of The Law or any other pagan religious system. It only applies to those **who live** or follow human flesh or works by human effort. The flesh totally dies; The Law demands it (Romans 6:23). The wages of sin is death. Once you die, the body becomes dust or ashes. The Spirit or pneuma (God's Quickening Energy) goes back to God.

Once you grow **Spiritually**, your Spirit (pneuma) is combined with God's Holy Spirit, which makes your Spirit, clean or holy. The **Spirit In Man** is **neutral** and can be influenced by good or evil. Yielding to God's Holy Spirit, by choice, only then will you only **do good**. Once you receive a Spirit body, as God and Christ (I Corinthians 13), you will see them as they are because you will be just as they are (I Corinthians 13:12). That is the **mystery of Christ In You**. You truly become as God with His Mind and Heart. Now, you know God by His Holy Spirit? With **Christ In You** what must you do?

## GOOD VERSUS EVIL

What does it mean to be demon possessed? Did you know even Satan is possessed with many demons or unclean spirits? When Satan realizes he only has a short time before Christ's Return, his anger causes unclean spirits to come out of his mouth (Revelation 16:13). The English word

“unclean” in the Greek is “akathartos” which means “**impure**” but is derived from a root meaning “demonic.” Satan has a demonic spirit. Remember, spirit is spirit and flesh is flesh. A spirit “pneuma” is life energy in this case of foul or **unclean energy**. That is being demon possessed. Since it is energy, which is evil, it must have a body to function physiologically.

Jesus said, “**When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest [or another living body to occupy], and findeth none**” (Matthew 12:43). Demons cannot function outside of a vehicle or body.

That is why when Christ cast demons out of a man, they wanted to enter pigs. Jesus let them leave the possessed man and plunge into the pigs, and they ran all the way down and drowned in the lake (Matthew 8:28-32). Once these unclean spirits left the man, they could not speak since pigs only squeal. Demons must be in humans to speak.

Now, the real warning to humanity. Christ said the demons cast out of the man was now clean-minded. Christ used the example of the demons with no place to go, wanted to enter back into the man who was clean-minded. They then could take seven more evil spirits with them and entered into the man. Jesus explained the last state of the man was worse than the first (Matthew 12:44-45).

The lesson is both **good** and **evil** – function by your desired choice. If you allow your minds to become **evil** in **thoughts** or **self-centered**, evil



towards God or His creation, you subject yourselves to evil or demonic spirits or energy. Science calls these people psychotic.

Science finds a mentally psychotic mind or “pneuma” can only be controlled by drugs. They say they are mentally ill. This is true. However, medical science cannot cast out the demons. They only can block their influence upon the mind. The drugs block the message or evil spirits from the brain. A person who has a psychosis must stay on drugs. Why? Unless the evil, demonic spirit or foul unclean energy leaves a person, one can only function temporarily normally by blocking the brain with drugs, which allows the mind to function properly. Only by a demon leaving a person can one become well or normal permanently. This evil, unclean energy must be cast out of this demonic mind. Drugs do not heal a psychotic mind since **spirits** are not physical. Therefore drugs only block the brain from the effect upon the mind.

Since a human mind in its normal or healthy state can make conscious choices because it has a **conscience** it can be hindered by a foul spirit or demon. When conscience is blocked, psychotic behavior is the outcome. There is no conscience in a demonic person. They are then in darkness and cannot see clearly. That is why a **murderer** has no conscience. They have become so **obsessed** with hate or covetousness, which is idolatry; they no longer perform as normal with healthy minds. What has all this to do with becoming like Christ?

### THREE STATES OF MIND

When Adam and Eve were created by God, they were flesh or human.

They were subject to all the desires of the flesh. Once they ate the forbidden fruit they knew they would die. Before this offense, they had Eternal Life available to them if only they ate of The Tree of Life – God’s Holy Spirit. They could choose to obey or not to obey – to be **good** or **evil**. It all depended upon **survival of the fittest!** This was a normal state of humanity with a conscience for either good or evil. In this state, you see God refers to “humanity” as an “anthropos,” in the Greek language. The scientific term “anthropology” is the study of human beings in this condition. Humans in this mental condition are considered normal or mentally healthy. One has a **conscience** of good and evil. However, to have **Christ In You**, you must become perfect (Matthews 5:48). To do so, one has to have a change of nature. You must become Holy like God’s Mind (Ephesians 1). You must grow into the maturity of Christ (Ephesians 4:13). There it is. Each person, growing Spiritually in The Resurrection, receives his or her appropriate designated rewards. It all depends how much one becomes like Christ.

To be in Christ, or **Christ In You** by God’s Holy Spirit, you are to have **The Mind of Christ** (Philippians 2:5). It is, however, a matter of choice. God wants you to choose first as Adam and Eve had a choice to be good or evil. Remember, your normal human condition from birth is to be both, good and evil. This is because of your flesh and your desire to survive.

God, however, wants you by your own choice, to Repent, to be Holy like Him and His Son, Jesus – a truly healthy mind, which purges your conscience to **always be good** (Hebrews 9:14). Then **Christ is In You** until you fully mature to The Stature of Jesus (Ephesians 4:13).

The warning is the possibility you can by choice choose Satan and his mind. The choice is yours, and God wants everyone to be Saved and have **Christ In You** – The Hope of Glory (I Timothy 2:4).



## CHAPTER 3

# CHRIST'S WITNESS

Many Christians believe preaching The Gospel is making non-Christians aware God's Kingdom will come. Some even believe, they alone, have the only true message of what a Christian is and what a Christian should be preaching to others. We only know in part (I Corinthians 13). This error wastes much effort and time duplicating the effort of other Christian groups. What did Jesus, His Disciples and followers say they should be busy doing?

God's Kingdom will be on earth and it is The Good News of The Gospel. This Good News must be preached. Notice, however, what each personal Christian should be busy doing?

### A WITNESS

Just before Jesus departed to His Father's Throne in Heaven, Christ said the following, "But ye shall receive power, after The Holy Spirit is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth" (Acts 1:8).

There it is. **Christians are to be witnesses of Christ.** This is far more than sitting in church every week, praying or giving donations. One of the greatest mistakes a Christian can make is to believe Christianity is left at the church door when one leaves the church building.

Your very life and how you live it, determines you are witnessing whether you know it or not. God and Jesus are interested in that. Just what is a Christian witness and of what are you to witness? You will see that is why Jesus has given Christians God's Holy Spirit.

## WITNESSING – A LEGAL MATTER

Jesus Christ introduced a New Covenant or contract when He gave His Life. The Old Covenant made by Moses was only to be a **witness** or **shadow** of the **new**. It was a human effort contract. When The Messiah came and died, The New Covenant went into force (Hebrews 9:14-17 and Hebrews 3:1-3). As Paul said, The Old Covenant under Moses with The Letter of The Law was waxing old (Hebrews 8). This Old Covenant ended with the destruction of The Temple in 70 A.D. The **new wine**, Christ's death, and not the old wine, blood of animals any more, was now in force. Christian's are to **witness** Christ not The Old Covenant any longer. Now, with the death of The Messiah, **The New Covenant** was in force for all Christians as Christ's Witness. The **New Covenant** becomes a **legal matter** and as with any testament or will must have **two witnesses** according to The Law or Torah, which was a shadow or type of The Truth of **The New Covenant** (Hebrews 9:18-28). Who are these **Two Witnesses**?

Now, you see Christians are to testify as Christ's witness that **Jesus is The Christ** (Matthew 16:18). But, it takes **two witnesses** to ratify **A Will** so as to make it legal. Who are to be these **Two Witnesses**?

## THE TWO WITNESSES

Just before Jesus Returns to establish God's Kingdom upon earth, He has His Two Witnesses ratify His Testament or Will (Revelation 19:10) to the world. Revelation 11:1-7 defines these **Two Witnesses** as God's **two candlesticks**. What are these two candlesticks? Jesus said they are **Churches** (Revelation 1:20). What **Two Churches** are these? Revelation 7:1-10 reveals these two candlesticks are **144,000** Israelites and the innumerable multitude of **The Gentiles**. What **Two Churches** are these? They are **The Church in The Wilderness**, remnant of Israelites, and **The Churches of God – The Gentiles** (Acts 7:38 and Revelation 20:3). These **Two Churches** are to be **The Witnesses** of The New Covenant as revealed by The Book of Revelation, which is Christ's Will (Revelation 19:10 and Revelation 1:1-3). Reread Revelation Uncovered, for total Biblical proof. Notice, these Two Churches – Israel and Christians, especially during The Great Tribulation are to **witness Christ's Will** or New Testament. How are they to witness? By coming **out of the world** and being an **exact duplication** of their Savior, Jesus, The Christ (Revelation 18:4). Every Christian and Israelite is to come out of Babylon, all the religious confusion and witness the true Jesus, The Messiah, and the real One God, and Father of every human that ever existed. How are you to witness Christ?

## THE SON AND THE FATHER

Jesus defines a witness of His very clearly. Christ said, “**Verily, verily, I say unto you, He [a witness] that heareth my word, and believeth on Him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation [judgment]; but is passed FROM DEATH UNTO LIFE**” (John 5:24.) Couldn’t be any plainer. What words did Christ say you are to believe?

