



# 144,000

## Servants of Light

Paper [www.7witnesses.com](http://www.7witnesses.com) “Two Sets of 144,000 Servants of Light”

**Revelation chapter 7** addresses 144,000 servants who are called and “sealed”, 12,000 of them from each of the 12 “tribes of **the children of Israel**” (12,000 x 12 = 144,000). They are **Messianic Jews** from the house and lineage of ancient Israel. They are mainly of Judah and are fully converted to Yeshua as their Messiah. They are prepared prior to the coming judgments that spread across the earth by receiving God’s *name, mark, or seal* upon their foreheads. These particular 144,000 servants operate as “saviors on Mount Zion”. Mount Zion was the name of the raised up hill in the old City of David, where Solomon’s Temple once sat. Directly across from it is the highest mountain in Jerusalem – the Mount of Olives, the holy place where our Savior was crucified, *and* the setting where He will return at His second coming (see Zech. 14:4).

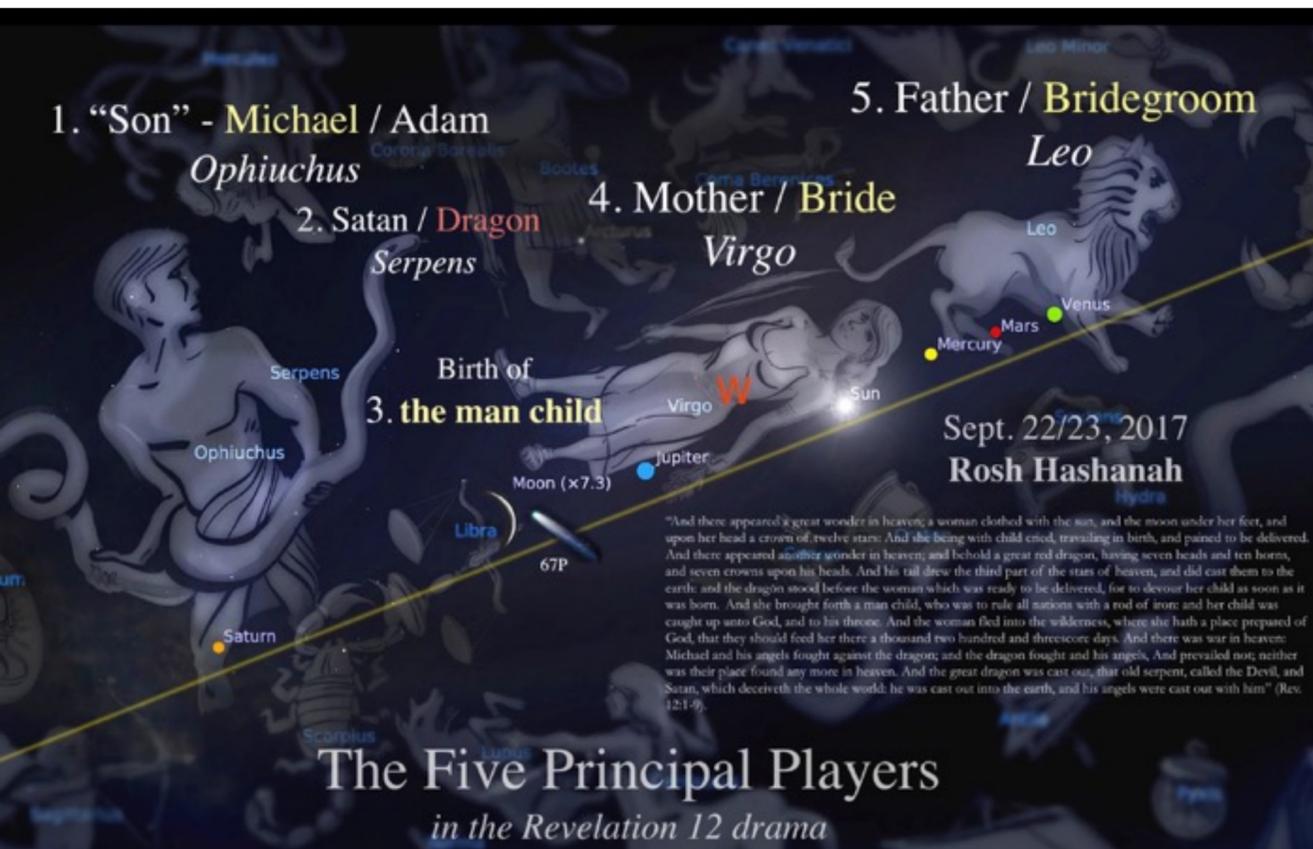
**Revelation 14** addresses the second set of 144,000 servants. Three descriptive words in this chapter suggest that they are last-days **Gentile Christians**. They are called (1) “*virgins*”, (2) “*redeemed*” among men, and they represent (3) “the *firstfruits* unto God and the Lamb” in the last-days timeframe (see Rev. 14:1-5). They are “*virgins*” because they are “*pure in heart*”, having been “born again” in water *and* by fire and the Holy Ghost. They have been made clean in the blood of Jesus, and thus are “*redeemed*” among men via a full conversion and commitment to the LORD Jesus. They are said to have no “*guile*” or “*fault*”. They sing “the song of redeeming love” as addressed in Alma 5:26, 26:13 and D&C 84, verses 99-102. It is a song of joy.

## Two Sets of 144,000 Servants of Light

### Gentiles & Jews Preach Christ & His Fullness in the Last-days

*The First Shall Be Last and the Last Shall Be First - to Receive & Preach Salvation through Jesus Christ*

Bloodline	144,000 <i>Gentile</i> Christians / Revelation 14 Mixed bloodline through <i>Joseph</i>	144,000 Messianic <i>Jews</i> / Revelation 7 Purer bloodline through <i>Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob</i>
Space	The Promised Land <i>West</i> – <i>America (stick of Joseph)</i> home of <i>the Book of Mormon &amp; Mentinah peoples</i>	The Promised Land <i>East</i> – <i>Israel (stick of Judah)</i> home of the covenant people of <i>the Bible</i>
Time	The <i>Gentiles</i> were the <i>Firstfruits</i> of Christ's Salvation in the Last-days Christian church	The <i>Jews first</i> are given Christ's Salvation <i>last</i> as Messianic <i>Jews</i> finally turn to Him fully
Duties	<i>Joseph's</i> Bloodline – <i>Birthright Son, Priesthood</i> <i>Spiritual Blessings</i> – Officiate in <i>spiritual Ordinances</i>	<i>Judah's</i> Bloodline - <i>Firstborn Son, Kingship</i> <i>Physical Resources</i> – Build the <i>physical</i> House of God
Gender	<i>Matriarchal</i> Society of Native Americans / Love	<i>Patriarchal</i> Society of Jews / The Law



## The Church of the Firstborn

The last-days **Bride of Christ**, symbolized in JST Revelation 12 by “**the Great Sign**” of the woman, clothed with the sun, the (new) moon at her feet, and a crown of **12** stars on her head.



“And there appeared a great sign in heaven; a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars. And the woman being with child, cried, travailing in birth, and pained to be delivered. And she brought forth a man child, who was to rule all nations with a rod of iron; and her child was caught up unto God and his throne. And there appeared another sign in heaven; and behold, a great red dragon...And the dragon stood before the woman which was delivered, ready to devour her child after it was born” (JST Rev. 12:1-3).



*St. Michael and St. Gudula  
Church,  
Brussels Belgium.  
Sculpture by  
Hendrik Frans Verbruggen,  
1699 AD*



Various Cathedral and Church statues expressing John's Revelation 12 Sign

Providing another witness for the two sets of **144,000** servants in scripture in the use of the number **144** (Rev. 21:17) and **144,000** (Rev. 7 and 14), is the additional use of the numbers **288** and **288,000** in 1<sup>st</sup> Chronicles, both in connection with King David and his singers *and* his army.

**King David's 288 Prophetic Singers** (1 Chron. 25) We read first about King David's **288** "prophetic singers" employed at "the Tabernacle of David". In it, rotating shifts of 12 prophetic singers performed for 24 hours each day (see 1 Chron. 25). Some believe the 12 singers were split into two shifts of 12 hours each, one for the day and the other for the night (6 of the annual 7 Holy Days are grouped around the two equinoxes, each equinox features an equal division of 12 hours of daylight and 12 hours of darkness). The **288** singers were part of 4,000 total musicians David employed for 24/7 worship of the LORD at David's unique worship center at Jerusalem (which was separate from "the Tabernacle of Moses", tied to traditional sacrifices and offerings). Praise-filled music was and is an important, effective tool used against darkness by King David *and* 6 later kings in Israel (see *Praise: The Secret Weapon Against Evil*, [www.7witnesses.com](http://www.7witnesses.com)). Continual worship for battling darkness is prophesied to return in our day. See Amos 9:11, Isaiah 16:5 and Acts 15:16.

**King David's Army of 288,000 Soldiers** (1 Chron. 27) King David also employed **288,000** soldiers that served in His standing army. Some scholars believe **144,000** soldiers for 6 months of the year, and the another **144,000** soldiers during the later half the year.

## 144,000 - The Speed of Light Harmonic

The number 144,000 is one of three ways to define “**the speed of light**”. The best of sacred architecture worldwide consistently employs both real and symbolic connections to **light**, in both the relationship of the structure’s orientation and alignment to the **heavenly lights** in the sun, moon, and stars, *and* to Jesus Christ as Creator - **the light and life of the world**. Physicist and researcher Bruce Cathie has found that light can be defined in three ways. One of them utilizes the number 144,000. He stated, “The fundamental harmonic of light, in free space, in geometric terms being an angular velocity of 144,000 minutes of arc per grid second, there being 97,200 grid seconds to one revolution of the earth”. The other two definitions for the speed of light include “162,000 nautical miles per second”, and “186,000 miles per second”.

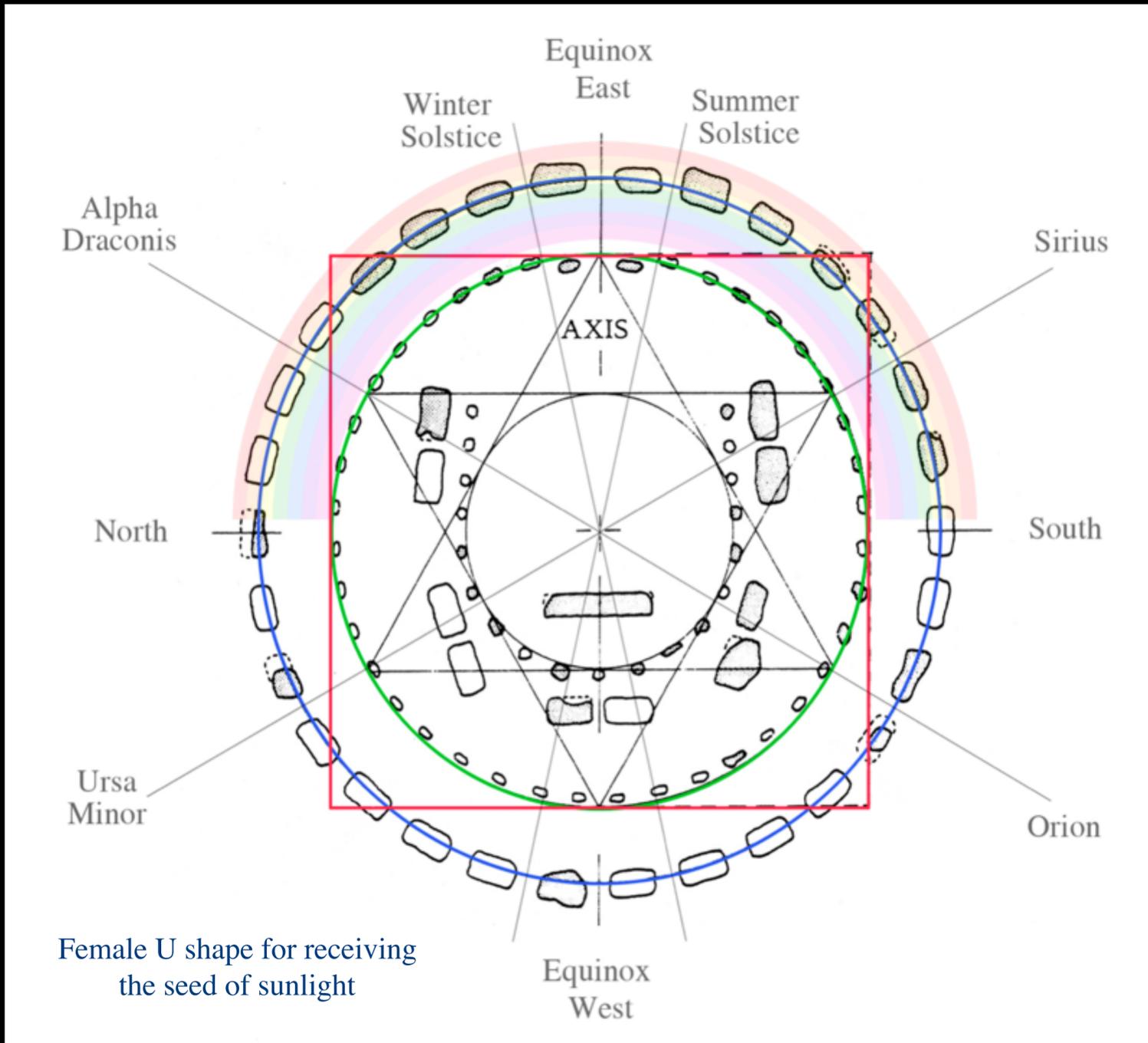
Cathie’s research suggests that 2 times the speed of light at 144,000 (or 288,000) is the important frequency used in the organization or formation of the many different elements of matter (as many as 144), via the power of God’s light. He stated, “Lightwaves guided by seemingly superior intelligence, form intricate interlocking grid patterns which graduate from the simple to the more complex (all the different “elements” from the Periodic Table), as the elements of hydrogen, at the lower end of the scale, to element 144, come into being” (he believes that in time we will discover a total of **144 total elements** in the Periodic Table). Einstein declared that physical matter was nothing more than a concentrated field of force, and that the geometric structure of space-time determines the physical processes. Cathie proposed that both space *and* time manifest from the geometric harmonies of the wave motions of light. He believes that **the 288 frequency constitutes a full cycle of matter formation**, from which the different elements then are organized or come into being. His body of physics research began when he first discovered that **the number 288 is the frequency of the energy-grid lattice that surrounds the earth**, a grid first discovered by Russian scientists.

## The Measures of Stonehenge, the Great Pyramid, and the Holy City New Jerusalem are tied to Jesus Christ & the number 144

The circumference of the inner “Bluestone Circle” at <b>Stonehenge</b>	144 cubits
The number of White Limestone Cover-stones at <b>the Great Pyramid</b>	144,000 Stones
Its Perimeter at the Baseline of the Structure	1440 Sacred Cubits
Distance from the Great Pyramid to the site of Solomon’s Temple	1,440,000 feet
Entrance door on the north face of the pyramid	288 inches (287)
Entrance passage end in a natural rock	288 inches (286.4)
Beginning and ending sections of the ascending passageway	288 inches (286.6)
The measure of the outer wall of <b>the Holy City New Jerusalem</b>	144 cubits

Light-based

results in the pure, light-based geometry of the rainbow - the token of God's covenant with man (JST Gen. 9).



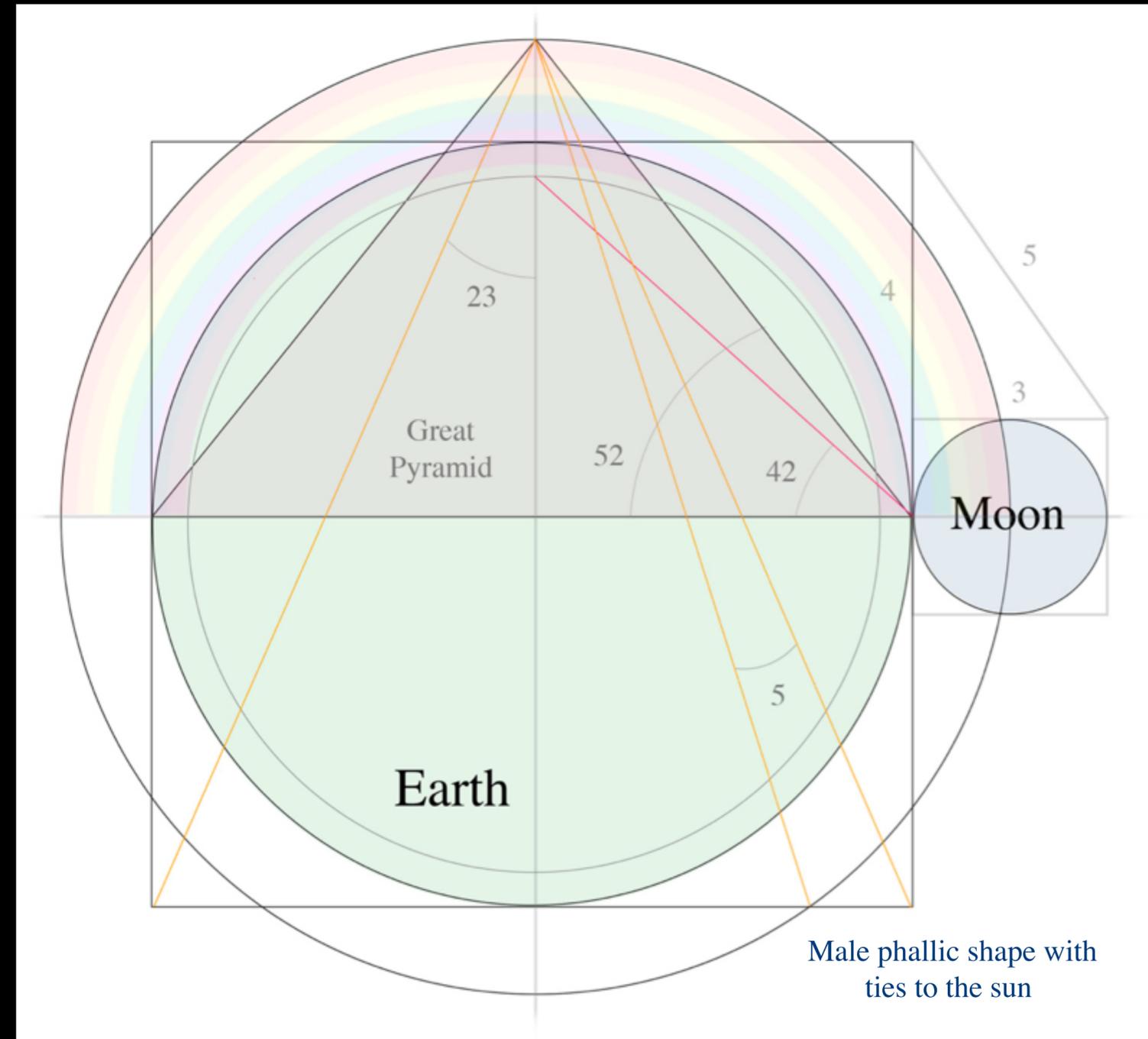
Female U shape for receiving the seed of sunlight

### Stonehenge - Omega

*A lunar female structure tied to the winter solstice*

*There is 9 months from the winter solstice to the fall equinox*

*at the winter solstice sunset, whereas the Great Pyramid appears to be a male marker for Christ's birth at the fall equinox.*



Male phallic shape with ties to the sun

### The Great Pyramid - Alpha

*A solar male structure tied to the fall equinox*

Al Nitak  
due north  
on the meridian

Al Nitak means  
“wounded one.”  
The “Servant”  
will be marred  
like his father.

Orion’s  
belt stars

The pyramid is 5776 inches  
tall. The Hebrew year 5776 is  
2016, the start of the Jubilee  
Year of Restoration.

# Rosh Hashanah, 2017

September 20, 5:42 am

See the research of Daniel Matson

- Luminous Conjunction -  
Morning Star rising in the east  
below the horizon,  
the day before

Regulus  
Venus  
in LEO

26.3 degrees

26.3 degrees

horizon

Jupiter  
in VIRGO

Evening Star setting, west  
above the horizon,  
the night of

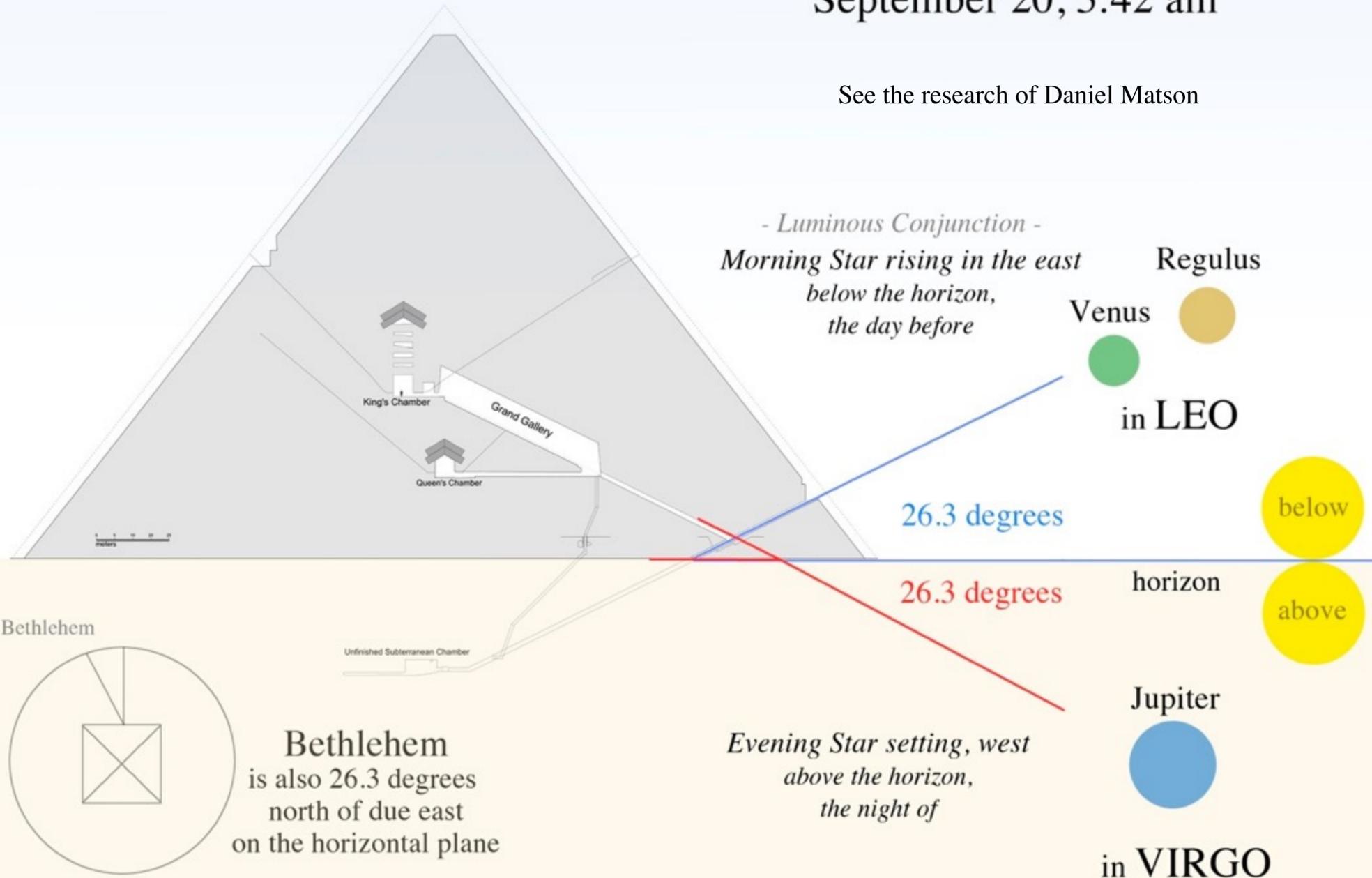
## 7 Heavenly Witnesses at the Great Pyramid on Rosh Hashanah 2017 (4 - left)

“In that day shall there be an altar to the Lord in the midst of the land of Egypt...a pillar at the border thereof to the Lord. And it shall be for a sign and for a witness unto the Lord of hosts in the land of Egypt: For they shall cry unto the Lord because of the oppressors, and he shall send them a savior, and a great one, and he shall deliver them” (Isaiah 19:19-20).

