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(#17) Exod. 18:1-20:26; Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-6; Matthew 5:21-30; 15:1-11; 19:16-30; Mark 7:5-15; 10:17-31; Luke 18:18-30; Acts 6:1-7 Romans 2:17-29: 7:7-12; 13:8-10; Ephesians 6:1-3; 1Timothy 3:1-14; 2 Timothy 2:2; Titus 1:5-9; Hebrews 12:18-29; James 2:8-13; 1 Peter 2:9-10 Yitro is a man of the world, (sounds like us). Why does Yitro come to Moses? Because the whole world heard about the Red Sea disaster, and then another nation destroyed, the Amalekites!! Yitro was a seeker of Truth, a heart for God's truth! He then gives his life to Yahweh, making an offering to HIM, and becomes one of the First Fruits of the Gentiles. Yahweh gives us guidance; The Ten Words-Aseret haDevarim. (John 1) Yeshua at Mount Sinai-Horeb.

#### Are the 10 Commandments PC, Politically Correct??

Haftarah; A quick summary of these scriptures: 7 Points: Isaiah 6:1-7:6, & 9:5-6; The Vision of the Glory of Yahweh; (#1) v: 6-7, the famous calling "Coal, touched to his lips"; (#2) v.8, Isaiah break Yahweh, this is His "salvation and calling;" "Go and tell this people", who is He supposed to go to?? (#3) v: 13, A remnant shall be saved. (#4) This famous quote Isa. 6:9 And he said, Go, and tell this people, Hear ye indeed, but understand not; and see ye indeed, but perceive not. (#5) Isa 6:10 Make the heart of this people fat, and make their ears heavy, and shut their eyes; lest they see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and understand with their heart, and turn

again, and be healed. This is a very important scripture even Messiah Quoted it; Mat 13:14; John 12:40; Act 28:27. (#6) Isaiah 7:1-6, Ephraim and Israel joined forces against Judah; (#7) Yahweh explains the Messiah's coming, (Isa 9:6-7), by HIS birth & kingdom of Messiah; note the son is called the "Father and God", how does this work into your brain??

## Few Hebrew Definitions

- Peculiar; ה ס גל ס H5459 segûllâh: special treasure, hidden in Him, treasure. Ex 19:5
- Bowed Down; H7812 שחה shâchâh: to bow down, prostrate oneself, this is also "Worship". **b**)
- Depart, send: H7971 לים shalach: to send, send away, let go, stretch out, to sow. Ex 18:27 **c**)
- Sanctify/Consecrate; H6942 or 77 Kadosh: to consecrate-sanctify, set-apart, dedicate, hallowed, holy, be separate Ex 19:10.
- Bribe/Gift H7810; 77 0 w Shachad: present, bribe, gifts of seduction from the world. Ex 23:8; Dt 16:19, I Sam12:3.(hating Covetousness 18:21)
- 'Suffer' Greek-G5278 ὑπομένω hupomeno: Thayer's: to remain, to tarry behind, abide, not recede or flee, to hold fast to one's faith in Messiah, to endure, bear bravely, & calmly: ill treatments, the least.

### Notes that point to Yeshua

- Exo 18:9-11 Jethro / Yitro, (Ex 3:1, 4:18) the first real picture of a type and shadow of an outsider/Gentile/the Early gathering/Kahol being the first fruits of the blessings of Yahweh. Acts 10:45 "and they of the circumcision that believed were amazed, as many as came with Peter, because that on the Gentiles also was poured out the gift of the Holy Spirit.'
- V.12, Yitro confesses his life in the world, his idols and life as a priest of his worldly ways. He submits to Yahweh and offers a sacrifice. Are we his priests HIS Way or still our Worldly ways?
- (1) Do we repent? (2) Have we made an offering of ourselves? (3) Do we have the circumcised heart? Gal 4:1-3, heir-Slave, Matt 18:1-3, you must be like a child, to learn faith.
- Yitro is a sojourner, an alien; a Gentile/Goy comes into the nation of Israel. He had to be converted with circumcision of flesh and heart. Heb 11:9-16-Stranger & Aliens.
  - **Rom 2:28-29** "For he is not a Jew. which is one outwardly; neither [is that] circumcision, which is outward in the flesh: But he [is] a Jew, which is one inwardly; and circumcision [is that] of the heart, in the spirit, [and] not in the letter; whose praise [is] not of men, but of God."
- Exo 18:27 "depart" H7971 shalach: to sow, spread. This is the word used to send Yitro back to his home, to sow the Word. He goes back into Midian and converts his family. The ancient sages say he came back and lived with Israel.
  - Do we even know what His commandments are?? John 15:10 "If you guard-shamar My commands, you shall stay in My love, even as I have guarded My Father's commands and stay in His love.
  - Mat 28:20 "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, [even] unto the end of the world." Amen.
  - Mat 28:19 "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, Mikveh, (repent) them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:'