Jesus told His Witnesses to not exist by food alone but by every Word or Logos, which comes out of God, The Father’s mouth! (Matthew 4:4). There it is. A Witness of Christ, in faith, lives by every Word which comes out of God’s mouth. How simple, but difficult to do. This Word or Logos is manifested by His Son, Jesus, through The Holy Spirit (Hebrews 1:1-3).

You are to **come out of Babylon or worldly confusion** by living every Word of God (Revelation 18:4). God’s Word or The Holy Bible is to be your standard. How are you to know The Truth, which sets you free? (John 17:17) You must be checking and learning continually what The Bible does really say (I Corinthians 14:29). You must do what The Bareans did when Paul preached (Acts 17:11). You are by God’s Word in **faith** to believe every Word or Logos of God and become just like The Son of God, Jesus, and The Father in Heaven (Matthew 5:48). That is a true witness of Christ’s Will! By witnessing The New Testament, **Christ’s Will**, you validate by faith that The Gospel of God’s Kingdom



will come upon this earth with The Return of Jesus (Revelation 11:15). Then, these two witnesses certify, Christ's Testimony (Will) is The Truth.

## GOOD FRUIT

When **Christ dwells** in you by God's Holy Spirit, which leads you to Truth (John 17:17), you then can **bear fruit**. By good fruit it becomes apparent to others Christ is In You, with The Hope of Glory or Salvation. Why is it important to show good fruit to others? You have found by bearing good fruit in your early lives, which you manifest, you are of **God as His children** and **not** Satan's children (Matthew 13).

## THE COMMISSION

Forty days after His Resurrection, Jesus was ready to depart to God, The Apostles asked Him a very important question (Acts 1:4-8). During His forty days on earth Jesus taught The Apostles about God's coming Kingdom, and they asked Him a question. At this point, they only understood God's Kingdom as a physical kingdom on earth (as during King David's day.) They asked Him, "If He would restore The Kingdom to Israel?"

Christ answered and said only The Father knows when that will happen. Now for an extremely important statement by Christ. Jesus said, "**But ye shall receive power, after that The Holy Spirit is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judah, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth**" (Acts 1:8).

Quite a statement. Were they to preach The Gospel of The Kingdom? Yes! This, however, was a different commission. Besides preaching The Gospel of God's Kingdom, they were to bear **witness of Jesus**. That is **Christ In You**, and by now you have proof. Why and what does it mean to **witness Christ**? This was a **new commission** to Christianity to the entire world.

## WHAT IS A WITNESS?

The common teaching over the years has taken the form, in many cases, of Christians coercing others to believe in Christ and God's Kingdom. Some Christians believe this is **witnessing Christ**.

But Jesus said to **not** go from **house to house** but only where the **son of peace** is (Luke 10:7). Christ revealed you are only to witness Him where **the son of peace dwells**. You are only to witness where you are asked or accepted (Luke 10:5-6). Force or salesmanship or even advertising was and is not **Your Savior's Way**. He had dinner when He was invited and lodged where He was welcomed. The works of Your Savior was **one of a servant or keeper** not pushing or selling Himself to others (Philippians 2). He was totally **a servant** and **never acted as a lord**. Christ specifically warned His Disciples and Apostles if they wanted to be greatest in God's Kingdom, they must be the best **servants** who only wanted to serve. The Greek implies "one who waits on tables." Jesus, as The Greatest, was and is the **best of all servants**. If Christ Be In You and you are to be **His Witnesses to the world**, then you must be the best

servant – a willing servant to everyone you come in contact with (Matthew 20:25-28).

## WITNESS DEFINED

As humans, your natural impulse is to define your own partial meaning to what a witness of Christ really is. Too many times you may be in error. What does the word, “witness” in the Greek mean?

The Greek for “witness” is “marturia.” It encompasses “a plethora of values.” “Marturia” in its root conveys martyrdom. When one witnesses they “attest to a truth of someone or something” even to the death. In this case, **a witness of Christ attests to The Truth that Jesus is The Messiah who Saves you.** It emphatically conveys with this Truth you are willing to go so far as to die or be martyred in declaring **Jesus is The Christ** or **Anointed One.** Jesus is **The Promised Seed** in Genesis 3:15 as The High Priest, Melchisedec. That is why Jesus said Peter had The Keys to The Kingdom, which would show **Jesus was The Christ.** Christ said only God revealed this to Him, and therefore, He understood and had The Keys to God's Kingdom. Read completely Matthew 16:13-20. **Christian Witnesses** attest to This Truth even to the death.

## THE TRUE WITNESS

Revelation 1:5 states Jesus is **the faithful witness.** How? By being the first to give **His Life** or be martyred for The Truth of God and His Kingdom.

The Greek, referring to Christ, is “martus,” in the singular. This witness is the **first** one, or God’s Son who died for you. Now, you likewise are to be Witnesses of Him, as He was, and to die for Him in declaring “**Jesus is The Christ.**” There it is – Biblically clear. You are to be just as Christ was. **Christ, then, Is In You** and Jesus then is **ALL AND IN ALL** (Colossians 3:11).

## WHY YOU ARE WITNESSES

Why does God want you to be **Witnesses of His Son, Jesus?** Christ’s servants have the **testimony** of Jesus (Revelation 19:10). Then it continues and declares you should only worship God. Why? Because the **testimony** of Jesus is **The Spirit or mind of prophesy**. What prophesy?

By Christ being your **faithful witness** by His death, you, yourselves, are to be **kings** and **priests** (Revelation 1:5-6). You must be **Witnesses of His, so He can prepare you to be kings and priests**. Why is a Witness **necessary?** You are to Witness Christ’s **Testimony**, which is **prophecy in action by contract or covenant from God**.

The Greek for “Testament” or “Testimony” and is the same word for “**witness,**” or “**martyred.**” The witness or testifier is willing to acknowledge The Truth of this agreement or covenant with God – to the death. This is how Christians sign The New Covenant Will – as **Witnesses**.

Hebrews 9:15-18 Paul declares **a testament** or **will** only goes into force after the person dies. Until death occurs, **the will** is not in force. For this

will of God's to occur, Jesus was the first **faithful witness** when He died (Revelation 1:5). For any will or covenant to be enforced, it must contain **two witnesses**. After Jesus died, this **testament** to be **validated** requires at least **two witnesses** according to God's Law (Hebrews 10:28-29).

## OLD AND NEW COVENANT

Many Christians and Jews do not realize God has **two witnesses**. That is why The Bible was divided into two parts, Old and New Testaments. Both Jews and some Christians do not really understand why there is a division between The Old Covenant and New Covenant. The Old is based upon **Human Works** – the New, **Christ In You**.

Most believe the only reason for the split between **the two covenants** was God rejected Israel. With The New Testament Church, Israel was no longer God's Witness as The Church in The Wilderness (Acts 7:38). However, there is much more to it than a change of Witnessing – The Gospel.

## PAUL'S WORDS

Paul describes the two olive trees, **natural** and **wild** (Romans 11) which represent Israel and The Gentiles as His Witnesses in Revelation 11.

Paul admits God had for the time being rejected **Israel as His Witness**. Only a remnant is now Saved. However, during The Millennium, all Israel, the entire nation, will be Saved (Romans 11:26).

Now, for a real surprise! Romans 11:23-25 The Apostle continues and states if some Israelites believe (The Messiah), then they will be **grafted back** into the natural olive tree. Once some of The Israelites repent, God very willingly will graft them back into The Church in The Wilderness as His Witness. Amazingly, once again, you have **Two Witnesses**.

The 144,000 **Israelites** will repent and an innumerable multitude of **Gentiles** grow Spiritually (out of Babylon) (Revelation 18:4), and will be the **two witnesses** who come out of The Great Tribulation (Revelation 11 and Revelation 7).

During The Great Tribulation – time of world trouble and chaos, some Israelites and many Gentiles become **witnesses of Christ** during that time. They are now sealed by God with His Holy Spirit and they have **Christ in them** (Revelation 7:3). Both are Christ's **witnesses: The Church of God and The Church in The Wilderness**. Scripturally, it is very clear and simple to understand.

## WHAT IS A WITNESS?

In the Greek, “a **witness**” and “a **testimony**” can be synonymous. A Testament is a Will or Covenant. In this case, a **Spiritual Covenant** and **not an Old Covenant**. The Old Covenant was based upon animal sacrifice because they were still carnal and needed The Letter of The Law to know right from wrong (I Timothy 1:7-10 and I John 3:4). The Old Covenant is based only on human effort and works. **The New Covenant** is predicated upon Christ, and actually, as you have learned, **changes your very nature to be like Christ**. God will write His Law (The Ten

Commandments) in your hearts and minds. Christ becomes **all and in all** (Colossians 3:11). From this point on, whether Israelite or Gentile, you all become **one in Christ** or **Christ In You!**

## IMAGE OF CHRIST

Paul declared that God predestinated all True Christians should be conformed to the **image** of His Son (Romans 8:29). The Greek for “**image**” in this case is “eikon” or “an icon” in English. An icon is an **idol** or an exact likeness of something else. In this case, Jesus, The Christ.