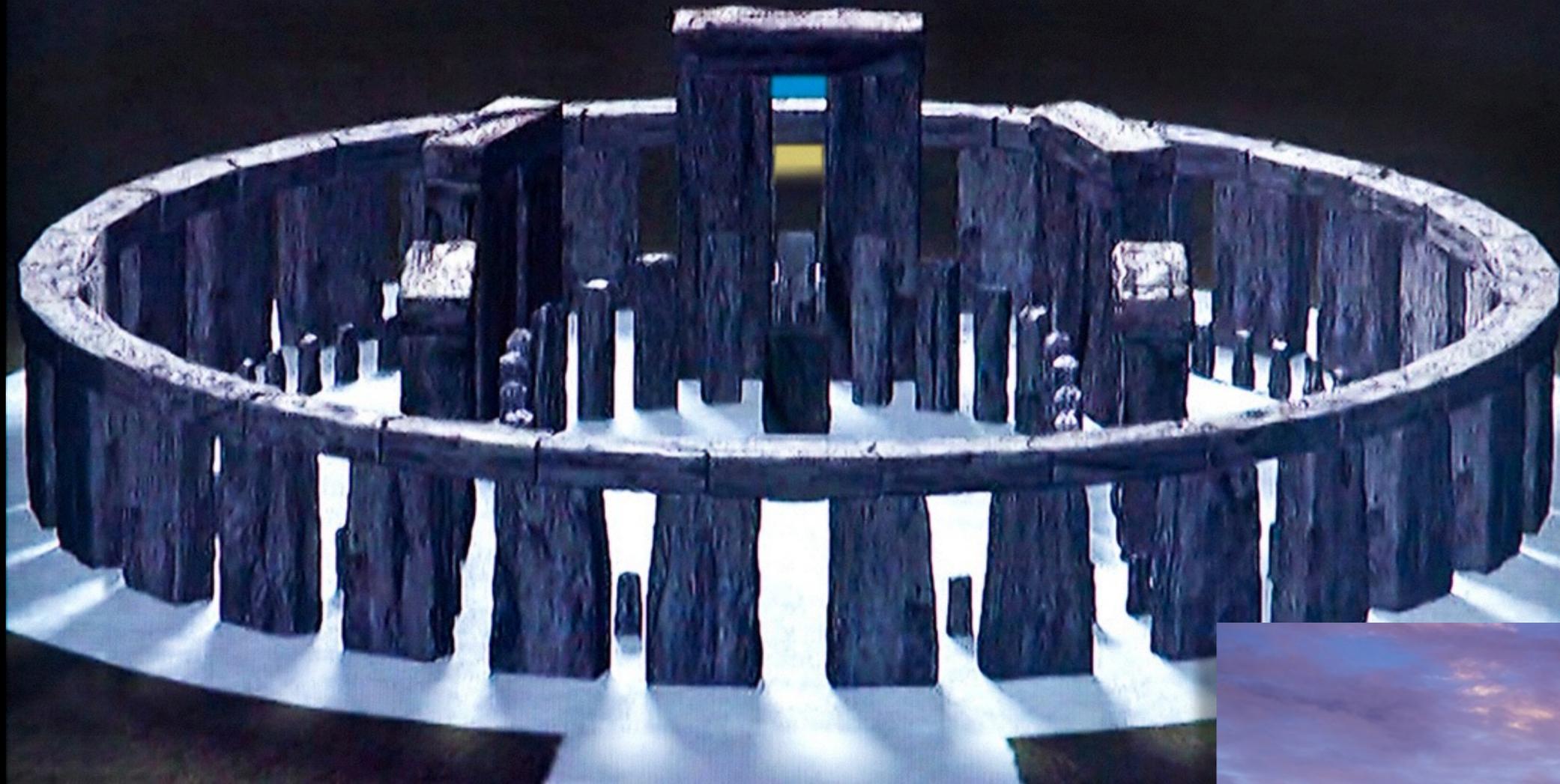
The Book of Mormon was written in “reformed Egyptian” where a triangle means “the Lord.”

### 3 Additional Alignments

1. Sphinx (lion) aligns with Leo due east
2. It also aligns with Regulus at 26.3 degrees
3. The pyramid’s 4 star shafts align with relevant heavenly bodies (see paper by same name - “7 Heavenly Witnesses”)



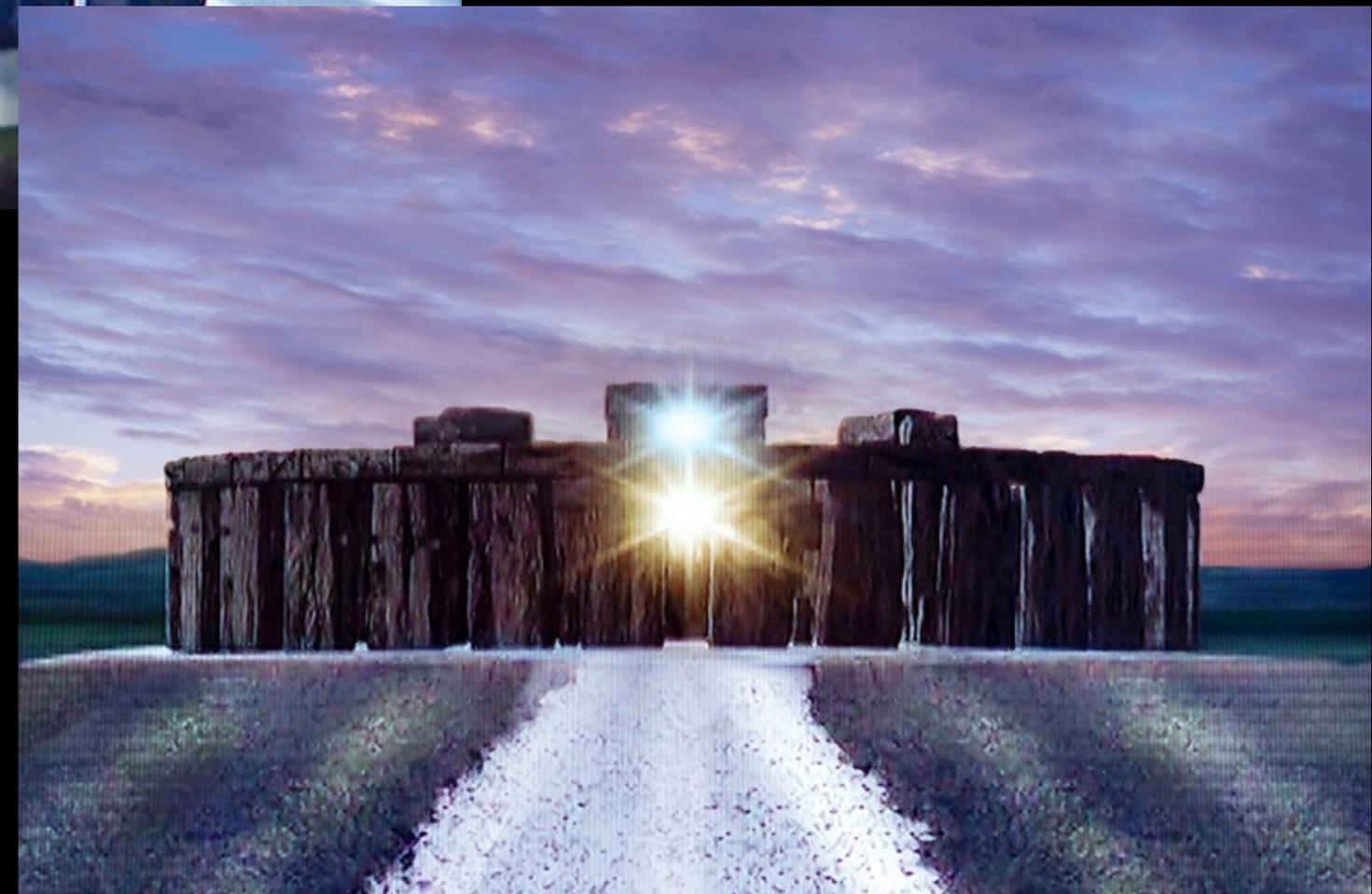
It is 9 months from the Winter Solstice to the Fall Equinox: Rosh Hashanah (Trumpets)



The moon sets in the higher window, while the sun sets in the lower window - at the winter solstice sunset, longest night of the year, with the return of light (in longer days) thereafter.

### The Festival of Lights: Hanukkah

The insightful numbers embedded in this creation are decidedly female and lunar, the two U-shaped circles of stone mirroring the female womb. Both point to the east horizon, the place of the summer solstice sunrise and the male seed of light.



## How Can God's Servants Prepare for their Last-days Missions?

There are two simple steps in becoming a useful servant of and for the LORD. It begins with (1) **loving "God" (our Savior, Father and Mother) with all our heart, might, mind, and soul**. This is **the first and great commandment** addressed in Old Testament (see Deut. 6:5 & 10:12). Jesus taught this law to a scribe and a lawyer during His mission in Jerusalem. They asked Him what the greatest of all commandments was. He taught this important principle there, as recorded in the New Testament (see Mark 12:28-33 & Luke 10:25-28). **Doing the will of God in "all things"**, rather than our own will, is the real measure of our love for them. Jesus said, "if ye love me, keep my commandments (John 14:15). This is addressed well in the three sets of scriptures below. Those in the book of John feature our Savior's submission to the Father as an example to us.

1. Matthew 6:10 / Yeshua's prayer to the Father, that all things here on earth may be done **as they are in heaven**
2. John 4:34; 5:30; 6:38-40; 7:17; 8:28-29; 1 John 5:14-15 / Our LORD's example of **submission** to the Father
3. Mosiah 5:5 / King Benjamin's address to his people, where all made a covenant with God to **do His will**

Second, (2) we must also keep **the second great commandment** (which is "like unto the first"), which is to **love others as we love ourselves**. The LORD also addressed this second great commandment in the Old Testament (see Lev. 19:18 & 34). The purest form of this love for our brothers and sisters is called "**charity**, the pure love of Christ" (Moroni 7:47). It is best taught by the LORD Yeshua in both His words and deeds *and* by Moroni at the end of the Book of Mormon. It is at the end of the Book of Mormon that Moroni teaches us this law as summary of "the doctrine of Christ". He then removes the responsibility for living it - from his shoulders and onto ours - by **shaking his garments free of our blood and sins**, as he has taught us true doctrine - "the doctrine of Christ" that is centered upon it (see Ether 12:34, 37-38). He informs us that "laborers in Zion" must labor "for Zion" using Charity in their service, or they will not be successful.

## Pure Love like the Love of Yeshua

Having **charity** (the pure love of Christ) is what qualifies us “for the work” – God’s work (D&C 4:5). This path is called “**the way**” in Moroni 7:21 and 21-32. He adds that we cannot have “**salvation**” without it (Moroni 10:21) nor “**inherit**” a place in the mansions of the Father” (Ether 12:32 & 34). **Charity** is the greatest of all gifts of God (Moroni 7:46). We are in essence nothing without it (2 Ne. 26:30-31; Alma 34:29 & Moroni 7:46). We are encouraged to seek this great gift above all others, by “praying unto the Father with all energy of heart” (Moroni 7:48). Note the following scriptures by LORD Yeshua, Moroni, and others.

Isa. 1:17 & 58:6-11	God requires charity as part of our sacrifice in service to our brothers and sisters.
1 Cor. 16:14; Col. 3:14	All things in service to them is to be done with charity
James 1:27 & 1 Pet. 4:8	It is “true religion” and “will cover a multitude of sins”.
D&C 4:5	Only with charity are we called into God’s army of laborers in His last-days work.
D&C 88:125, 133	We must “clothe ourselves” with “the bond of charity” to be good servants in it.
Mosiah 4:16	Our Service to others should involve meeting the needs and wants of others.
Ether 12:34	With charity, our garments may be made clean in the blood of the Lamb
Moroni 7:44-48	Moroni provides a beautiful definition of what charity is & how we must pray for it.
Moroni 10:20-21	Moroni concludes his teaching in the Book of Mormon by again addressing charity.

Seven of the 10 Exodus plagues repeat in the Book of Revelation plagues. Note that 5 of the initial “1/3 portion Trumpet Judgments” in Revelation, chapters 8 and 9, repeat again in the later chapters of Revelation with **total judgment** and **complete destruction** and **death** in chapter 16. They are called the **Bowl Judgments** (which are full of wrath). These 5 repeating judgments include, 1. Water Turning to Blood, 2. The Killing of Large Animals, 3. Hail and Fire falling from heaven, 4. Darkness covering the land, and 5. Death of animals and people (the firstborn in Egypt). These are marked by an asterisk (\*) and the color red in the chart below. The Passover/Exodus judgments (upon the false gods of Egypt) are at left, below. Compare them with the 2 later, last-days judgments in Revelation. This is seen first with the “1/3 - Trumpet Judgments” (below right), followed by the full **Bowl Judgments of God’s “wrath”**.

**10 Passover Judgments or Plagues**  
*of 12 Total Signs or Wonders in Egypt*

<b>*Blood turned to Water</b>	Ex. 7:14-22
Frogs	Ex. 8:1-12
Gnats / Lice	Ex. 8:16-19
Flies	Ex. 8:20-32
<b>*Dead Animals</b>	Ex. 9:1-7
Skin Boils	Ex. 9:8-12
<b>*Hail &amp; Fire</b>	Ex. 9:13-35
Locusts	Ex. 10:1-20
<b>*Darkness</b>	Ex. 10:21-29
<b>*Death</b> (of 1 <sup>st</sup> born)	Ex. 12:21-30

**Some Repeat in Last-days Revelation Judgments**  
*Last-days Judgments on Babylon - New Testament*

*Below Left: 1/3 Trumpet Judgments / Below Right: 7 Bowls of Full Wrath*

<b>*Blood turns to Water</b>	Rev. 8:8-9 / Rev. 16:3-7
Frogs	- - - / Rev. 16:12-14
<b>Gnats / Lice</b>	- - - / - - -
<b>Flies</b>	- - - / - - -
<b>*Dead Animals</b>	Rev. 8:7-9 / Rev. 16:3, 8
Skin Boils	- - - / Rev. 16:1-2, 8
<b>*Hail &amp; Fire</b>	Rev. 8:7, 11-19 / Rev. 16:17-21
Locusts (demons)	Rev. 9:1-11 / - - -
<b>*Darkness</b>	Rev. 8:12 / Rev. 16:10
<b>*Death</b> (wicked)	Rev. 9:13-16 / Rev. 16:1-21



See  
“Passover: The Real Story”  
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**Sign #1.** The 1st of the 12 signs or wonders in Egypt featured God turning Moses’ Rod (given to Aaron) into a serpent, a symbol of our LORD’s great *wisdom* along with His superior power of *healing* and *resurrection*, as symbolized in the later raising up of the serpent on a pole by Moses in the wilderness (Num. 21:9). Pharaoh’s magicians (false priests operating in “priestcraft”) duplicated this 1st miracle or sign (and 2 more), their staffs also turning into serpents (see Ex. 7:10). This revealed that Satan and his servants have some, power, though it was limited.

**Sign #2.** God’s serpent then swallowed up the serpents of the false priests, symbolizing His much greater power and wisdom (Ex. 7:12). God then protected His people in Goshen while sending 10 increasingly severe judgments upon Pharaoh, the priests, and the false gods of Egypt.

#### 10 Additional Signs with Judgments (on Egyptian Idolatry)

**Sign #3.** All waters (rivers, streams, pools, filled pots) turned to blood for 7 days (Ex. 7:17-25).

**Sign #4.** Frogs emerged from the waters in great numbers, entering Egyptian homes (Ex. 8:2-6).

**Sign #5.** Lice originated in the dusty land of the earth (Ex. 8:16-18). Moses used his rod to smite the dust, causing “venomous insects” to emerge from it (lice and later flies).

**Sign #6.** Swarms of flies infested the entire land, including beasts and people (Ex. 8:21-24).

**Sign #7.** Death was sent among large animals the cattle, oxen, and other livestock in Egypt (Ex. 9:3-7).

**Sign #8.** Moses blew ashes into the air. It landed upon the people and animals, turning to boils and sores (Ex. 9:8-11)

**Sign #9.** Hail rained down from the sky mingled with fire (Ex. 9:18-20). Flax & barley were destroyed, not wheat & spelt.

**Sign #10.** Locusts came with the east wind, darkening the sky like a destructive storm, eating remaining plants not killed by the hail and fire (Ex. 10:4, 12-15). All plant life gone!

**Sign #11.** Sunlight was taken from Egyptians during 3 days of darkness (Ex. 10:21-23), Israelites had light in their dwellings.

**Sign #12.** Death came upon the firstborn of all large beasts and people, including Pharaoh’s firstborn son (Ex. 11:4-6).

**Apep** – The serpent Apep was one of the chief male gods of Egypt. He is tied to **Satan as the Serpent** in the Passover story. He began as the fallen angel Lucifer who was cast to earth becoming Satan. In the Egyptian temple drama the serpent was called Apophis, Typhon, and Set (brother of Osiris). In the Bible he is often called Baal, tied to the **Sun** and the male generative powers of the phallus (symbolized by pillars and pylons at temples). Roman Emperor Constantine worshipped the sun god. His holy day or Sabbath is **Sunday** (not the 7<sup>th</sup> day of the Creator God – the Great I AM).

**Wadjet** – This female Egyptian god is symbolized by the Uraneus motif, worn on the crown of Egyptian Pharaohs. Uraneus is the goddess of Lower Egypt, a protector and the daughter of the **sun** god, Re (Baal in the Bible). Re, Wadjet, and the other false gods of Egypt could not protect Pharaoh, the priests, or the Egyptian people from God’s great power.

#### 10 Additional False gods in Egypt

**Hapi** – Egyptian god of the important Nile river, he was a water bearer, the personification of the flooding Nile.

**Heqet** – Egyptian goddess of fertility, pictured with the head of a frog. She is associated with water and renewal.

**Geb** – Egyptian God of the earth and its dust. He was the husband of Nut, Egyptian goddess of the sky. They are comparable to Adam and Eve.

**Khepri** – Egyptian god of creation, pictured with the head of a fly, with ties to movement of the sun and its rebirth

**Hathor** – Egyptian goddess of love and motherhood, pictured with the head of a cow, Apis had the head of a bull

**Isis** – Egyptian goddess of medicine and peace, and wife of Osiris, their son was Horus

**Nut** – Egyptian goddess of the sky, wife of Geb. She is pictured arching over Geb as a domed-like firmament.

**Shu** – Egyptian god of the sky, wind, and air. He is Nut’s father, who tried to keep Nut and Geb apart. Their union results in duality, with Set opposing & killing Osiris.

**Ra** – Primary Egyptian creator god, tied to the sun. The sun marks seasons, the moon marks week days and months.

**Pharaoh** – Egypt’s kings or Pharaohs were gods, and their firstborn son was the next god or king over Egypt.

All of God's judgments are focused upon those remaining in Babylon in the last-days, those unfaithful to the Bridegroom Jesus Christ. They are fully entrenched in the ways of "the great whore Babylon" (Rev. 18-19). Note the three consecutive sets of judgments coming upon modern-day "spiritual Egypt and Babylon" in the Book of Revelation. They are (1) the **7 Seals**, (2) the **7 Trumpets**, and (3) the **7 Bowls** or full wrath judgments. Seven of these judgments mirror those called "plagues" today in the original **Passover** in Egypt.

**The 7 Seals - Lamentation** tied to "*the decreed judgments*" of the King of the Universe (Rev. 6)

- 1st Seal - White Horse                      Religious deception in those dressed in white (see also 1 Nephi 8:5-8)
- 2nd Seal - Red Horse                        Bloody Wars
- 3rd Seal - Black Horse                      Famines
- 4th Seal - Pale Horse (yellow-green):    Pestilences
- 5th Seal - Altar of Martyrs: 1. Abel murdered by Cain / Gen. 4:10; 2. Isaiah sawed in half / Heb. 11:37; 3. John the Baptist beheaded / Matt. 14:10; 4. Stephen stoned / Acts 7:48; 5. Two witnesses in Jerusalem killed / Rev. 11:3-12; 6. Blood of the Saints / Rev. 17:6 & 19:2; 7. Those martyred because they will not worship the beast or take the Mark of the Beast / Rev. 13:7 & 20:4)
- 6th Seal - Disasters: Sun darkened, Moon turned to Blood, Storms with Hail, Earthquakes, Wormwood & Comets, Meteors, etc.
- 7th Seal - 7 Angels blow 7 Trumpets at the start of the 7th Seal, signaling the 7 Trumpets Judgments

**The 7 Trumpets – Mourning** tied to "*partial or 1/3 part judgment*" upon various things (Rev. 8 & 9)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Trumpet - Bloody Hail and Fire (1/3 of the vegetation destroyed)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Trumpet - Fireball from Heaven (1/3 of the oceans polluted)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Trumpet - The Falling Star Wormwood (1/3 of all fresh water polluted)
- 4<sup>th</sup> Trumpet - Darkness (1/3 of the light of the Sun, Moon & Stars darkened)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Trumpet - Demonic Invasion (Torment)
- 6<sup>th</sup> Trumpet - Demonic Army (1/3 mankind killed)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Trumpet - Coming Kingdom of our Lord (Ark of the Covenant, voices, earthquake, & great hail)

**The 7 Bowls - Wo's** tied to "*complete judgment*" or God's fullness of wrath upon wickedness (Rev. 15 & 16)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Bowl - Malignant Sores
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Bowl - Sea Becomes Blood, (all sea creatures die)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Bowl - Freshwater Becomes Blood (wicked who drink blood freshwater die).
- 4<sup>th</sup> Bowl - Fire from the Sun (wicked burned by the Son, righteous healed by the Son).
- 5<sup>th</sup> Bowl - Sun Darkened
- 6<sup>th</sup> Bowl - Army of Demonic Spirits
- 7<sup>th</sup> Bowl - Loud Voice from God's Throne - "It is Done!" (Earthquake & terrible Hail)

# God **Governs** His Creation via the Number 12

see Exodus 12

**12** hours of daylight & **12** of darkness are present at the Equinoxes / **12** Zodiac signs rotate around the sun in “the Great Year” and **12** months cycle around in the calendar year. Time is governed by the number **12**.

**12** holy days were given God’s “Firstborn” Israel in God’s holy days calendar in Exodus **12** / 2 + 10

The first 2 of 7 annual holy days (of **12** total) on this calendar were given prior to the **12th** Sign in Ex. **12**.

**12** commandments were given Moses & the Israelites to govern God’s kingdom on earth / 10 + 2 (see JST Ex.)

God had Moses provide **12** blessings and **12** curses tied to these 12 commandments (see Deut. 27 & 28).

**12** Beatitudes of a higher law were later taught by Jesus in the JST, New Testament & Book of Mormon

**12** Signs or wonders given Pharaoh, his Priests & the Egyptians in “the Ordinance of the Firstborn” / 2 + 10

The **12th** sign tied specifically to the Firstborn was given at **12** midnight (*dividing* time between evening & morning)

**12** judgments by the King are given upon last-days idolatry in modern-day “spiritual Egypt” via 11 wo’s and 1 curse in 2 Nephi 28, verses 15-32.

**12 Signs** again in “2 Great Shakings” and “10 Last-days Judgments or Plagues”

See “The story behind the man in sackcloth: 10 Cities in 10 days”

(given in 2017 for the plague today in 2020-21)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JQPesInBec8>

**1. Governing the Measure of Space** There are 12 inches to a foot in the English measure of *space* (the measure of the foot of King David of Scotland in 1150 AD). Ezekiel's altar was 12 cubits square (Ezek. 43:16). Elijah's altar was made of 12 stones, surrounded by a ditch having 12 barrels of water in it. John described New Jerusalem (God Tabernacle in heaven) as having 12 gates, 12 angels, 12 tribes, 12 foundations, 12 Apostles, 12 stones, and 12 pearls. He describes the measure of this city as a cube of 12,000 furlongs in 3 dimensions.

**2. Governing the Measure of Time** There are 12 hours of light and 12 hours of darkness at the 2 equinoxes, an equal measure of *time* in a day of 24 hours. There are 12 months in the year, and 12 zodiac signs rotating around the sun during "the Great Year," also known as "the precession of the equinoxes." It is 25,920 years, or 12 x 2160 years, the average time each of the 12 signs remains at the eastern horizon. Note also that 2160 is the diameter of the moon in miles. The Tabernacle of David featured 24/7 worship and praise of the LORD. In it there were 12 different singers for each of the 24 hours of the day ( 1 Chron. 25:9-31). Each solar "day" (24 hours or 1440 minutes) the moon cycle is separated by another 12 degrees from it on the 360 degree clock of time (10 minutes per day), resulting in the differing moon phases and the need for recalibration of the 2 time pieces in leap months or leap years.

**3. Governance via Light** God sends His light throughout creation to enliven and then govern it. God is the source of light. The number 144,000 (12 x 12 x 1000) has scriptural ties to beings of light and is one of three ways to express the physical speed of light. There is (1) 186,000 miles per second; (2) 162,000 nautical miles in real-time per second; And (3) 144,000 minutes of arc per grid second or "*the speed of light harmonic*" (Bruce Cathie, *Bridge to Infinity*, p. 8).

**4. Special Servants of Light** Like Paul, there are 12 special *servants* or Apostles called to be "*special witnesses*" of THE Light of the world - Jesus Christ. John tells us that there are 24 Elders (12 couples) surrounding God's throne in heaven (Rev. 4:8, 5:7, 11:2, 19:3). They condescend into mortality for various purposes of the LORD and are close to the family of God. They are "the Noble and Great Ones" (Abraham 3:22-23), the "rulers in the church of God" (D&C 138:55), and the "Arc Angels" of the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> estate. They oversee the 12 hierarchies of angels, which are; 1. Thrones, 2. Arc Angels, 3. Seraphim, 4. Cherubim, 5. Dominions, 6. Virtues, 7. Powers, 8. Principalities, 9. Guardians, 10. Comforters, 11. Holy Animals & Creatures, and 12 Planetary Guardians." making 120 total in Acts 1:13-15. There are to be 144,000 special last-days servants, or 12,000 in each of the 12 Tribes of Israel. They are most likely Messianic Jews (Rev. 7). A second group of 144,000 servants is that of Gentiles Christians, "firstfruits" among the believers, and "redeemed" of God (Rev. 14). Both sets are "virgins" (pure in heart) as the "Bride" of Christ - the Bridegroom, with oil in the lamps (Matt. 25). The mission of both groups of 144,000 is to gather those of light, the "elect" or "house of Israel" back to God through Jesus Christ as the light of the world. Moses set up 12 stones at the base of Sinai to represent the 12 Tribes. He also sent 12 spies (one from each Tribe) into the land of Canaan to investigate it and its current residents.

5. **David's Governance over Worship & his Army** The number 288,000 is seen in King David's standing army of **288,000 soldiers** (24,000 soldiers from each x 12 tribes - 1 Chron. 27). King David also employed **288 "prophetic singers"** at "the Tabernacle of David" (**12 singers x 24 hours** - 1 Chron. 25). They were part of 4,000 total musicians involved in 24/7 worship of the LORD at David's unique worship-center at Jerusalem. Praise-filled music for God was an important and effective tool used against darkness and evil by King David. Similar continual worship is prophesied to return in our day (see Amos 9:11; Isa. 16:5; Acts 15:16).

6. **Governance via God's Law** John addressed God's **"throne" 12 times** in Revelation 5, providing **12 Kingly titles** for Him in the book of John (see #7 below). There are **12 total "commandments"** given in God's law (Deut. 6:4-5; Lev. 19:18; Ex. 20), with **12 blessings or 12 cursings** tied to living them or ignoring them (see Deut. 27 & 28). The LORD taught 12 higher versions of this same law in the **12 blessed Beatitudes** of 2 extra-Biblical texts. Luke addresses only 4 of them in Luke 6, while Matthew lists 9 of them in Matthew 5. Paul addresses 12 total gifts of the Spirit in 1 Corinthians chapter 12. The first 3 are often not seen as gifts (verses 3, 4 & 5, leaving only 9). These same 3 gifts are also found in D&C 46, verses 13-14, 15 & 16.