- 6- 18:21 Then Yitro structures the "Rulers" for Moses. Leaders, (judges) of 1000's, 100's, 50's & 10's. This structure of rulers is the basis for the legal system that we have today. This is our judicial system, the civic & social system for dissemination of information, loving guidelines & Torah (teaching & instruction). Num 10:4; Deu 1:15; Jos 22:14; 1Sa 8:12
  - a. but look at the criterion to be chosen; able men, who fear Elohim, men of truth, hating unfair gain.
  - b. Does this have any bearing to the words of Yeshua?? Mat 5:19 "Whosoever therefore shall break one of these least commandments (Torah) and shall teach men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven: but whosoever shall do and teach them, shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven." (leaders of 1000's, 100's, 50's and 10's?)
- 7- Ex 18:21, These Leaders-Rulers-Judges, must have the following qualifications: (Examples of leaders; Ex 4:29-31, 5;15,16, 19-21.) (Numbers 16 is Korah rebellion, plus 250 of these leaders.) Acts 6:3, I Tim 3
  - a. To keep & teach Torah, Matt 5:19, Ezek 44:23-24
  - b. Divine nature, men of truth and hate covetousness. Is this the criteria we use today??
  - c. Able men, Men of Accomplishment, What could they have done? They just came out of bondage?
  - d. Because they are God-Fearing- Beginning of Wisdom, knowledge of holy instructions-Pro 9:10.
  - e. Lovers of Truth/Torah/Word/Messiah; John 8:32 truth set you free, Ps 119:142, Torah is truth.
  - f. **Despise Money**, not easily bribed. Ex **23:8**
- 8- Ex 18:21, this passages shows the tremendous burden that was on Moses, if you were to have only 3 million people, and you set up sub-rulers over 1000's you would have 3,000 and over 100's you would have 30,000, over 50's you would have 60,000 and over ten's you would have 300,000 a total of 393,000 (13.1%) sub structured rulers. Can you imagine the number of sub-structure of "rule and reign" in the kingdom to come. The setup: Deut 1:15, 17; Jos 22:14; 1 Sam 8:12; Matt 5:19-greatest & least.
  - a. **Rev 3:21** "To him that overcome will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne." (Davidic Covenant)
  - b. Rev 5:10 "And hast made us unto our God kings and priests: and we shall reign on the earth." (Davidic Covenant)
  - c. 2Ti 2:12 "If we suffer (\*See definitions), we shall also <u>reign</u> with [him]: if we deny [him], he also will deny us:" (Could this be by our actions?)
  - d. **Mat 5:19** "Whoever shall break one of these least commandments, and shall teach men so, he shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven: but who ever shall do and teach [them], they will be called great in the kingdom of heaven."
- 9- That's 13.1%, if we have 100,000,000 in the kingdom, that's over 13.1 million rulers, and sub-rulers who have submitted and become obedience, full of wisdom, God-fearing, lovers of Truth and despisers of the things of this world. Does this picture show us a better understanding to Matt 5:19; the Torah followers may be the greatest in the Kingdom?? Have you bent both knees and Said, "my wisdom means nothing", "please cause" me to walk in your ways, I pray. Ezek 36:27. Can you see the need before HIS return to have a people, a nation of Priests, holy & separate to serve HIM, to "Rule and Reign" with Messiah?
