THE FEAST OF ROSH HASHANAH HEAD OF DAYS OR

FEAST OF TRUMPETS

This feast, like all the rest listed in Leviticus 23, contains revelation that will help enable the church glorious to grow to the full stature of Christ. Seeking this knowledge must become the main focus of the family of God as well as doing our part in sharing it with others so the body of Christ can unitedly come together in Truth to lead the world's people to His Kingdom. If we want to see the Kingdom of God established and the covenant promises begin to bless the church, then we must allow this end time knowledge to mature us into a body the Lord can use. It is Christ in us that will make all this happen, but He cannot use a body that is ignorant of His plans. You see, He has plans to destroy all that has been built from the knowledge of the Tree of Good and Evil. He will consider all that man's intellect has accomplished dead works, as the foundation of their thinking was laid when Eve said she wanted Satan's wisdom. It's tainted, it's evil. But, through the knowledge of Christ a new heaven, one without rebels, and a new earth or society here on earth without lawless ones in control, will emerge. God is sovereign. His Kingdom will come, and His will shall be done through His body.

God is a Spirit that came through one body, Jesus, to redeem man from his

sins and relieve him of its penalty, as well as restoring the intimate relationship they once enjoyed. But now, He needs a much bigger body, one the whole world can see so they too can make the choice to become a part of the Kingdom or not, a body that can do far greater things, because it is much bigger than the former. Through this body He will bring the new heavens and new earth into being. All creation will be restored, renewed, reinstated to its original order as it was before the fall of man. The head of Christ's body is forming. David's Tabernacle is being restored to guide and lead the flock. The government of God is being placed on the shoulders of His body. It is very close to being the full stature of Christ!

Acts 15:16-18

16 'After this I will return and will rebuild the tabernacle of David (God's priests were no longer His government), which has fallen down; I will rebuild its ruins, and I will set it up (He gave some apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers);

17 So that the rest of mankind may seek the Lord, even all the Gentiles who are called by My name, says the Lord who does all these things.'

18"Known to God from eternity are all His works (He has had a plan all along).

Is this not reason enough to investigate the truth hidden in God's feasts?

There is much manna there, hidden food for thought.

The feast of Rosh Hashanah is right around the bend. A late summer harvest of God's people will again be gathered. Trumpets are being blown to teach God's promises and covenants. They blow to warn of the deception, false doctrines and lies that the church is being fed. They are blown or sounded to give direction to His people. They are blown also to guide them through the last days of this era, through the decline of man's systems, and into the dawning of the new day. God will sit as the Great Shepherd judging His sheep, separating those that do not measure up from those that will melt into His Kingdom and love Him.

Matthew 13:38-41

- 38 The <u>field</u> is the <u>world</u>, the <u>good seeds</u> are the <u>sons of the kingdom</u>, but the <u>tares</u> are <u>the sons of the wicked one</u>.
- 39 The <u>enemy</u> who <u>sowed them</u> is the <u>devil</u>, the <u>harvest is the end of the</u> <u>age</u>, and <u>the reapers are the angels</u>.
- 40 Therefore <u>as the tares are gathered</u> and <u>burned in the fire</u>, <u>so it will be</u> at the **end of this age**.
- 41 The Son of Man will send out His angels, and they will gather out of His kingdom all things that offend, and those who practice lawlessness,

From Rosh Hashanah to the Feast of Atonement is known as the days of awe. As individuals church, we must search ourselves to make sure we can fit into the Lord's body. Remember, He is a holy God. Are we like Him, or does He see us as offensive?

II Corinthians 13:5 encourages us to

5 Examine yourselves as to whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Do you not know yourselves, that Jesus Christ is in you?—unless indeed you are disqualified.

If Jesus is in His church, then we all have a place we are called to in His body, but we must be raised up, or trained in that call to properly work and function within His plan. Many do not even realize they have a part! They go to church, simply sit in pews, pay their tithes and go home. The Trumpet is being blown through God's prophets today however. If we can find a ministry that recognizes the prophetic, God, through His prophets, will place us in our proper position through the prophetic word and expose what must be changed in our lives. Are we beginning to see why this feast, known as the Feast of Trumpets, must not only be celebrated, but experienced?

To understand the dates of the feasts we should know that there are two calendars. One for the sacred holy days, one for the keeping of civil events.

Rosh Hashanah falls in Tishrei, the first month of the civil calendar. Therefore, this feast is also referred to as the Head of Days, being thought of much like the world's New Year. It's a time to start anew, reflect on our shortcomings, ready ourselves for the next feast, the feast of Atonement, so we can truly abide in Him and He in us at the feast of Tabernacles. This year Rosh Hashanah is September 17th, Atonement, September 26th, and Tabernacles, October 1st.

As there have been many Rosh Hashanah's previously celebrated, there have been many gatherings of God's people over the years. They were harvested and then reseeded into Kingdom soil, tithed to God so to speak through physical death.

John 12:24

24 Most assuredly, I say to you, <u>unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground</u> and <u>dies</u>, <u>it remains alone</u>; but <u>if it dies</u>, it <u>produces much grain</u>.

