

# The True GREATEST 1st COMMAND

*“Love one another as I have loved you.” (St. Jn. 13: 34)*

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## Why to the Jews First?

God gave Abraham the Covenant or Promise, which we call: an Adoption Promise, a Promise to be a Parent, and our favorite, a Promise to be Friends. The main purpose for the Bible is to proclaim that Promise and to display God's commitment and *final* fulfillment to that Promise. Not proclaiming that Promise given to Abraham, is a misuse of the Old Testament, and the Bible as a whole.

Evermore, there was nothing special about Abraham. God had to start somewhere in order to relate to mankind and display His Character. It could have been done in the Western Hemisphere in the Americas. But we believe the area that God chose was more developed with its inclination to *monotheism*. We believe the *goal* and *final* product of all of God's Promises, was, and is to be, that God will live among us and be our friend, with no more crying and no more pain! We believe this is God's intention from the beginning:

### Matthew 1: 23 NIV

["The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel"—which means, "God with us."]

### 2 Corinthians 6: 16 NIV

[For we are the temple of the living God. As God has said: "I will live with them and **walk** among them, and I will be their God, and they will be my people."]

### St. John 15: 15 NIV

[I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you *friends*, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you.]

### Revelation 21: 4 NIV

[He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.]

Nevertheless, in continuing His Promise to Abraham, and, to show His Justice, His Integrity and His Faithfulness to that Promise, God raised up Moses and freed the Jews. Being blood descendants

to Abraham, God gave them another Covenant, through Moses, which is more like a Promise of Marriage—Israel being the *fiancée*. During those 1200 years, or so, God demonstrated his faithfulness to His Promise between He and His unfaithful *fiancée*, Israel. For example, when the Israelites went into the Babylonian captivity, because of their unfaithfulness, God remembered the Covenant to Abraham and the Covenant to Moses. Because of these two progressing Covenants, God brought the Israelites out of that captivity. In the big picture, this was really to show and to teach Humanity (as He first did *vertically* to the Israelites) to have Mercy and Forgiveness towards one another, *horizontally* on Earth.

Subsequently, God joined the human race in a more *personal* way, to show His Mercy and Forgiveness more *profoundly*, which would be more *comprehensible* for our species. God went to the Jews first, because of His Promise to Abraham, and that, after 430 years.

### **Galatians 3: 16, 17 NIV**

[3] The promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed. The Scripture does not say "and to seeds," meaning many people, but "and to your seed," meaning one person, who is Christ. 17] What I mean is this: The law, introduced 430 years later, does not set aside the covenant previously established by God and thus do away with the promise.]

One person also means, one person, Abraham. How many people, for that long, can keep their *promise* or keep their *word*? Oh, oh, oh, God's Integrity! That was the kind of faith the Centurion had, and Jesus praised him for it:

### **St. Luke 7: 9 NIV**

[When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, "I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel."]

And, this Centurion paid no attention to any religious system. It was the Centurion's *trust* that showed his integrity: He believed God can do what God says he will do and can do, and therefore, the Centurion showed his *integrity* and *faith-fulness* too, just like God. By *metonymy* Jesus was the Word of God, and by raising him up, God kept His *Word of Honor* to Abraham, which made him the Father of all, through the Holy Spirit.

Furthermore, the message of the Promise had to go to the Jews first, the descendants of Abraham, or else, how can God show His Faithfulness and His Justice, if He does not uphold His Promises, particularly his Promise to Abraham that he will be a father to all the nations:

### **Genesis 17: 4, 5 NIV**

["As for me, this is my covenant with you: You will be the father of many nations. [5] No longer will you be called Abram; your name will be Abraham, for I have made you a father of many nations.]

### **Matthew 15:24 NIV**

[He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of Israel."]

Once again, the message had to go to Israel first, and to nobody else; by *blood* first, but then the brotherhood will transform and come through Spirit!

Moreover, the great controversy in the early church was Circumcision. Circumcision means to take the yoke of the law of Moses in its entirety, *moral* and *ceremonial*. The first Christians were the Hebrew-speaking Jews, who gratefully, did nothing to offend the Law of Moses:

### **Acts 21:20 NIV**

[When they heard this, they praised God. Then they said to Paul: "You see, brother, how many thousands of Jews have believed, and all of them are zealous for the law.]

Zealous for the law means "zealous" to all 613 or so, laws of Moses. Paul even circumcised Timothy:

### **Acts 16: 3 NIV**

[Paul wanted to take him along on the journey, so he circumcised him because of the Jews who lived in that area, for they all knew that his father was a Greek.]

Here's an analogy:

["In order for a tree to exist it must become solidly rooted so it can germinate and grow, or else, the tree will die."]

In a similar fashion, Jesus needed his Gospel to *solidly* root itself on the Earth without any *controversies* (such as Circumcision); *controversies* would have hurt and hindered the *rooting* process. And if the Gospel did not *root* itself among the Jews (who were given the Promise first), the fulfillment which is the Gospel of Jesus, would have not *germinated* and *grown*, and we would not have Christianity today; but worst, God could not keep his Promise. So God focused the message of the Gospel among the Jews only, for a while of course, because they were all *circumcised* already.