- 10- Ex 18:24 Moses hearkened (H8085 Shema), this word used here in Hebrew is Shema, Moses already heard his father-in-law, but now he is "Obeying". Used 1149 In OT. Hear-Obey
- 11- Shuv; H7725 בוש This is the base Hebrew word for Teshuva, repent, repentance. It means to 'Return Home', turn back to Yahweh. Yahweh has always had a people with a circumcised heart.
  - a. Exo 19:3-7 "So shall you say to the House of Jacob and tell to the Sons of Israel: "You have seen what I did to Egypt and that I bore," (H5375, Nawsah, to lift up, forgive). "you on wings of eagles and have brought you to Me. And now if you obey," (H8085 Shema), "well to Me and you will keep My covenant, you will be a peculiar," (H5459 "Special), treasure to Me from all the peoples, although all of the earth is Mine. You will be to Me a kingdom" (H4467 Melech, to reign), "of priests" (H3548 priest, prince, principle officers), "and a holy" (H6918 Kadosh), "nation" (H1471 Goy). "These are the words that you should speak to the Children of Israel." Peter quoted this in I Peter 2:9,5, Titus 2:14, Deut 7:6. His priests are always set apart. Do we look like the world trees or His Israel Tree??
  - b. **Tit 2:14** "Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works." **Deut 7:6** "a holy people, a special people."
- 12- Exo 20, (Deut 5) HIS 10 words, commandments, <u>aseret hadevarim</u>, I believe this is the second greatest event in the entire written Word of God. I think these events Yeshua, (Salvation of Yahweh) in the Tanakh, Yeshua's birth, Yeshua's overcoming Torah filled life, Yeshua's overcoming death, and his Powerful Resurrection are all pictures of these being fulfilled. The 1st 4 are commandments unto Yahweh and the 2nd 6 are 'unto God through our proper conduct and attitude toward our neighbor, which is 'love'.' Yeshua summarized these in Matt 22:36-40, the commandments of love.
  - a. **Do the majority of "Believers**" believe that we should keep them?
- 13- Exo 20:5-6. This is the introduction to curses unto 3-4 generations, and blessings unto 1000 generations. This word "iniquity" in Hebrew is H5771 אינון avon. This is different than Transgressions, H6588 שיל pesha', Exo 20:5; Exo 34:7; Num 14:18; Deut 5:9; Jer 32:18; Deut 28, all.
- 14- This is all about "Love", Deut 6:5, love Yahweh with all YOUR LIFE, and Return to your 1st Love!!
- This is Yahweh's covenant; if you are to be a peculiar, special people, then keep my Covenant. If you are called by His name then you are to be a product of the New Covenant, Ezek 36:26-27 "A new heart will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you: I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, I will give you an heart of flesh. And I will put my spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes, and ye shall keep my judgments, and do [them]." READ 2 Pet 1:5-8

