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***The Big Picture – Part Four***

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**Revelation 21:3** **And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, *and be* their God.**

**The Big Picture, Part IV – In Thy tabernacle –** Deuteronomy 32:1-29

**Psalm 15:1** A Psalm of David. LORD, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill?
**Psalm 15:2** He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.
**Psalm 15:3** *He that* backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour.
**Psalm 15:4** In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. *He that* sweareth to *his own* hurt, and changeth not.
**Psalm 15:5** *He that* putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these *things* shall never be moved.

**In the book of Exodus, we experienced the LORD speaking through Moses to the people from His throne when God’s throne descended and landed on Mount Sinai. (**Exodus 19**) Up on that mountain was lightning and thunder – scary stuff – because the people at the foot of Sinai would be consumed by the glory of God if they ventured up the mountain – sin cannot be in the presence of God as sin is the exact opposite of the holy God. (**Isaiah 53;Palm 22:1; Matthew 27:46; Mark 15:34)

**I think the most interesting aspect of this scenario is the prophesy to and through Moses of “That Prophet” given us in the 18th chapter of Deuteronomy. This Prophet was going to be of “thy brethren” and to be given His Words by the Father. The hearer was to be held responsible for those Words but the false prophet (teacher) has the death penalty. (**Deuteronomy 18**).**

**The people were afraid to ascend the mountain (the LORD said they were wise for this conclusion) so they told Moses that he should ascend the mountain, hear from God, and bring those Words to the people and they would do everything the LORD said they should do. (**Exodus 19**)**

**The people did return to the land after 70 years (**Habakkuk,Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi**), so why was the scattering necessary? Of course, the answer is that it is all in God’s plan, but why wasn’t the Babylonian Captivity enough to redeem Israel? We must see the Big Picture of God’s plan. You see that God’s plan encompasses more than we can imagine, even though it is going to be bigger and much more full of God’s glory in the Kingdom – God’s eye is and has always been on the world and eternity! Let’s take a look at the big picture:**

**I.** **The Rock that begat thee – (Song of Moses) (Speaks of the Inheritance of the Nations!)**

**The Words of my mouth**

**Deuteronomy 32:1** Give ear, O ye heavens, and I will speak; and hear, O earth, the words of my mouth.
**Deuteronomy 32:2** My doctrine shall drop as the rain, my speech shall distil as the dew, as the small rain upon the tender herb, and as the showers upon the grass:
**Deuteronomy 32:3** Because I will publish the name of the LORD: ascribe ye greatness unto our God.
**Deuteronomy 32:4** *He is* the Rock, his work *is* perfect: for all his ways *are* judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right *is* he.

**The foolish corrupted themselves**
**Deuteronomy 32:5** They have corrupted themselves, their spot *is* not *the spot* of his children: *they are* a perverse and crooked generation.
**Deuteronomy 32:6** Do ye thus requite the LORD, O foolish people and unwise? *is* not he thy father *that* hath bought thee? hath he not made thee, and established thee?

**Remember the days of old**
**Deuteronomy 32:7** Remember the days of old, consider the years of many generations: ask thy father, and he will shew thee; thy elders, and they will tell thee.
**Deuteronomy 32:8** When the most High divided to the nations their inheritance, when he separated the sons of Adam, he set the bounds of the people according to the number of the children of Israel.

**The Lord’s Inheritance is His people**
**Deuteronomy 32:9** For the LORD'S portion *is* his people; Jacob *is* the lot of his inheritance.

**In a desert land he was found**

**Deuteronomy 32:10** He found him in a desert land, and in the waste howling wilderness; he led him about, he instructed him, he kept him as the apple of his eye.
**Deuteronomy 32:11** As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, beareth them on her wings:
**Deuteronomy 32:12** *So* the LORD alone did lead him, and *there was* no strange god with him.
**Deuteronomy 32:13** He made him ride on the high places of the earth, that he might eat the increase of the fields; and he made him to suck honey out of the rock, and oil out of the flinty rock;
**Deuteronomy 32:14** Butter of kine, and milk of sheep, with fat of lambs, and rams of the breed of Bashan, and goats, with the fat of kidneys of wheat; and thou didst drink the pure blood of the grape.