Christians, when being observed by others, look just like Jesus. Their **behavior, attitude, nature**, and even **thoughts** are alike. **Christ is truly In You.** That is what an idol is. You worship God's Son by being just like Him. **YOU EMULATE CHRIST.**

## STILL CARNAL IN BODY

Your “flesh” or “soma” must still battle The Law of Sin in your flesh or body (Romans 6, 7). You still must battle sin in your body as Jesus did when He was human. You will not be sinless until you have a **Spirit Body** as well as a **Spiritual Mind** or Holy “pneuma” like God (I Corinthian 15).

Since Jesus is a **Spirit Being** and has no sin and is totally like His Father, God makes the big difference between you and Jesus today (Hebrews 1:3).

Jesus at the right hand of God has the brightness of God's Glory (all God's riches), and is the express **image** of His Father. The Greek for "**image**" in this case is different than you, as a human Christian, you are only in "**a likeness**" of Christ (idol).

Christ is the **exact** "character" or "character of His Father," in His Being, Mind, Heart and Spirit, which is now totally of God's Holy Spirit. Jesus has God, The Father in Him and God is **all and in all** in Christ just as He will be in you when you have **Spirit Bodies** as Jesus does (I Corinthians 15:28). Jesus is now God or exactly as The Father. You will be the same when you receive Spiritual bodies.

## THE EARTHLY JESUS

When Jesus was human within His body (soma) of sin, He lived by every Word of God. How did Jesus live?

Jesus was more Righteous than The Scribes and Pharisees because He kept The Ten Commandments **SPIRITUALLY** (Matthew 5, 6 and 7). He never judged anyone. He gave those in need whatever he had and only did **good works** such as healing people, healing their minds, feeding them and raising them when they died. He gave all He had. What is a **witness** of Christ? He is one who does everything His Savior did – all good works, in helping his neighbor, feeding the poor, assisting the orphans and living by every Word of God. That is a witness of Christ!



Being a witness is not running around and telling everyone about your Church or religion. The Apostle Peter clearly explains how you are to **preach God's Word**.

Peter said, **“But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asks you a reason of the hope [Gospel] that is in you with meekness and fear”** (I Peter 3:15). Can't be any clearer.

Peter relates seven points:

- (1) Sanctify God (Hagios – keep God Holy)
- (2) In your **hearts**, your very life purpose and motive.
- (3) Answer every man.
- (4) With the hope or The Gospel of God's Kingdom.
- (5) You must be asked and not pressure any one.
- (6) Be meek, cause no offense.
- (7) Have humility, a Godly fear and do as Christ would do.

There you have it. **Christ In You** doesn't mean by trickery, salesmanship or other human efforts to convince others or even entertain others, but **first** and **foremost** those being witnessed must see you live **exactly like Him** in all you can be and know (according to your level of **Spiritual Growth**). That is **Christ In You**, as you **witness** being non-judgmental, non-offensive but completely giving with God's agapé-love with a total

attitude of sacrifice on your part. That is a **Witness of Christ In You**, not so much by words but how you **live** as He lived. That is **A True Witness** of Jesus and His Testimony or Will – The New Covenant of hope and faith! Remember, Jesus as God's **faithful witness** gave His life for you.

## CHAPTER 4

# A ROYAL PRIESTHOOD

**The Apostle Peter said, “But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvelous light” (I Peter 2:9). This is amazing. Peter is telling Christians what a Witness of Christ is to do.**

**Christians, as Christ’s Witness, must show the praises of God through Jesus by being a royal priesthood. Christians, in this present life, are to be priests. Yes, part of Christianity’s future reward during the millennium is to be kings and priests (Revelation 1:6). Amazingly Christians are to be priests right now. It is a part of what Christians are to witness!**

Peter also said Christians comprise a **spiritual house of priests**. What is Peter telling you? (I Peter 2:5)

## OLD COVENANT PRIESTS

Moses told Israel they would be a chosen nation, and they would be a Kingdom of Priests (Exodus 19:5-6). Both of God’s Two **Witnesses, Church in the Wilderness** and The Church of God were to be **priests**.

To be God's Witness, one must be a **priest**. What does that mean? You must be Holy or Righteous. Israel was supposed to be Righteous by The Letter of The Law or by their human effort or works.

Israel proved they couldn't do it by the Righteousness of The Law (Deuteronomy 6:25). That was **The Old Covenant** or **Will** which ended in 70 A.D. (Hebrews 8:13). Only a remnant of Israel becomes **Spiritual** (144,000) before Christ's return.

But Christians **presently** have that responsibility **Spiritually** to be priests and therefore, Witnesses of **Christ In You**.

What is a Christian priesthood?

## PURPOSE OF THE PRIESTHOOD

Why does God have priests? Why are they necessary for Christians? Read the Chapter on 'The Priesthood,' God's Work, for a complete understanding.

Hebrews 5:1 Paul defines the reason for the priesthood. He said every man picked from humanity is chosen by God to do **service** for God. This **service** involves giving gifts and sacrifices for sins.

Do you get the point? Priests are to pay by giving gifts and sacrifices for other peoples sins. A priest is not to be judgmental, but an intermediary on behalf of a sinner or criminal. A criminal who is against God and His creation. What a difference.

Rather than showing human ideas of worshipping God, you are to be serving the needs of others even though they themselves are criminals in the sight of God.

Paul declares, as chosen priests, you must have compassion on the ignorant who don't know better, and those who have forgotten God's way (Hebrews 5:2-3). As Priests, Christians must remember Christians are also sinners or criminals. You are as weak as those you are trying to help.

Since you know everyone sins, you also must offer sacrifices for yourselves as well as others. There it is. Priests are humble, giving, humans just as Christ was. You are to do the same thing as Jesus did.

The Apostle Paul said the same in Romans 14:1. You are to accept those weak in the faith, but never to try and convince them how wrong they are. No doubtful disputation. You should be ready to give an answer, however, whenever you are asked about the hope within you (I Peter 3:15).

Then Paul goes on and states, let Christians not, therefore, judge one another. You are to concentrate on not offending other Christians who are not as strong to cause one a reason to fail (Romans 14:13). There you have it. A priesthood is established by God to intervene and help others and not yourselves. You are to give them gifts and sacrifices (Hebrews 5:1). You are only to do good works! That is **Christ In You**.

Jesus gave the ultimate sacrifice, His Own Life. Why? Christ said, "**No greater love has a man than to lay down his life for his friends**" (John

15:13). Jesus sacrificed His own life to pay for your crimes. Why? Christ's Sacrifice proved **Jesus loves you**. God is love and Jesus **witnessed** that love of The Father by being crucified for you. He and The Father are the same. God is Love, and therefore, Holy or without blemish. God does all He does only for your good.

## GOD AND SACRIFICE

David said God did not desire sacrifice and offerings. The killing of animals was not to God's liking (Psalms 40:6). He only allowed animal sacrifice to show Israel they were still carnal as an animal. A clean animal, teachable, but they still had a wrong heart and couldn't keep His Ten Commandments in their hearts (Deuteronomy 5:29).

What God wanted was not a carnal priesthood and carnal laws with animal sacrifices since all this did was to remind them they were still criminals and sinned (Romans 5:20).

God wanted a body who would prove his ultimate love for them and God. David in his prophesy said, "**Lo, I come: in the volume of the book it is written of me**" (Christ) (Psalms 40:7). The entire Scriptures, called **The Old Covenant** pointed to Christ and His Sacrifice. Why? As a Witness of God's Promise of Salvation for the world (I John 4:14). Now, you, as Christians, are to carry on that sacrifice as a **Holy Nation of Priests – Christ's Witness**.

## GOOD WORKS

During a Sabbath Day, Jesus healed a man and told the man to rise, take up his bed and walk (John 5:8). The Jews, knowing it was The Sabbath, said Jesus violated The Law of The Sabbath. Not only did He heal the man, He told him to carry a big load. Notice Christ's reaction to their statement. Jesus said, even on The Sabbath, **“My Father works, and I work”** (John 5:17). This greatly upset The Jews.

Christ replied, **“The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever he doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise”** (John 5:19). Do you understand what Christ said?

Jesus told The Jews since His Father works on The Sabbath, so will He. What did He mean? The Greek in this case for **“work”** is **“ergozomai.”** “Ergozomai” in the Greek signifies **“to toil”** or **“labor.”** In this case, the word for “human efforts” or “deeds” would be “ergon,” but this word “ergozomai” literally means **“to toil”** or **“do hard labor.”** **Why would Christ say that He and His Father do hard labor even on The Sabbath?** Jesus answers by saying He and His Father do **hard labor** on The Sabbath. Christ said He, Jesus, Himself was a greater Witness than even John, The Baptist (John 5:36). What was that Witness?

Christ declared as The Father has Life in Himself; so has He given to The Son to have Life in Himself (John 5:26). There it is. Jesus came to **Save The World** (I John 4:14). Therefore, **“For as the Father raiseth up the dead, and quickeneth [energizes] them; even so the Son quickeneth [energizes] whom he will”** (John 5:21).