7. **Governing the Human Body** God created our bodies with **12 governing systems**. They are the Circulatory, Digestive, Endocrine, Integumentary, Renal, Lymphatic, Muscular, Nervous, Reproductive, Respiratory, Skeletal, and Vestibular systems.

8. **Governing with Love, Healing & Deliverance** The LORD Jesus is the Great *Healer* and *Deliverer*, bringing forth the children of Israel from slavery in Egypt at Passover. He has delivered His wayward people over and over again. Throughout the Psalms, David proclaims, "His mercy endureth forever." The Tree of Life has **12 manner of fruits** on it for the healing of the nations (Rev. 22:2). As the great healer, God also inspired **"the 12-Step program"** that provides healing and deliverance for those held captive to drugs, alcohol, pornography, and other additions. The first of the 12 steps addresses the need to place *faith* and *trust* in the living God, stating, "We admitted we were *powerless* over alcohol—that our lives had become unmanageable. Came to believe that *a Power greater than ourselves* could *restore* us to sanity. Made a decision to turn our will and our *lives* over to the care of God..." The LORD taught Moroni that there were 12 characteristics of Charity (Moroni 7:45).

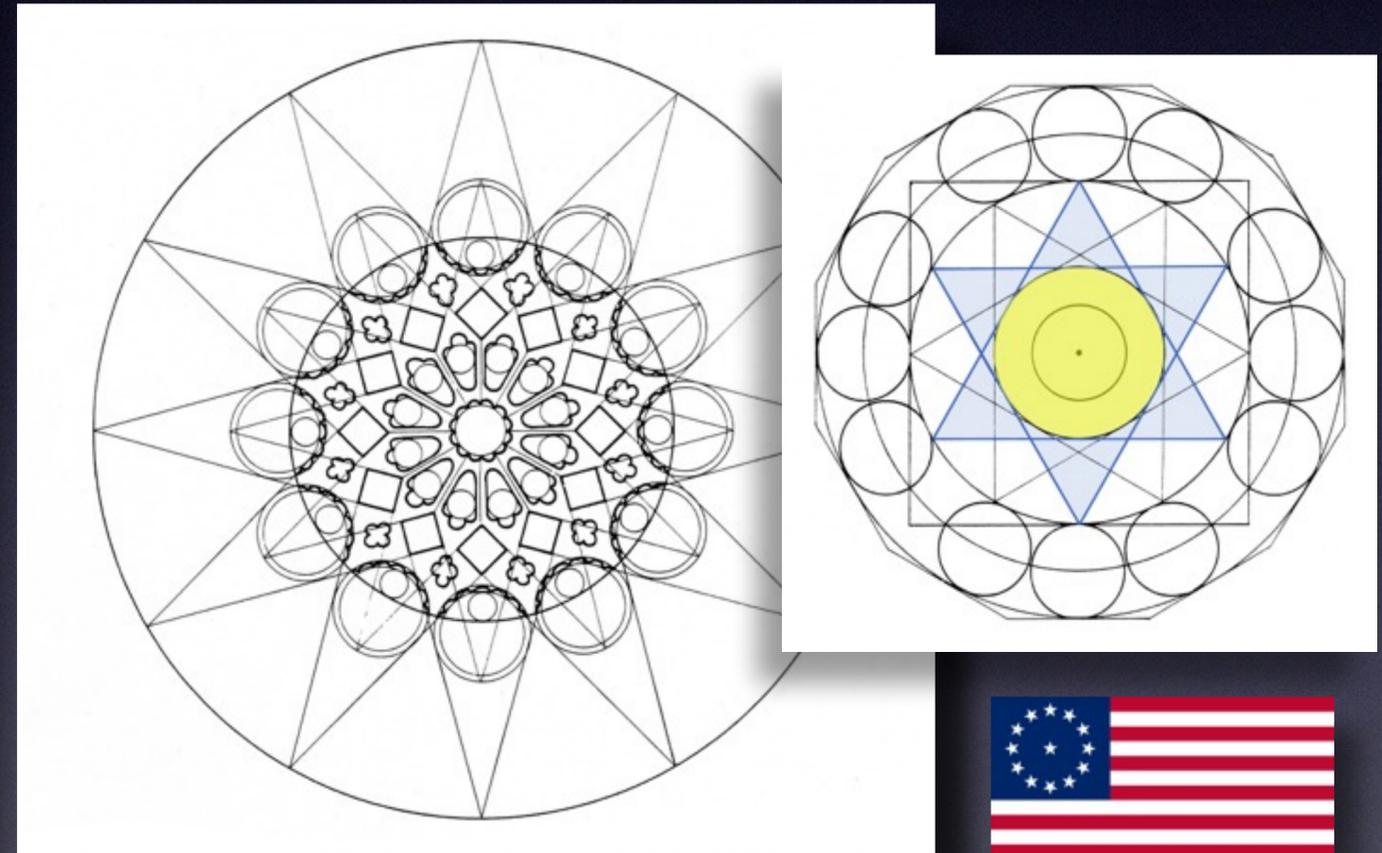
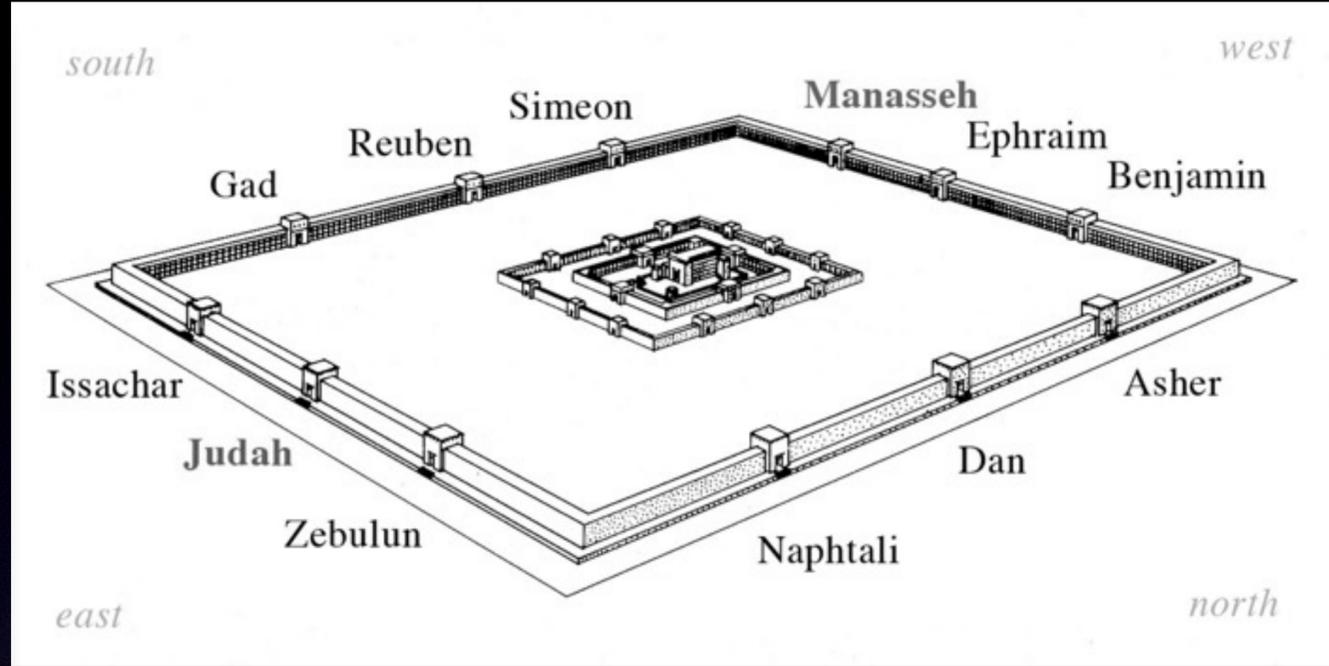
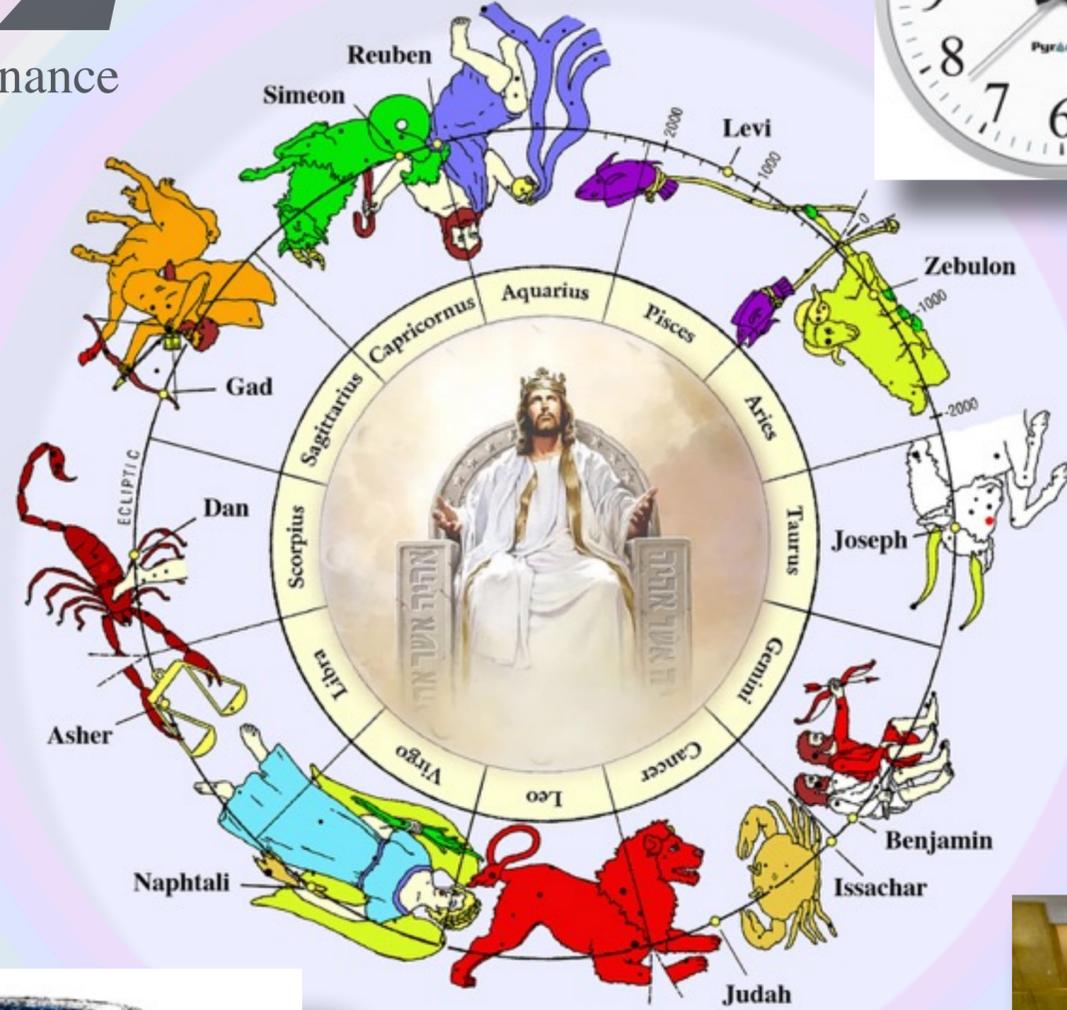
9. **God's Kingdom is set up on the Earth** Matthew addressed **Christ as "King" 12 times**, and with **12 references to His "gospel"**. Christ said He could command **12 legions of angels** to help Him if necessary (Matt. 26:53). John also provided **12 different "divine" titles for Christ**:

The Word (John 1:1)	The Bread of Life (John 6:35)	The Good Shepherd (John 10:11)
The Creator of all things (John 1:3)	The great I AM (John 8:58; 18:6, 8; Ex. 3:14)	The Resurrection and the Life (John 11:25)
The Only Begotten of the Father (John 1:14)	The Light of the world (John 9:5)	The Way, the Truth, and the Life (John 14:
The Lamb of God (John 1:29)	The Door of the sheep (John )10:7	The true Vine (John 15:1

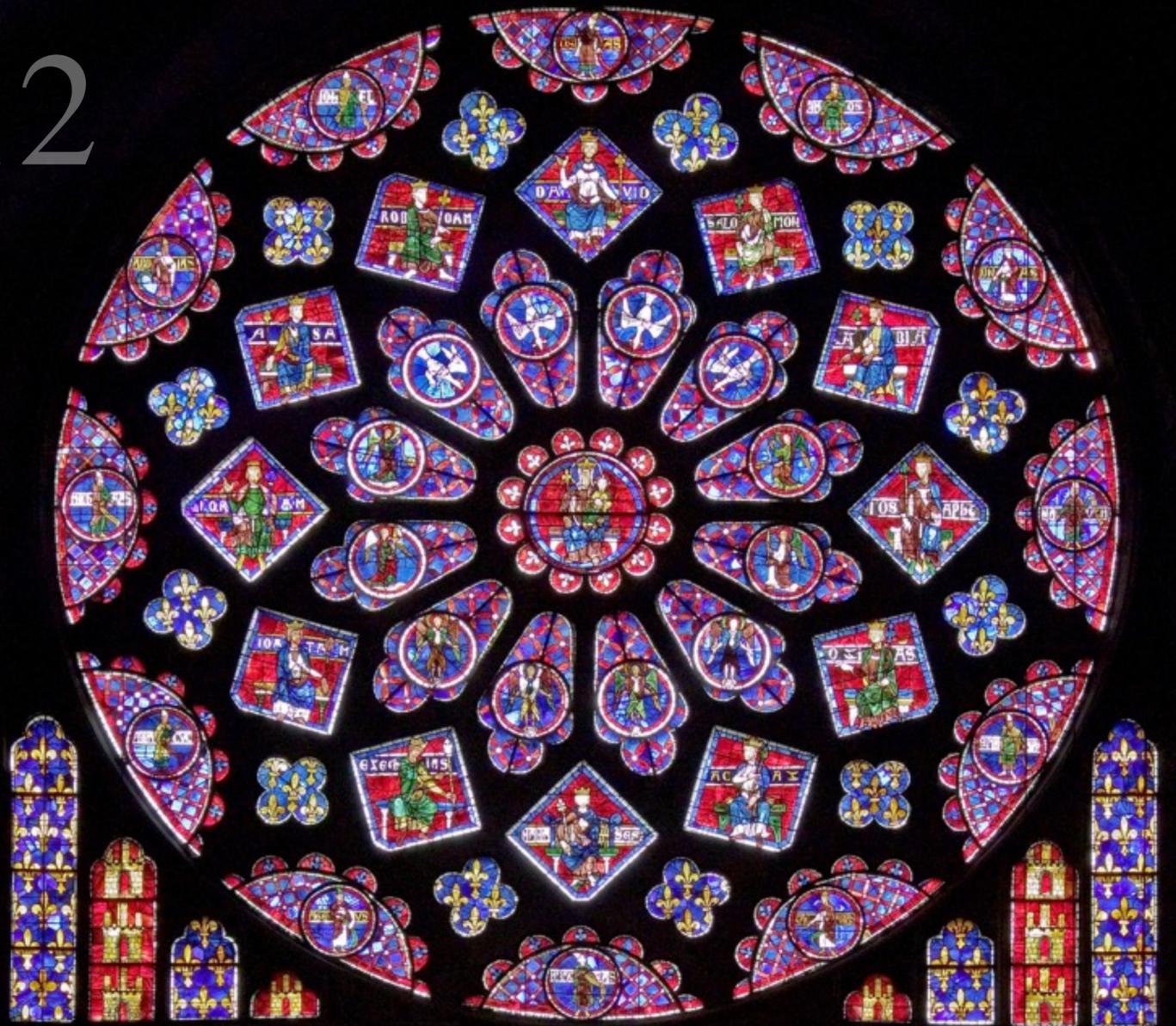
The **12 chapters of the "sealed" book of Daniel addresses true and false worship**, God's control over earthly kingdoms, and the final establishment of an everlasting Kingdom of peace, love, and justice under Christ as King of kings in the last-days. In Daniel 6 we read of **120 jealous princes** who tried to trap Daniel in false worship. Daniel 12:9-13 provides a limited timeline of last-days rule by the beast and false prophet of **1290** total days. Daniel calls those who make it to **1335** days **"blessed."** They will be part of God's kingdom on the earth. Note that both numbers **add up to 12** (or about 3.5 years, also known as "time, times, and a half". Each "time" is 12 months – or 1 year.

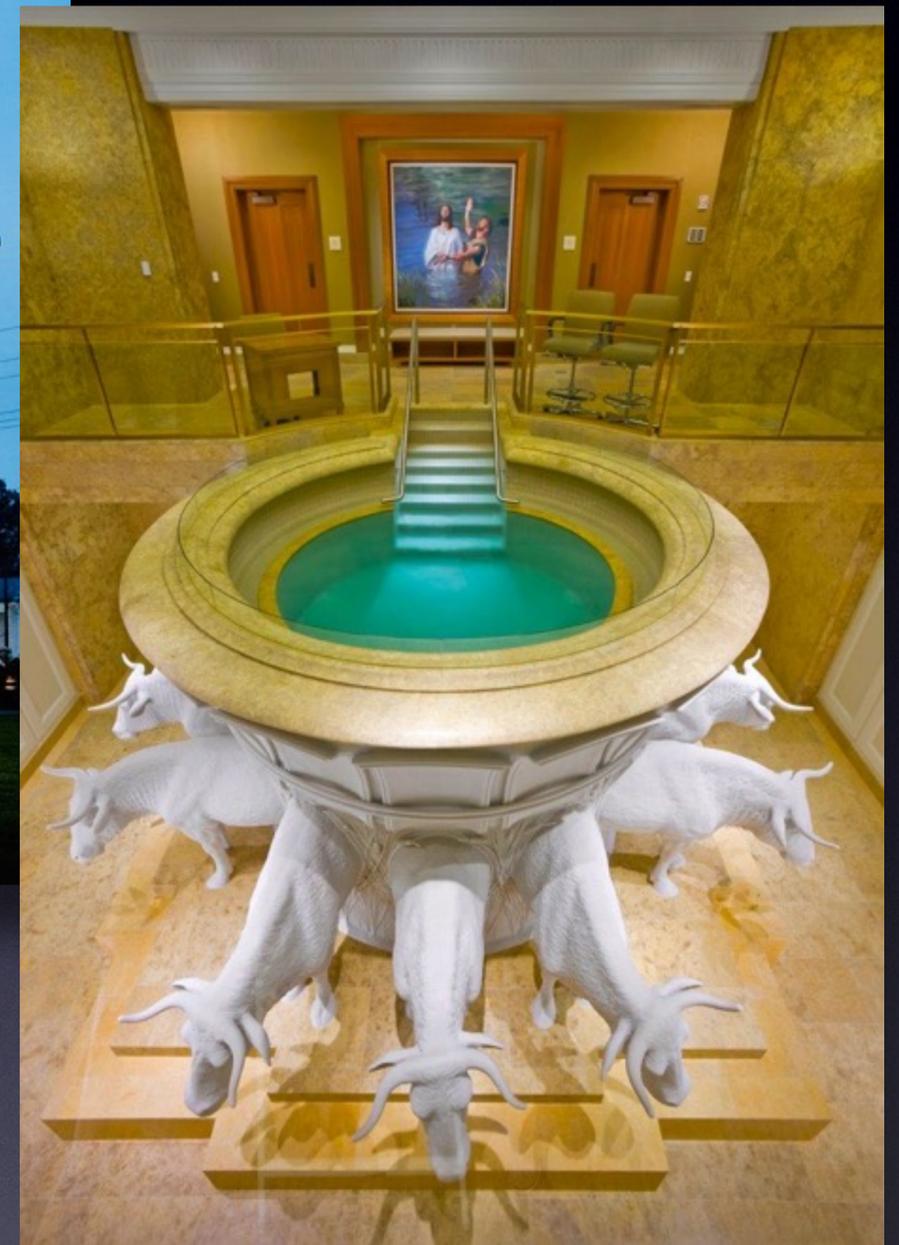
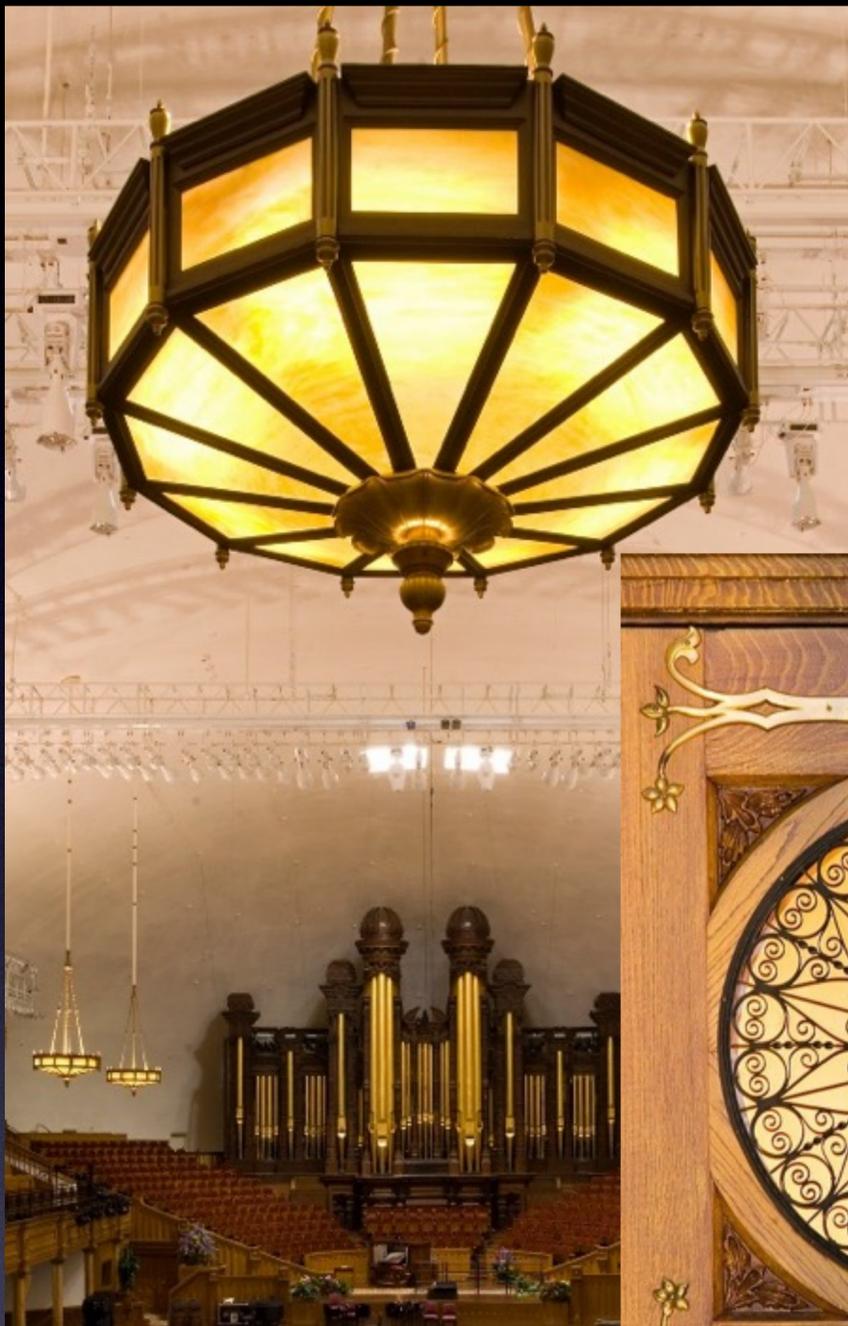
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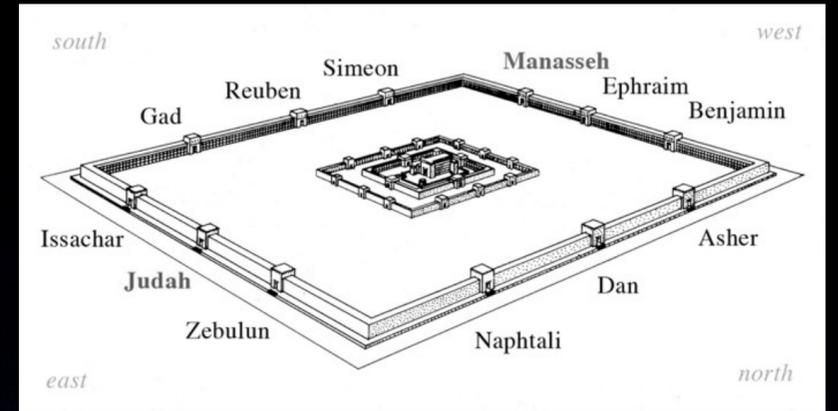
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# The 12 Commandments

Loving God is represented best by keeping **all His commandments**, those in the Old Testament, the New Testament, and other extra-Biblical texts. He said to His most trusted disciples, “**If ye love me, keep my commandments**” (John 14:15). We also receive additional commandments from Him personally in *pure* revelation. God’s written word contains His law for **governing** His *kingdom* on earth. The principle of “**governance**” in His *kingdom* is represented symbolically by the number **12** throughout scripture and much of the modern world. This principle is confirmed by **12** commandments resulting in **12 blessings** or **12 cursings** (Deut. 27 & 28). The “**2 Great Commandments**” are God’s simplest and most important directives. Many believe there were the **higher law** given first in JST Exodus 34. After their sin with the golden calf, the Israelites were given a more detailed law instead in the **10 Commandments**.

“And the LORD said unto Moses, hew these **two other tables of stone**, *like unto the first*, and I will write upon them also, the words of the law, according as they were written *at the first* **on the tables which thou brakest**; but it shall not be according to *the first*, for I will take away **the priesthood** out of their midst; therefore **my holy order**, and the **ordinances** thereof, shall not go before them; for **my presence** shall not go up in their midst, lest I destroy them. But I will give unto them the law as at the first, but it shall be after *the law of a carnal commandment*; for I have sworn in my wrath, that they shall **not** enter into **my presence**, in **my rest**, in the days of their pilgrimage. Therefore do as I have commanded thee, and be ready in the morning, and come up in the morning unto Mount Sinai (JST Exodus 34:1-2).