**But Jeshurun waxed fat**
**Deuteronomy 32:15** But Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked: thou art waxen fat, thou art grown thick, thou art covered *with fatness*; then he forsook God *which* made him, and lightly esteemed the Rock of his salvation.
**Deuteronomy 32:16** They provoked him to jealousy with strange *gods*, with abominations provoked they him to anger.
**Deuteronomy 32:17** They sacrificed unto devils, not to God; to gods whom they knew not, to new *gods that* came newly up, whom your fathers feared not.

**Unmindful of the Rock that begat thee**
**Deuteronomy 32:18** Of the Rock *that* begat thee thou art unmindful, and hast forgotten God that formed thee.

**The LORD Abhorred them**
**Deuteronomy 32:19** And when the LORD saw *it*, he abhorred *them*, because of the provoking of his sons, and of his daughters.
**Deuteronomy 32:20** And he said, I will hide my face from them, I will see what their end *shall be*: for they *are* a very froward generation, children in whom *is* no faith.

**They have moved me to Jealousy**
**Deuteronomy 32:21** They have moved me to jealousy with *that which is* not God; they have provoked me to anger with their vanities: and I will move them to jealousy with *those which are* not a people; I will provoke them to anger with a foolish nation.
**Deuteronomy 32:22** For a fire is kindled in mine anger, and shall burn unto the lowest hell, and shall consume the earth with her increase, and set on fire the foundations of the mountains.
**Deuteronomy 32:23** I will heap mischiefs upon them; I will spend mine arrows upon them.
**Deuteronomy 32:24** *They shall be* burnt with hunger, and devoured with burning heat, and with bitter destruction: I will also send the teeth of beasts upon them, with the poison of serpents of the dust.
**Deuteronomy 32:25** The sword without, and terror within, shall destroy both the young man and the virgin, the suckling *also* with the man of gray hairs.

**I would scatter them**
**Deuteronomy 32:26** I said, I would scatter them into corners, I would make the remembrance of them to cease from among men:
**Deuteronomy 32:27** Were it not that I feared the wrath of the enemy, lest their adversaries should behave themselves strangely, *and* lest they should say, Our hand *is* high, and the LORD hath not done all this.
**Deuteronomy 32:28** For they *are* a nation void of counsel, neither *is there any* understanding in them.

**Oh that they would consider their latter end**
**Deuteronomy 32:29** O that they were wise, *that* they understood this, *that* they would consider their latter end!

**II.** **“That Prophet” and the Mosaic Covenant - Review**

**A. That Prophet and False Prophets – (Before entering the land mandated not to do as they do)**

**Deuteronomy 18:18** I will raise them up a Prophet from among their brethren, like unto thee, and will put my words in his mouth; and he shall speak unto them all that I shall command him.
**Deuteronomy 18:19** And it shall come to pass, *that* whosoever will not hearken unto my words which he shall speak in my name, I will require *it* of him.
**Deuteronomy 18:20** But the prophet, which shall presume to speak a word in my name, which I have not commanded him to speak, or that shall speak in the name of other gods, even that prophet shall die.
**Deuteronomy 18:21** And if thou say in thine heart, How shall we know the word which the LORD hath not spoken?
**Deuteronomy 18:22** When a prophet speaketh in the name of the LORD, if the thing follow not, nor come to pass, that *is* the thing which the LORD hath not spoken, *but* the prophet hath spoken it presumptuously: thou shalt not be afraid of him.

**B. If You Break My Covenant – Terror, Consumption, Burning Ague, and Sorrow**

**Leviticus 26:14** But if ye will not hearken unto me, and will not do all these commandments;
**Leviticus 26:15** And if ye shall despise my statutes, or if your soul abhor my judgments, so that ye will not do all my commandments, *but* that ye break my covenant:
**Leviticus 26:16** I also will do this unto you; I will even appoint over you terror, consumption, and the burning ague, that shall consume the eyes, and cause sorrow of heart: and ye shall sow your seed in vain, for your enemies shall eat it.

**C. Mosaic Covenant and prophecy includes two Deportations from the Land**

**1.)** **Deuteronomy 28:1** And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe *and* to do all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the LORD thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth:
**Deuteronomy 28:2** And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God.