The Father and The Son have the same Purpose – to Save humanity. Even if it means to do hard work on The Sabbath. Christ said it is right according to The Law to do good works even on The Sabbath. Why? That was what Christ was to **witness** when He was on this earth! (John 5:36). That is what a **Priest** does. Priests have to lift heavy oxen when they sacrifice them on The Sabbath. **Salvation is the issue not religious works**. A **Priest** intervenes on behalf of his own sins, as well as, the sins of others. They must offer a gift or sacrifice for other people's sins, as well as, their own sins (Hebrews 5:1). That is The Purpose of The Priesthood. That is their **witness**, and Jesus is the **faithful witness** of God in doing good works (Revelation 1:5). Jesus, The Christ, The Anointed High Priest gave His very **Life**.

Since **the mystery** of God is **CHRIST IN YOU** – the hope of glory or Salvation, you are also to be priests comprising a Holy Nation to God (I Peter 2:9). To be a **Witness** of Christ, you are to be a **Priest** just as Jesus. You are to be **His witness**. You also must do good works. What **good works** are required of you?

## GIFTS AND SACRIFICES

Paul states each church member has gifts given by God (I Corinthians 12 and Romans 12). You are to use these **gifts** to help and serve The Church. The Church, therefore, as Christ's Body is a **witness** of **who** and **what Christ was and is**. This **witness** reveals **CHRIST IN YOU** or you do exactly what Jesus did as Christ does exactly what The Father does. And,



it doesn't matter what day it is. Then you are **all one** with The Father through Christ.

The English word for “**gift**” in the Greek is “**charis**.” “Charis” is where the English word “charisma” comes from. It means “**a special God-given gift**.” You, as **The Body of Christ**, are to use those gifts, granted each and every member of The Church to be of benefit to others. How about the **sacrifices of the priesthood**?

Paul declares, “**I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye [Christians] present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service**” (Romans 12:1). There it is – the very definition of what a priest is (Hebrews 5:1).

The Body of Christ is a **priesthood, a holy nation**, being a **witness** of your High Priest, Jesus, The Christ, after The Order of Melchisedec.

This **priesthood**, which has Christ In Them is willing to use all the gifts God gives His Church to do good works, even to the place of being a living sacrifice just as Christ was your sacrifice. There you have The Biblical proof of a true and faithful Witness of Christ because everyone will be able to see **CHRIST IN YOU**.

## THE EIKON

You are at the place to ask the question, with **Christ In You**, you are His Witness, and therefore, what are you to look like? Christians, as Priests,

offering yourselves as a living sacrifice, must **Witness** or look like someone.

Paul, after he told The Saints, they must have Christ In Them (Colossians 3:9-10; Colossians 1:27), and declared you now have put off the **old man**, “anthropos,” in the Greek. This “human image,” which is being human with all your human nature to do either **good** or **evil** must die.

Paul reveals you have put on the **new man**, which is renewed in **knowledge** after the **image** of Him that created Him. Now, you have your answer (Colossians 3:10). Christians are to be in the **image** of Christ, Himself. That is **Christ In You**.

The Greek for the English word “**image**” is “**eikon**.” An “eikon” is an idol or a **representation** of the **idol**. As a **witness** and **priest** who offers themselves as a sacrifice for others looks just like Jesus, your High Priest, who always intercedes for you.

Just as Melchisedec (Christ) **you must be ready to sacrifice yourself for the good of others**.

When you **witness** Christ, the more you grow Spiritually, the more you represent Jesus as He was upon this earth.

Remember, you, still being human, **only look like Him in the works** you do just as He did **good works**.

You are, however, only a **representation of the works** He did, but not in The Glory He has with His Father.

## CHRIST'S IMAGE

Since Jesus as your High Priest, after The Order of Melchisedec, being Spiritual in His Body just as The Father is the **exact image** of God, The Father and not merely a representation.

Paul reveals Jesus is in the **express image** of his Father (Hebrews 1:3). In this case, the English word “image,” in the Greek is “CHARAKTER” or “an exact duplicate of God – even in character.” Christ’s image in His Glorified form is an exact similitude of The Father in every way.

You, being human, with your weakness because of your flesh, can only be an image of Jesus in **representation** of the good works He did when He was human. **You, as Christians, are not an exact duplicate of Christ.**

Your **witness** is to be like Jesus, in what He said, did and how He behaved. You are truly to have **Christ In You** by **witnessing** and even sacrificing your lives to live by every word of God just as He did. Then you are offering your gifts and sacrifices to be just like Him. You are a Royal Priesthood, giving of yourselves to God and to your neighbors. As The Body of Christ with many members, you are also to be a Holy Nation representing Jesus on earth as **His Witnesses** with **THE TRUTH OF CHRIST IN YOU!**

## MELCHISEDEC AND LEVI

Why did God change His Priesthood from Melchisedec to The Tribe of

Levi? Understanding the difference helps define why being a priest is so important in having **Christ In You**.

Amazingly, you find one reason The Levites were chosen by God to be His Priests was due to a carnal problem they had.

Paul relates that God replaced The Melchisedec Priesthood by a Priesthood which was very similar to Melchisedec. The Greek for the English “similitude” is “**homoiotes**” which merely means “**resemblance**” or “like.” Both Priesthoods were to look or appear as the same, but as you will read, they are grossly different – Spiritually.

## A CARNAL PRIESTHOOD

Paul explains This Priesthood is based upon a **carnal commandment**. The Letter of The Law was written for unrighteous, carnal people who were stubborn, stiffnecked and therefore, carnal (Hebrews 7:16, I Timothy 1:7-10, Deuteronomy 9:13).

Surprisingly even The Tribe of Levi was chosen because they were carnal. Jacob prophesied that Levi was carnal. God said Levites are cruel, fierce and full of wrath (Genesis 49:5-7). They had a hard time controlling their anger. Moses lost the right to enter The Promised Land because he became full of wrath when the Israelites complained about having water to drink (Exodus 17).

God chose Levi to be priests because of their hot temper and wrath. They needed to do more sacrificing than the rest of Israel.

Israel was given a carnal Law, for carnal people with a carnal priesthood. Why? They needed **right** and **wrong** spelled out for them. Being stiffnecked or carnal, they had a **wrong heart or nature**. **Right** and **wrong** had to be written out for them to know the difference between good and evil. Even their priesthood was fierce and needed to offer sacrifices for themselves, as well as, the people. The priesthood was changed because Israel was carnal, and God had to write out **good** and **evil** if they were to be God's Witnesses to other nations. That is why they were **The Church in The Wilderness** (Acts 7:38). It was a church of carnal testing based upon human efforts or works. They failed!

## KING OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

Melchisedec as High Priest had an entirely different purpose. The Apostle Paul reveals The Melchisedec Priesthood produces Eternal Life or Salvation.

Israel and The Letter of The Law could not offer Salvation. The Levitical Priesthood could only lead them to Christ by realizing they were sinners (Romans 5:20, Galatians 3:24). This is the reason The Priesthood was changed from Melchisedec to Levi.

Melchisedec as High Priest offers Salvation and not merely a happy, long, prosperous life in The Promised Land. Israel was to be a physical witness, which only manifested God's Righteousness by The Law (Deuteronomy 6:25).

Melchisedec was a Spiritual Priesthood based upon being Righteous through Faith. Melchisedec is made up of two Hebrew words. “Melek” which means “king,” and “tsedaq” which stands for “faith.” This Priesthood is based upon faith and not any human works of worshipping God. It is a totally based kingship of **Faith** or Absolute Faith in God and His Son, even to the death.

Hebrews 7:2 reveals Melchisedec is a Priesthood, which is King of Righteousness by Faith and is, therefore, a King of Peace.

All the riches, fullness of God, His Power, Holiness, Creativity, Success and Prosperity is contained in The Priesthood of Melchisedec.

This Priesthood actually changes human nature by purging your conscience and heart to be pure. This Priesthood is completely **faith-**based in belief that **Christ In You** changes your nature to come to the maturity of Christ (Ephesians 4:13). What a difference! All the fullness and riches of God Almighty are in Christ only. **Christ In You** is the answer.

## CHRIST'S WITNESS

To be a Witness for Christ, in The Church of God, you must become a Priest after The Order of Melchisedec just as Jesus. When you become a Spiritual Priest, like your Savior, you must even be willing to sacrifice your lives just as He did. Then you can be a **True Witness of Jesus in His likeness**, and the world will behold **Christ In You!**

## CHAPTER 5

# A SEALED BOOK

In Revelation 5, you have found Jesus is the only One worthy to open The Book with Seven Seals. No man, any human preacher has been worthy, but Christ.

This Book with The Seven Seals is The Book of Revelation. Revelation 19:10 states This Book is a testimony which is The Spirit or understanding of prophecy. Do you grasp the significance of this statement?

Without Christ opening the meaning of The Book of Revelation, one cannot understand the true meaning of any prophecy in The Bible. The Book of Revelation had to be part of The Bible if one wanted to understand The Truth of God's Word.

Paul said his **apostolic ministry** was to manifest the very Word (Logos) of God. In fact, Paul was to fulfill or complete it (Colossians 1:25). Why?

Jesus said man shall not live by bread alone but by every Word (Logos) of God (Matthew 4:4). This statement carries a **significant spiritual** meaning. Most people believe Christ said besides needing food to survive, one must also understand and know how to eat God's Word (Logos). Like they say, there is more to these words than meets the eye.

Seeing these words are not enough. One must also understand its spiritual significance.