Evidently, the Gospel was flourishing peacefully for about 17 years, until, the number of Gentiles increased. This nonpartisan Gentile group of Christians did not care for the Old Testament and its laws. They only saw the Old Testament as a *witness* to Jesus and not as a rule book to live by. This Gentile influx made the (Conservative, Hebrew-speaking) Jewish Christians worried about their superiority. Fortunately, by then the gospel was rooted enough to take hold and grow. Then, by divine Providence (and before Peter learned the Gentiles had equal rights in the Covenantal Promise; Acts chapter 10) the more Liberal (Progressive Greek-speaking) Jewish Christians, like Stephen and Philip, began taking the Covenantal Promise to Abraham out of Judaism to all the Gentiles, and started a Church at Antioch. This is a good sign, because this confirms that the Gospel took *root* whilst this progressive group of liberals, paid little to no attention to the Jewish legal system. By this time no controversy would have stopped them, even, on to death like Stephen. Take note, the majority (the first Christians, the Hebrew-speaking Jews) always had friction with the minority Greek-speaking Jews for their *liberalism*. This is why they mistreated them:

### **Acts 6:1 NIV**

[In those days when the number of disciples was increasing, the Hellenistic [Greek] Jews among them complained against the Hebraic Jews because their widows were being overlooked in the daily distribution of food.]

The liberal Greek-speaking Jews were more willing to take the same *explicit* Gospel, that Jesus preached, to the Gentiles years before St. Paul was ever called to the ministry. St. Paul did audibly preach the same *explicit* Gospel Jesus preached. But, Paul's *writings*, which have been wrongly turned into *absolute* scholasticism, is only *implicit* and *inferior* to the *explicit* Gospel that Jesus and the Greek-speaking Jews preached; a lesson that contemporary Christianity needs to learn.

In Summary, God gave a Promise to Abraham, and in staying *just* and *faithful* to that Promise, God raised up Abraham's descendants the Israelites, and became in an *impersonal* way a Parent, a Fiancé and a Friend to them for 1200 years. Then at the proper time, God came *in person* to *fulfill*

that Promise of marriage. This time not of *blood*, but of Spirit. And this time for Non-Jews also, which began with the Jews first.

**Revelation 19:7 NIV**

[Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory! For the wedding of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready.]

After 1900 years we are ready. Amen

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# The 10 Commandments did NOT Exist before Mount Sinai

**Question: So How did people know that Killing and Adultery is wrong?**

**Answer:**

(Indeed, when Gentiles, who do not have the law, do by nature things required by the law, they are a law for themselves, even though they do not have the law, since they show that the requirements of the law are written on their hearts, their consciences also bearing witness,...(Rom. 2: 14, 15))

*It is wrong to believe that we are advocating that people can Kill, because we teach that the 10 Commandments have become "Obsolete" (Heb. 8: 13), for there still exists a "Thou Shall Not" but, it does not come from Moses' Mount Sinai, but From Jesus' Mount Zion.*

**Rather than thinking that divine revelation is mediated in abstract theological propositions, Christian scholars now understand that historical events are the "stuff" through which God has revealed himself to humanity.** "Historical Method- Robert D. Brinsmead", E.2, 1983

The Judeo-Christian Bible is being read A-historically. This captures the minds of people into an "Alternate Reality" by the Alfa Male, or shall we say, Head Teacher-Architect similar to the movie the "Matrix". Therefore, they have an "unreal" "A-historical Holy Spirit" and not the 'real' "Holy Spirit" from the real world, outside of the Bible Box. "G.I.C. 2019"

## Abramic Covenant

The promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed....(Gal. 3: 16)  
 No longer will you be called Abram ; your name will be Abraham, for I have made you a father of many nations. (Gen. 17: 5)  
 I will establish my covenant as an everlasting covenant between me and you and your descendants after you for the generations to come, to be your God and the God of your descendants after you. (Gen. 17: 7)

**NO Saturday Sabbath Existed!**

The Founding Fathers



He declared to you his covenant, the Ten Commandments, which he commanded you to follow and then wrote them on two stone tablets. (Deut. 4: 13)

What I mean is this: The law, introduced 430 years later, does not set aside the covenant previously established by God and thus do away with the promise. (Gal. 3: 17)

**430 Years**

During these years, was Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the Church Studing the Bible ???

(Heb. 12: 18)

## Sinac Covenant

The LORD our God made a covenant with us at Horeb. It was not with our fathers that the LORD made this covenant, but with us, with all of us who are alive here today. (Deut. 5: 2, 3)



For when we were controlled by the sinful nature, the sinful passions aroused by the law were at work in our bodies, so that we bore fruit for death. (Rom. 7: 5)  
 But sin, seizing the opportunity afforded by the commandment, produced in me every kind of covetous desire. (Rom. 7: 8)

**1,500 Years**

Did the 10 Commandments Stop the Jews or people from Killing each other ???

(Heb. 12: 22)

## Jesus' New Covenant

...he took the cup, saying "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is poured out for you. (Matt. 22: 20)

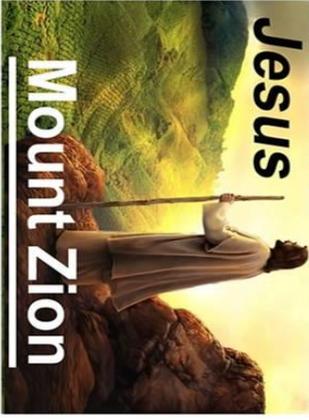
What, then, was the purpose of the law? It was added because of transgressions until the Seed to whom the promise referred had come. (Gal. 3: 19)

Now that faith has come, we are no longer under the supervision of the law. (Gal. 3: 25)

For what the law was powerless to do in that it was weakened by the sinful nature, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful man to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in sinful man, in order that the righteous requirements of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the sinful nature but according to the Spirit. (Rom. 8: 3, 4)

"This is the covenant I will make with the house of Israel after that time," declares the LORD, "I will put my law in their minds and write it on their hearts; I will be their God, and they will be my people. (Jer. 31: 33)  
 No longer will a man teach his neighbor, or a man his brother, saying, 'Know the LORD,' because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," declares the LORD. (Jer. 31: 34)

**P.S. The True Spirit and Intent is written on the Hearts, not the Letter, like the Saturday Sabbath. (2 Cor. 3: 6)**



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