**2.)** **Deuteronomy 28:15** But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day; that all these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee:

**3.) Babylonian Captivity – (The Return from Babylon is today’s study)**

**Deuteronomy 28:49** The LORD shall bring a nation against thee from far, from the end of the earth, *as swift* as the eagle flieth; a nation whose tongue thou shalt not understand;
**Deuteronomy 28:50** A nation of fierce countenance, which shall not regard the person of the old, nor shew favour to the young:
**Deuteronomy 28:51** And he shall eat the fruit of thy cattle, and the fruit of thy land, until thou be destroyed: which *also* shall not leave thee *either* corn, wine, or oil, *or* the increase of thy kine, or flocks of thy sheep, until he have destroyed thee.
**Deuteronomy 28:52** And he shall besiege thee in all thy gates, until thy high and fenced walls come down, wherein thou trustedst, throughout all thy land: and he shall besiege thee in all thy gates throughout all thy land, which the LORD thy God hath given thee.
**Deuteronomy 28:53** And thou shalt eat the fruit of thine own body, the flesh of thy sons and of thy daughters, which the LORD thy God hath given thee, in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee:
**Deuteronomy 28:54** *So that* the man *that is* tender among you, and very delicate, his eye shall be evil toward his brother, and toward the wife of his bosom, and toward the remnant of his children which he shall leave:
**Deuteronomy 28:55** So that he will not give to any of them of the flesh of his children whom he shall eat: because he hath nothing left him in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee in all thy gates.

**Deuteronomy 28:56** The tender and delicate woman among you, which would not adventure to set the sole of her foot upon the ground for delicateness and tenderness, her eye shall be evil toward the husband of her bosom, and toward her son, and toward her daughter,
**Deuteronomy 28:57** And toward her young one that cometh out from between her feet, and toward her children which she shall bear: for she shall eat them for want of all *things* secretly in the siege and straitness, wherewith thine enemy shall distress thee in thy gates.
**Deuteronomy 28:58** If thou wilt not observe to do all the words of this law that are written in this book, that thou mayest fear this glorious and fearful name, THE LORD THY GOD;

**4.) The Scattering – (Today’s study)**

**Deuteronomy 28:63** And it shall come to pass, *that* as the LORD rejoiced over you to do you good, and to multiply you; so the LORD will rejoice over you to destroy you, and to bring you to nought; and ye shall be plucked from off the land whither thou goest to possess it.
**Deuteronomy 28:64** And the LORD shall scatter thee among all people, from the one end of the earth even unto the other; and there thou shalt serve other gods, which neither thou nor thy fathers have known, *even* wood and stone.
**Deuteronomy 28:65** And among these nations shalt thou find no ease, neither shall the sole of thy foot have rest: but the LORD shall give thee there a trembling heart, and failing of eyes, and sorrow of mind:
**Deuteronomy 28:66** And thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life:
**Deuteronomy 28:67** In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning! for the fear of thine heart wherewith thou shalt fear, and for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.

**What’s worse than being a slave?**

**Deuteronomy 28:68** And the LORD shall bring thee into Egypt again with ships, by the way whereof I spake unto thee, Thou shalt see it no more again: and there ye shall be sold unto your enemies for bondmen and bondwomen, and no man shall buy *you*.

**III. The Branch - Review**

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| **Jeremiah 22:24**  ***As* I live, saith the LORD, though Coniah the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah were the signet upon my right hand, yet would I pluck thee thence;….****Jeremiah 22:30** **Thus saith the LORD, Write ye this man childless, a man *that* shall not prosper in his days: for no man of his seed shall prosper, sitting upon the throne of David, and ruling any more in Judah.** |
| **It appears that the family tree of David has been cut down and used for firewood** |
| **Isaiah 11:1** ***And there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots:*** |  |

**1.) The Branch will…**

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| **have full measure of the Holy Ghost** | **Isaiah 11:2** |
| **be a righteous Judge** | **Isaiah 11:3-5;** **Jer 23:5****;** **33:15** |
| **be an ensign for His People and sought out by the Gentiles who will have a glorious rest** | **Isaiah 11:10** |
| **smite the earth with the rod of His mouth** | **Isaiah 11:4** |
| **regather Jews from their over 2000 year scattering – Both Israel and Judah** | **Isaiah 11:11-13** |
| **be ruler raised unto David & He shall reign and prosper and execute judgement on the earth** | **Jeremiah 23:5;** **33:15** |
| **The Branch will grow up out of His place and build the temple during the Millennium.** | **Zechariah 3:7-10;  6.12** |