**The 2 Great Commandments** summarize all others and are given in **both** the Old (Lev. 19:18, 34: Deut. 6:5, 10:12) *and* the New Testaments (Mark 12:28-33; Luke 10:25-28). The first commandment is to love God with one’s whole heart, strength, mind, and soul. The second is to love others. They represent a 2-part summary of what “**to do**”. More **detail** is encapsulated within them as part of the **10 Commandments** (see below) given Moses in Exodus 20. They detail what “**not to do**”. They were written by God Himself on **2 tables of stone** atop fiery Sinai and then given to Moses there. This division into 2 groups is purposeful, as the first 5 commandments detail **how to love God** by eliminating all **idolatry** within us. The second 5 detail **how to love one another**.

## 1. **Love God** with all your heart, strength, mind & soul

1. Thou shalt have **no** other gods before me
2. Thou shalt **not** make unto thee any graven image
3. Thou shalt **not** take the name of the LORD thy God in vain
4. Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy
5. Honour thy father and thy mother

## 2. **Love others** as yourself

6. Thou shalt **not** kill
7. Thou shalt **not** commit adultery
8. Thou shalt **not** steal
9. Thou shalt **not** bear false witness
10. Thou shalt **not** covet thy neighbor’s things

## The 12 “Blessed” Beatitudes in JST Matthew 5 - A Higher Law

1 3 **Blessed** are they who shall **believe on me**; and again,

2. *more blessed* are they who shall **believe on your words**, when ye shall *testify that ye have seen me and that I am*.

3 4 Yea, **blessed** are they who shall **believe on your words**, and *come down into the depth of humility*, and be *baptized in my name*; for they shall be visited with fire and the Holy Ghost, and shall receive a remission of their sins.

4 5 **Blessed** are the poor in spirit, *who come unto me*; *for theirs is the kingdom of heaven*.

5 6 And again, **blessed** are they that mourn; for they shall be comforted.

6 7 And **blessed** are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth.

7 8 And **blessed** are they that do *hunger and thirst after righteousness*; for **they shall be filled with the Holy Ghost**.

8 9 And **blessed** are the merciful; for they shall obtain mercy.

9 10 And **blessed** are all the pure in heart; for they **shall see God**.

10 11 And **blessed** are all the peacemakers; for they shall be called the children of God.

11 12 **Blessed** are all they that are *persecuted for my name's sake*; *for theirs is the kingdom of heaven*.

12 13 And **blessed** are ye when men shall *revile you*, and *persecute you*, and shall say all manner of evil against you *falsely*, **for my sake**.

13 14 For *ye shall have great joy*, and be exceeding glad; **for great shall be your reward in heaven**; for so *persecuted they the prophets* which were before you.



“In the mouth of two  
or three witnesses  
shall every word be established.”

*1 Corinthians 13:1, KJV*

#### The Matthew 5 Account - KJV

1. And seeing the multitudes, he went up into a mountain: and when he was set, his disciples came unto him:
- 2 And he opened his mouth, and taught them, saying,
- 3 **Blessed** are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 4 **Blessed** are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.
- 5 **Blessed** are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth.
- 6 **Blessed** are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.
- 7 **Blessed** are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy.
- 8 **Blessed** are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.
- 9 **Blessed** are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.
- 10 **Blessed** are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 11 **Blessed** are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake.
- 12 **Rejoice**, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven: for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you.

## 12 Beattitudes rather than 9 or 4

#### JST Matthew 5 - KJV

1. And Jesus, seeing the multitudes, went up into a mountain; and when he was set down, his disciples came unto him;
- 2 And he opened his mouth, and taught them, saying,
- 3 **Blessed are they who shall believe on me; and again,**  
**more blessed are they who shall believe on your words, when ye shall testify that ye have seen me and that I am.**
- 4 **Yea, blessed are they who shall believe on your words, and come down into the depth of humility, and be baptized in my name; for they shall be visited with fire and the Holy Ghost, and shall receive a remission of their sins.**
- 5 **Blessed** are the poor in spirit, **who come unto me**; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 6 **And again, blessed** are they that mourn; for they shall be comforted.
- 7 **And blessed** are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth.
- 8 **And blessed** are they that do hunger and thirst after righteousness; for they shall be filled **with the Holy Ghost**.
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- 10 **And blessed** are **all** the pure in heart; for they shall see God.
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- 12 **Blessed are all they that are persecuted for my name's sake; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**
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- 14 **For ye shall have great joy**, and be exceedingly glad; for great shall be your reward in heaven; for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you.

#### 3 Nephi 12 (BM)

1 And it came to pass that when Jesus had spoken these words unto Nephi, and to those who had been called, (now the number of them who had been called, and received power and authority to baptize, was twelve) and behold, he stretched forth his hand unto the multitude, and cried unto them, saying:

**Blessed are ye if ye shall give heed unto the words of these twelve whom I have chosen** from among you to minister unto you, and to be **your servants**; and unto them I have given power that they may baptize you with water; and after that ye are baptized with water, behold, **I will baptize you with fire and with the Holy Ghost**; therefore **blessed are ye if ye shall believe in me and be baptized, after that ye have seen me and know that I am.**

2 And again, **more blessed are they** who shall believe in your words because that ye shall testify that ye have seen me, and that ye know that I am.

Yea, **blessed are they who shall believe in your words**, and come down into the depths of humility and be baptized, **for they shall be visited with fire and with the Holy Ghost, and shall receive a remission of their sins.**

3 Yea, **blessed** are the poor in spirit **who come unto me**, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

4 And again, **blessed** are all they that mourn, for they shall be comforted.

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12 For ye shall have **great joy** and be exceedingly glad, for great shall be your reward in heaven; for so persecuted they the prophets who were before you.

## The 12 Beatitudes in the Book of Mormon - A Higher Law

- 1 **Blessed** are ye *if ye shall give heed unto the words of these twelve whom I have chosen* from among you to *minister unto you*, and to *be your servants*; and unto them I have given power that they may *baptize you with water*; and *after that ye are baptized with water*, behold, **I will baptize you with fire and with the Holy Ghost**; therefore **blessed** are ye **if ye shall believe in me** and *be baptized*, after that **ye have seen me** and **know that I am**.
- 2 And again, *more* **blessed** are they who shall **believe in your words** because that **ye shall testify that ye have seen me, and that ye know that I am**. Yea, **blessed** are they who shall **believe in your words**, and *come down into the depths of humility* and *be baptized*, for **they shall be visited with fire and with the Holy Ghost**, and shall receive a remission of their sins.
- 3 Yea, **blessed** are the poor in spirit who **come unto me**, for *theirs is the kingdom of heaven*
- 4 And again, **blessed** are all they that mourn, for they shall be comforted.
- 5 And **blessed** are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.
- 6 And **blessed** are all they who do **hunger and thirst after righteousness**, for **they shall be filled with the Holy Ghost**.
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# Christ is the Great Deliverer. His Atonement *releases* us from sin, death, and hell.

## *12 Midnight*

The Master was in Gethsemane at *midnight*,  
beneath the full moon of Passover (John 17-18).

At *midnight* the Destroying Angel *released* the Israelites  
in the first Passover, leading to the Exodus (Ex. 11:4)

At *midnight* Peter and Silas were *released* from prison  
by the an angel sent of the Lord (Acts 16:25).

At *midnight* the Bridegroom comes to get the Bride.

We are let into the wedding chamber if  
we have come to “know” Him (see JST Mat. 25).

*Well meaning statements today, not found in scripture, include...*

**“Follow the prophet.”**

**“Look to the Brethren.”**

**“We will not and cannot lead you astray.”**

*In scripture, the Lord has repeatedly stated,*

**“Come follow me”**

2 Ne. 31:12; Luke 9:23, 59; John 10:27, 12:26; D&C 38:22, 100:2

*and He continually invites us to,*

**“Repent and come unto me.”**

*It is His 5 word definition of His doctrine, gospel & church*

D&C 10:67-68; 1 Ne. 10:18-19; 2 Ne. 9:23-24; 28:31-32; Jacob 1:7; Mos. 26:22-24; Alma 5:33-34; Ether 4:7-19; Mor. 7:34; D&C 93:1; 3 Ne. 9:14, 22, 51; 11:14; 12:19-20, 23-24; 27:5-21; 30:1-2

Last Things to Share  
in Connection with the 144,000

*Lisa*

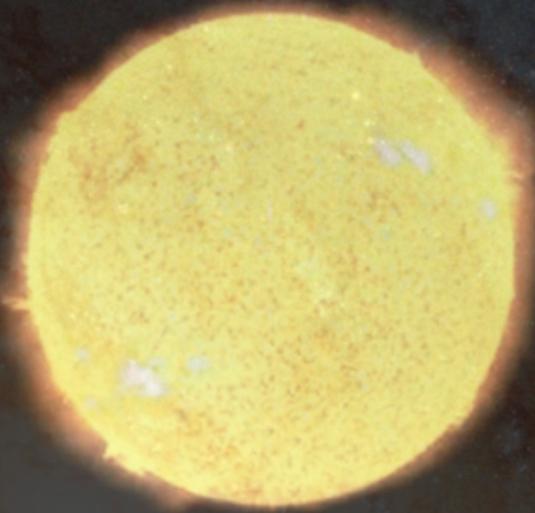
## 2 Nephi 32:8-9

“For if ye would hearken unto **the Spirit which teacheth a man to pray**, ye would know that **ye must pray**; for the devil spirit teacheth **not a man to pray**, but teacheth him that **he must not pray**. But behold, I say unto you that **ye must pray always**, and not faint; that ye must **not perform any thing unto the Lord save in the first place ye shall pray unto the Father in the name of Christ**, that he will consecrate thy performance unto thee, that thy performance may be for the welfare of thy soul.”

# The LORD's Bible Calendar

including the Lunar Sabbath

*Love God by Removing the Idolatry  
of the Great Whore Babylon*



“And God said let there be **lights** in the firmament of heaven to divide the **day** from the **night**; and let them be for **signs**, and for **seasons**, and for days and for years”...And God set them...to **give light**...and to divide **light** from the darkness” (Genesis. 1:14, 17-18).

A better translation of the word “**seasons**” is “***appointed times***,” those tied to God’s *Holy Days*.

*Astronomy 101*

The **Sun** and the **Moon**  
are God's two Faithful Witnesses,  
one for days, one for nights.

*Psalm 89:37*

*The male **Sun** is the marker for **seasons**  
The female **Moon** is the marker for **months and days**  
Background **stars** are tied to years.*

# Holy Days or *Feasts*

*Appointments with the Lord*

<i>mo'ed</i>	“appointed time” or “appointment” with the Lord
<i>miphkad</i>	“appointed place” a city, altar, etc.
<i>chag</i>	a “gathering”, feast, or celebration
<i>chagag</i>	“to move in a circle” or “in a sacred procession” also a <i>cycle</i> , like those in the heavens above or the cycle of the year

**There are 3 Primary Reasons**  
to observe the Biblical Holy Days in our modern world:

1. to express **love for God**, our Creator, Redeemer, Healer, Judge & King - by **remembering** Him through the year
2. by **removing idolatry** in our lives,  
as present in our current calendar
3. that we might be **protected & prepared**  
for what is coming via a covenant relationship with God

God's *Holy Days* separate us from **man's Holidays**.

They reflect where our hearts are, revealing -

*who or what* we worship (ruling over us)

*how* we worship

*when* we worship

God defines “**true worship**” in D&C 93, providing 5 steps to return to Him in verse 1, and addressing *how* and *what* we worship in verse 19, that we might come to Christ and in time receive of the Father’s “fullness.”

## The **Holy Days** have a Historic (past) & a Prophetic (future) Fulfillment

1. They are tied symbolically to **marriage-like relationship with the Bridegroom**.
2. They are a part of **true worship** as they help us **remember** His redemptive mission for us in each Holy Day. Our two Sacrament prayers state our willingness to “take upon us the name of Christ and **always remember Him** and **keep his commandments**,” that we might “always have **his spirit to be with**” us. We fall into **idolatry** when we don’t **remember** and honor the Lord via **performances & ordinances** (see Mosiah 13:29-30).
3. They are **marked by the heavens** in connection with **agriculture** on His calendar & **occur on the actual day of the event**, whereas **Christmas & Easter** are modified, renamed & moved for convenience on our calendar
4. They are “**a sign between Me and you throughout your generations**” (Ex. 31:13 & 17).
5. They are “**ordinances**” on **God’s holy calendar** - to be observed “**forever.**” Addressing Passover, the Lord said, “And this [holy] day shall be unto you for a **memorial** [of the Atonement portion of my redeeming mission]; and ye shall keep it a feast by an **ordinance for ever**” (Ex. 12:14).
6. The four spring Holy Days mark **past fulfilled events** in His redemptive mission.
7. The remaining three fall Holy Days mark **future important events** tied to His Second Coming return (**prophecy**).
8. The Holy Days will be observed again in the Millennium. “...every one that is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall even go up from year to year **to worship the King, the Lord of hosts**, and **to keep the feast of tabernacles**...that **whoso will not come** up of all the families of the earth unto Jerusalem **to worship the King, the Lord of hosts**, **even upon them shall be no rain**. And if the family of Egypt go not up, and come not, that have no rain; there shall be **the plague**, wherewith the Lord will **smite the heathen that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles**. This shall be the punishment of Egypt, and the punishment of all nations that come not up to keep **the feast of tabernacles**” (Zech. 14:16-20).

## *Five Primary Calendars of Note*

1. The pre-8th century calendar / *360-day years*
2. The post-8th century calendar / *365-day years*
3. The modern Hebrew calendar used today / *Saturday Sabbath*
4. Our current Gregorian (Catholic) calendar / *Sunday Sabbath*
5. **God's Bible calendar** / *Marked by the sun, moon & stars  
with 12 Holy Days & no Idolatry*

*Observation of the moon is not part of the 2 modern calendars (#'s 3 & 4).*

God's later Bible calendar effectively **reconciles** three different time cycles and their numbers:

The **Sun** 365.24 days in the *year* / 360

The **Moon** 29.58 days in the *month* / 30

The **earth** 24 hours in the *day* / 2 sets of 12 hrs

It is important to remember that all *prophecy for our day* in the Old Testament (like Daniel) is based on **the older calendar** - or in **360-day years**, not 365-day years!

# 1. The Civil Calendar

*of the King*

at the Start of the Bible

1 Tishri	30 days	our Sept
2 Cheshvan	30	our Oct
3 Kislev	30	our Nov
4 Tevet	29 days	our Dec
5 Shevat	30 days	our Jan
6 Adar	30 days	our Feb
7 Nisan	30 days	our March
8 Ivar	29 days	our April
9 Sivan	30 days	our May
10 Tammuz	29 days	our June
11 Av	30 days	our July
12 Elul	29 days	our Aug

# 2. The Sacred Calendar

*of the Priest*

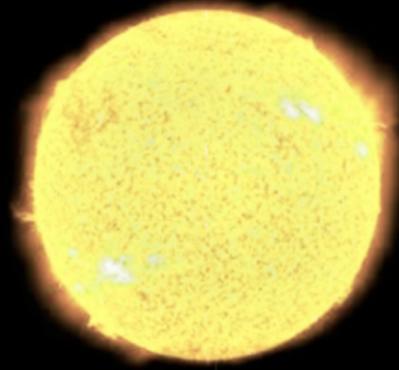
following the days of Hezekiah to the present

1 Nisan	30 days	our March-April
2 Ivar	29 days	our April-May
3 Sivan	30 days	our May-June
4 Tammuz	29 days	our June-July
5 Av	30 days	our July-Aug
6 Elul	29 days	our Aug-Sept
7 Tishri	30 days	our Sept-Oct
8 Cheshvan	29 or 30	our Oct-Nov
9 Kislev	30 or 29	our Nov-Dec
10 Tevet	29 days	our Dec-Jan
11 Shevat	30 days	our Jan-Feb
12 Adar I	30 days	our Feb-Mar
13 Adar II	30 days	<i>our Feb-March</i>

*Periodic extra month to reconcile the moon & sun*

## Worlds in Collision

Researcher Immanuel Velikovsky has shown that all world calendars from the 15th century BC to the 8th century BC had a year of 360 days, featuring 12 months of 30 days each. He saw this in China, India, Babylon, Egypt, Assyria, Greece & Rome, *and* with the Israelites in the Bible, among others. These calendars all changed to 365.242 days, with months averaging 29.5 days thereafter. Velikovsky saw a number of different transitional calendars used in the chaotic time between 747 and 687 BC until our current order settled into place (see Velikovsky, *Worlds in Collision*, Abucus, pps. 323-351). What his and other research suggests, including rock art and stories the world over, is that there has been different configurations in the heavens, and when they have changed, it has been the result of great cataclysms, resulting in new calendars. Prophecy in scripture supports this.



## Calendar Comparison Summary

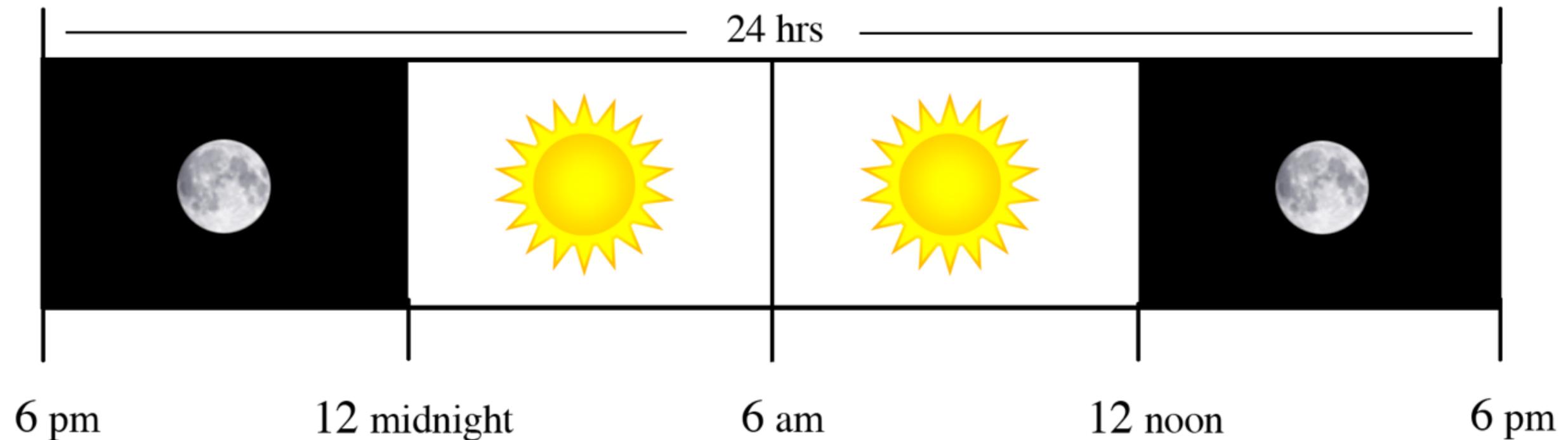
	<b>Gregorian Calendar</b>	<b>Today's Jewish Calendar</b>	<b>God's Original (first) Calendar</b>
<i>Type</i>	Man-made Calculation	Solar + Man-made	<b>Observe the Sun and the Moon</b>
<i>Year Start Date</i>	<b>January 1</b>	<b>Nisan 1 - Spring Equinox</b>	<b>Tishri 1 - Rosh Hashanah / Fall Equinox</b>
<i>Constellation Sign</i>	<b>Capricorn / Goat</b>	<b>Aeries / Ram</b>	<b>Libra / Scales of Justice</b>
<i>Month Start Sign</i>	Day 1 on Calendar	Modified Hillel II Cal	<b>New Moon Conjunction (no moon)</b>
<i>Week Days</i>	Pagan God Names	Pagan God Names	<b>Numbered Days 1-7</b>
<i>Month Name</i>	Pagan God Names	Pagan God Names	<b>Numbered Months 1-12 or 13</b>
<i>Day Definition</i>	<b>Midnight to Midnight</b>	<b>Sunset to Sunset</b>	<b>Sunset to Sunset / Sunrise to Sunrise</b>
<i>Sabbath</i>	<b>every Sunday</b>	<b>every Saturday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 29<sup>th</sup> days</b>
<i>Special Days</i>	Pagan Holidays	Moses' Holy Days	<b>Holy Days tied to Christ's Mission</b>
<i>Work Days</i>	all but Sat / Sun	all but Sabbath & Holy Days	all but Sabbath & Holy Days

# The Biblical Day

6 pm to 6 pm *or* 24 hours

*“and the evening and the morning were the first day”*

(Genesis 1:5)



The female moon and its phase is the visual marker for “**days**” on the Lord’s calendar, appearing the **night** before the **day** following it, as stated in Genesis 1:5.

# God's calendar features three types of "days"

## New Moons - Sabbaths - Work Days

“Thus saith the Lord God; The gate of the inner court that looketh toward the east shall be shut the six *working days*; but on the *sabbath* it shall be opened, and in the day of the *new moon* it shall be opened” (Ezek. 46:1).

<b>New Moon Crescent (7%) 1<sup>st</sup> Day of month</b>	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	<b>Sabbaths</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sabbath is on the 8 <sup>th</sup> day, all others every 7 <sup>th</sup> day thereafter.
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> 1/2 moon waxing (49-56%)
	9	10	11	12	13	14	<b>15</b> Full moon (98 -106%)
	16	17	18	19	20	21	<b>22</b> 1/2 moon waning (49-65%)
	23	24	25	26	27	28	<b>29</b> Final crescent moon (7%)
<b>30</b>							Added day every other month
<b>Dark Moon</b>							Invisible, Conjunction Moon
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> 1/2 moon waxing (49-56%)

# Calendar Scriptures

God's heavenly calendar uses the sun, moon & stars: *Genesis 1:14*

It reveals His glory and beauty & reveals Knowledge": *Psalms 19:1-2*

God's calendar removes Idolatry from our lives: *Deut. 16; Mat. 6:24*

The Holy Days on it are "Ordinances": *Ex. 12:14, 17, 24 & 29*

They are to be observed "Forever": *Ex. 12:14*

They help us "Memorialize" or "Remember" the Lord: *Ex. 12:14*

They are not be changed": *Jer. 31:35-37; Daniel 7:25*

They are special "Appointment" times between God & Man: *Gen. 14*

They are a "Sign" of God's covenant people: *Ex. 31:13*

We will return to them in the Millennium: *Zech. 14:9, 16-17*

The calendar was Repaired: (an equinox re-alignment at the temple) *2 Chron. 29:3*

The Months were once 30-days long: *Deut. 34:8, 21:13; Num. 20:29; Gen. 7:11, 24; 8:4*

*There are **12** major **Holy Days** (12 is the number of “governance” / time)*

### **3 Sabbaths**

7th day of the week **Sabbath** / *Rest*

Sabbath Day of Rest (*which day?*)

7th **Sabbatical** or Shemitah Year / *Release*

Sabbatical Year of Release **2015**

7 x 7 **Jubilee Year** / *Restoration*

Jubilee Year of Restoration **2016**

### **7 Annual Holy Days**

**Passover** / *Atonement* - *Lamb's blood provides a release from bondage* / *Bride purchased*

**Feast of Unleavened Bread** / *Burial* - *put away sin*

**Feast of Firstfruits** / *Resurrection* - *offer up the first fruits of the season (firstborn)*

**Feast of Pentecost** / *Receipt of the Spirit* - *outpouring of the Holy Spirit* / *Engagement & gift*

**Trumpets** / *Repentance* - *the day of the Coming of the King* / *Marriage*

**Day of Atonement** / *Atonement* - *High Priest makes Atonement for Israel* / *Blood spilled*

**Feast of Tabernacles** / *Joyous Enthronement of the King & Queen* / *Marriage feast*

### **2 New Year's Days**

**Civil New Year's Day** / *Kingly* - *at the Fall Equinox (New Moon anciently)*

**Sacred New Year's Day** / *Priestly* - *at the Spring Equinox (New Moon anciently)*

**The Marriage Symbolism throughout Scripture is about a love and a close **relationship** with **God** - **not** religion & law**

1. **Passover** (Atonement)

*Price paid for the Bride (redemption).*

2. **Pentecost** (Spirit given)

*Betrothal gift given to the Bride (Holy Ghost).*

Wedding ontract entered into (covenant).

*\*Rosh Hashanah*

(civil New Year of the King)

*Wedding & honeymoon.* The night the Bridegroom gets the Bride (midnight), taking her to the place prepared and approved by the Father / *Trumpeting.*  
*Enter the “rest” of the Lord.*

3. **Tabernacles** (Marriage Supper)

*Feast* for invited guests to honor the couple after seven days of the honeymoon.



