Scripture of the Quarter

Then I saw an angel coming down from heaven, having the key to the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand. ²He laid hold of the dragon, that serpent of old, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years; ³ and he cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal on him, so that he should deceive the nations no more till the thousand years were finished. But after these things he must be released for a little while. ⁴And I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was committed to them. Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received his mark on their foreheads or on their hands. And they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

Revelation 20:1-4

A Glimpse of the 1000 Year Reign Of Jesus Christ Part 1

I am dedicating this newsletter to all of my brothers and sisters in Christ who are planning to be with Christ in the millennial reign. By direction of the Holy Spirit I am writing this to inform, educate, and correct misinformation some of you have heard or assumed. Ref. 2nd Timothy 3:16 "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness." Have you ever wondered what it will be like in the millennial reign? Questions like, who will be there, what language will we

speak, will we celebrate holidays. What day will we worship the Lord Jesus Christ? Will there be sacrifices? Will we have churches or will we worship in a temple? What calendar will we use mans calendar or God's?

All the research that has been done for this newsletter is so vast it will take at least three newsletters to answer all of the above questions.

These scriptures will give you a hint as to the way things will be in the millennial reign. **Isaiah 66:23** "And it shall come to pass That from one New Moon to another, and from one Sabbath to another, All flesh shall come to worship before Me," says the LORD." Now the second scripture is from Acts 3:20-21 "and that He may send Jesus Christ, who was preached to you before, V21 whom heaven must receive until the times of restoration of all things, which God has spoken by the mouth of the prophets since the world began." These scriptures are referring to the Millennial reign. All things will be restored. If something is restored it must be put back the way it once was. Think about it. (Selah)

Now why does Isaiah talk about from one new moon to the next? The answer is simple—God's calendar is based on the moon cycles, remember we will be on God's calendar and NOT MEN'S in the millennial reign. This makes a lunar year an average of 354 days instead of 365 solar days. So we answer the question of whose calendar will we be following, and it is God's! Another reason we will be on God's calendar is that as it is written in **Revelation 19:15**-16 "Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. V16And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS."



So our Lord Jesus will be the King of it is essential to study Hebraic teaching Kings and Lord of Lords and He will rule with a rod of iron and He will not ask which calendar we should use. There will be nothing in His millennial reign associated with paganism, including holidays that are pagan in origin. The calendar we currently use is the Gregorian calendar and the days of the week came from pagan planet god's. Example: Sunday (pagan Sun Day when they worshiped the sun god Ra). Monday (Moon Day) named in honor of the Assyrian goddess Selene, Luna, and Mani, and so forth. The next thing the scripture in Isaiah talks about is the Sabbath. So the question we must answer is when will the Sabbath be? The answer is found in the Ten Commandments of God and can also be found in the New Testament. Jesus said in Luke 6:5 And He said to them, "The Son of Man is also Lord of the Sabbath." Exodus 20:11 "For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath and hallowed it." Remember there will be no names of the days of the week so the 7th day of each week on God's calendar is currently referred to by men as Saturday. I know I just shocked some of you as you thought—oh Rev. Henry you are being legalistic because "that's only for the Jews" and although you would be sincere, you would be sincerely **WRONG!** This is why

and Jewish roots. I know some pastors who shy away from teaching Hebraic patterns and it is unfortunate, as God's patterns and cycles are used to reveal future prophetic events. You will see this as we progress in this teaching on the millennial reign. God has made clear and concise statements about the Sabbath in Exodus 20:8.

"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy."

Now the next question we must answer is who changed the worship from the Sabbath? WE ALREADY KNOW IT WAS NOT GOD! God tells us in Malachi 3:6 "For I am the Lord I DO **NOT CHANGE.**" So who is the person or persons who believed they had a better idea than God? The audacity to change what God had put in place forever. The man was Roman Emperor Constantine. In the year 321AD, he ruled that the first day of the week being (Sunday) would be called the 'venerable day of the sun' and should be a day of rest.

Many have tried to explain that the apostles changed the day. Actually they went to the temple on the Sabbath and then they also met on the first day of the week, as well as everyday of the week. Lets read it together: Acts 2:46-47(NKJV) "So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, 47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved." We are not saying you cannot or should not go to church on Sunday, if you think that - you have missed the point! Most "Christians" if they go to church, go on "Sunday" the first day of the week. By now you are beginning to see how it changed from the day God "set apart, holy and hallowed" as the seventh day - the Sabbath (on our calendar as Saturday) to the first day of the week to worship a pagan sun god ("sun day"). Sheree and I used to do our own thing, whatever WE wanted to do. We said it was OUR Day. But as our knowledge of the Word of God has increased, we repented and now have learned to keep His Sabbath as He commanded. Did you notice the word **COMMANDED**. So if in the millennial reign we WILL KEEP **THE SABBATH**. And if Jesus kept the Sabbath and ministered on the Sabbath then shouldn't we? Remember what Jesus said in Luke 6:46 "But why do you call Me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do the things which I say?" Why not do it now and be obedient to His commandment! How do we keep it Holy? We rest, pray, and study the Word of God. The only way we go out on the Sabbath is to do ministry work which Jesus did Himself, as we see in Matthew 12:10-12 And behold, there was a man who had a withered hand. And they asked Him, saying, "Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath?"—that they might accuse Him. V11Then He said to them, "What man is there among you who has one sheep, and if it falls into a pit on the Sabbath, will not lay hold of it and lift it out? V12Of how much more value then is a man than a sheep? Therefore it is lawful to do good on the Sabbath." Jesus Himself taught and healed on the Sabbath in the Synagogue.

More to follow in July's newsletter.