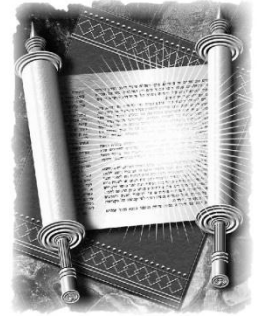




El Shaddai Ministries

Saturday Sabbath Service



Welcome to El Shaddai Ministries!

Each Saturday Pastor Mark Biltz will be teaching a series on

**"The Road to Emmaus" and
The Gospels & Acts from a Hebraic perspective**

"The Road to Emmaus"
Pastor Mark Biltz
Sukkot/Shemini Atzeret
10/15/2011

God's ultimate plan has always been to dwell or tabernacle among His people! It was on the first Feast of Tabernacles, the tabernacle for God to dwell in on earth with man, began to be built!!

Rejoice Dad's home!!

The pattern is He will dwell with man on the Feast of Tabernacles!

Zechariah 14:16,17 And it shall come to pass that everyone who is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall go up from year to year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Tabernacles. And it shall be that whichever of the families of the earth do not come up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, on them there will be no rain.

Even the devil knows there are appointed times:

Revelation 17:1 Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and talked with me, saying to me, "Come, I will show you the judgment of the great harlot who sits on many waters,

Amos 5:20 Is not the day of the LORD darkness, and not light? Is it not very dark, with no brightness in it?

Proverbs 7:9,10 In the twilight, in the evening, in the black and dark night: And, behold, there met him a woman with the attire of an harlot, and subtil of heart.

Mark 13:34 For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who left his house, and gave authority to his servants, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch.

Matthew 25:14,15 For the kingdom of heaven is as a man travelling into a far country, who called his own servants, and delivered unto them his goods. And unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey.

The Mid-Service break starts at approximately 10:50 AM.

2nd part of Morning Service begins at 11:05 AM.

Please be prompt, quiet, and respectful to the Sanctuary when returning. Thank you.

Announcements

-ONEG Today!

-Final Cornerstone Monday

**-Shemini Atzeret Thursday
-Office Closed-Thurs 20th**

**-New Torah Cycle begins
Oct 22nd**

**-Livnat Limor-Knesset Member
from Israel-Mon Oct 24th**

-No Cornerstone Oct 31st

**-Boaz Michael-FFOZ-Monday
Nov 7th**

Your Notes

Matthew 20:1, 9-11 For the kingdom of heaven is like unto a man that is an householder, which went out early in the morning to hire labourers into his vineyard. / And when they came that were hired about the eleventh hour, they received every man a penny. But when the first came, they supposed that they should have received more; and they likewise received every man a penny. And when they had received it, they murmured against the goodman of the house,

Proverbs 7:18-20 Come, let us take our fill of love until the morning: let us solace ourselves with loves. For the goodman is not at home, he is gone a long journey: He hath taken a bag of money with him, and will come home at the day appointed.

In Hebrew the term "Day appointed" means:

#3677. keh'-seh (fulness or the full moon, its festival:--(time) appointed.)

That's the Feast of Tabernacles!!

Jeremiah 8:7 Yea, the stork in the heaven knoweth her appointed times; and the turtle and the crane and the swallow observe the time of their coming; but my people know not the judgment of the LORD.

Hosea 4:6 My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children.

Hosea 8:8-12 Israel is swallowed up: now shall they be among the Gentiles as a vessel wherein is no pleasure. For they are gone up to Assyria, a wild ass alone by himself: Ephraim hath hired lovers. Yea, though they have hired among the nations, now will I gather them, and they shall sorrow a little for the burden of the king of princes. Because Ephraim hath made many altars to sin, altars shall be unto him to sin. I have written to him the great things of my law, but they were counted as a strange thing.

Jeremiah 16:19 O LORD, my strength and my fortress, My refuge in the day of affliction, The Gentiles shall come to You From the ends of the earth and say, "Surely our fathers have inherited lies, Worthlessness and unprofitable things."

Leviticus 23:39,40 Also in the fifteenth day of the seventh month, when ye have gathered in the fruit of the land, ye shall keep a feast unto the LORD seven days: on the first day shall be a sabbath, and on the eighth day shall be a sabbath. And ye shall take you on the first day the boughs of goodly trees, branches of palm trees, and the boughs of thick trees, and willows of the brook; and ye shall rejoice before the LORD your God seven days.

One of the main aspects of the holiday of Sukkot (Tabernacles) is the Biblical commandment to **rejoice**:

Deuteronomy 16:13,14 You shall observe the feast of tabernacles seven days, after that thou hast gathered in thy corn and thy wine: And you shall rejoice in thy feast, you, and your son, and your daughter, and your manservant, and your maidservant, and the Levite, the stranger, and the fatherless, and the widow, that are within your gates.