Elihu, Job's friend, said to him, days should speak and teach wisdom. Elihu was younger than Job and his friends, so he believed older people having more experience in life, should probably be wiser.

Elihu than said, **“but there is a spirit in man.”** Chapter 2, ‘Spirit in Man’ defines this Spirit as **Life Energy** from God. **“The inspiration of The Almighty gives understanding** (Job 32:7-8). “Inspiration” in the Hebrew is “neshamah” or **“divine inspiration.”** “Understanding” in the Hebrew is “biyn” “to separate or distinguish.”

Elihu is revealing a great Spiritual Truth. The Spirit in Man – Life Energy – came from God and God is allowing you to receive **this power so you, too, can know The Spiritual Truth of God.** Spirit is spirit as Christ said in John 3, but it is God who must reveal what is **the truth** by His Holy Spirit being in you. This however must come through His son, Jesus, who is The Revelator of God's Word (Hebrews 1:2). From Paul's day to the present it is only Christ who is **worthy** to reveal God's Truth (Revelation 5). Christ In You is the answer. Now for the full meaning of Matthew 4:4 – **LIVING BY EVERY WORD OF GOD.**

## EVERY WORD OF GOD

Jesus in reality is stating a contradiction in Matthew 4:4. He declares humanity needs physical food to exist, but what is really important is to live is to saturate yourself with every Word of God through and by God's



Holy Spirit. This Holy Spirit gives understanding to the Spirit In Man as Elihu said (Job 32:8).

Does mankind get it? The Spiritual impact of Christ's statement is food only preserves **one's natural life** which **profits nothing** but living by every Word of God should be primary in a Christian's life (John 6:63). That is the real significance of Matthew 4:4. However, eating The Word of God can only be understood by Christ manifesting God's Holy Spirit In You. Eating God's Word produces Salvation.

## THE OLD AND THE NEW

God purposely divided The Bible into two parts. One is known as The Old Testament, and the other The New Testament.

Only Jesus has the **testimony**, which reveals God's Word in prophecy. Paul said the same thing in Hebrews 1:3. Understanding only Christ's Words reveal The Truth of God by Jesus giving you understanding so you can know God's Word. This is a big key in studying The Old Testament as opposed to The New Testament. If one wants to clearly understand The Bible, you have to listen to Christ's Words since Jesus is The Logos or Word of God (Deuteronomy 18:18). That is why Jesus told The Jews that they do not have **God's Words** in them because they do not know God's Word: The Scriptures or Old Testament only speaks of Christ (John 5:38-47).

The Old Testament was written to reveal The Messiah or Christ. The Law, the first five books were only a shadow of things to come which is

prophecy. Now you know it is only by The Words of Christ which teaches and gives understanding to The Old Testament.

The New Testament tells what The Old Testament reveals only as a prophecy or a shadow of things to come (Hebrews 10:1). That is why I Timothy 1:7-10 states The Law is only given for the unrighteous or unconverted. The Scriptures or Old Covenant was totally based upon **human effort** or works **of the flesh** which could never **please God** (Romans 8:8). You have found God through Christ only wants you to worship Him Spiritually (John 4). The Old Covenant could never accomplish this. That is why Spiritual Growth is vital. It gives you Salvation and will give you great rewards (Revelation 22:12).

The New Covenant was based upon **better promises** for you (Hebrews 8:6). Paul said Christ's Testament was a **better testament**; it gave Salvation not merely a successful human existence. This **better testament** also gives each person a chance to multiple his/her own personal rewards.

So plain, so clear, so logical to understand but difficult to do without Christ In You. Jesus is The Revelator! Only He is worthy to resolve The Truth by God's Holy Spirit.

The New Covenant or Testament reveals how to achieve Eternal Life. When studying The Bible you must clearly understand the difference between The Old and New Testament. Both Testaments are necessary to understand God's Purpose, to be **ALL AND IN ALL** (I Corinthians 15:28) and how God is bringing it to pass.

## A QUESTION

Some time ago a man asked why is God bothering with all this in the universe. It seemed to him very complicated and a lot of trouble. He believed there was a God and He understood God's Purpose. God firmly answers this question. Paul in Ephesians 1:9 states God's Purpose to be **all and in all** because it gives Him **great pleasure**.

Since God is **love**, He must share His riches or glory (I John 1:8). Love is outgoing or totally and completely giving. It sacrifices **all** to **give**. God's great purpose is to make you one of His children so you can share The Great Glory or complete riches in Christ, His Son. Nothing makes God happier or more joyful than sharing **all He has**. That is why God is Love or Agapé which is totally His to give. That is The Bible's answer as to why God is going to all this **trouble just to make you** Holy as He is Holy. For the only reason it give Him extreme pleasure to give His Children all the gifts and **riches** or Glory which Christ sacrificed for you.

## WHY HOLY

Besides receiving great pleasure, what is God's reason to make everyone Holy? God wants to be ALL AND IN ALL **in everyone** which is done through Christ?

The only way, **absolutely**, to **guarantee** God's Kingdom family lives **forever** in **abject** happiness and peace is to be **just** He is **just**. Anything less would destroy His Kingdom and bring nothing but misery and pain

and suffering to all concerned. God must become **all and in all** (I Corinthians 15:28). There is no other way. Take a look at today's world.

## A MATTER OF CHOICE

God has complete freedom or liberty to do whatever He chooses for you to be like Him **is a necessity**. God created a **purpose** and **plan** whereby all humanity will be able to choose and finally all will confess Jesus is The Savior or Be Saved.

That is why God created such a perfect plan to Save everyone. Since Salvation can only come through His Son (I John 4:14), finally, everyone will confess Jesus is Lord (Romans 10:9-10). Everyone ultimately will **repent** and choose God's Way (Romans 10:9-10).

## WHY A FIRSTBORN

Was it really the best way to have a Firstborn Son, Jesus to die for you and pay for your sins to be able to bring humanity to God's Way of being just like Him?

To understand the wisdom of God, one needs to ask, "Why didn't God just teach mankind Himself?" The answer is – He did.

God taught Adam and Eve personally by His messenger as God's Ambassador. Why couldn't God be there, and do the speaking? Remember, Jesus told you no man has seen or heard The Father's voice (John 5:37). The answer is simple. Paul said God is a **consuming fire**

(Hebrews 12:29). The universe and Adam and Eve would have been burned up. God, therefore, deals through His chosen agents or messengers. These messengers must have the ability to take on a human form or mankind would burn up.

The second reason God does not deal directly with humanity is in Isaiah 59:1-2. When people sin and all humans do, Isaiah states God will not even hear you let alone show Himself. Cain was cut off from God, even from His messengers because Cain killed Able. Cain became a Gentile or **one cut off from God** and left to decide **right** from **wrong** on his own. This is when God gave them over to a **reprobate mind**. This is man as created in his natural state. Man can be good or evil. That is humanity in its natural creation, capable of **good and evil** to go their own way (Romans 1:22-28). They now had free choice without knowing **good** from **evil**. “Man” was truly “an anthropos” or “animal like” as defined in the Greek. But, why a Firstborn Son?

## GOD’S WITNESS

Paul said Jesus is the author of your **Faith** (Hebrews 12:2). Why did he have to be the author? Jesus said His Father gives you the true bread (John 6:32). That is why Christ said man shall not live by bread alone but by every Word of God (Matthew 4:4).

In Christ’s final prayer, Jesus said, “**I have given them thy Word; and the world has hated them**” (John 17:14). There is your answer. Christ is the author of your **Faith**, and therefore, has lived every Word of God.

He had to become perfect to prove He was The Son of God. Paul declared Jesus was **made perfect** (Hebrews 5:7). He had to live every Scripture proving He was the Messiah. He, by His Life, witnessed by living every Word of God, that indeed He was Jesus, The Christ (John 17:12). Christ had to be the **First Faithful Witness** (Revelation 1:5). How? By living every Word of God (Matthew 4:4). Why? God's Word is Truth or reality! (John 17:17)

Jesus, as God's Firstborn Son had to Witness or prove that man could live by every Word of God if He **repented** and received God's Spirit. Then, God's Spirit leads a person to **reality** and **truth**. Why was it necessary for Jesus to prove He was The Messiah as God's Faithful Witness?

## RIGHTEOUS JUDGMENT

Clearly, Jesus said in God's Word that Christians are not to judge by **appearance** but to judge **righteous judgment**. According to God how does one judge righteous judgment?

The Law states, "**At the mouth of two witnesses, or three shall he that is worthy of death be put to death; but at the mouth of one witness he shall not be put to death.**" Very plain, without two or three witnesses, one cannot be put to death. No Lake of Fire without two or three witnesses.

Jesus said that God has life, and therefore, He **gave life** to The Son to **have life in himself**. Obviously, The Scriptures are telling you at one

time, The Son did not have **Life**. God gave life to Jesus just as Christ; therefore, will give you **life** in The Judgment (John 5:26).

Because Jesus can now give life to others, since He now has Life, God has given Him **authority to execute** judgment. Why? Because Christ is **The Son of Man** (John 5:27).

Many ponder why Jesus kept saying he is The Son of Man. Very simply, one who is born or a son of man is **human**. Being human they in the natural **unconverted** state can be either **good** and **evil**.