**2.) The Eternal Abrahamic Covenant – Central to all Scripture**

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| **Covenant with Abraham** | **Covenant Extensions** |
| **Promise of a National Land** – **(Land)**Genesis 12:1-3; 13:14-18 | **Palestinian Covenant – God will regather Israel from the scattering, circumcise their heart and give eternal restoration** Deuteronomy 30:3-5; Ezekiel 36:16-38 |
| **Promise of Numerous Descendants – A Great Nation – (Seed)** Genesis 12:3; 13:16;17:1-22 | **Davidic Covenant – David’s Seed on the throne of Israel forever** II Samuel 7:1-16;Jeremiah 33:19-26; 31:35-37; Exodus 3:15 |
| **Promise that God will bless the world through Abraham– (World-wide Blessing through Abraham)**Genesis 12:3; 22:1-19  | **New Covenant – To Israel & Judah, No psychology, Law written in the heart, all will know God** Jeremiah 31:31-40; Hebrews 8:1-13; Luke 1:26-38; Amos 9:11-15 |
| **Christ and the Gentiles – Scripture with foresight preached the Gospel to Abraham****Galatians 3** **Interprets the Abrahamic Covenant in the New Testament****Galatians 3:6**Even as Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness. **Galatians 3:7** Know ye therefore that they which are of faith, the same are the children of Abraham.**Galatians 3:8** And the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham, saying, In thee shall all nations be blessed.**Galatians 3:9** So then they which be of faith are blessed with faithful Abraham.**Galatians 3:29** **And if ye be Christ’s, then are ye Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise.** |

**IV. The Tabernacle Of David**

**1.) The Transport of the Ark – David had conquered Jerusalem from the Jebusites, and was made aware of the importance of God’s commands concerning the transport of the ark as one of the men transporting the ark was struck dead as he touched the ark:**

**II Samuel 6:6** And when they came to Nachon's threshingfloor, Uzzah put forth *his hand* to the ark of God, and took hold of it; for the oxen shook *it*.
**II Samuel 6:7** And the anger of the LORD was kindled against Uzzah; and God smote him there for *his* error; and there he died by the ark of God.

**2.) The ark of the LORD placed in the midst of the Tabernacle that David pitched for it:**

**II Samuel 6:17** And they brought in the ark of the LORD, and set it in his place, in the midst of the tabernacle that David had pitched for it: and David offered burnt offerings and peace offerings before the LORD.

