

Israel - Gods People

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The Covenant Renewed

After the dispersing of Israel and just before Judah was dispersed a promise is made in Jeremiah 32:37-38

"37 Behold, I will gather them out of all countries, whither I have driven them in mine anger, and in my fury, and in great wrath; and I will bring them again unto this place, and I will cause them to dwell safely: 38 And they shall be my people, and I will be their God:"

Even before they were dispersed God was promising a gathering.

This promise was to both Israel (10 tribes) and Judah (2 tribes)

To this day the 12 tribes of Israel are still divided

**Why
Disperse
at all?**

**What
Changed?**

**Promises
yet to be
fulfilled**

Why Disperse in the first place?

There was/is a bigger plan

Romans 11:11-12

11 I say then, Have they stumbled that they should fall? God forbid: but rather **through their fall salvation is come unto the Gentiles, for to provoke them to jealousy.**

12 Now if the fall of them be the riches of the world, and the diminishing of them the riches of the Gentiles; how much more their fulness?

Salvation to ALL through Jesus Christ

This salvation will drive the jealousy of Israel to be called through Jesus Christ to experience the fullness of of God.

Ephesians 3:17-19

17 That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, 18 May be able to comprehend **with all saints** what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; 19 And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God.

What Changed for Israel?

Although the 2 tribes of Judah has maintained an identity since their exile the 10 tribes of Israel were dispersed through the nations of the world and have lost their original identity.

We believe that throughout the nations these 10 tribes will be called through Jesus.

Zechariah 8:23 Thus saith the Lord of hosts; In those days it shall come to pass, that ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, even shall take hold of the skirt of him that is a Jew, saying, We will go with you: for we have heard that God is with you.

A new covenant will be made with them which will change the application of their original Faith namely:

1. Atonement through Sacrifice
2. Works through the Law

Sacrifice

Works

Sacrificial Law

In the Old Testament animal sacrifice would atone for the sins of the people

The New Testament brought the Messiah Jesus Christ's perfect sacrifice to atone for our sins once and for all removing the need for animal sacrifice.

The Old Testament was a shadow of things to come as part of God's great plan
(Hebrews 10:1-18)

Application of Works

Salvation by Grace also changed the application of works to be under the Freedom in Christ

(Gal 5:1 Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.)

A new covenant will be made with his people whereby God's instructions will be put on the hearts and in the minds of his people Israel

(Hebrews 10:16 This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, saith the Lord, I will put my laws into their hearts, and in their minds will I write them;)

Promises to come

Romans 11:25 says "blindness in part is happened to Israel, until the fulness of the Gentiles be come in."

Until the fulfilled time there will be a "remnant according to the election of grace" (Romans 11:5)

This promise has been kept throughout the ages for scattered Israel to receive.

(Jeremiah 31:31-37)

No-one knows if they are by birthright an Israelite although we believe this message will be revealed to those called to receive the promises. He who has ears let him hear. (Matthew 13:9-16)

God is seeking to renew his covenant with his people and we Hope and Pray for his will to be done in us

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