Exodus 25:8,9 And let them make me a sanctuary; that I may dwell among them. According to all that I shew thee, after the pattern of the tabernacle, and the pattern of all the instruments thereof, even so shall ye make it. (Examples, written for our learning)

Leviticus 23:41-43 And ye shall keep it a feast unto the LORD seven days in the year. It shall be a statute for ever in your generations: ye shall celebrate it in the seventh month. Ye shall dwell in booths seven days; all that are Israelites born shall dwell in booths: That your generations may know that I made the children of Israel to dwell in booths, when I brought them out of the land of Egypt: I am the LORD your God.

Isaiah 51:6 Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look upon the earth beneath: for the heavens shall vanish away like smoke, and the earth shall wax old like a garment, and they that dwell therein shall die in like manner:

Isaiah 40:6-8 The voice said, "Cry out!" And he said, "What shall I cry?" "All flesh is grass, And all its loveliness is like the flower of the field. The grass withers, the flower fades, Because the breath of the LORD blows upon it; Surely the people are grass. The grass withers, the flower fades, But the Word of our God stands forever."

2 Corinthians 5:1 For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

This earth and our bodies are only temporary dwelling places!

#4636 σκευος, skay'-nos (a hut or temporary residence, i.e. (figuratively) the human body (as the abode of the spirit):

2 Peter 1:13,14 Yea, I think it meet, as long as I am in this tabernacle, to stir you up by putting you in remembrance; Knowing that shortly I must put off this my tabernacle, even as our Lord Jesus Christ hath showed me.

John 1:14 And the Word was made flesh, and tabernacled among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

Sukkot was given to us by God to instruct us what life would be like during the messianic age when the knowledge of the Messiah and the Spirit of God will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea.

Habakkuk 2:14 For the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea.

Shemini Atzeret / Simchat Torah was to be a day of rejoicing in the Torah!!

#8451 תורה to-raw' from 3384

#3384. ירה yaw-raw' a primitive root; properly, to flow as water (i.e. to rain);

to point out (as if by aiming the finger), to teach

Water is compared to the Torah, which descends from a high place to a low place.

Ezekiel 34:26 And I will make them and the places round about my hill a blessing; and I will cause the shower to come down in his season; there shall be showers of blessing.

Psalms 72:6-8 He shall come down like rain on the mown grass, like showers that water the earth. In His days the righteous shall flourish; and abundance of peace, until the moon is not. He shall also have the rule from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth.

Hosea 6:3 Then shall we know, if we follow on to know the LORD: his going forth is prepared as the morning; and he shall come unto us as the rain, as the latter and former rain unto the earth.

Joel 2:23 Be glad then, sons of Zion, and rejoice in the LORD your God. For He has given you the former rain according to righteousness, and He will cause the rain to come down for you, the former rain and the latter rain in the first month.

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 33:2-4 And he said, The LORD came from Sinai, and rose up from Seir unto them; he shined De forth from mount Paran, and he came with ten thousands of saints: from his right hand went a fiery law for them. Yea, he loved the people; all his saints are in thy hand: and they sat down at thy feet; every one shall receive of thy words. Moses commanded us a law, even the inheritance of the congregation of Jacob.

John 8:1,2 Jesus went unto the mount of Olives. And early in the morning he came again into the temple, and all the people came unto him; and he sat down, and taught them.

Please be prompt, quiet, and respectful to the Sanctuary when returning from the Mid-service Break as the Worship service will begin promptly. Thank you & Shalom.

Your Notes

Leviticus 23:36 Seven days you shall offer a fire offering to the LORD. On the eight day shall be a holy convocation to you. And you shall offer a fire offering to the LORD. It is a solemn assembly. And you shall do no work of labor.

#8066 שְׁמִינִי shem-ee-nee' eight

#6116 עֲצֵרָה ats-aw-raw' an assembly,

The #7, being the perfect number signifies a complete unit as each week ends with the 7th day called the Shabbat.

The 8th day also becomes the 1st day which speaks of new beginnings.

It is also believed that the Gog/Magog war will be against Israel during the Feasts of the 7th month.

OT:1406 גג a roof; by analogy, the top

The battle of the strong house with prideful roof against the humility of the Sukkah with its weak unstable covering.

Whole history of mankind consists of this contrast. Is our security found in what we can build or will we trust in God.

Genesis 1:3 And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.

OT:216 light / 'owr ; from OT:215; *illumination*

Genesis 1:14 And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years:

OT:3974 light / ma'owr from OT:215; properly, a *luminous body*

Gog = the roof representing what man can build and the philosophy that man can insulate himself against the heavenly power of God

Magog = those who attempt to project this philosophy on earth.

Gog/Magog = The forces of evil who are intent on destroying the people of God.

God's plan for the nations is not to destroy them but bring them into subjection. Why did God choose Sukkot as His test of obedience for the Gentiles in **Zechariah 14**?

The earth becomes God's Sukkah as He reigns! "The Season of our joy!!"

Ezekiel chapters 38 and 39 along with **Zech. 12-14** have always been the haftarah portions during Feast of Tabernacles. Could these be implications of when these victories will take place?