**V. The King Forever - The Davidic Covenant – The King has rest**

**II Samuel 7:1** And it came to pass, when the king sat in his house, and the LORD had given him rest round about from all his enemies;
**II Samuel 7:2** That the king said unto Nathan the prophet, See now, I dwell in an house of cedar, but the ark of God dwelleth within curtains.
**II Samuel 7:3** And Nathan said to the king, Go, do all that *is* in thine heart; for the LORD *is* with thee.
**II Samuel 7:4** And it came to pass that night, that the word of the LORD came unto Nathan, saying,
**II Samuel 7:5** Go and tell my servant David, Thus saith the LORD, Shalt thou build me an house for me to dwell in?
**II Samuel 7:6** Whereas I have not dwelt in *any* house since the time that I brought up the children of Israel out of Egypt, even to this day, but have walked in a tent and in a tabernacle.
**II Samuel 7:7** In all *the places* wherein I have walked with all the children of Israel spake I a word with any of the tribes of Israel, whom I commanded to feed my people Israel, saying, Why build ye not me an house of cedar?
**II Samuel 7:8** Now therefore so shalt thou say unto my servant David, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, I took thee from the sheepcote, from following the sheep, to be ruler over my people, over Israel:
**II Samuel 7:9** And I was with thee whithersoever thou wentest, and have cut off all thine enemies out of thy sight, and have made thee a great name, like unto the name of the great *men* that *are* in the earth.
**II Samuel 7:10** Moreover I will appoint a place for my people Israel, and will plant them, that they may dwell in a place of their own, and move no more; neither shall the children of wickedness afflict them any more, as beforetime,
**II Samuel 7:11** And as since the time that I commanded judges *to be* over my people Israel, and have caused thee to rest from all thine enemies. Also the LORD telleth thee that he will make thee an house.
**II Samuel 7:12** And when thy days be fulfilled, and thou shalt sleep with thy fathers, I will set up thy seed after thee, which shall proceed out of thy bowels, and I will establish his kingdom.
**II Samuel 7:13** He shall build an house for my name, and I will stablish the throne of his kingdom for ever.
**II Samuel 7:14** I will be his father, and he shall be my son. If he commit iniquity, I will chasten him with the rod of men, and with the stripes of the children of men:
**II Samuel 7:15** But my mercy shall not depart away from him, as I took *it* from Saul, whom I put away before thee.
**II Samuel 7:16** And thine house and thy kingdom shall be established for ever before thee: thy throne shall be established for ever.
**II Samuel 7:17** According to all these words, and according to all this vision, so did Nathan speak unto David.
**II Samuel 7:18** Then went king David in, and sat before the LORD, and he said, Who *am* I, O Lord GOD? and what *is* my house, that thou hast brought me hitherto?
**II Samuel 7:19** And this was yet a small thing in thy sight, O Lord GOD; but thou hast spoken also of thy servant's house for a great while to come. And *is* this the manner of man, O Lord GOD?
**II Samuel 7:20** And what can David say more unto thee? for thou, Lord GOD, knowest thy servant.
**II Samuel 7:21** For thy word's sake, and according to thine own heart, hast thou done all these great things, to make thy servant know *them*.
**II Samuel 7:22** Wherefore thou art great, O LORD God: for *there is* none like thee, neither *is there any* God beside thee, according to all that we have heard with our ears.
**II Samuel 7:23** And what one nation in the earth *is* like thy people, *even* like Israel, whom God went to redeem for a people to himself, and to make him a name, and to do for you great things and terrible, for thy land, before thy people, which thou redeemedst to thee from Egypt, *from* the nations and their gods?
**II Samuel 7:24** For thou hast confirmed to thyself thy people Israel *to be* a people unto thee for ever: and thou, LORD, art become their God.
**II Samuel 7:25** And now, O LORD God, the word that thou hast spoken concerning thy servant, and concerning his house, establish *it* for ever, and do as thou hast said.
**II Samuel 7:26** And let thy name be magnified for ever, saying, The LORD of hosts *is* the God over Israel: and let the house of thy servant David be established before thee.
**II Samuel 7:27** For thou, O LORD of hosts, God of Israel, hast revealed to thy servant, saying, I will build thee an house: therefore hath thy servant found in his heart to pray this prayer unto thee.
**II Samuel 7:28** And now, O Lord GOD, thou *art* that God, and thy words be true, and thou hast promised this goodness unto thy servant:
**II Samuel 7:29** Therefore now let it please thee to bless the house of thy servant, that it may continue for ever before thee: for thou, O Lord GOD, hast spoken *it*: and with thy blessing let the house of thy servant be blessed for ever.

**VI.** **I Raise up the Tabernacle of David that is fallen - (Note: Context is the scattering)**

**Amos 9:9** For, lo, I will command, and I will sift the house of Israel among all nations, like as *corn* is sifted in a sieve, yet shall not the least grain fall upon the earth.

**Amos 9:10** All the sinners of my people shall die by the sword, which say, The evil shall not overtake nor prevent us.
**Amos 9:11** In that day will I raise up the tabernacle of David that is fallen, and close up the breaches thereof; and I will raise up his ruins, and I will build it as in the days of old:
**Amos 9:12** That they may possess the remnant of Edom, and of all the heathen, which are called by my name, saith the LORD that doeth this.
**Amos 9:13** Behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that the plowman shall overtake the reaper, and the treader of grapes him that soweth seed; and the mountains shall drop sweet wine, and all the hills shall melt.
**Amos 9:14** And I will bring again the captivity of my people of Israel, and they shall build the waste cities, and inhabit *them*; and they shall plant vineyards, and drink the wine thereof; they shall also make gardens, and eat the fruit of them.
**Amos 9:15** And I will plant them upon their land, and they shall no more be pulled up out of their land which I have given them, saith the LORD thy God.