But, there will come a Rosh Hashanah that will be followed by an eternal Jubilee. This crop will be gathered and forever set free of this world and time. No more sowing and reaping. This harvest will be the ingathering of the sacred seed of Abraham that has matured to form the full stature of the body of Christ. This crop becomes one in the Seed, Jesus, who has already died on

the cross. This Seed, along with its whole body, is therefore an eternal Seed, immortal.

Galatians 3:16

16 Now to <u>Abraham</u> and <u>his Seed</u> were the <u>promises made</u>. He does <u>not say</u>, "And <u>to seeds</u>," as of <u>many</u>, but <u>as of one</u>, "And to your <u>Seed</u>," who is **Christ**.

This is a crop that is in the field now, that died into His death at baptism and has resurrected to new life. It has grown and matured to His full measure and stature, it stands tall and in His image as an incorruptible crop, ready for harvest and to be united into one house. Yes, as individuals we are Abraham's seed through baptism into Christ, but united as His church we are one body. The body of the Seed!

Galatians 3:29

29 And <u>if you are Christ's</u>, then <u>you are Abraham's seed</u>, and <u>heirs</u> according to the <u>promise</u>.

Being born through Christ we are made eligible heirs of the Kingdom. But, as stated before, the promises will not begin, or changes come about, until the seeds of Abraham are matured, harvested and combined into a body the Lord

can use to bring it all into being.

I Corinthians 12:13

13 For by <u>one Spirit</u> <u>we were all baptized</u> into <u>one body</u> (new creatures, not Adam) - whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free - and <u>have all been made</u> to <u>drink into one Spirit</u> (resulting in the church of the newborn).

This is God's grace, but hear me church, we can trample His good will, abuse His love and grieve His Spirit, as we see in **Galatians 5:19-21**.

- 19 Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: <u>adultery fornication</u>, uncleanness, lewdness,
- 20 <u>idolatry</u>, <u>sorcery</u>, <u>hatred</u>, <u>contentions</u>, <u>jealousies</u>, <u>outbursts of wrath</u>, <u>selfish ambitions</u>, <u>dissensions</u>, <u>heresies</u>,
- 21 <u>envy</u>, <u>murders</u>, <u>drunkenness</u>, <u>revelries</u>, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that <u>those who practice such</u> <u>things</u> will <u>not inherit the kingdom of God</u>.

Hebrews 6:4-6 warns,

4 For <u>it is impossible</u> for <u>those</u> who were once <u>enlightened</u>, and <u>have tasted</u> the <u>heavenly gift</u> (salvation), and have become <u>partakers of the Holy Spirit</u> (filled with the Spirit),

5 and have tasted the good word of God (truth, knowledge of God) and the

<u>powers of the age to come</u> (operated in the gifts of the Spirit or personally experienced them through others),

6 if they fall away, to renew them again to repentance, since they crucify again for themselves the Son of God, and put Him to an open shame.

So we can see there are those that have been baptized, filled with the Spirit of God and may have even worked in the gifts of the Spirit that are simply not a part of the body of Christ contrary to what many have been taught. Proof is found in Matthew 7, 21-23.

Matthew 7:21-23

- 21 "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven.
- 22 <u>Many will say to Me</u> in that day, '<u>Lord</u>, <u>Lord</u>, have we not <u>prophesied</u> in <u>Your name</u>, <u>cast out demons</u> in <u>Your name</u>, and <u>done many wonders</u> in <u>Your name</u>?'
- 23 And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!'

In fact, Jesus tells us those that remain in the dead church of Revelation 3:5 are not even in the book of Life, let alone a part of His body! A trumpet sounding warning is blowing if we will listen. Time to grow up, mature, ripen

for the harvest quickly!

Can you see why the feasts of God are worth studying, understanding, and experiencing? There is so much truth in them to be gleaned, and precious promises to be thankful for, and yes, direction and guidance, especially necessary today as we see the world's systems coming down. The last meals served from Satan's tables are being served. Tainted wisdom, the feast from the Tree of Good and Evil, is drying up and a real feast is soon to be celebrated. This one is catered by God, with dainties from the Tree of Life, served to those gathered by God's angels.

By the way, did you know the harvest meal held by the Pilgrims in America in 1620, known as Thanksgiving today, was actually a celebration of Rosh Hashanah, or the feast of Trumpets? Our forefathers celebrated the feasts! Today, thanks to the enemy and the church it has spawned, it has lost its name, its meaning and even its date, but we know better, don't we!

In closing, remembering Rosh Hashanah is also call the Feast of Trumpets, let us read one last scripture.

I Corinthians 15:52-55

52 <u>in a moment</u>, <u>in the twinkling of an eye</u>, at the <u>last trumpet</u>. For <u>the</u>

<u>trumpet will sound</u> (the end of this age), and <u>the dead will be raised</u>
<u>incorruptible</u>, and <u>we</u> (who are alive in Christ the Seed) shall be <u>changed</u>.
53 For <u>this corruptible</u> must <u>put on incorruption</u>, and <u>this mortal</u> must put on <u>immortality</u>.

54 So when this corruptible has put on incorruption, and this mortal has put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written:

"Death is swallowed up in victory."

55 "O Death, where is your sting? O Hades, where is your victory (over the Seed and His Body)?"

Speaking of the body, it is taught by the sages that Adam was originally created about the time of this feast, hmmm ... I Corinthians 15:45 calls Jesus the last Adam

Happy Rosh Hashanah!