The Two  
New Year's Days

# Two New Year's Days

Civil New Year's Day - *tied to the King*  
*Fall Equinox, New Moon*

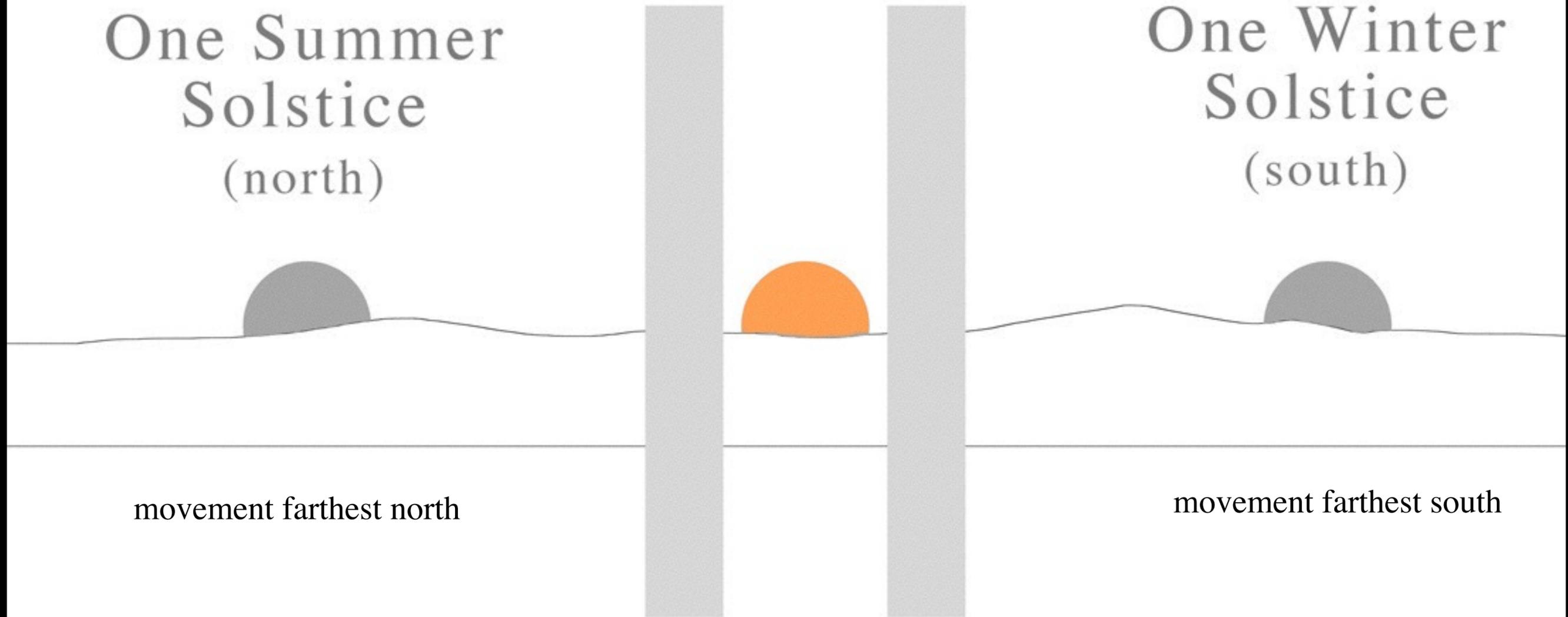
Sacred New Year's Day - *tied to the Priest*  
*Spring Equinox, New Moon*

*The Holy Days are grouped around the equinoxes,  
so too LDS General Conferences.*

# Two Equinoxes (due east & west)

One Summer  
Solstice  
(north)

One Winter  
Solstice  
(south)



movement farthest north

movement farthest south

## Ancient Time Piece

two standing stones & the rising sun position

Position of the sun on the horizon gives us the four seasons.  
The phase of the moon gives us the day, week, and months.

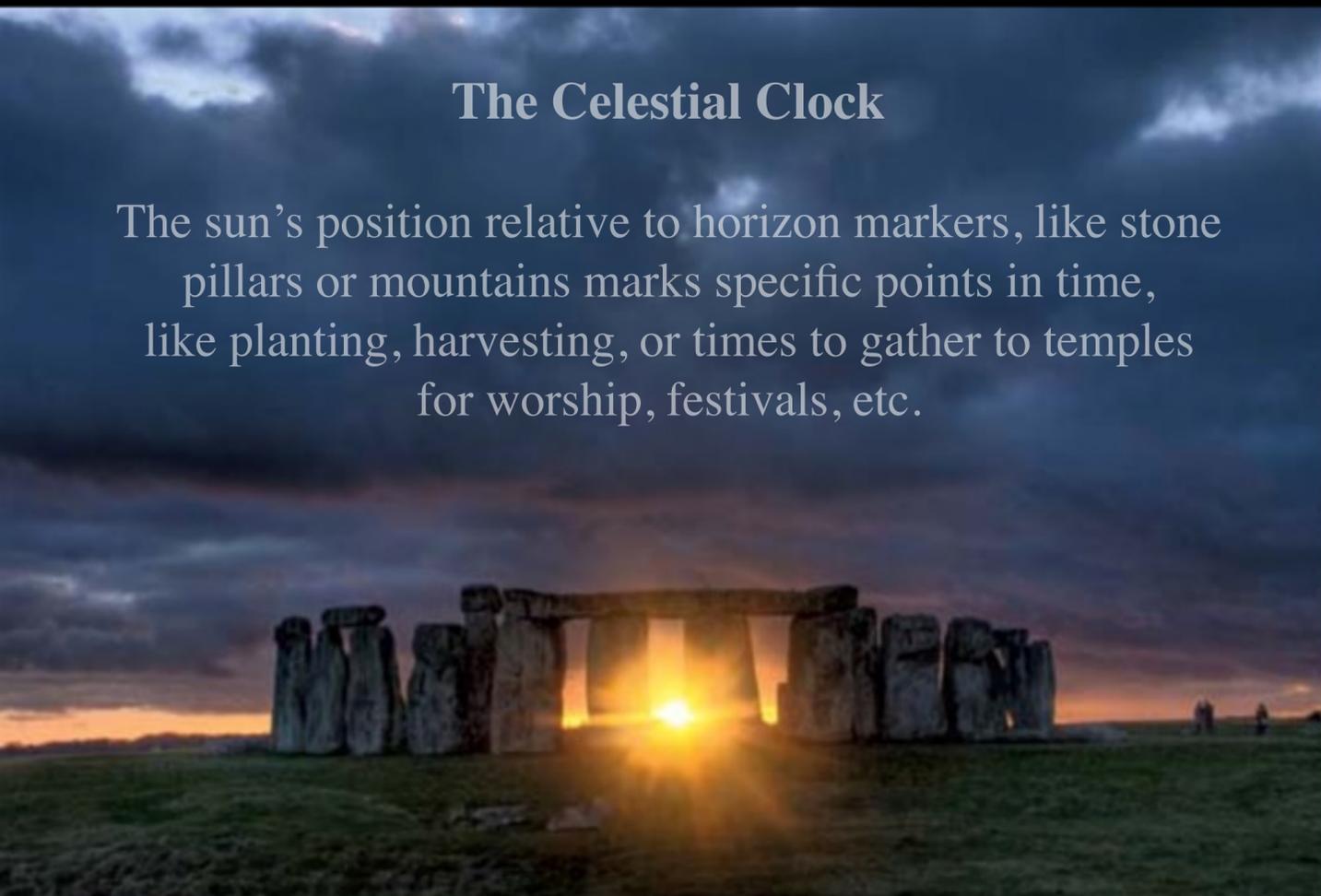


Two New Years Days were marked by the equinoxes in the Bible.



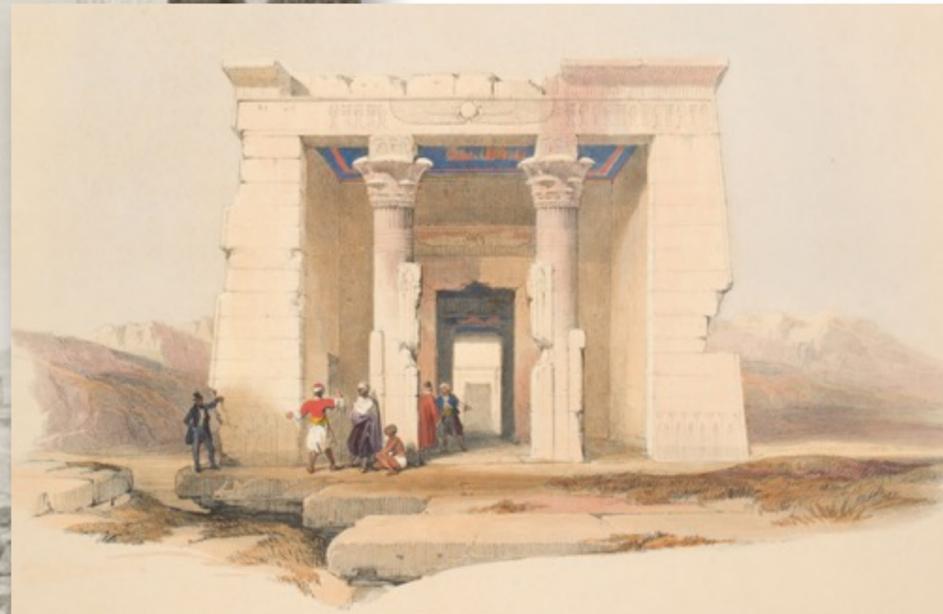
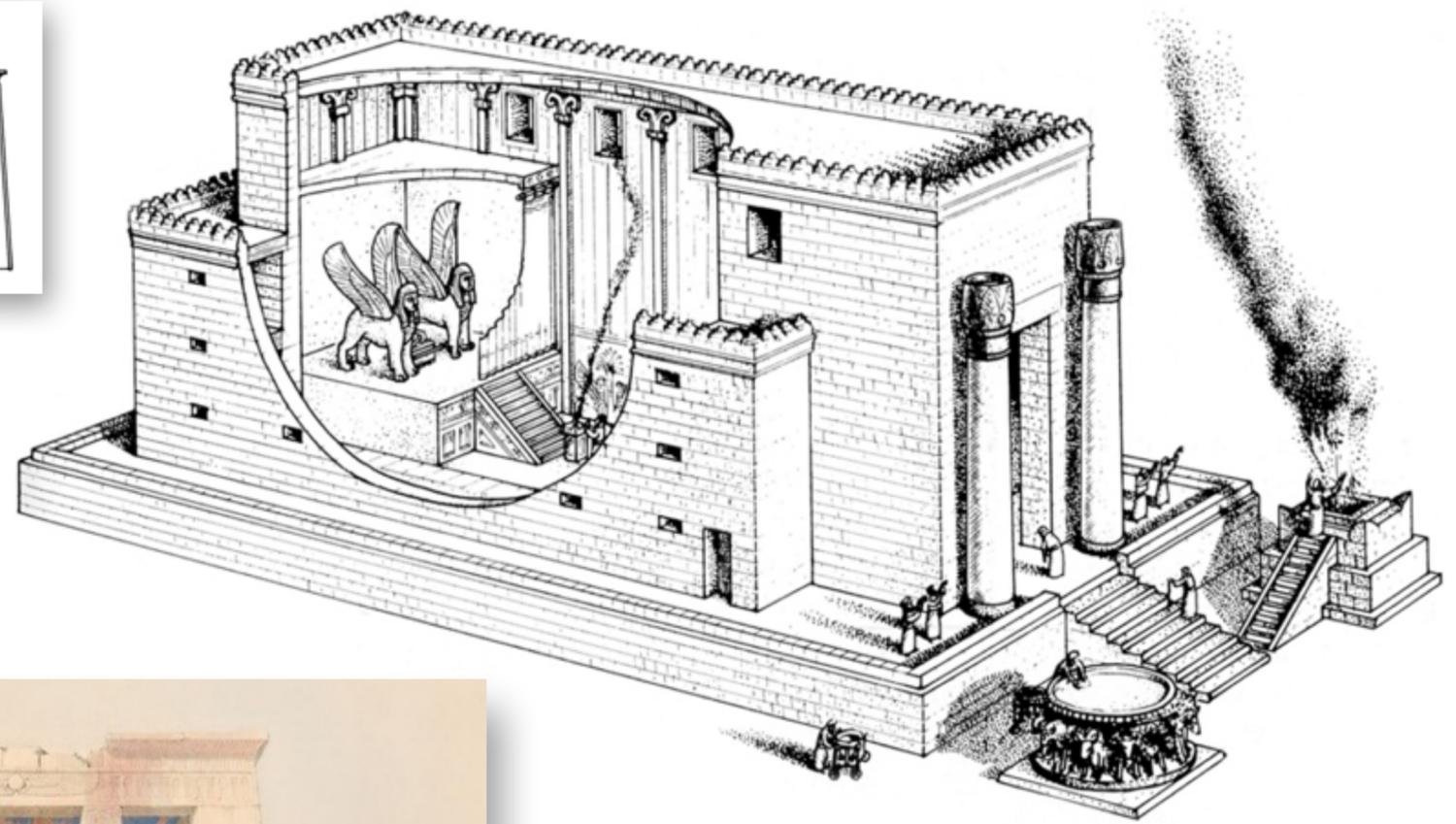
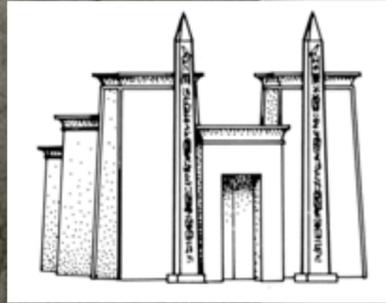
## The Celestial Clock

The sun's position relative to horizon markers, like stone pillars or mountains marks specific points in time, like planting, harvesting, or times to gather to temples for worship, festivals, etc.



Most horizon markers were for equinoxes and solstices

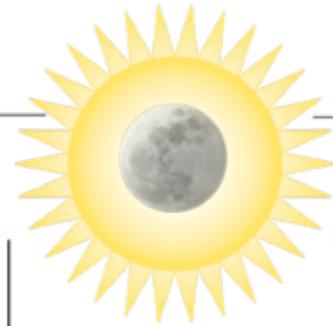
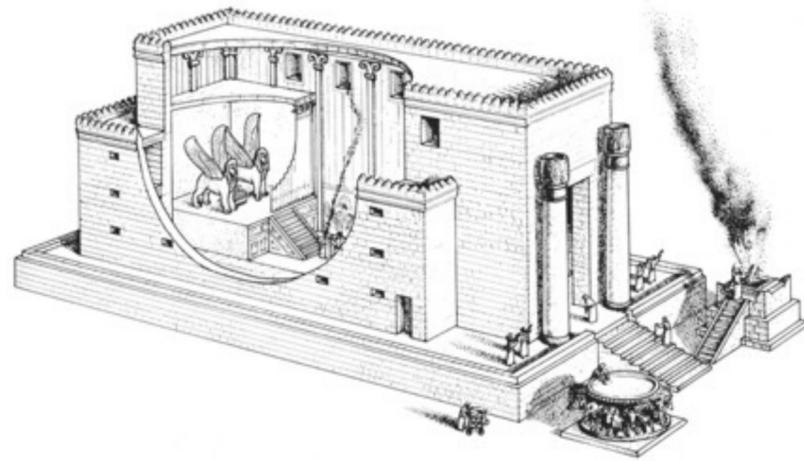




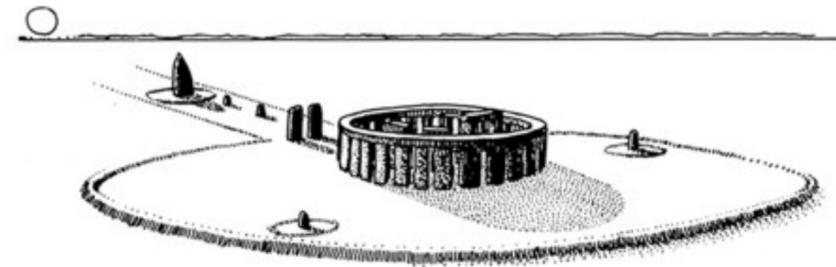
North  
Summer Solstice

Near Due East Sun & Moon

South  
Winter Solstice



7 days of the  
Feast of Tabernacles  
also  
Passover



**Baoz** - "He will establish"

outer

**Jachin** - "in Him is strength"

inner

**Alignment**  
at the  
Sacred and Civil New Year

most holy

Two Equinoxes  
(due east & west)

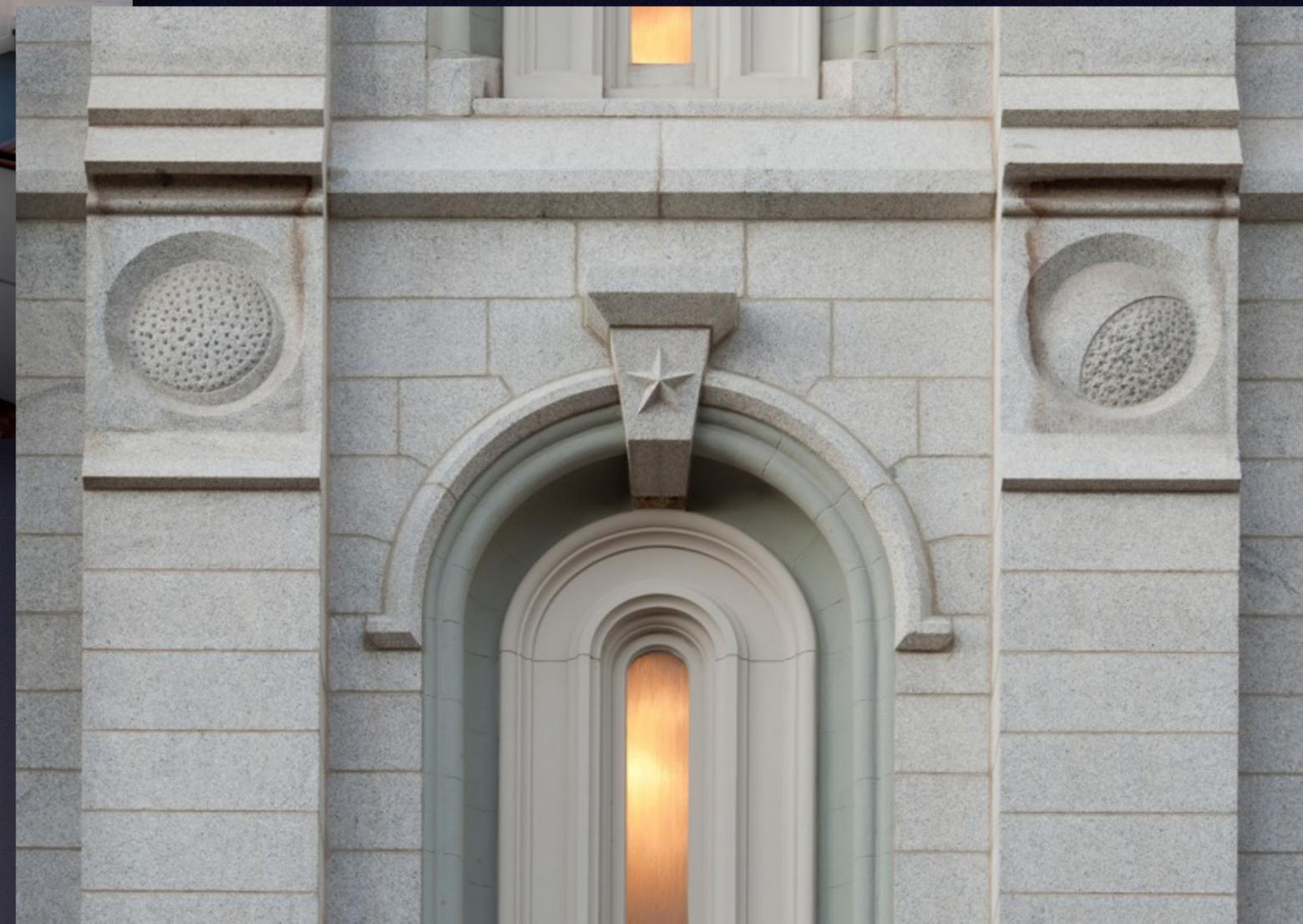
One Summer  
Solstice  
(north)

One Winter  
Solstice  
(south)



**Ancient Time Piece**  
two standing stones & the rising sun position

Solomon's temple may have been oriented 6 degrees north of due east,  
relative to the position of the sun on the east horizon, 2 weeks after the fall equinox at full moon.



Modern application of the rising sun between two covenant pillars

Top left: Kirtland Ohio LDS Temple, 1836

Top right: Nauvoo Illinois LDS Temple, 1843

Bottom Right: Salt lake LDS Temple, 1893

# The 7 Annual Holy Days

# Mercy

*Meridian of Time*  
*Spring Equinox*

# 7 annual Holy Days

1. Passover  
*Liberty - Blood of the Lamb*

2. The Feast of Unleavened Bread  
*Separation - Burial of Christ*

3. Firstfruits  
*Rebirth - Resurrection*



4. Pentecost  
*Gift of the Holy Spirit*

7. The Feast of Tabernacles  
*Kingship - At-one-ment*

5. Trumpets / Rosh Hashanah  
*Civil New Year's Day - Return & Repent*

6. The Day of Atonement  
*Atonement - Sealing*

**Justice**  
*Latter-days*  
*Fall Equinox*



# Mercy

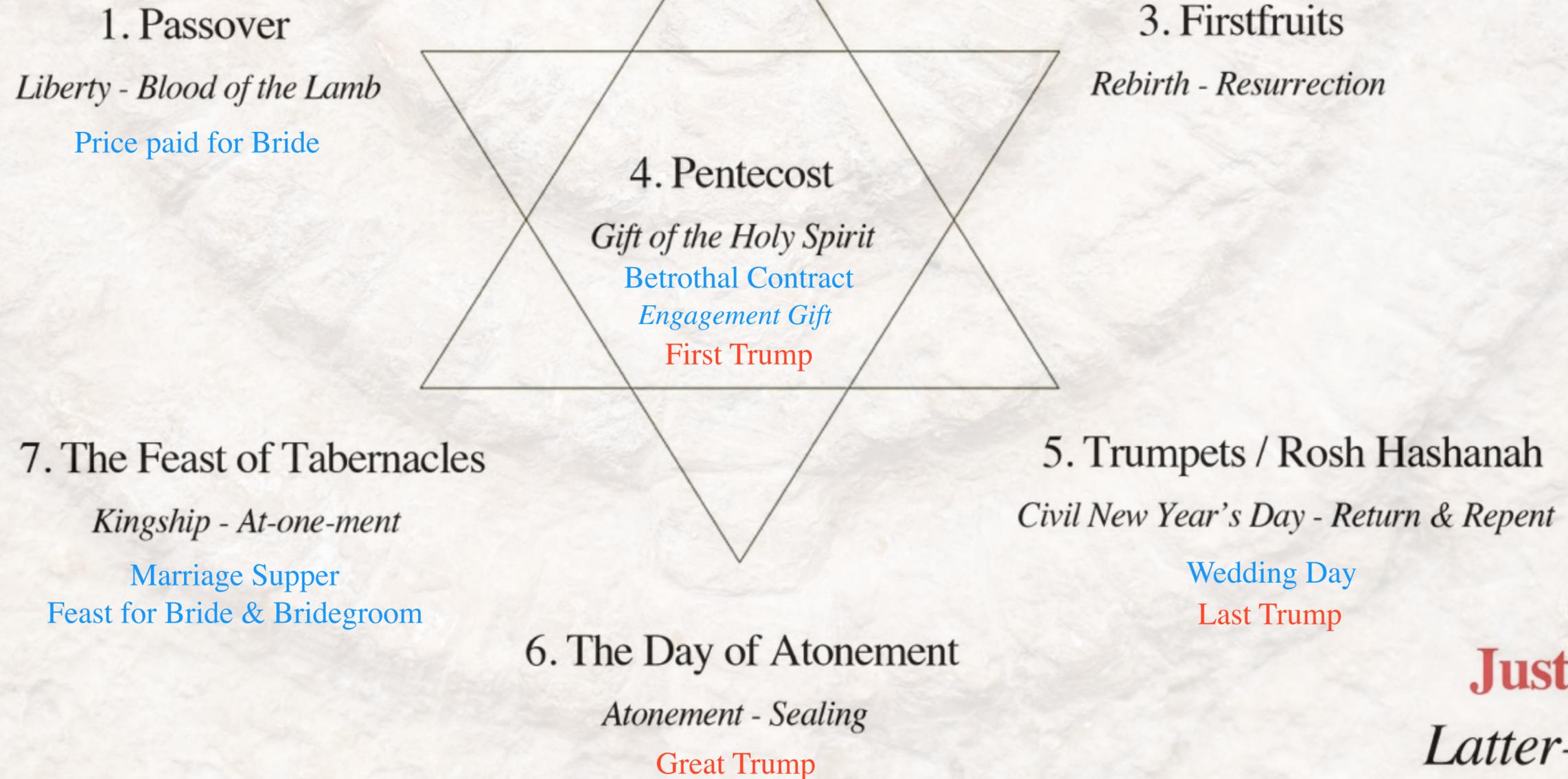
*Meridian of Time*

*Spring Equinox*

*1st month of Nisan*

# 7

# annual Holy Days



# Justice

*Latter-days*

*Fall Equinox*

*7th month of Tishrei*



# Already Fulfilled Holy Days (4, past)

1. **Passover** (*Peasach*) - 1 day / *April 10, 2017*

**The day Christ was crucified** / Israel's deliverance by the blood of the Lamb spread on doorways in a rudimentary Tau-cross / **Price paid for Bride**

2. **Feast of Unleavened Bread** (*Hag HaMatzah*) - 7 days / *April 11-17, 2017*

**The day Christ was buried** (3 days) / The day Israel left Egypt quickly, with no time to leaven their bread

3. **Firstfruits** (*Bikkurim*) - 1 day / *Not celebrated by modern Jews*

**Christ's resurrection day** (death conquered) / Israel's crossing of the Red Sea (Pharaoh killed) third day after the crucifixion

4. **Pentecost** (*Shavuot*) - 1 day / *May 31, 2017*

**God pours out His Spirit** / God gives the Law & Covenant at Sinai / Marriage contract / Bridegroom gives the Bride an engagement gift or **endowment** of His Spirit / HG given to the the New Testament Saints prior to their missions. The Kirtland, Ohio Saints received this same outpouring of the Spirit before their missions too.

# Remaining Prophetic Holy Days

New moon

5. **Rosh Hashanah** (*Trumpets*) - *Civil New Years Day* - 1-2 days / Sept. 21-22, 2017  
1st day of the 7th month / **The day of the coming of the King** / *Civil New Year's Day* of the king, day he was washed and anointed to be king - enthroned later at Tabernacles / 30th day of a 40-day repentance period called Teshuvah / **Day Bridegroom comes to get Bride - Marriage** / **Christ's birthday** in 3 BC / Only Holy Day marked by the New Moon / The day an angel came to Joseph Smith in 1823 to prepare him for Restoration, 7 consecutive yearly visits on this same day (D&C 84 given / JS Pat. Blessing)
6. **Yom Kippur** (*Day of Atonement*) - 1 day / Sept. 30, 2017 / 10th day of 7th month  
**The day the High Priest enters the Holy of Holies to make atonement for all Israel** / Judgment sealed, no more repentance / Holiest, solemn fast day
7. **Sukkot** (*Feast of Tabernacles*) - 8 days / Oct. 5-12, 2017  
**King & Queen enthroned** / Most joyous Holy Day period - 8 days, tied to fall harvest of grapes and other fruits / **Feast celebration for Bridegroom and Bride**

Full moon

# Marriage Symbolism in *the Holy Days*

1. **Passover** (*Pesach / Atonement*)  
**Unleavened Bread**  
**Firstfruits**



Full moon

A price is paid for the **Bride** (her **redemption**)

2. **Pentecost** (*Shavuot / Betrothal*)  
(Jer. 2:2; Ex. 19:8, 21:8; Deut. 20:7, 22:23)

*First Trump*

**Betrothal contract** (Ketubah) entered into with Israel. The **Bridegroom's** engagement gift is given the Bride (His spirit & law)

In the New Testament it was **the Holy Spirit**, a the great outpouring later in Acts 2:1-11 & Hebrews 12:18-19. Though the contract was legally binding, the couple didn't dwell together yet.