Ezekiel 38:1-8 And the word of the LORD came unto me, saying, Son of man, set thy face against Gog, the land of Magog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal, and prophesy against him, And say, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold I am against thee, O Gog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal:

Ezekiel 38:19-22 For in my jealousy and in the fire of my wrath have I spoken, Surely in that day there shall be a great shaking in the land of Israel; So that the fishes of the sea, and the fowls of the heaven, and the beasts of the field, and all creeping things that creep upon the earth, and all the men that are upon the face of the earth, shall shake at my presence, and the mountains shall be thrown down, and the steep places shall fall, and every wall shall fall to the ground.

And I will call for a sword against him throughout all my mountains, saith the Lord GOD: every man's sword shall be against his brother. And I will plead against him with pestilence and with blood;

and I will rain upon him, and upon his bands, and upon the many people that are with him, an overflowing rain, and great hailstones, fire, and brimstone.

God's tactical warfare

Isaiah 24:19-22 The earth is utterly broken down, the earth is clean dissolved, the earth is moved exceedingly. The earth shall reel to and fro like a drunkard, and shall be removed like a cottage;

Ezekiel 39:17-21 And, thou son of man, thus saith the Lord GOD; Speak unto every feathered fowl, and to every beast of the field, Assemble yourselves, and come; gather yourselves on every side to my sacrifice that I do sacrifice for you, even a great sacrifice upon the mountains of Israel, that ye may eat flesh, and drink blood.

Ye shall eat the flesh of the mighty, and drink the blood of the princes of the earth, of rams, of lambs, and of goats, of bullocks, all of them fatlings of Bashan.

And ye shall eat fat till ye be full, and drink blood till ye be drunken, of my sacrifice which I have sacrificed for you. Thus ye shall be filled at my table with horses and chariots, with mighty men, and with all men of war, saith the Lord GOD. And I will set my glory among the heathen, and all the heathen shall see my judgment that I have executed, and my hand that I have laid upon them.

Revelation 19:17,18,21 And I saw an angel standing in the sun; and he cried with a loud voice, saying to all the fowls that fly in the midst of heaven, Come and gather yourselves together unto the supper of the great God;

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That ye may eat the flesh of kings, and the flesh of captains, and the flesh of mighty men, and the flesh of horses, and of them that sit on them, and the flesh of all men, both free and bond, both small and great. And the remnant were slain with the sword of him that sat upon the horse, which sword proceeded out of his mouth: and all the fowls were filled with their flesh.

Deuteronomy 32:41-43 If I whet My glittering sword, And My hand takes hold on judgment, I will render vengeance to My enemies, And repay those who hate Me. I will make My arrows drunk with blood, And My sword shall devour flesh, With the blood of the slain and the captives, From the heads of the leaders of the enemy." **"Rejoice, O Gentiles**, with His people; For He will avenge the blood of His servants, And render vengeance to His adversaries; He will provide atonement for His land and His people."

Revelation 6:10 And they cried with a loud voice, saying, How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth?

Revelation 18:20 **Rejoice** over her, thou heaven, and ye holy apostles and prophets; for God hath avenged you on her.

During Feast of Tabernacles, traditionally the meals are eaten outside in the sukkah; could this be another parallel?

Two suppers going on:

Revelation 19:7 Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.

Ezekiel 39:22,23 So the house of Israel shall know that I am the LORD their God from that day and forward. And the heathen shall know that the house of Israel went into captivity for their iniquity: because they trespassed against me, therefore hid I my face from them, and gave them into the hand of their enemies: so fell they all by the sword.

Ezekiel 39:27,28 When I have brought them again from the people, and gathered them out of their enemies' lands, and am sanctified in them in the sight of many nations; Then shall they know that I am the LORD their God, which caused them to be led into captivity among the heathen: but I have gathered them unto their own land, and have left none of them anymore there.

Matthew 22:3 And sent forth his servants to call them that were bidden to the wedding: and they would not come.

Matthew 22:8 Then saith he to his servants, The wedding is ready, but they which were bidden were not worthy.

Matthew 22:10 So those servants went out into the highways, and gathered together all as many as they found, both bad and good: and the wedding was furnished with guests.

Matthew 22:11-13 And when the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment: And he saith unto him, Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Zephaniah 1:6-8 And them that are turned back from the LORD; and those that have not sought the LORD, nor enquired for him. Hold thy peace at the presence of the Lord GOD: for the day of the LORD is at hand: for the LORD hath prepared a sacrifice, he hath bid his guests. And it shall come to pass in the day of the LORD'S sacrifice, that I will punish the princes, and the king's children, and all such as are clothed with strange apparel.

Luke 12:35-37 Let your loins be girded about, and your lights burning; And ye yourselves like unto men that wait for their lord, when he will return from the wedding; that when he cometh and knocketh, they may open unto him immediately. Blessed are those servants, whom the lord when he cometh shall find watching: verily I say unto you, that he shall gird himself, and make them to sit down to meat, and will come forth and serve them.

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