In every way, Jesus was a human being and therefore, subject to sin. He in every way was tempted as you are. Paul said in Hebrews 2:18, “**For in that he himself hath suffered being tempted, he is able to succour them that are tempted.**” The Greek word for “succour” is “boetheo,” defined as “to help,” “aid” or “relieve.” There it is. Jesus judged righteous judgment always to help the guilty to change or become a righteous one. Even those thrown into The Lake of Fire are thrown in to help them repent. Read God’s Work.

The reason Jesus said, “for the Father judges no man” (John 5:22). Man in this case is Anthropos or the natural born man which is good and evil, in the Greek.

Jesus was born The **Son of Man** or The **Natural Man**, totally human with carnal nature or that innate desire – survival of the fittest. Still being human and **tempted** like all **humans**, he lived by every Word of God, and by doing so became **perfect** like His Father.

This qualified Jesus as a **true witness** and **faithfully** proved He was The Messiah. That is why He became the **author** of your Salvation.

How simple, The Father, couldn't come to earth, first because He is a burning fire. Also, God is sinless, totally good, therefore has no companionship with sin. Finally, God could not judge each human righteously unless God became human and experienced human nature with all its **temptations** so then He could be a righteous judge.

The ultimate reason Jesus was The Christ or Messiah was He gave His Life for all the sins of humanity. This qualified Jesus as Melchisedec, The High Priest who loved righteousness, He gave His Life though sinless and as a **faithful true witness** qualified to be **the righteous judge** of the **world and save it** (II John 4:14).

That is why God had to have **His First Begotten Son** be a **Faithful** witness to the world, and therefore, its righteous judge. Oh the greatness and goodness of God.

## TRUE WITNESS

Christ said the reason He proved He was God's Witness was His Witness was not of Himself (John 5:31). If Jesus continually said He was the Son of God, it would only be His own words or thoughts. That is why He was reticent to acknowledge who He truly was. **True servants** of God do not witness themselves, but it is The Father who does the witnessing that indeed you are God's servant (John 5:30). Notice that is exactly what



Christ said, **“There is another that beareth witness of me; and I know that the witness which he witnesseth of me is true** (John 5:32).

Then, besides The Father as His Witness, Christ said, **“The works, which the Father hath given me to finish, the same works that I do, bear witness of me, that the Father has sent me** (John 5:37).

Then in the next verse, Jesus said with The Father as His Witness and His Works you have two witnesses (John 5:37). Therefore, according to The Law, Jesus was The Messiah and sent from God. That is why Christ continued and said, **“Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify or witness of me”** (John 5:39). Now you have three witnesses to prove Jesus was The Christ or Messiah. The **three witnesses**, which is **righteous judgment** or **The Truth!**

- (1) The Scriptures validated Christ.
- (2) God, The Father witnesses Jesus who lived every Word of God.
- (3) Finally, Christ’s Works proved He was The Messiah.

**JESUS IS TRULY THE FAITHFUL WITNESS OF GOD’S TRUTH AND THEREFORE IS WORTHY TO GIVE SALVATION AND UNSEAL THE TRUTH OF GOD IN GOD’S WORD.**



## CHAPTER 6

# WHO HAS THE MARK OF THE BEAST?

In the book, Revelation Uncovered, you have read The Mark of The Beast is a revival of The Holy Roman Empire. It calls itself Holy because it claims to be God's Kingdom on Earth. However, it is totally of human origin and not of God. Why? It is based upon competition, one outdoing the other, rather than by God's way of Inheritance. Read Chapters 4 and 5, 'Who Is The Beast' and 'Mark of The Beast,' in Revelation Uncovered to fully comprehend this phenomenon.

## MARK IS A NUMBER

Those with The Mark of The Beast have a number marked within them. (Revelation 13:18). That number is 666. The number is defined as The **Number of a Man**. Man was created in the sixth day and therefore, man's number is 6. Three sixes, 666 denotes finality or completion. Those with this number are in the final stages which mean the times of The Gentiles are about to be fulfilled or end. Christ is ready to Return.

Since six is man's number (created on the sixth day), this man is a man as he was first given Life or Adam. Man in his natural born state is a mixture of **good** and **evil**. He is free to choose his path. Each can create their own little gods (Genesis 3). This Mark of The Beast is totally carnal or as a wild **animal** – a lion, leopard and a bear (Revelation 13). This fourth beast, The Holy Roman Empire is a **composite** of all the three beasts – lion, leopard and a bear – completely carnivorous and **competitive**. Survival of the fittest dominates this end time government composed of **ten world rulers**, one competing against the other, yet **united** for their overall benefits. They are truly a **mixture** of **iron** and **clay** (Revelation 13). How can you tell who has this Mark of The Beast?

## NOT A SIGN

Many interpreters of this number, **666**, have theorized that it is an **observable sign**. Some say it is one's social security number. Others claim they are cardholders who are members of The United Nations. On it goes, but let The Bible tell you what type of **sign it is**.

In the Greek, the word "mark" connotes "**an etching**" or "**scratching**." Therefore, it is a sign that is **visibly observable**. But, what kind of a **sign can it be?**

## A WITNESS

In The Book of Revelation, Chapter 7, The Apostle wrote God **seals** His servants with a seal to **protect them** from the catastrophes which

encompasses all upon the earth. These are **the seven trumpets**. God's servants are God's witnesses (Revelation 14). The Greek word for "seal" is "sphargis." The word defines a "**genuineness**," "fencing in," or "protecting" which means "private" or "off limits to anyone." This also represents a **stamp (of approval for the converted)** just as The Mark of The Beast is a stamp for **the unconverted**...

One **seal** is **genuine** and is protected; the other **mark** denotes carnal or a mixture of good; and evil at its worst. At least, you now understand these two signs. One sign is real and not false. How do you tell these two signs apart? One has The Mark of The Beast while the other has **the seal** of God. The Beast Mark is not real, but God's **Seal** is real and very genuine.

## THE IMAGES

You now find **two signs** – God's and The Beast's.

As God pours out His Wrath upon **The Beast**, the third angel with the third vial cries out with a loud voice. "**If any man worship the beast and his image, and receives his mark [beast] in his forehead or in his hand,** <sup>10</sup>**The same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God**" (Revelation 14:9-10). So, they end up going into The Lake of Fire.

This **mark** or **sign** is an **image**. What kind of **image**? The word "**image**" in the Greek is "**eikon**." An "**eikon**" is an "**idol**." This **idol** looks like "something" or "someone else." The Greek definition is "representation," or "resemblance." This **idol** resembles **The Beast**. Who is this Beast?

Revelation 13:4 This Beast gets its power from the dragon (Revelation 13:4) The **dragon** is **Satan**, the devil (Revelation 12:9). **Since The Beast's power comes from Satan, then he carries The Real Mark of The Beast.** This **mark**, 666, is **Satan's mark**. Satan's Way or **image** in one's forehead; literally **the mind or hands, lifestyle of work**, is formed totally by **Satan**.. The Mark of The Beast is Satan's type of living and it began in The Land of Eden or paradise when Adam and Eve ate of The Tree of Good and Evil.

Eve was deceived, and therefore, buys Satan's story that she can now know **good** and **evil** as a god herself.(Genesis 3). That is Satan's image – **a way of life** whereby a person decides for themselves what is **good** and **evil**.

Remember, this image is an “**eikon**” or “**idol**.” It resembles Satan and his image. The world will be **deceived** because this human system based upon **competition** is very attractive. Why? The world will be prosperous and worship this image. Who wouldn't want a successful life? In fact, they will want to be just **like this image** because the world will be so successful and so prosperous. **Peace, peace, when there is no peace.**

## IT'S GENUINE

Contrary to Satan's **mark** God's **seal** or mark is **genuine** or **real**. It isn't as Satan's, a deception, which claims to be God's Kingdom on earth with a human system of religion which is a complete lie!

You have found in Hebrews 1:3 that Jesus is the express **image** of The Father. In this case, the Greek word is “charakter” or the English word “character.” Christ, is an exact image of The Father. Jesus has the express character of The Father. This is no **eikon** or **idol** merely resembling God, The Father. Jesus is genuine, the real image. The Greek word for “express” is the same word as “image” in the Hebrews 1:3. Paul said Jesus is the **express** character and essence of The Father. He is **the genuine article** of The Father. Both have spiritual bodies and Holy spiritual hearts and minds. They are exactly alike. If one saw the other, they are expressly alike. Jesus is not merely a resemblance.

## HUMAN IMAGE

Paul said God predestinated or fore ordained, that Christians are to be in the same image as His Son. This word, however, is different than the word “image” in Hebrews 1:3. Christ is exactly like the Father – they are both alike with Spirit Bodies and hearts and minds and character.

Christian’s in a carnal human body cannot exactly look or be like The Son of God. They are still human. The Greek for “image” in this case is “eikon,” “idol” or “a resemblance.” How? You can only be like Christ in your heart, mind and lifestyle. That is why Jesus said, “**I am the way, the truth and the life.**” (John 14:6) You must live exactly the way Jesus did. You, as Christians, must **copy** or **resemble** His Life.