**Trumpets** (*Rosh Hashanah / Repent*)

(Psalm 75:5, 81:1-3, 98:6, 118:19-20; Lev. 23:24; Num. 29:1; Isa. 26:2, 58:1; 1 Kings 1:34, 39; Mat. 25:6)

*Last Trump / Civil New Year*



New moon

**Wedding & honeymoon**, the night the Bridegroom goes to get the Bride (*midnight*), taking her to the prepared, place, approved by the Father (John 14:1-3). Marriage consummated (Joel 2:16; Duet. 22:13-21). *Enter the "rest" of the Lord.*

**Day of Atonement** (*Yom Kippur / Seal*)

*Great Trump* (Joel 2:1)

*Judgment & Sealing* unto the day of redemption (Eph. 4:30)

No more repentance. The 40th, final day of Yeshivah.

3. **Tabernacles** (*Sukkot / Marriage Supper*)



Full moon

**Feast held in honor of the Bride and the Bridegroom** after seven days of the honeymoon. Select invited guests are present.

# The 3 Sabbaths

*Rest, Release & Restoration*

The 4th commandment - keep the Sabbath day holy

Paper [www.7witnesses.com](http://www.7witnesses.com) “Serious About the Sabbath”

# The 2 Great Commandments (of 12)

*Matthew 22:37-39*

Our Lord said, “Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.”

## The first 4 of the 10 additional Commandments

*Exodus 20*

1. **Thou shalt have no other gods before me** (the most words, sentences, and paragraphs of all the commandments)
2. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image . . .
3. Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain.
4. **Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy**  
It has the second most words, sentences, and paragraphs of all the commandments

“Verily **My sabbaths** ye shall keep:  
for it is a [covenant] **sign** between Me and you  
throughout your generations;  
that ye may know  
that I am Yahuwah  
that doth sanctify you.”

*Exodus 31:13*

## *Sabbaths & the Number 7*

Daniel, Isaiah, and John the Revelator all use **the number 7** in their prophecies of the last-days. **The number 7** is symbolically tied to a “**full or complete time cycle**” leading to “**spiritual perfection.**” We see it in the following words with “*re*” in them (**renewal**)

1. The **7th Sabbath** day of *rest*
2. The **7th Sabbatical Year** of *release*
3. The **7x7 Jubilee Year** of *restoration* (after **7x7** years, + 1 [*re*-newal])
4. The **7th Millennium** of **REST** for the Lord and His people (see D&C 77:12)
5. Each day the **Moon** has **7% more light** (waxing) or **7% less light** (waning)

The end of the **7<sup>th</sup> Sabbatical** or **Shemitah** (meaning “**release**”) year, for example, is about a “**release**” or “letting fall” of man’s *oppression* of one another and the Earth, tied to *debt*, human *slavery*, hard *work*, etc. The three Biblical “**Sabbaths**” (3 of the 12 Holy Days) provide *rest*, *relief*, and *restoration* respectively - all pointing to Jesus Christ as our *deliverer from this oppression*. He *releases* us from sin, death, and hell. He is our *Reconciler*, *Mediator*, and *Intercessor* - the *Savior and Redeemer* of the World.

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# There are 3 Sabbaths



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Christ said, “*I make all things new*” (Rev. 21:5)

**7th day Sabbath** day of the week of *Rest*      The *Sabbath Day of Rest* is about remembering the 6 days of Creation and resting from them. It is to occur on the **7th** day of the **7**-day week.

**7th Sabbatical** or Shemitah Year of *Release*      The *Sabbatical Year of Release* is about releasing slaves, forgiving debt, and letting the land rest for a full year occurred every **7th** year after Israel entered the Promised Land. The law was also recited on this day.

**7 x 7 Jubilee** Year of *Restoration*      The *Jubilee Year of Restoration* also involves releasing slaves, forgiving debt, letting the land rest for a full year. It is also about returning covenant Promised Lands to their rightful owners - the heirs of God. This was to occur every **7 x 7** (49) + 1 years - in the 50th Jubilee year.

Note that *all are tied to the number 7* (a full & complete time period, tied to spiritual perfection). And all are tied to **relieving oppression** in some form in association with *renewal, rebirth, and resurrection* (words starting with “*re*”). All are set apart Holy Days where no regular work was to be done. The **7th Millennium** will be a time of **REST** for Earth and the Lord’s people. The redeemed will enter the Lord’s **REST**.

We have 3 Sabbath choices within 3 basic calendar formats.

They use the movements of the sun or the moon, or both.

*Good* - **Solar / Sunday Sabbath:** Solar calendars use the sun for measuring the length of the year only. Months of arbitrary length have no link to nature. On the Gregorian solar calendar, weeks cycle continuously. Even leap day, every four years, does not disrupt the continuous weekly cycle. This Sabbath occurs on the 1st day of the Catholic Gregorian Calendar. Most Christians in the world follow the “mark” of the Catholic Church.

*Better* - **Lunar / Saturday Sabbath:** Lunar calendars are based strictly on the cycles of the moon. Months, which begin the first dawn after conjunction, cycle continuously without adjustment to the solar year. Because 12 lunations are 11 days shorter than a solar year, lunar months float through the seasons. This Sabbath occurs on the 7th day of the Catholic Gregorian Calendar. Most Jews use this Sabbath today.

*Best* - **Luni-solar / 7th Day Bible Sabbath:** The sun and the moon functioning together make a luni-solar calendar. Lunations are adjusted to the longer solar year by adding a 13th month seven times in 19 years. The weekly cycle restarts with every new moon conjunction. Each lunation has four complete weeks. This, the LORD’s Sabbath occurs on the 7th day of God’s Bible calendar. Devoted Christians use this Sabbath to honor their God.

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1. **Good** *Sunday Sabbath*, the **1st day** of the Roman Catholic week. This Sabbath originated with Roman worship of the sun and the Roman Emperor Constantine, and continued in Catholic tradition. Most all Christian faiths follow this pattern established by the Catholic Church (Seventh Day Adventists and Jews excepted). *It is the consistent Sabbath preferred in the business world.*

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2. **Better** *Saturday Sabbath*, every **7th day** of the week. The Jews were forced to use a solar calendar by Constantine, *eliminating observation of the moon* in determining their Sabbaths. This *modified Jewish calendar* has now become the Jewish Sabbath on the Gregorian calendar.

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3. **Best** *Lunar Sabbath* on the **7th day** of the week. This requires looking up to the heavens to determine season, month, day, and time of the day. The sun and the moon are God's two faithful witnesses – *His heavenly timepiece*. To use God's calendar requires close observation of the one or two-day *New Moon*. It no longer fell on a consistent "day" after the Flood (when the length of the year changed from a 360-days to 365.24 days). Businessmen did not like this inconsistency, thus the Roman calendar was instituted instead by Constantine. It made use of consistent, *named* days in the week (after pagan gods and planets tied to them), whereas the original Bible calendar (and that of the Book of Mormon) had only **numbered days** (the 1st or **7th day** of the week, for example), not *idolatrous* days named after the planets, like Sunday (worship of the sun), Saturday (Saturn), or Monday (the moon). Today the moon phases move around in each month, as our current calendar is a modified, calculated, solar calendar tied to the Roman empire.

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The converted Jewish Apostles **continued to worship on the 7th day after Christ's ascension into heaven**. Apostasy eventually entered in and changes were later made by Constantine and others thereafter. Today's Christmas, Easter, other festive "*holidays*" and a new Sabbath on the **1st day** of the week were all introduced by Constantine, corrupting God's calendar and **ordinances**. He **eliminated the Holy Days** because he disliked the Jews - converted early Christians in the meridian of time. He thus started anti-semitic movement.

*To avoid Idolatry* days and months were **numbered** on the Lord's calendar (Bible & Book of Mormon), not named like they are on today's calendar.

<i>Day</i>	<i>Planet</i>	<i>Month</i>	<i>Roman God or Theme</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>The Sun's day</b>	<b>January</b>	<b>Roman god Janus</b> (gates and doors)
Monday	The Moon's day	February	Roman festival of purification
Tuesday	Mars' day (Tiu, Norse god of war)	March	Roman god of war Mars
Wednesday	Mercury's day (Woden, Celtic wisdom god)	April	Month signaling spring
Thursday	Jupiter's day (Thor, Celtic god of thunder)	May	Roman goddess Maia (spring growth)
Friday	Venus' day (Freya, Celtic fertility goddess)	June	Roman god Juno (marriage)
Saturday	Saturn's day (Saturn, Roman agriculture god)	July	Roman Julius Caesar (considered a god)
		August	Roman Emperor Augustus (considered a god)
		September	Seven / October Eight
		November	Nine / December Ten

Calendar Given (in Exodus 12, 1st Passover) prior to the 10 Commandments (Exodus 20)

“Son of man, speak unto the elders of Israel...cause them to know *the abominations of their fathers...defile not yourselves with the idols of Egypt*: I am the Lord your God. *But they rebelled against me, and would not hearken unto me*: they did not every man cast away the abominations of their eyes, neither did they forsake the idols of Egypt...for my name's sake, that it should not be polluted before the heathen...I caused them to go forth out of the land of Egypt, and brought them into the wilderness...Moreover also I gave them **my sabbaths, to be a sign between me and them**, *that they might know that I am the Lord that sanctify them...But the house of Israel rebelled against me in the wilderness: they walked not in my statutes...but polluted my sabbaths: for their heart went after their idols*...I am the Lord your God; walk in my statutes, and keep my judgments, and do them; And **hallow my sabbaths**; and **they shall be a sign between me and you**, *that ye may know that I am the Lord your God.*”

*Ezekiel 20:3-4, 7-10, 12-13, 16, 18-20*

1. “If you want to know the days to keep, go to the Catholic Church, not to the Mosaic Law. We have power to put down feast days, and we have power to institute feast days.” *Cardinal James Gibbons*

2. On November 11th of 1895, H. F. Thomas, Chancellor of Cardinal Gibbons, stated, “Of course the Catholic Church claims that the change [Saturday Sabbath to Sunday] was her act...And the act is a **mark** of her [false] ecclesiastical authority in religious things.” Daniel 7:25 states that the Beast, “shall **think to change time and laws**. Some suggest that the Sunday Sabbath is “*the **mark of the beast***” - in the Catholic Church? There are other “beasts” too, such as our own human nature, the New World Order, corrupt governments, etc.

3. “The Catholic Church abolished not only the Sabbath, but all the other Jewish festivals...There is but one church on the face of the earth which has power, or claims power, to make laws binding on the conscience, binding before God, binding under penalty of hell-fire . . . It was the holy Catholic Church that changed the day of rest from Saturday, the seventh day, to Sunday, the first day of the week. . . . And lo! **the entire civilized world bows down in reverent obedience to the command of the holy Catholic Church.**” *Thomas Enright, C.S.S.R.*

4. “They [the Papacy] allege the Sabbath changed into Sunday, the Lord’s Day, contrary to the Decalogue, as it appears, neither is there any example more boasted of than the changing of the Sabbath day. Great, say they, is the power and authority of the church, since it dispensed with one of the Ten Commandments.” Martin Luther, *Augsburg Confession of Faith*.

5. “It is well to remind the Presbyterians, Baptists, Methodists, and all other Christians [Mormons] that the Bible does not support them anywhere in their observance of Sunday. Sunday is an institution of the Roman Catholic Church, and those who observe the day observe a commandment of the Catholic Church.” (Priest Brady, in an address reported in the Elizabeth N. J. News of March 18, 1903.)

6. “The Bible says, Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath day. The Catholic church says, **No! By my divine power I abolish the Sabbath day, and command you to keep the first day of the week**. And lo, the entire civilized world bows down in reverent obedience to the command of the holy Catholic church!” (Fr Enright, C.S.S.R. of the Redeemptorial College, Kansas City, Mo., *History of the Sabbath*, p. 802.)

7. “Sunday is a Catholic institution and its claim to observance can be defended only on Catholic principles...From beginning to end of Scripture there is not a single passage that warrants the transfer of weekly public worship from the last day of the week to the first.” (Catholic Press, Sydney, Australia, August, 1900.)

8. “In 46 B.C., Julius Caesar asked astronomer Sosigenes to suggest ways to improve the calendar. Acting on Sosigenes suggestions, Caesar ordered the Romans to disregard the moon in calculating their calendars.” World Book Encyclopedia, Vol. 3, p. 28.

# Pope Summons World Leaders to Sign a Global Pact

*Thursday Sept. 12, 2019*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n31h1ACrUDA>

In this very important YouTube video we see the Pope summoning the leaders of world to come together on May 14, 2020 to sign pact to re-educate all, especially the young people of the world. It is to be a global event for unifying the world. At the start of the video the Jesuit Pope Francis quotes from his 2015 Enclcylical or speech on the Environment. In paragraph 237 below, he addresses the need to “**heal**” our relationship with God and with each other in the divisions that separate us. He suggests that all things need the **rest** associated with the Sabbath day - **Sunday**, to help save our “common home” - the earth - and its fragile environment, in connection with “the final transfiguration of created reality” - or bringing all things under the false lord of this earth. This is beginning of the 3.5 years of trials for Christians who refuse to take “**the mark of the beast**” the mark or sign of false Sunday worship and the lord it represents

237. On Sunday, our participation in the Eucharist has special importance. Sunday, like the Jewish Sabbath, is meant to be a day which heals our relationships with God, with ourselves, with others and with the world. Sunday is the day of the Resurrection, the “first day” of the new creation, whose first fruits are the Lord’s risen humanity, the pledge of the final transfiguration of all created reality. It also proclaims “man’s eternal rest in God”.<sup>[168]</sup> In this way, Christian spirituality incorporates the value of relaxation and festivity. We tend to demean contemplative rest as something unproductive and unnecessary, but this is to do away with the very thing which is most important about work: its meaning. We are called to include in our work a dimension of receptivity and gratuity, which is quite different from mere inactivity. Rather, it is another way of working, which forms part of our very essence. It protects human action from becoming empty activism; it also prevents that unfettered greed and sense of isolation which make us seek personal gain to the detriment of all else. The law of weekly rest forbade work on the seventh day, “so that your ox and your donkey may have rest, and the son of your maidservant, and the stranger, may be refreshed” (Ex 23:12). Rest opens our eyes to the larger picture and gives us renewed sensitivity to the rights of others. And so the day of rest, centred on the Eucharist, sheds it light on the whole week, and motivates us to greater concern for nature and the poor.

## **Sunday, the Roman Catholic 1st Day of the Week: *The Venerable Day of the Sun***

The Roman cult of Mithraism or **sun-worship** was the official religion of the Roman Empire. It was in direct competition with the new Christian religion embraced by Constantine. **Roman sun worship** had its own organization, temples, priesthood, and robes, etc. Its official worship day was called “*The Venerable Day of the Sun*” and was *the first day of the week*. It is where we get the name *Sun-day*. In order for his people to more easily make the change to the new religion, Constantine modified things, mixing his version of Christianity in the fourth century with accepted cultural practices - *their day of worship*. Embracing surrounding culture became a common practice with the Catholic church thereafter. The changes were also consistent with separation from Jewish ways and Constantine’s anti-Jewish feelings.

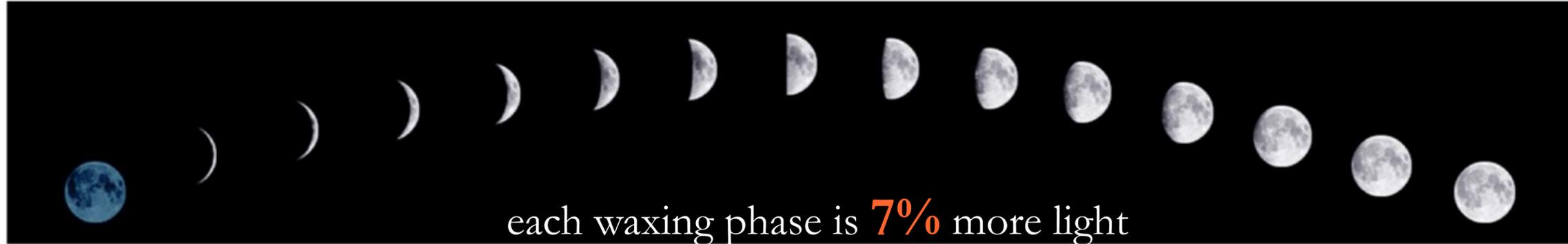
The Encyclopedia Britannica, under the article, Sunday, states, “*It was Constantine who first made a law for the proper observance of Sunday [the 1st day of the week] and who appointed that it should be regularly celebrated throughout the Roman empire.*”

In D&C 59, God establishes *the Latter-day Saint Sabbath*. Note that He does *not* use named nor numbered days. Instead, verse 22 points us to *the Law and the Prophets* and thus the *eternal* nature of His Biblical *ordinances* - *which man must not change*. In Luke 16, especially verses 29 & 31, Christ again points us to *the Law and the Prophets*!

*New Moon  
Conjunction*

*Waxing to 1/4 Moon  
first Sabbath*

*Full Moon*



*Full Moon*

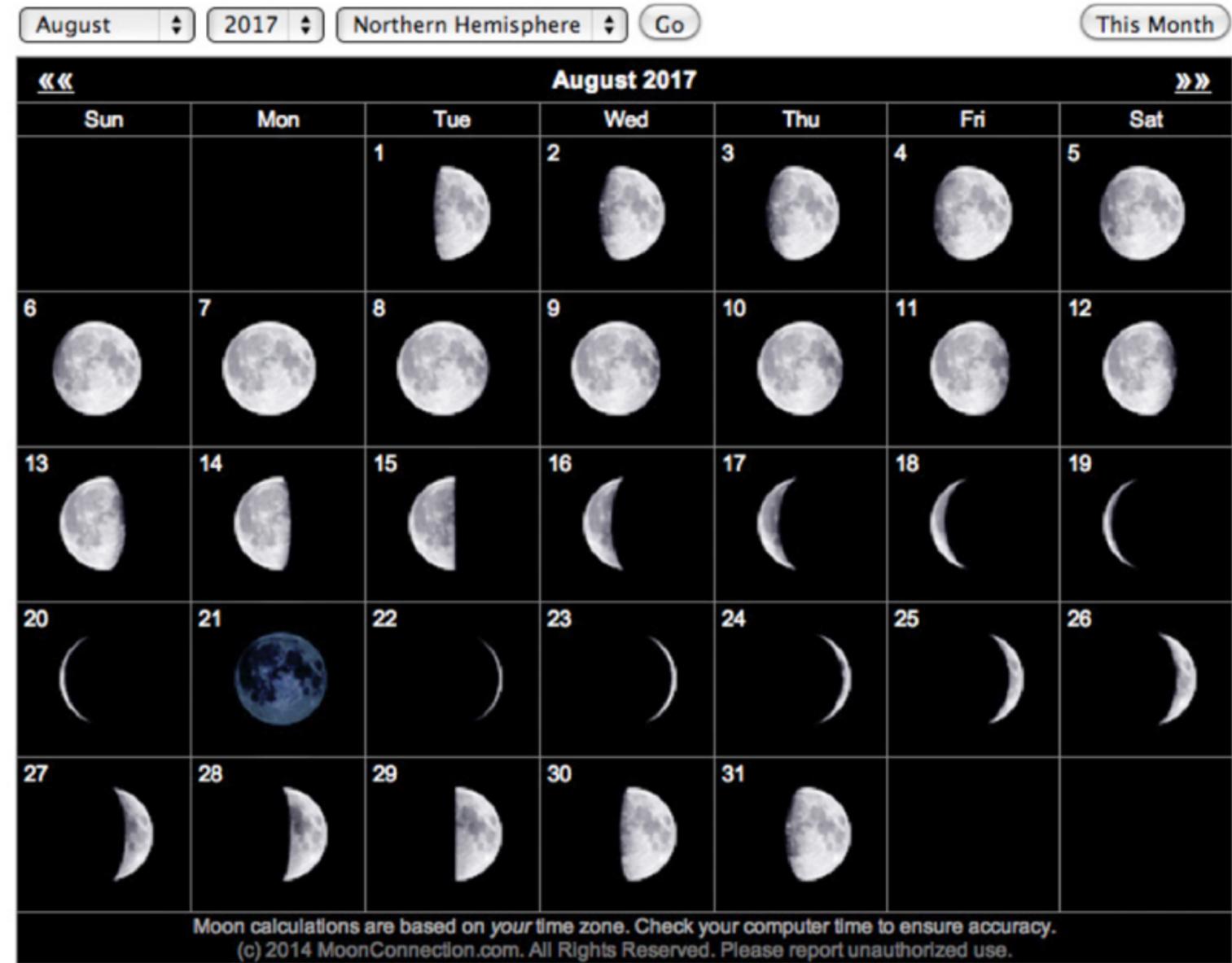
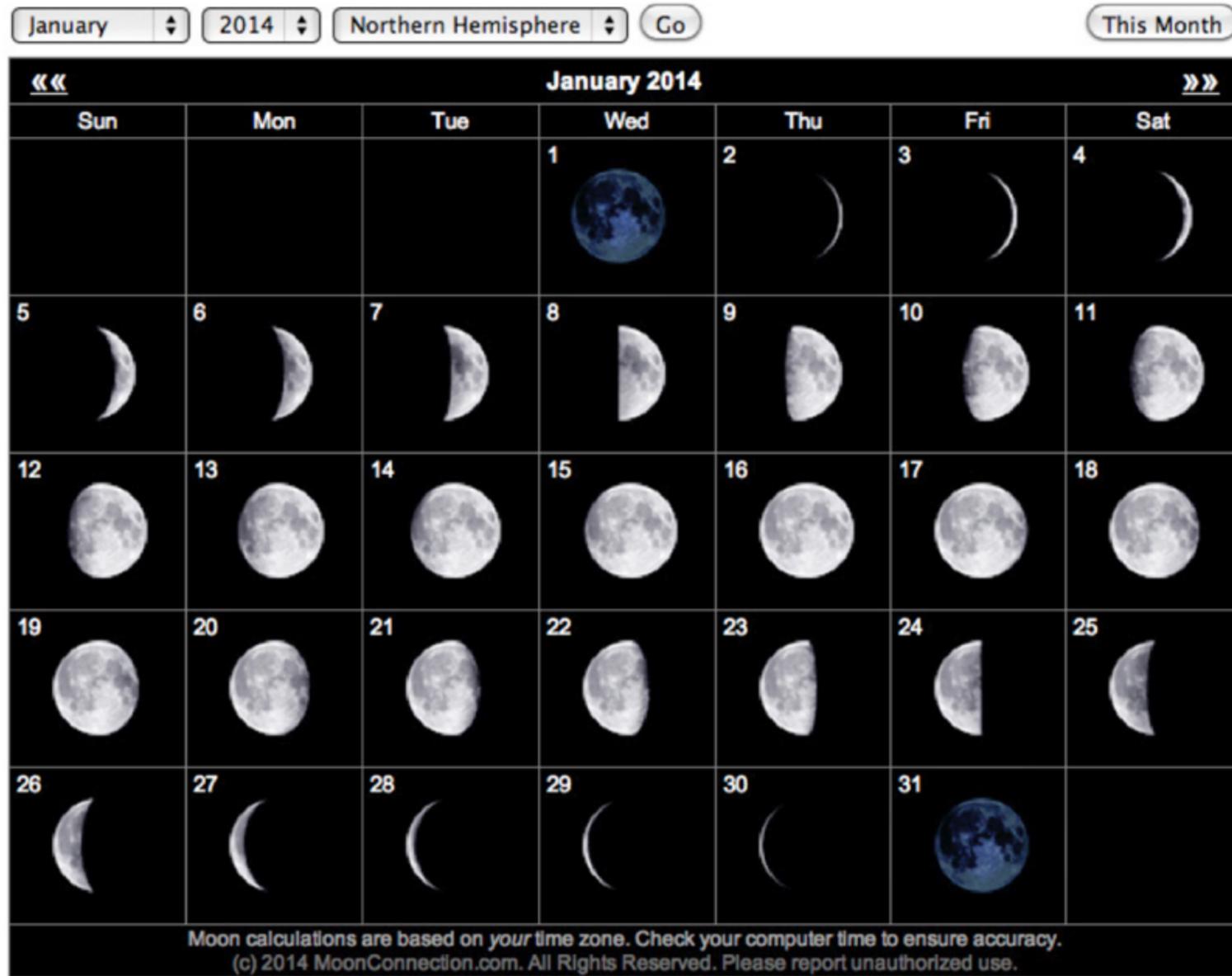


*New Moon  
Conjunction*

*14-15 moon phases from New Moon (a Holy Day) to full moon; two phases of waxing and waning (29-30 total)  
The illustration above assumes the reader is facing north. Reading left (west) to right (east) and goes from New Moon (day 1) to full moon (day 15). The phase and position of the moon in the sky simulates its waxing (getting larger) at sunset each successive night of the month. Waning is just the opposite, the moon decreasing in size and its similar phase seen at sunrise, as well as portions of the day.*

<b>New Moon</b>	1st Day	2 <sup>nd</sup> Day	3 <sup>rd</sup> Day	4 <sup>th</sup> Day	5 <sup>th</sup> Day	6 <sup>th</sup> Day	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Day of the week - Sabbaths</b>
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> ¼ moon waxing
	9	10	11	12	13	14	<b>15</b> Full moon
	16	17	18	19	20	21	<b>22</b> ¼ moon waning
	23	24	25	26	27	28	<b>29</b> Final crescent moon
<b>(30)</b>							<i>New Month</i>
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> ¼ moon waxing, again

*Note the three types of days: New Moons (blue), workdays (black) & Sabbaths (red). Chart created from one by Troy Miller.*



*Left, January of 2014 has two New Moons, the first and last days of the month (the second New Moon in this particular month was a super-moon, and was called a “Black Moon Rising”. Some months required two days to “rebuild” the New Moon (a 30-day month in God’s calendar), whereas August of 2017 (right) requires only one day for the New Moon rebuild (a 29-day month in God’s calendar). Our modern Gregorian calendar (August 2017 above right) does not use the phase of the moon to indicate the start of the month as it once did. Courtesy, moonconnection.com*

# God's calendar features three types of "days"

## New Moons - Sabbaths - Work Days

“Thus saith the Lord God; The gate of the inner court that looketh toward the east shall be shut the six *working days*; but on the *sabbath* it shall be opened, and in the day of the *new moon* it shall be opened” (Ezek. 46:1).