Tune in next week for Mishpatim-Judgments: Exo. 21:1-24:18; Jeremiah 34:822; 33 25-26; Matthew 5:33-7:21; 15:1-20; Mark 7:1-23; Acts 23:1-11; Hebrews 9:15-22; 10:28-39

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# Beit Lechem Ministries www.Beit-Lechem.com The Questions & Answers - Yitro — Jethro;

Please get your family involved in finding these answers, the Lord will put it into their heart, Ezek 36:27 & 37:27

1- What was Moshe's father-in-law's name, and what did he do? Yitro was a priest.

- **2-** In Ex 18:8-11; do you think Yitro believed all the miraculous things that Moshe told him concerning Yahweh? Yes, verse 12 confirms his desire to be a Child of the Living God of Moses and Abraham.
- **3- What do you think this next verse, 12 confirms?** *This is his conversion to the Walk, I also believed he and His family were circumcised, flesh and heart.*
- **4-** For the Math people, in 18:21 what percentage of the people would this ratio be? This is important.13.1%
- 5- If there were 3 million people then how many people would be leaders? If there were 5 million people how many would there be? How do you think this relates to Matt 5:19, the greatest? 393,000 and 655,000, I think this is a picture of the work of Yeshua, to be the leaders and sub leaders in the Kingdom, as Yeshua described in Matt 5:19 about the greatest.
- 6- In Ex 18:27, Moses 'sent' his father-in-law on his way; the word 'sent' has a special meaning in Hebrew, 'to sow'. Look up in your Strong's or Brown's and tell me this word in Hebrew? This understanding of the word is powerful that the sages even believe that Yitro went home and converted his people to Yahweh. Shalach, to send or to sow.
- 7- In 19:5 what does 'Peculiar people' (KJV) mean to you? Look it up in Hebrew and it will give you a special meaning of who you are!! Look these up and you will have a special understanding of how precious you are Exo 19:5; Deu 7:6; Deu 14:2; Deu 26:18; 1Ch 29:3; Psa 135:4; Ecc 2:8; Mal 3:17; Segullah: special treasure, possession, jewel, peculiar
- 8- In 19:6 we see a special description that is quoted by Peter; can you find this? 1Pet. 2:9
- 9- In Ex 19:6 whom is Moses talking about? In Peter, whom is he talking about? They are both talking about the Firstborn of Yeshua to be a Kingdom of priests. Those called unto His light (ora) Torah!

  Notice the Ten Words, (commandments) haven't been given yet, (Chapter 20), so what do you think they mean in 19:7-8? They would obey whatever He said; they agreed to obey because He was God. They didn't even know all of the commandments yet. However, they did know God's teaching and instruction, because they had it passed down from their ancestors.
- 10- In 19:10-11, what do you think it means to;
  - a. Sanctify/Consecrate them? Kadosh
  - **b.** To wash your clothes? To set apart repent be purified and clothed in His righteousness.
  - c. And what does the 3<sup>rd</sup> day mean to you? 3rd day was the time for cleansing and purification Numbers 19:1-12
- 11- In English the word was translated as trumpet, Ex 19;16; but what is this word in Hebrew? H7782 Shofar
- 12- We see in Ex 19:23 there are limits in our approach to Yahweh? When God set up the tabernacle there was something that kept the people out of the Holy of Holies, where Yahweh lives, what is it? The veil kept everyone except the high priest from coming into Yahweh presence.
- **13-** In Eph 2:14 what happened to it, from the previous question? The veil was torn so that we can now enter the holy of holies.
- 14- When Yeshua told us the greatest commandments, (Matt 22:37-40) can you find these in the ten from Exo 20? If not, what do you think Yeshua meant? No neither of them is a commandment by itself. These two summarize all of the commandments and all of God's teaching and instruction. They are the fulfillment of the Torah. Love of God and man,
- **15- What do you think Yeshua meant in 22:40 of Mattityahu (Matthew)?** All of God's teachers based their teaching on the understanding of these two principles. These commandments are based upon the foundation of Torah and the Prophets.

Ask Yahweh to put this in your Spirit, be on fire for Him

# Keep the Faith and Spread the Fire! OK?

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Jer 23:29 "Is not my word like fire? saith Yahweh; and like a hammer that breaks the rock in pieces?"

Jer 20:9 "And if I say, I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name, then there is in my heart as it were a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I am weary with forbearing, and I cannot contain."

<u> The Haftarah Questions - Yithro -- Jethro</u>

Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-6;

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- I. We see that Uzziah the King just died; was he a righteous King? (II Chron 26)
  - a. So who was the next king and was he righteous? (II Chron 27)
  - b. Were the people righteous and following Yahweh's teachings and instructions at this time? (II Chron 27:2)
- II. If God's people were not righteous then how could the Seraphim say, "the whole earth is filled with God's Glory"? 6:3
- III. What was Isaiah really saying in 6:5?
- IV. In 6:6-7, this picture being referred is a picture of our lives can you explain?
- V. What does this passage in 6:9-10 really mean and why?
  - a. Did anyone ever quote this and why?
- VI. Can you find in the Torah and the Brit any scriptures that Yahweh will harden or make hearts calloused? And what do you think Yahweh's purpose was??
- VII. In 6:11-13, we can see the actual prophesy about the nation Israel and Judah, but will you explain how this is for today?

This one has some real hidden fire, did ya get it? Love ya curtis

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