Jesus lived by every Word of God and proved He was **The Faithful Witness**. He only did God’s Will and only did good works. Christians

must be just like Jesus when He was human upon this earth. He, also, was tempted by his flesh just as you are tempted. You need time to mature to the stature of Christ. The Greek word for “stature” is “helikia” or “the same age.” Jesus became The Author of Your Salvation. And, He continued to grow Spiritually just as Christians should grow, if, you have Christ In You (Ephesians 4:13).

What makes those with God’s **seal** genuine or real is when they Witness Christ just as He did, they do the same works. Although in the flesh, as a Son of Man, He was The First Begotten, Faithful Witness of God’s Word. You are to follow suit. That is the definition of “Spiritual Growth.” Christians are to be and do just what Jesus did when he was human or The Son of Man. When you are a Witness of Christ – than you know, Christ Is In You.

## THE UNREPENTANT

Those who repent and get victory over the **mark of the beast** are Saved and thankfully, do not have to go through God’s Wrath. (Revelation 15:2) These are God’s servants who have grown to come out of Babylon. (Revelation 18:4) What is the difference? They do not have **the mark of the beast** any longer and now have God’s **seal** (Revelation 7:1-3).

Those with **the mark of the beast**, actually, resemble Satan and his way in their foreheads and hands. They worship Satan’s **way** and **lifestyle** **They are totally human and carnal.** The Survival of The Fittest. They worship Satan’s complete system of **completion** or outdoing others. So,



again what is this **mark**? Simply, individuals with their **faith, belief** and their **lifestyle start looking or begin to resemble Satan, The Beast and False Prophet**. All you have to do to see this **mark** in Satan's followers is to see how they **live or believe**. It is an obvious **mark!** **They are unrepentant.** (Revelation 16:11).

## TRUE WITNESSES

Since God's servants are coming out of Babylon, they are **the genuine witness** or likeness of Christ when He was human on this earth (Revelation Uncovered goes into further details). Amazingly, they are a genuine witness or likeness of Christ. Of course, they are only in "the image" or "eikon" (idol) or resemblance of Christ. (Revelation 18:4) They are **perfect or holy** just like Jesus **in their works**. They, however, are a **true witness** or **likeness** of the same good works and seek, only, to live by every Word of God. They are Spiritually growing in Christ. They are Faithful Witnesses of Christ. Christ showed His **servants**, when He was on earth, **the way** when He was The Son of Man. His **servants** are in **His resemblance** or idol and look like Christ when He was in the flesh. His servants are genuine as Christ was genuine. Christ is **their way of living their lives** according to **The Truth**. They are His **true witnesses**. **Christians can emulate Christ because Christ is In You.**

What **mark** or **seal** of **genuineness** do they have? Just as those with **the mark of the beast** who look just like **Satan**. **Christians who have grown Spiritually and come out of Babylon resemble Christ**. That is

their sign. **THEY ARE THE REAL OR TRUE WITNESSES OF GOD.**

## CHRIST'S EARLY YEARS

Many people are probably surprised but Jesus had to grow in God's grace like any human (Luke 1:40). "Grace" in the Greek is "charis" or "gifts." As Jesus grew in stature, God was with Him continually increasing Him in gifts or riches, just as He is doing with you. That is why so little is told of His childhood. The Bible explores the Life of Jesus when He received His commission as The Messiah. Prior to that event, Jesus like any other Christian was Spiritually growing to be and do The Will of His Father. However, he had God's Holy Spirit starting from birth. That is why He displayed such wisdom when He was twelve years old (Luke 2:42, 47).

## THE COMMISSION

When Christ was thirty and He came to be baptized by John, The Baptist, John refused to baptize Him. Jesus said, "**Suffer it be so now: for thus it becomes us to fulfill all righteousness.**" Christ had to live every Word of God as His Father's Witness. Jesus was buried in water and put His human flesh (Son of Man) to death.

At this precise moment God had His Holy Spirit descend upon Jesus as a dove. Then, a voice from heaven said, "**This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well please**" (Matthew 3:16-17).

From that moment for the next three and a half years, as The Messiah, Christ began to **restore all things** beginning to defeat all of God's enemies (Matthew 18:11). His first activity was to defeat Satan in the wilderness. Christ was starting **His commission** as The Messiah.

## CHRIST IN YOU

From the day you became a Christian and received God's Holy Spirit, you likewise, like Jesus, need to continue and grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ. As long as you are human, this process must continue until you achieve the stature or maturity of Christ (Ephesians 4:13). Why do you need to continue to grow Spiritually? So you mature, and no longer tossed to and fro about every **teaching of doctrine** but **living and speaking The Truth**. God's Word, **in love**, may grow up into Him in **all things**. The head is Christ. This is Christ In You!

## GENUINE SEAL

When you resemble Jesus in all He thought, did and was, you are genuine, an **etching**, idol "eikon" of Christ In You. All your works are His Works. You give to the poor, help the sick, encourage the downtrodden and all other Godly good works. That is why Jesus said if you do it to one of His, you have done it for Him. Then you have witnessed Christ In You.

Obviously, the mark of the beast becomes evident. One who has **the mark of Satan** lives like Satan and it becomes obvious to everyone.

Those with **the mark of the beast** worship this beastly system of competition – one outdoing the other and not loving one's brother.

Those with God's Seal are as Christ doing good works – helping others. Even sacrificing one's life for others. What a difference a true witness of Christ is. Christ In You is obvious to everyone.

Those with **the mark of the beast** will stand out by their very natures and lifestyles. Be sure you, yourself, grow Spiritually, like Jesus and have God's Genuine Seal of Christ In You!

## CHAPTER 7

# GOD'S TWO WITNESSES

**Christ In You is the answer to Salvation with all its rewards. Christ In You is the answer to God's mystery. You are, literally, changed in your hearts and minds. You begin to look like Him and you begin to be like Christ. For now, you can be a true witness of Christ and God, Your Father. Have you ever wondered why you have to witness or even who has to witness.**

### A WILL

Did you ever think why you need a **Will** when someone dies? Or, when someone dies, why you call the contract – a **Will**? The word “Will” is a peculiar title for a contract or covenant. The Biblical Story is startling and yet, you will find it manifests and reveals a **being's personal mind**.

Christ said, **“He did not come to this earth to do his own will, but the will of Him who sent him”** (John 6:38). Jesus came as a human being to do God, The Father's **Will, and not his own Will**. Now, to learn **what is The Father's Will**.

Paul said, **“Who will have all men to be Saved and to come to the knowledge of The Truth?”** (I Timothy 2:4) Only God has the **Will** to

**Save Everyone.** Christ said He came to this earth to do just that (I John 4:14).

The Apostle Paul expands upon God's Will and explains exactly what God wants done and why God's wants it done. Paul declares that **God actually wills the adoption** of Christians to be His Sons (Ephesians 1:5-10). **From human to Spiritual.** Why?

As you now know, He does it for only one reason – it gives God pleasure, because God is Love. **God is motivated by giving.**

Paul said, "In Christ everything in heaven and earth, that is all of humanity, will be Saved" (Ephesians 1:10). Jesus consistently said He came to the earth to do – His Father's **Will**.

A **Will**, therefore, as a **contract** or **covenant** is nothing more than what **living beings** in their minds want to do for someone else. A **Will** is the intent and purpose of a person's wishes of what they want done with anything and everything they possess.

Paul said God appointed Christ to Inherit all that God has. He inherited, as God's **Firstborn** Son (Deuteronomy 21:17, Hebrew 1:1-3) all things. God has appointed Jesus as His **Bishop** or **overseer** to take care of **God's family**, which is to include the whole world (I John 4:14).

That is God's **Will** or Purpose. Jesus is The Overseer of all mankind (I Timothy 5:8).

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Every Will or contract has an executive director, or overseer – bishop. Now, you start to see truly **what a Will** or God's Covenant really is.

The executor, once The Will is to be enforced, is to make sure everything in that Will is executed properly. That is exactly what Jesus said He came to do (John 6:38). Christ is The Overseer or Executive Director of that **Will** which His Father gave only to Him (Hebrews 1:1-3). Originally, it was lost in The Garden of Eden and Christ will come to restore what was lost (Matthew 8:11)

Once a Will is properly executed it must be **certified** as completed according to its **every directive**. The **judge** or **court** stamps its final approval, and this is exactly what Christ does.

Paul declared once **all things** such as God's enemies, even death, is done away, and then The Son, Jesus, gives all authority back to God, the final judge, for the certification of this Will, God can finally **become all and in all**. **God's Will** or covenant will be perfectly **executed** (I Corinthians 15:28). What God has ordered of Jesus, as His Executor, is the completion of all according to God's terms. The Father's Will is **everyone should be Saved** and be **Holy** as God so God can be **all and in all!** **What a perfect, glorious and Holy Plan.**

## JESUS, THE QUALIFIER

The Apostle Paul said Jesus is the author or one who qualified by living according to God's Will. Christ fulfilled or completed every Word of God written about His qualification (Hebrews 12:2). Christ is The Anointed One (Matthew 16:16), The High Priest and Intercessor on your behalf (Hebrews 8:6, Hebrews 7:25). Jesus is The Executive Director to do God's Will as contracted in The New Covenant (Hebrews 9:16-17).

As your High Priest, after The Order of Melchisedec, Jesus intercedes for you and your sins so you can qualify **to inherit your reward**.