<b>New Moon Crescent (7%) 1<sup>st</sup> Day of month</b>	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	<b>Sabbaths</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sabbath is on the 8 <sup>th</sup> day, all others every 7 <sup>th</sup> day thereafter.
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> 1/2 moon waxing (49-56%)
	9	10	11	12	13	14	<b>15</b> Full moon (98 -106%)
	16	17	18	19	20	21	<b>22</b> 1/2 moon waning (49-65%)
	23	24	25	26	27	28	<b>29</b> Final crescent moon (7%)
<b>30</b>							Added day every other month
<b>Dark Moon</b>							Invisible, Conjunction Moon
<b>1</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>8</b> 1/2 moon waxing (49-56%)

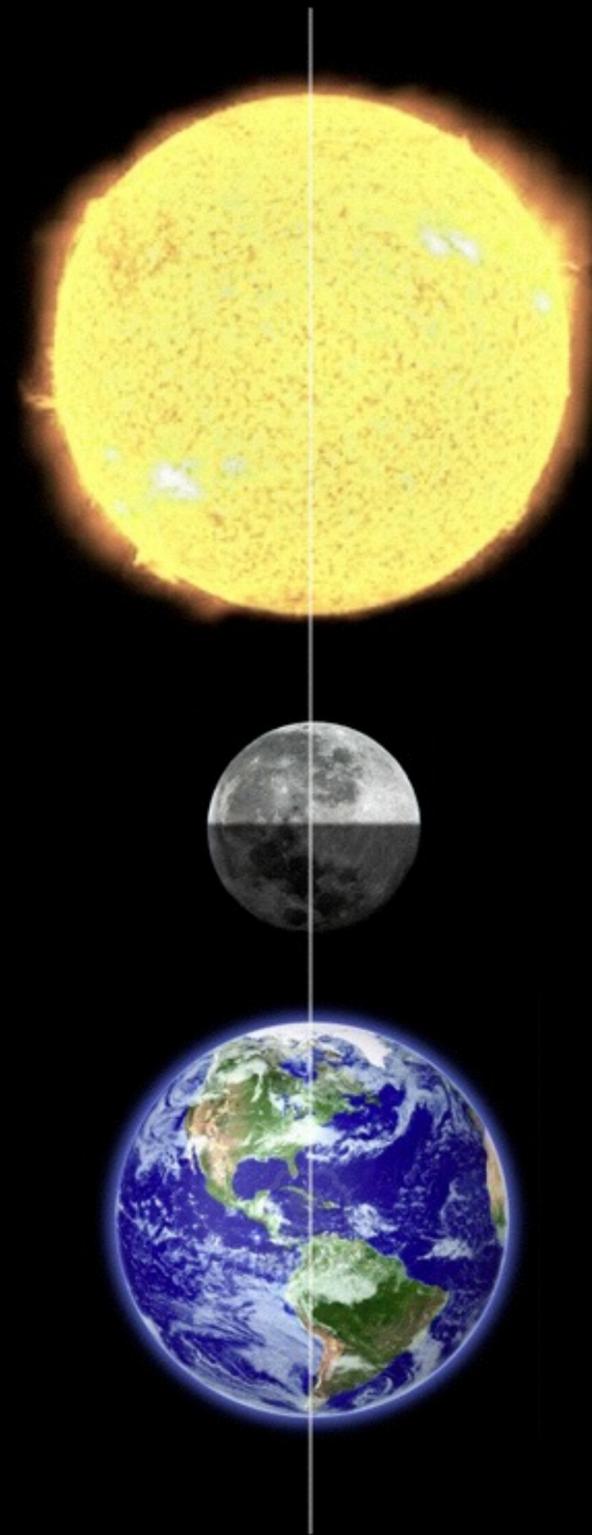
The **New Moon Conjunction** is sometimes also called a “**Dark Moon**”

## Constantine's 5 Corruptions of True Worship

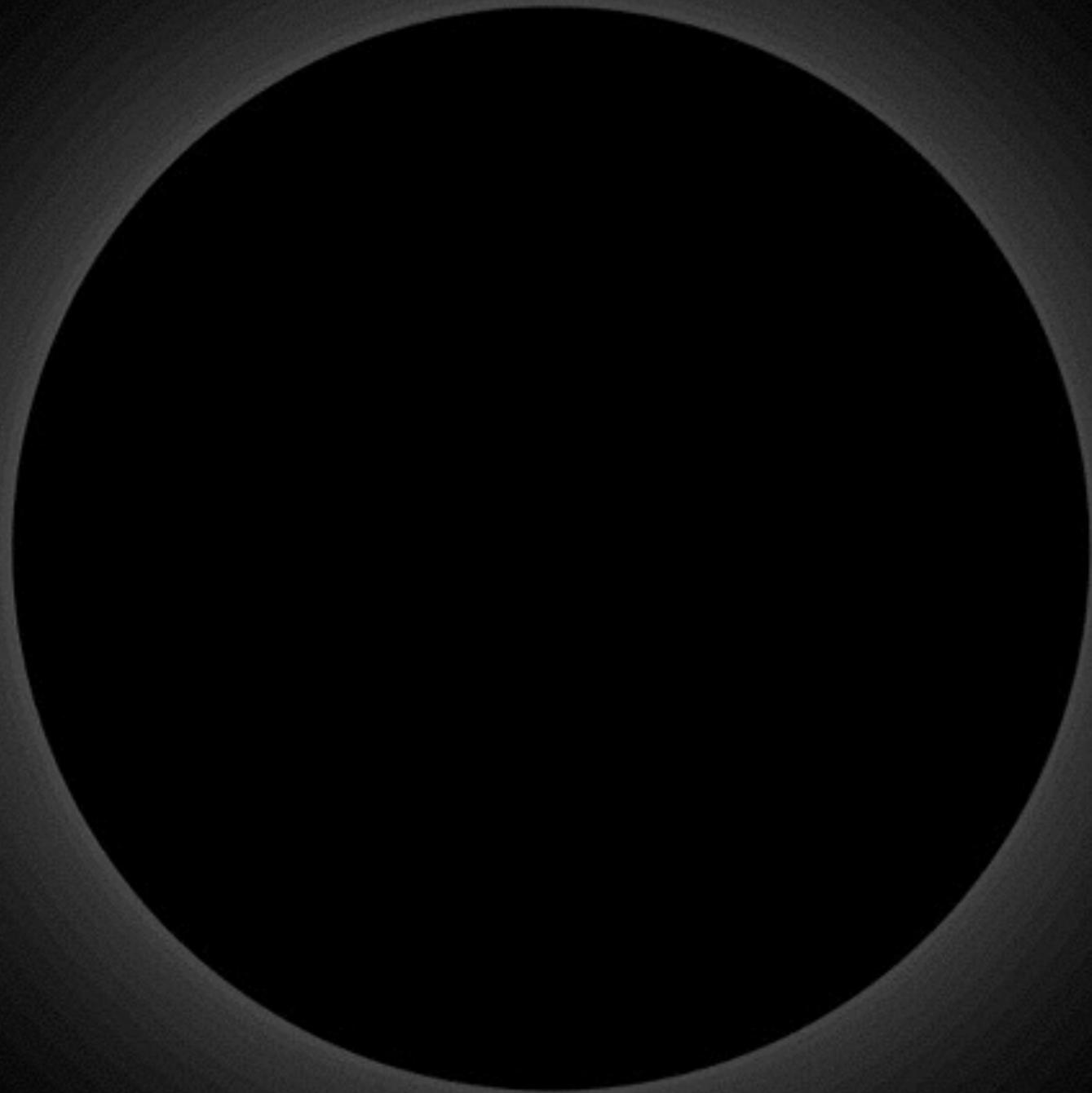
1. Constantine changed *the Holy Days* and moved the *7th day Sabbath* on God's original calendar to day 1.
  - a. Some Holy Days were renamed & *moved* to more convenient days. He also mixed traditions to **coincide** with his Roman background. Christ's birth at today's "Christmas" is tied to the Roman pagan "**Sol Invictus**" (*the unconquerable sun near its return after the winter solstice*), whereas our Savior's death and resurrection near Passover is now tied to *Easter*, a pagan holiday tied to the resurrection of the *Babylonian god Tammuz*. It was also moved to a more convenient Friday & Sunday, **disconnecting** these important dates from our Lord's **actual Atonement and Resurrection dates** as marked by the heavens.
  - b. The *7th day Sabbath* was moved to Sunday, **day 1**, coinciding with the Roman "*Venerable Day of the Sun - Sunday - "Sol Invictus."*
2. He spoke out against the Jews, helping breed *anti-semitic attitudes* in early Christianity.
3. He *removed the important siting of the New Moon - observation of the heavens* to coincide with the correct start day of the New Year and each month. The actual days on which the events of Christ's redemptive mission occurred, were thus *moved* and celebrated on the wrong days.
4. He also *moved the physical setting* for the *Atonement and Resurrection of Christ* to locations he preferred. These *do not coincide with the Mosaic Law* God gave and then *came to fulfill*, nor do they conform to scripture, history, eye witnesses, temple patterns, etc.
5. He also *brought in false traditions and pagan influences* from his Roman background (as Emperor) along with those of surrounding influences. This helped distance his Christianity from Judaism.

## New Moon Conjunction

*lasts for 1-2 days each month.  
This sign ends & starts each  
month.*



It is an Alignment of  
the sun  
the moon  
and the earth





The **New Moon conjunction** is very brief,  
from two to three minutes.

From **New Moon** is the first **7%** crescent, however,  
there is often one to two days.

Experts knew when it started,  
but it was more difficult to know when it ended.  
The crescent ended the **New Moon Conjunction**.



## **The New Moon -**

is the 1st **7%** waxing crescent (*right side*) each month.

It is Day **1** of each month

*and* Day **1** of each of the two **New Years Days -**

the *sacred* New Year of the *priest* - near the *spring equinox*

and the *civil* New Year of the *king* - near the *fall equinox*

# 6 Primary Moon Phases and 4 Sabbaths

- Day 0 - Conjunction - transition to new month
- Day 1 - New Moon / 7% waxing crescent
- Day 8 - 1st Sabbath / half waxing moon
- Day 15 - 2nd Sabbath / full moon
- Day 22 - 3rd Sabbath / half waning crescent
- Day 29 - 4th Sabbath / final waning crescent

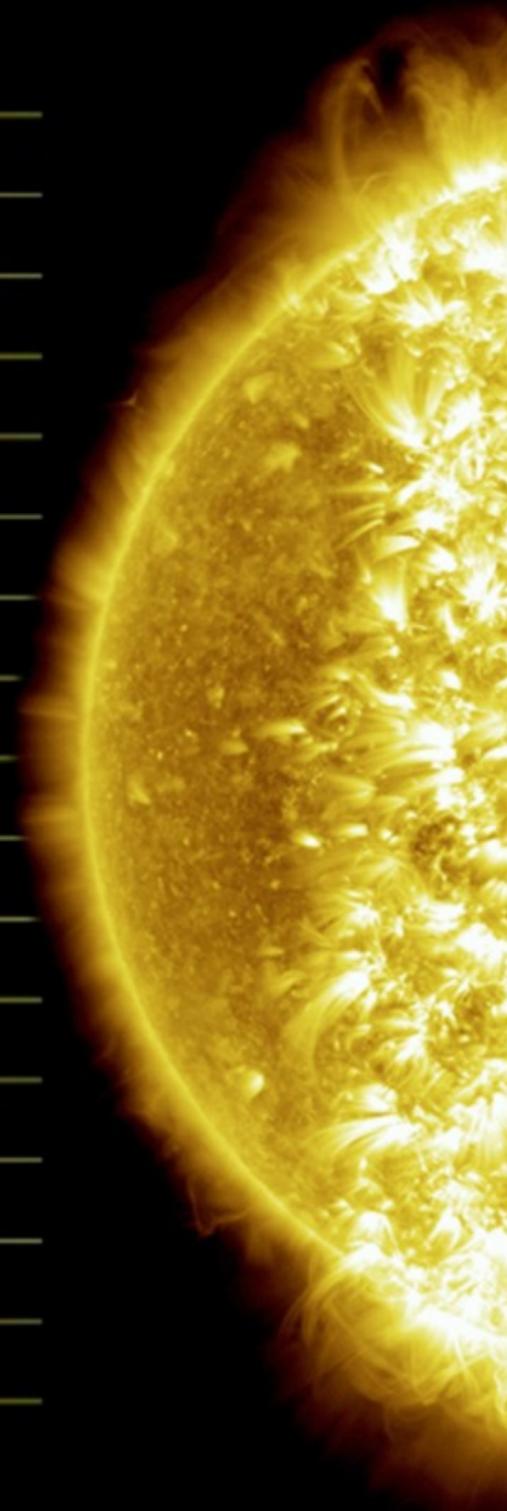
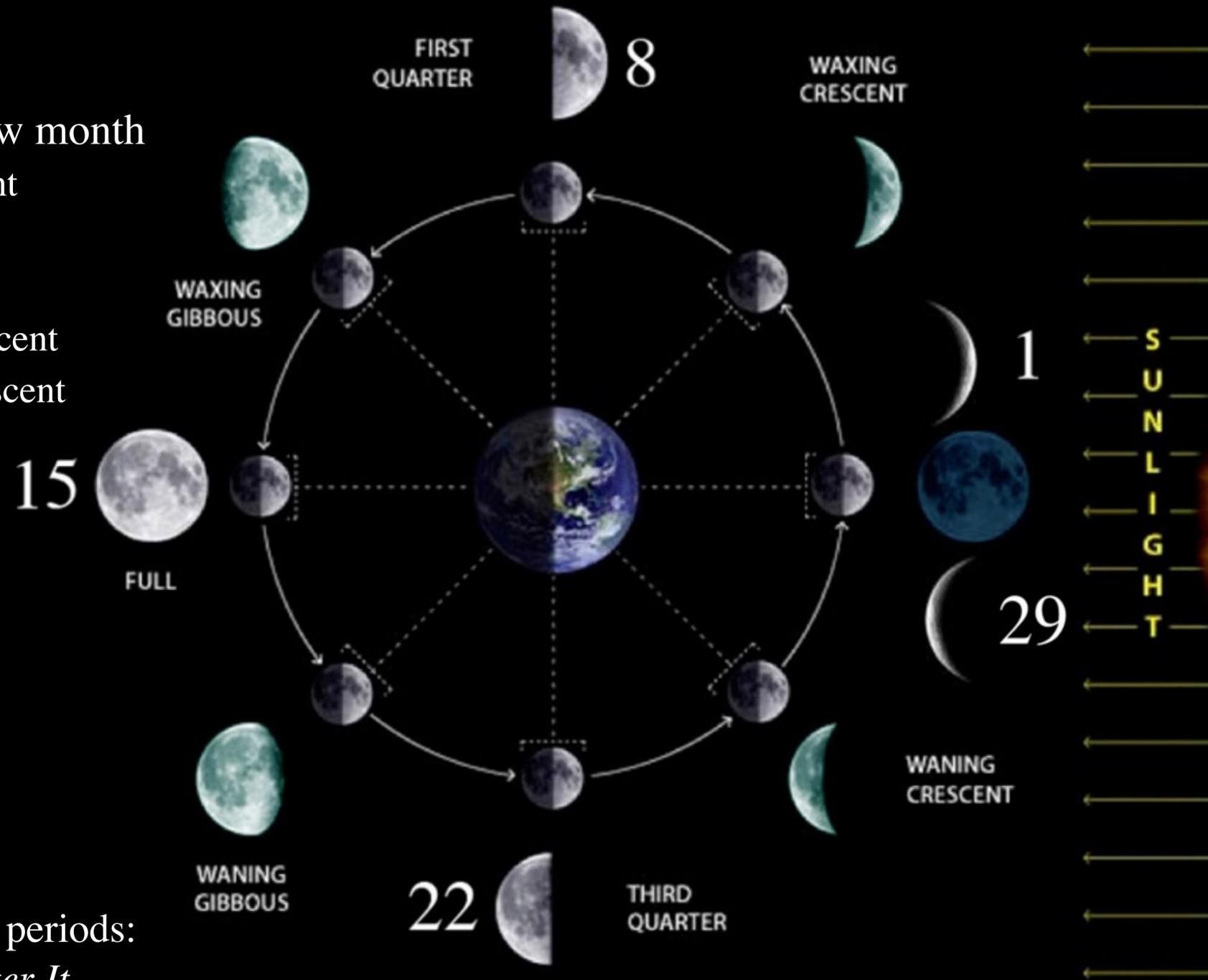


Look Up,  
Identify  
and  
Count

Time in the Bible is tied to 2 periods:  
*Before the Flood and After It*

*Before / 360 day year with 12 - 30 day months*

*After / 365 day year with 12 variable length months (29-31 days)*



Judgment is expressed in  
lesser-light eclipses  
of the sun.

## Black Sun

Total Solar Eclipse,  
*only at New Moon*



Judgment is also  
expressed in lesser-light  
eclipses of the moon.

A Red or  
**Blood Moon**

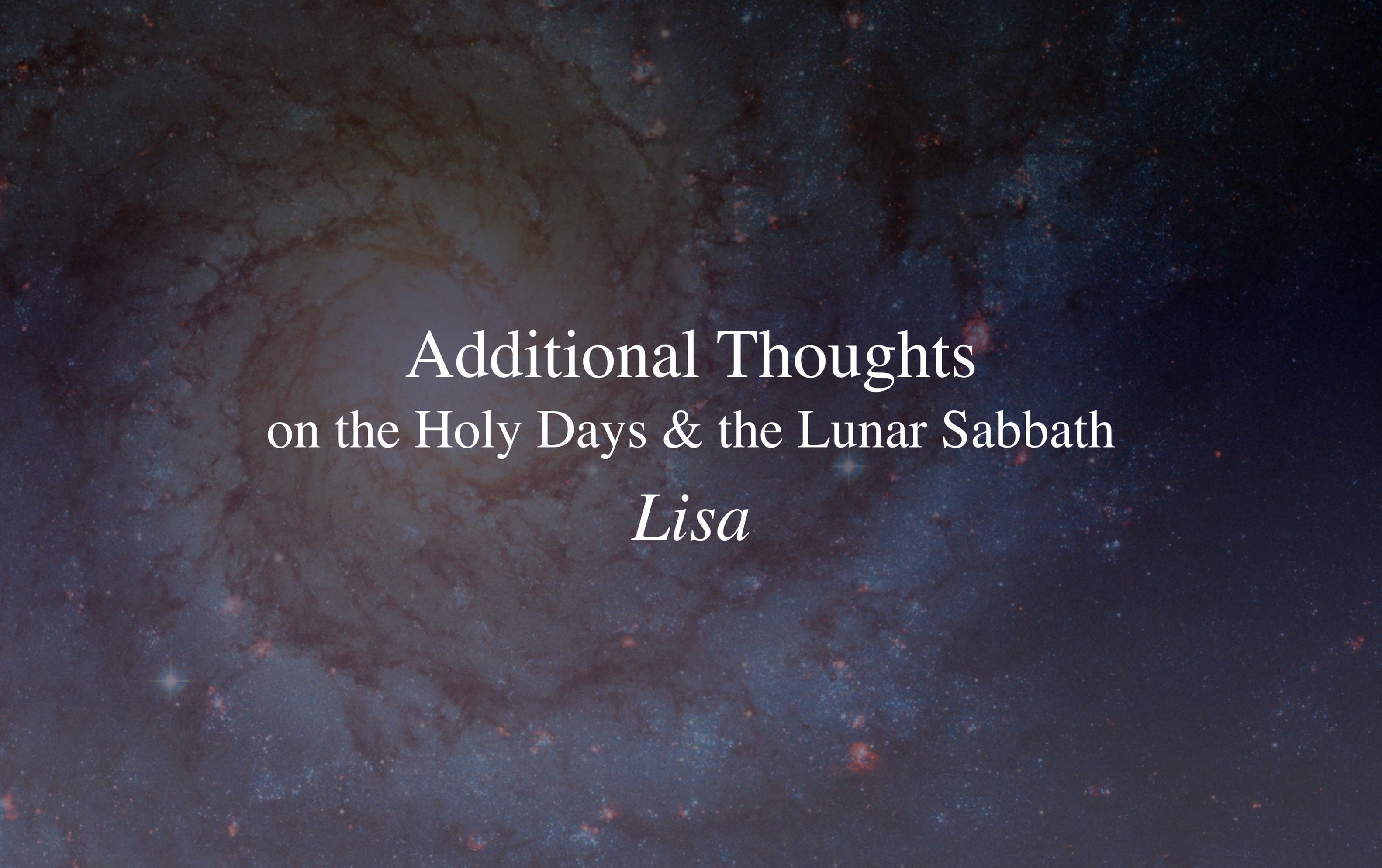
Total Lunar Eclipse,  
*only at Full Moon*



## Today's Idolatrous **Easter** Celebration replaces Passover

In Genesis 10 we learn of the powerful man, Nimrod. He married his mother, Semiramis. She became the Queen of Babylon and claimed she was a goddess, conceiving her son immaculately. She taught that she came from the moon in a huge moon-like *egg* that fell into the Euphrates River. This occurred at *the first full moon after the spring equinox* (the time of today's Easter celebration). Later she became known as "**Ishtar**," pronounced "**Easter**" by many in the Middle East. Her **moon-egg** became known as "**Ishtar's egg**." She eventually became pregnant suggesting that it was the sun god Ba'al who was the father. Their son was **Tammuz**. He is mentioned in Ezekiel 9 as part of the **Idolatry** practiced at the Jerusalem temple in which all were destroyed there who did not have *the Tau mark on their forehead, a T-shaped cross symbol that served as a protection mark for those not to be destroyed, a type for the Passover in Egypt earlier*. Tammuz was a hunter like his father and liked **rabbits**, a sacred symbol in the Babylonian religion. Tammuz was eventually killed by a wild boar (**pig**). His mother told her people that when her son was killed by the wild boar, some of its blood fell on an evergreen tree stump. It grew into a great tree quickly because of the blood of Tammuz. She then put in place a yearly **forty-day period of sorrow** tied to his death (some believe it is tied to the season of *Lent* today). Every year, on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the spring equinox, a celebration was made, called **Ishtar's Sunday** (Easter Sunday). It was celebrated with **rabbits** and **eggs**. Ishtar proclaimed that because Tammuz her son was killed by a **pig**, that **a pig must be eaten on that Sunday (an unclean animal)**. Today Easter seems incomplete to many without **Easter eggs** and a feast with **ham - an unclean animal in the Law of Moses**.

Halloween, Mardi Gras, Presidents Day, etc.

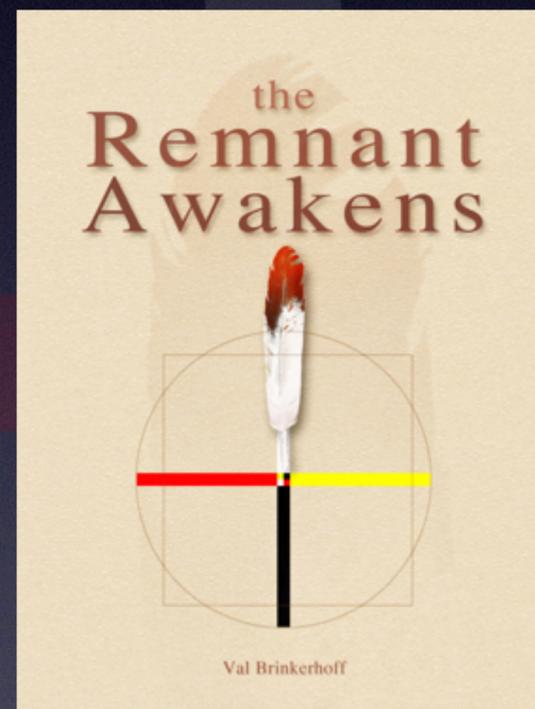


Additional Thoughts  
on the Holy Days & the Lunar Sabbath

*Lisa*

# *Chapter 3 - The Remnant Awakens*

## **Christ Visits the Gathered Remnant**



# 1. The Messiah Craze of 1890

Our Savior's visit at Walker Lake, Nevada

# 2. The Josephites of The Star God City

a peaceful city of separated Native Americans in southern Mexico, led by Joseph #32 & 33 (tall, light-skinned descendants Lehi through his youngest son Joseph)

# 3. Chief Joseph at the Great Indian Conference

At this great gathering in Mexico in 1940 there were 125,000 Native Americans gathered. They chose *Joseph* as their *leader*. *The climax of the event was his address of their building the great temple in the land northward.*

# Many Visits to **the Remnant**

The Title Page of the Book of Mormon states that, “**Jesus is the Christ . . . manifesting himself to all nations.**”

And verily, verily, I say unto you that **I have other sheep**, *which are not of this land [America], neither of the land of Jerusalem, neither in any parts of that land round about* whither I have been to minister. For they of whom I speak are they who have not as yet heard my voice [Approx. 32-34 AD]; neither have I at any time manifested myself unto them. **But I have received a commandment of the Father that I shall go unto them**, and that they shall hear my voice, and shall be numbered among my sheep, that there may be **one fold and one shepherd**; therefore **I go to show myself unto them**” (3 Nephi 16:1-3).