**VII. The Apostles see the partial fulfillment of the raising of the Tabernacle of David**

**False teachers – The only method for salvation, so they teach**

**Acts 15:1** And certain men which came down from Judaea taught the brethren, *and said*, Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved.
**Acts 15:2** When therefore Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and disputation with them, they determined that Paul and Barnabas, and certain other of them, should go up to Jerusalem unto the apostles and elders about this question.

**But, Paul and Barnabus testify of the conversion of the Gentiles!**
**Acts 15:3** And being brought on their way by the church, they passed through Phenice and Samaria, declaring the conversion of the Gentiles: and they caused great joy unto all the brethren.

**Bring the testimonies to the Jerusalem church**
**Acts 15:4** And when they were come to Jerusalem, they were received of the church, and *of* the apostles and elders, and they declared all things that God had done with them.

**Plagued with more false teachers**
**Acts 15:5** But there rose up certain of the sect of the Pharisees which believed, saying, That it was needful to circumcise them, and to command *them* to keep the law of Moses.
**Acts 15:6** And the apostles and elders came together for to consider of this matter.

**Peter brings testimony that the Gentiles have received the Holy Ghost just like the Jews****Acts 15:7** And when there had been much disputing, Peter rose up, and said unto them, Men *and* brethren, ye know how that a good while ago God made choice among us, that the Gentiles by my mouth should hear the word of the gospel, and believe.
**Acts 15:8** And God, which knoweth the hearts, bare them witness, giving them the Holy Ghost, even as *he did* unto us;
**Acts 15:9** And put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith.
**Acts 15:10** Now therefore why tempt ye God, to put a yoke upon the neck of the disciples, which neither our fathers nor we were able to bear?
**Acts 15:11** But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they.
**Acts 15:12** Then all the multitude kept silence, and gave audience to Barnabas and Paul, declaring what miracles and wonders God had wrought among the Gentiles by them.

**James makes his decision on the Word of God – A Partial fulfilment at the advent of the Holy Ghost**
**Acts 15:13** And after they had held their peace, James answered, saying, Men *and* brethren, hearken unto me:
**Acts 15:14** Simeon hath declared how God at the first did visit the Gentiles, to take out of them a people for his name.
**Acts 15:15** And to this agree the words of the prophets; as it is written,
**Acts 15:16** After this I will return, and will build again the tabernacle of David, which is fallen down; and I will build again the ruins thereof, and I will set it up:
**Acts 15:17** That the residue of men might seek after the Lord, and all the Gentiles, upon whom my name is called, saith the Lord, who doeth all these things.
**Acts 15:18** Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world.
**Acts 15:19** Wherefore my sentence is, that we trouble not them, which from among the Gentiles are turned to God:
**Acts 15:20** But that we write unto them, that they abstain from pollutions of idols, and *from* fornication, and *from* things strangled, and *from* blood.

**🡆When Christ has raptured His church and restored Israel as in the Covenant - the last enemy will be destroyed as we read in the Resurrection Chapter:**

**I Corinthians 15:19** If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable.
**I Corinthians 15:20** But now is Christ risen from the dead, *and* become the firstfruits of them that slept.
**I Corinthians 15:21** For since by man *came* death, by man *came* also the resurrection of the dead.
**I Corinthians 15:22** For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.
**I Corinthians 15:23** But every man in his own order: Christ the firstfruits; afterward they that are Christ's at his coming.
**I Corinthians 15:24** Then *cometh* the end, when he shall have delivered up the kingdom to God, even the Father; when he shall have put down all rule and all authority and power.
**I Corinthians 15:25** For he must reign, till he hath put all enemies under his feet.
**I Corinthians 15:26** The last enemy *that* shall be destroyed *is* death.

**🡆Then the Tabernacle of God as it is written in the last book will be:**

**Revelation 21:1** And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.
**Revelation 21:2** And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.
**Revelation 21:3** And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, *and be* their God.
**Revelation 21:4** And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.
**Revelation 21:5** And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful.
**Revelation 21:6** And he said unto me, It is done. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.
**Revelation 21:7** He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.
**Revelation 21:8** But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

**Who shall abide in thy Tabernacle?**

**🡆****Psalm 15:1** A Psalm of David. LORD, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill?
**Psalm 15:2** He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.
**Psalm 15:3** *He that* backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour.
**Psalm 15:4** In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. *He that* sweareth to *his own* hurt, and changeth not.
**Psalm 15:5** *He that* putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these *things* shall never be moved.