## FAITHFUL WITNESS

As God's Faithful Witness to God's Will now Christ needs two more witnesses to His testimony of The Will (Revelation 1:5). You have read The Law requires two or three witnesses to substantiate The Truth.

Any Will in court needs two or three witnesses to certify its conditions, benefits and benefactors are of a truth, and the full intentions and will of the bestower. No judge or court will validate A Will without the two witnesses. Who are the two witnesses in God's Will as testified by His Son, Jesus?

## A WITNESS

A true witness is one who is not merely saying The Will or Covenant is



factual but also must be honest and trustworthy themselves. Otherwise, the witnesses could be lying and are therefore **frauds**. The witnesses themselves must have impeccable credentials. Notice, some of God's examples who were faithful witnesses. Jesus, as proven, has already qualified as a **faithful witness**.

Paul lists many examples **through history** of God's faithful witnesses (Hebrews 11). He starts with Abel and states the list is so long it would take too long to cover everyone. Then, because of these personal individuals who were faithful witnesses, Paul makes an announcement concerning The Church or Christianity. (Read Hebrews 11.)

Paul summarizes and declared, **“Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us”** (Hebrews 12:1-2).

What race does The Church of God have to run? You need to qualify, as True Witnesses, living every Word of God, as Christ did. Then, you can certify, as The Second Witness, that God's Will of a **Truth** is all **true!** To do so, you must have **Christ In You**, and be just as faithful a witness as Christ was. Now, there is one more witness to go into. **Who is the third witness?**

## TWO PROPHETS

A prophet is nothing more than one who substantiates something, which as

yet, has not occurred, but in fact, is true and will happen. This is the reason for a Will. That is why Paul said all **the witnesses** listed in Hebrews 11 received **a good report** because of **their faith** (Hebrews 11:39). They looked to this prophecy of Christ, His Testimony (Revelation 19:10), which is The Spirit of Prophecy, which is destined to happen. They even were willing to die to substantiate The Truth of God's Testimony or Will (Hebrews 11:13).

When you have read Revelation Uncovered, it will be a little simpler to steer you to verses which will verify the Biblical Truth that these Two Prophets in Revelation 11 are Two Churches. They are composed of the 144,000 Israelites, and the innumerable multitude of Gentiles, who go through The Great Tribulation, even to death they declare they are The Two Witnesses who certify The Testimony of Christ, God's Will (Revelation 7).

One Witness, The Innumerable Gentiles are God's Called-Out Ones, The Church of God, and the others, the 144,000 Israelites called by God as The Church in The Wilderness. There you are – all **three witnesses** of God's Truth of God's Will and Purpose to be **all and in all** (I Corinthians 15:28).

## COVENANT IS FULFILLED

The Law can now be satisfied (Deuteronomy 17:6). The two covenants, The Old Testament and The New Testament are now validated to be true and righteous. There are **three witnesses** – Jesus, The Executive Director of The Will and the two witnesses, The Church in The Wilderness and the

Church of God. The Will is **certified** and can be put in force or enacted. How?

## KINGS AND PRIESTS

Jesus, as The Christ or The Anointed High Priest after The Order of Melchisedec is humanity's mediator to bring the world to Salvation (I John 4:14). This is God's Will (I Timothy 2:4). As The Author of Salvation, He is truly the **faithful** witness. What about the other two witnesses?

You have already proven that Israel and The Church of God are to be a Royal Nation, a peculiar people and a **priesthood**.

A priest is one who offers gifts and sacrifices for their sins and for the sins of others (Hebrews 5:1-2).

Until Israel became God's Chosen People and nation, The Priesthood was an **individual order**. God was now ready to Witness **nationally** and **internationally**. The Levitical Priesthood was ordained since Israel sinned as a human priesthood, not being faithful and righteous, but being told by The Letter of The Law what was **good** or **evil**. The Law was to be their **righteousness** (Deuteronomy 6:25). They, in their hearts and minds were still **carnal** (I Timothy 1:7-10). They could still be A Nation of Priests and Kings as God's Witness by The Righteousness of The Law. (Deuteronomy 6:25).

Kings are those who have the power of judgment and Priests are the intercessors for their sins and others. A King-Priest was a judge and mediator for their sins and the sins of others. This was what King-Priests do. That is why Christ's true witnesses are to be King-Priests in The Millennium (Revelations 1:6). However, you can also be priests today.

You are to be a living sacrifice now in your human lives (Romans 12:1). To be a testator to Christ's Will or testimony, you must presently be A Nation of Priests. As True Witnesses, with Christ In You, you also should be willing to sacrifice your lives for Jesus and God, Your Father. Then you are true witnesses of The Testimony of Jesus, The New Covenant. You are to be just as He is. You are His Representation of exactly as Jesus was when He was human.

With The Church of God and The Church in The Wilderness you with Jesus certify and validate that The Testimony of Jesus, His Will, The New Covenant is **true**. This then fulfills the very Will of God – The Testimony of Jesus Christ.

The Will is certified and to be enforced now that it has been substantiated, according to The Will by **three witnesses**.

Now, the enforcement of this testimony ushers in The Kingdom of God. The time of Christ's Return is imminent.

The mystery of God, Christ In You is accepted by the entire world as Jesus appears in the clouds, from the east, with all The Angels and His Saints who are His true witnesses and the time of the judgment of this

world is about to transpire. The seven last plagues are released upon all with the mark of the beast and Satan's false system. **God's two Witnesses must be a shining light to the world.**

## WHAT IS SICKNESS?

The scientific medical field attests **all sicknesses** are attacks by outside influences like a virus or bacteria. All ailments, physical and mental are caused by some physical hostile force to the body. This is partly true. Why is it our immune system can no longer defend itself against attack? The answer is our defense mechanism isn't strong enough. But, why is the immune mechanism not able to be healthy enough to do the job?

Medical science asserts you experience a breakdown of your hormonal balance or other physiological difficulties. The answer is usually drug therapy or some other physical answer since they assume the body functions totally on a physiological basis and nothing else.

## IS SICKNESS SIN?

The Bible adds an additional causal factor for mental or physical illness. Jesus asserts some sicknesses are caused by sin. The medics look upon this assertion as a myth. As usual, when one does not understand Biblical terminology just as scientists say only medical knowledge is reality, they are documenting their own Biblical ignorance.

Sin, by its Biblical definition is to **miss the mark**. What mark does sickness miss – whether mental or physical? Biblically to be sick because of sin carries the meaning of **less than whole**. Whether missing the mark physiologically or mentally is still a sin. One can get sick because of a lack of vitamins or minerals, which the body needs for health. Scurvy, because of a lack of vitamin C can inflict a condition of sickness. Since it will die, the body needs proper care and nutrition to last its normal life cycle. The body is in a constant state of decay and continually needs recycling to maintain health, both physical and mental.

Jesus said, “**Man shall not live by bread alone but by every Word of God**” (Matthew 4:4). Christ certifies human wellness requires proper eating habits and food for physical and mental health. In addition, He also asserts for Spiritual health, you must continue to feed yourselves by The Word of God. Humanity, therefore, besides a physiological breakdown can also have a Spiritual breakdown as well. In both cases, physical repair and growth must be maintained as well as Spiritual.

## SICK SPIRIT

You have found the life energy, which causes your human bodies to function, is of itself, either good or evil. This you call a **neutral state** of consciousness. It can be influenced by the pulls of the flesh, to survive, or have a conscience, which motivates the heart to be a moral being. This is the condition of the natural man from the time of birth. If you continue to feed yourselves Spiritually, by God’s Word, and care for yourselves

physically, then Biblically you are without sin and not **missing the mark Spiritually** or physically. Impairing your physical well-being or spiritual life leads to death physically and Spiritually.

Since your human bodies ultimately die your paramount concern should be your **continual spiritual growth or Christ In You** as critical goals for all Christians. You must continue to Spiritually grow. Your Eternal Life is at stake, but also a responsibility to be true witnesses of Christ. Why? Jesus answers the question.

Christ said, **“Let your loins be girded about, and your lights burning”** (Luke 12:35). Going further Jesus warned, no man lights a candle and hides it. Then He said, **“Take heed that the light has no dark in it.”** Concluding Jesus declared, **“If thy whole body therefore be full of life, having no part dark, the whole shall be full of light, as when the brightness of a candle doth give thee light”** (Luke 11:33-36). Why is it important to be an example or light to the world as **Christ's Witness**?

After Jesus returns, only those who keep growing in The Word of God and God's Word manifesting itself in your life then with The Return of Christ you will be accepted as The Bride of Christ (Luke 12:35-38).

## MARK AND THE SEAL

You see Christ In You is witnessing that of a truth you are a **Son of God**. You will receive your Inheritance. God has **sealed** you with a genuine reality of Christ and God In You. You will appear as a **bright light** on a

hill, and there will be no resemblance of those with **the mark of the beast**. Those with **The Mark of The Beast** will be obvious to all because their very life and hearts desire in their foreheads and hands will manifest the world of Satan.

Growing Christians will also be obvious and manifest Christ In Them by doing the works that Jesus did. It is guaranteed at the seventh trumpet, you will meet Jesus in the clouds – only then with spirit bodies can you be exactly like Him and God, Your Father.