# Patterns in **Christ's** many visits to **the Remnant** here

1. Descriptions of Christ reveal that He was tall, light-skinned, with a beard, blue-green eyes, brown hair with red accents.
2. He was called by many names; **the Healer**, the Prophet, the Pale One, the Mighty One, the True White Brother, Tacoma & Wakea.
3. He often greeted the people at dawn, doing so with His sign of peace, **a raised right arm, with a T-shaped cross mark** (the Old Testament “*Tau*” mark) embedded in His palm.
4. **He spoke gently of love and peace**, but with power against war and human sacrifice.
5. **He healed all - children, the aged, and animals**, accepting new garments from the people that He might leave behind His long white robe for further healing, simply by touching it. It had a T-shaped cross decorating its hem.
6. He helped the people build temples.
7. He **called twelve men to teach the people** after His departure, leaving one of them in charge.
8. He could speak and understand any language. He spoke softly about His Father, the Living God.
9. He was loved and remembered, always **promising to return**.
10. He is remembered by a number of **symbols** in Native America. One of the most common is ***the Dawn Star, the planet Venus***, “the bright” [or evening] “and morning star.” Christ told John that He was “**the bright and morning star**” (Rev. 22:16). He told the people of 3 Nephi that He was “*the light and life of the world*” (3 Ne. 11:11). His birth was marked by a star. **Venus** is the first “star” seen at night, and the last “star” visible before sunrise (Alpha & Omega). **Venus** is symbolized in Native America by usage of ***the number 13*** in various ways, such as 13 poles for a teepee. Rock art at Native American ritual centers like Parowan Gap in Southern Utah often showcase the **Venus** calendar, and its 13 and 52-part time cycles (there are also 13 New Moons in the year). **Venus cycles around the sun 13 times in the same time it takes Earth to make 8 revolutions around the sun. Manasseh is the 13th tribe of Israel and has many connections to this number. A summary of native symbols tied to Christ includes the 8 and 5-pointed stars (Venus), the Tau-cross & related hand sign, the greeting “Aho,” and numbers, 5, 8, and 13.**

## Joseph Smith's Prophecy of the Return of Christ in 1890

“I was once praying earnestly upon this subject, and a voice said unto me, “My son, if thou livest until thou art **eighty-five years of age, thou shalt see the face of the Son of Man.**” I was left to draw my own conclusions concerning this; and I took the liberty to conclude that if I did live to that time, He would make His appearance. But I do not say whether He will make His appearance or I shall go where He is. **I prophesy in the name of the Lord God, and let it be written--the Son of Man will not come in the clouds of heaven till I am eighty-five years old.** Then read the 14th chapter of Revelation, 6th and 7th verses—“And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people, saying with a loud voice, Fear God and give glory to Him, for the our of His judgment is come.” And Hosea, 6th chapter, After two days, etc.,--**2,520 years; which brings it to 1890.** The coming of the Son of Man never will be--never can be till the judgments spoken of for this hour are poured out: which judgments are commenced. Paul says, "Ye are the children of the light, and not of the darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief in the night." It is not the design of the Almighty to come upon the earth and crush it and grind it to powder, but he will reveal it to His servants the prophets” (Joseph Smith remarks about the Second Coming at a conference, held April 6, 1843, DHC 5:336-37).

As we see above, the Prophet Joseph Smith referenced **2520** years in a discussion of **his prophecy of Christ coming in the year 1890**, the year he would turn 85 years old (D&C 130; HC 5:336-37). He was born in 1805. Adding 85 years to this is **1890**, the year Christ visited a gathering of invited Native Americans at Walker Lake Nevada.

1.  $7 \text{ (time)} \times 360 \text{ (space)} = \mathbf{2520}$
2. The sacred cubit is **25.20** inches (measure of God's arm, elbow to middle finger tip, plus a hand's breadth)
3. **2520** is the sum of the letters used in God's handwriting on the wall where King Belshazzar of Babylon was judged / “You have been weighed, measured, and found wanting and will loose your kingdom” / Israelites then released after 70 years of captivity for not honoring the Sabbatical Year of RELEASE.

## Joseph's 2nd Prophecy (witness) tied to 1890

According to the History of the Church, “President Smith then stated...it was the will of God that those who went to Zion, with a determination to lay down their lives, if necessary, should be ordained to the ministry, and go forth to prune the vineyard for the last time, **or the coming of the Lord**, which was nigh – even **fifty-six years** should wind up the scene.” Fifty-six years from date of this statement takes us to the end of **1890** (or the start of 1891). Joseph Smith statement, Feb. 14, 1835, HC, vol. 2, p. 182.



## **The 1890 Messiah Craze**

centered around our Lord's visit to  
many Native Americans  
invited to Walker Lake, Nevada.

It has been forgotten by most.

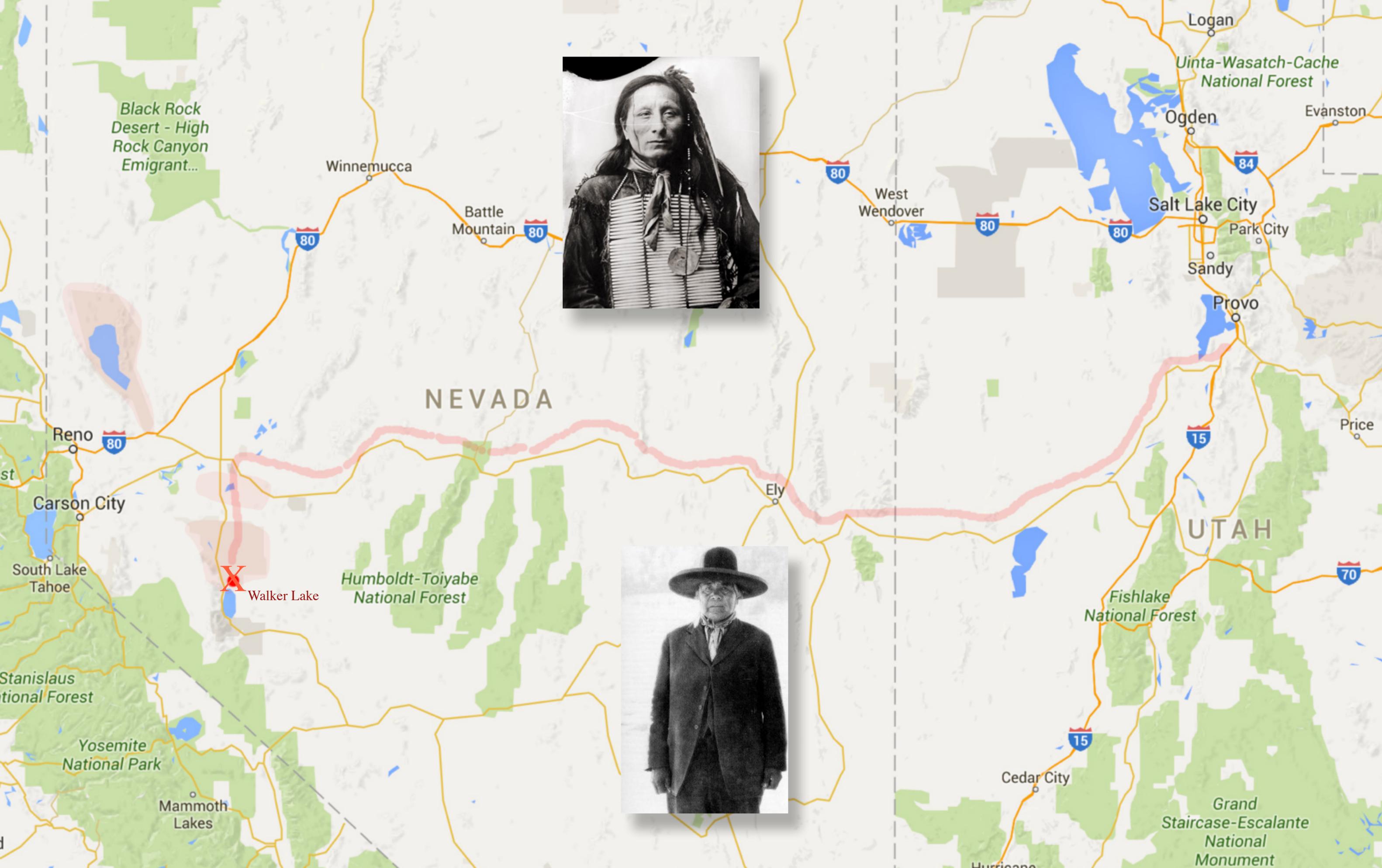
*It created polarizing results  
among Native Americans:*

The first was a desire for love &  
brotherhood

*or*

The second was a desire for revenge &  
bloodshed,

*both involved the return of land,*









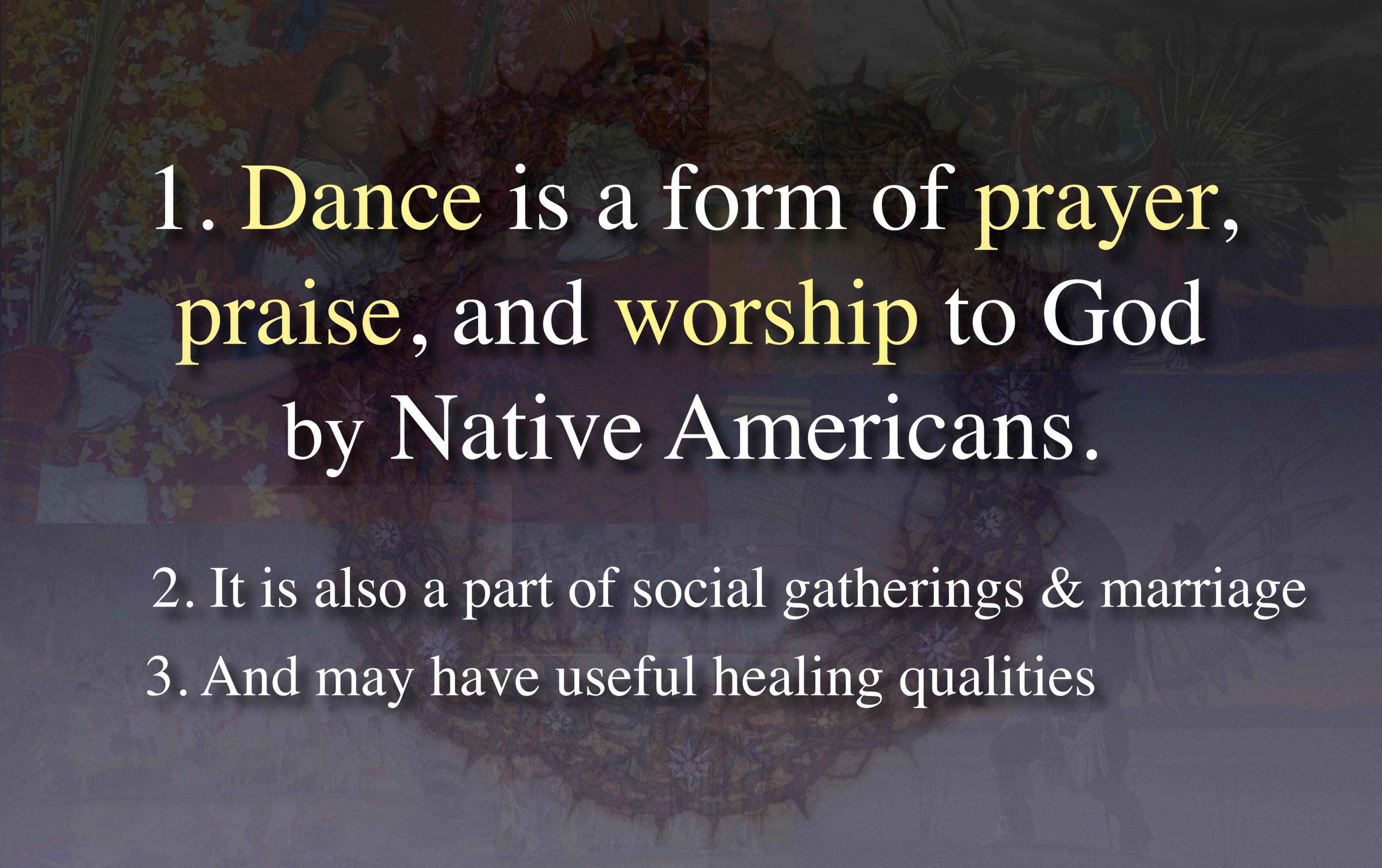
## Short Bull

was an Arapahoe Indian from Fort Washakie Wyoming, and was one of many witnesses for Christ invited to be at the Walker Lake gathering in 1890. He was one of the first to preach of the Messiah he saw.

According to reports, 12 *disciples* were called at Walker Lake, including Numataivo, Wovoca, **Porcupine** (most widely quoted), White Horse, Ahnu Dennis & others.

12 *Apostles* were called anciently in the Holy Land and 12 "*disciples*" on this land in 3 Nephi - serving at the same time. The 12 in the Holy Land will judge those in this land (Morm. 3:18-19). All those chosen by Christ in various lands judge their people, and are judged by the senior group of 12 "*Apostles*" above them.





1. Dance is a form of prayer,  
praise, and worship to God  
by Native Americans.

2. It is also a part of social gatherings & marriage

3. And may have useful healing qualities

# The Bible features seven different types of **dance**

1. The Dance of **Praise** (Psalm 149:1-3; 150:4 - 13 praises total)
2. The Dance of **Worship** (Judges 11:34; Luke 15:25)
3. The Dance of **Spiritual Warfare** (Isa. 30:32; Psalm 149:1-9)
4. The Dance of **Celebration** (Deut. 16:13-15; Jer. 31:4)
5. The Dance of **Travail** (Jer. 31:13; Lam. 5:15; Isa. 66:8-11)
6. The Dance of **Prophecy** (1 Sam. 10:5-6)
7. The Dance of **Ceremony** (Judges 29:19-23)

“And David danced before the LORD with all *his* might; and David was girded with a linen ephod” (2 Sam. 6:14).

“Let them **praise** his [the Lord’s] name **in the dance**; let them sing **praises** unto him with the timbrel and harp. For the Lord taketh pleasure in his people; he will beautify the meek with salvation” (Psalm 149:3-4).

Addressing the ancient *circle dance of prayer*,

Hugh Nibley stated,

**“There is no stirring above until there is a stirring below.”**

Hugh Nibley, “The Ancient Christian Prayer Circle,”  
Mormonism and Early Christianity [CWHN 4], p. 59,  
quoting Zohar, Lech Lecha, 88a.

The purpose of ritual dance as part of the Native American “*Vision Quest*” or the ancient “*Circle Dance of Prayer*” was to **open up a portal through space and time to the celestial throne of God**, where sits God surrounded by numberless concourses of angels (1 Ne. 1:6) in the attitude of singing and praising Him, and where the Sons of God shouted for joy, and the morning stars sang together, all in connection with the first day of creation.







## The Circle Dance of Praise & Welcome

“And the hour cometh, and now is, when the **true worshippers** shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth; for the Father seeketh such to worship him. *For unto such hath God promised his Spirit.* And they *who* worship him, must worship in spirit and in truth” (JST John 4:25-26).

“I [the Lord Jesus, the Spirit of truth] give unto you these sayings that you may understand and know **how to worship, and know what you worship**, that you may **come unto the Father** in my name, and in due time receive of his fulness” (D&C 93:19, 24-26).

“Verily, thus saith the Lord: It shall come to pass that every soul who **forsaketh his sins** and **cometh unto me**, and calleth on my name, and obeyeth my voice, and keepeth my commandments, shall see my face and know that I am” (D&C 93:1).



## **The Dance of Welcome or Peace**

*was given of the Father*  
to Numatiavo and his son Wovoca,  
to be shared with all Native Americans.

It was a dance of *love* and *brotherhood*,  
tied to praise of  
the Father, Mother, and son.

It was changed and perverted into  
**the Ghost Dance**,  
a dance of *war* and *revenge*.

The opposing Ghost Dance was used to incite revenge  
against the whites at Custer's Last Stand and later  
resulted in the massacre of many Native Americans  
at Wounded Knee South Dakota in **1890**.

## Wovoca's Words About the Dance Given Him in Heaven

“I will show you a dance and you must go back to your people and show them and tell them about this dance which is for me and my Father, the Great Spirit. You shall receive an inspiration. You must use it for no other purposes, only for spiritual use...”

“I will show you a dance with the Great Messiah taught me to show you so that you will the spiritual blessings of the Great Spirit and the Messiah, his loving Son. So they interlocked arms together. They would each be of a different tribe. In this dance you must think good of one another; you must have love for one another, because the Great Spirit and his Son have love for you. So interlocking our arms together, this dance will be known as the Dance of Welcome...If you have good thoughts in your mind, it will grow in your spirit toward the Great Spirit by the Holy Spirit, and He will know you will be faithful...I will sing you a song and the drummers will beat and you will mark the time and you will take a step and then a half-step and proceed in a circle.”



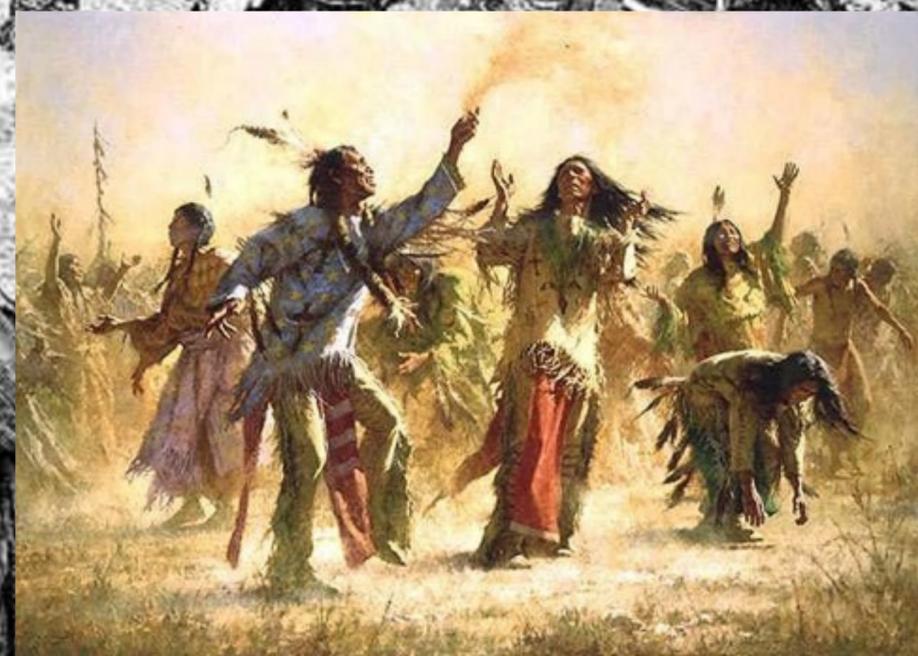
*A beautiful rainbow appeared the first time  
Wovoca shared the Dance of Welcome  
with his Native American brothers & sisters*



## Chief Sitting Bull

Sitting Bull used a *modified* version of the dance given to Numatiavo and Wovoco (now called *the Ghost Dance*), along with the desire to get land back *as promised by Christ* - to incite revenge against the whites. He was killed by government agents in 1890 because they feared he would incite more trouble with angry Native Americans. This was one negative aspect of the *Messiah Craze* - *man's corruption of God's truth* (D&C 93:39).

The peaceful Dance of Welcome was changed and perverted to the Ghost Dance, a dance of revenge and war.



*Lakota Sioux Ghost Dance Shirt, thought to have connection to the LDS temple garment.*

Some believed it would protect Indian warriors from the white man's bullets.

Nibley has revealed that Joseph's coat or garment did not have many colors, but

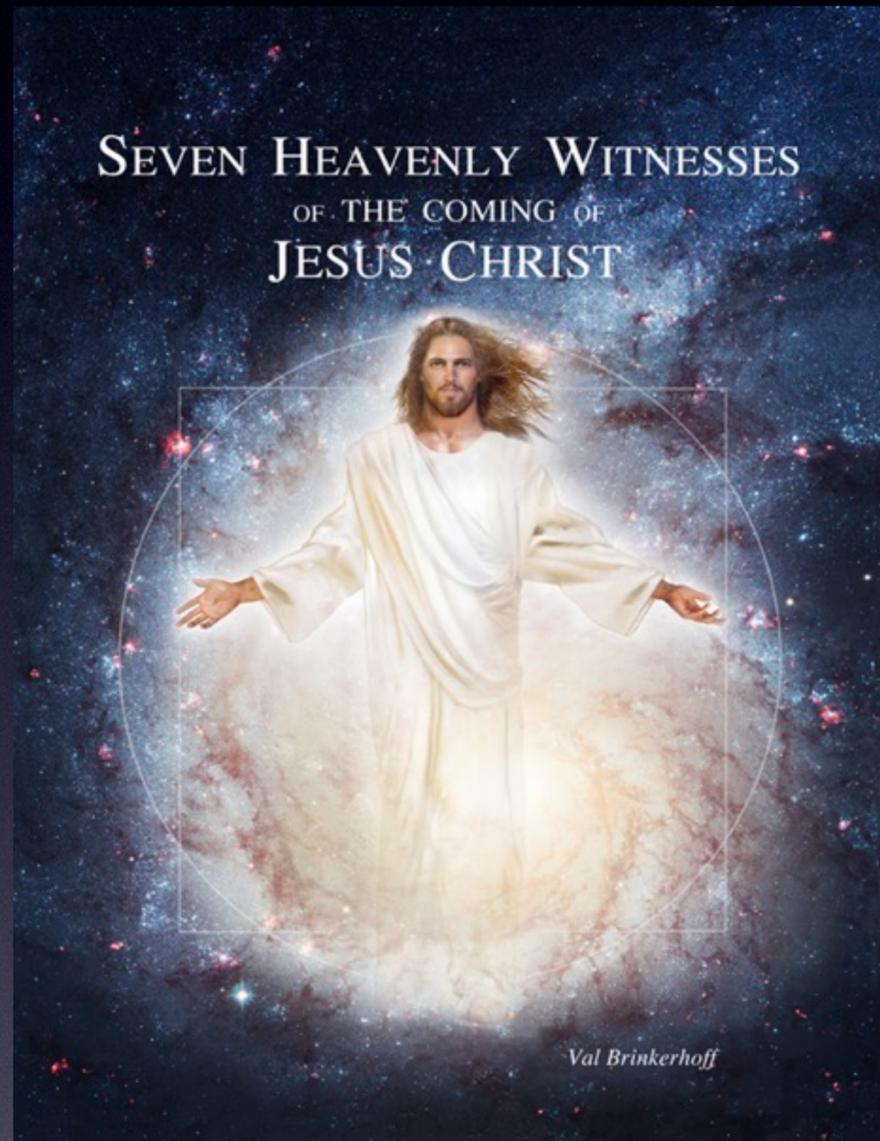
THE GHOST DANCE OF THE SIOUX INDIANS IN NORTH AMERICA.

## Changed & Forgotten Teachings

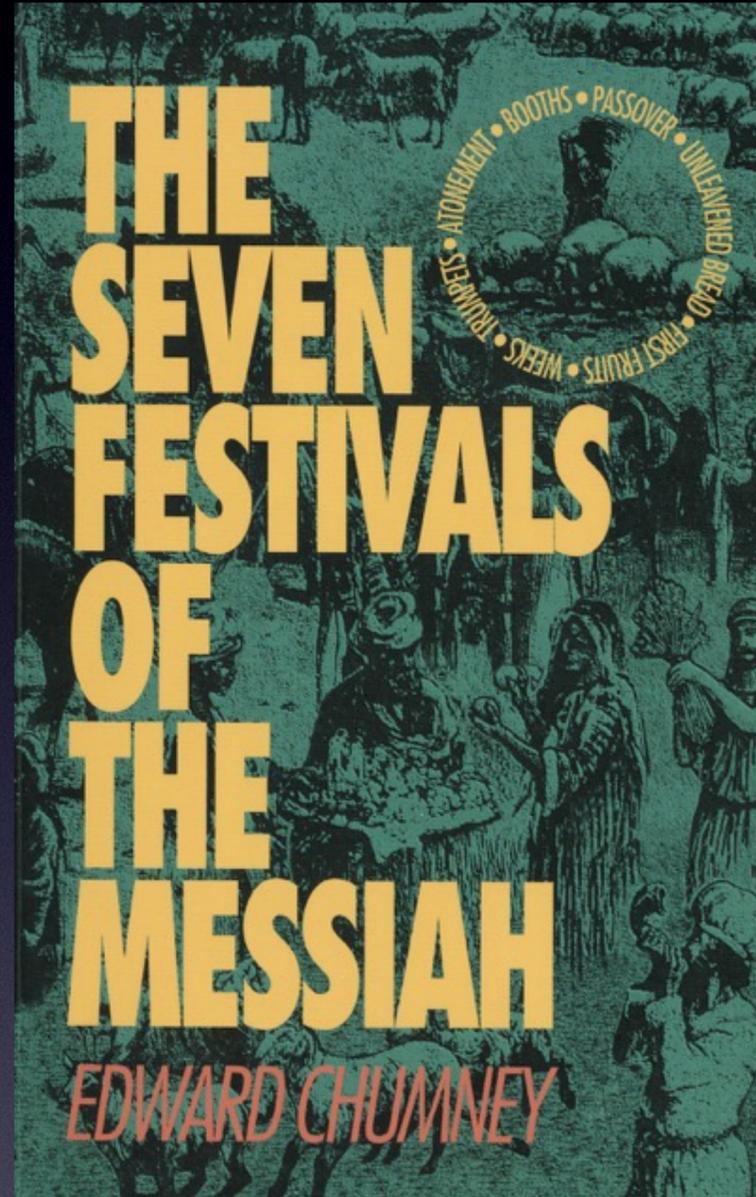
Christ said, “And that wicked one cometh and taketh away light and truth, through disobedience, from the children of men, and because of the tradition of their fathers” (D&C 93:39).

Chief Sitting Bull was familiar with the words the Indian Messiah (Christ) shared at Walker Lake about the Dance of Peace and a future time when the righteous would receive their land back. He and other angry Native Americans modified both teachings. Christ said that the wicked among the Whites would be swept off this covenant land, and that the land would be given back to the righteous remnant at some future point. He would do it, in His way and timing. It will be in our day, but some 100 years later, not 1890, according to Wovoca.

# Resources for Today's Presentation



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Serious about the Sabbath  
The Seven Annual Holy Days  
The LDS April 6th Tradition  
The Three Sabbaths

Calendar Website

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# The End

