

# TRUTHS TO BE RECOVERED (1)

## The ABCs of God's eternal purpose.

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### WHO ARE YOU IDENTIFIED WITH?

- Is your allegiance with the pastor or with the Lord Jesus Christ?
- Are you a student of the word and of prayer?
- Are you a manifest son, bringing in the New Jerusalem or a hybrid, a cuckoo in the nest who is not an eagle saint?
- Are you fulfilling your call in Christ, being fully surrendered to the Lord Jesus Christ who has done it all for you, empowering you to live a holy life?
- Do you believe in co-death and co-resurrection with Christ, being one with Christ in his death, burial, resurrection and ascension? Co-glorification and God-likeness.

When we are identified with the person of Christ through spiritual baptism, he lives his life in and through us as the life-quickening Spirit. He dispenses the triune God, the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, into our hearts.

“Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;) And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus.” (Ephesians 2:5-6 AV)

“And so it is written, The first man Adam was made a living soul; the last Adam was made a quickening spirit.” (1 Corinthians 15:45 AV)

### WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

You are either a 'technon' newborn baby son or a 'huios' led by the Spirit, moving from a natural soulish man to a fully grown spiritual man. Paul refers to “**attaining to perfect manhood**” and “the fulness of the stature of the measure of Christ” consummating in the manifest sons. Christ is referred to as “growing in wisdom and stature and favour with God and man” (Luke 2:42), therefore becoming a son involves growing spiritually, mentally, physically and socially.

“..... unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ.” (Ephesians 4:13 AV)

“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 *to* his throne.” (Revelation 12:5 AV)

We are caught up within the glory cloud deofold which is the man child group, the glorified corporate son and transformed god-men.

Many believers today, who are led astray, are stuck on a treadmill, not moving from a primary learning level to a high school and university of life level; feeding on milk and not the meat of the word.

Are you identified with the historical Christ or the post-resurrectional Christ, as well as the past, present, future post “day of the Lord” Christ? We are called to press toward the mark of the high calling **into heavenly places above**, seated with Christ at the right hand of God.

“If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God.” (Colossians 3:1 AV)

God is looking for a manifestation of Christ today, a heavenly descending bringing in the New Jerusalem, not a helicopter evacuation escaping tribulation. The biblical pattern is God taking his people through tribulation, preserving them in and through affliction as with Noah, the Hebrew children in the furnace and the Israelites through the wilderness. The 'beam me up Scottie' balloon cult creates egotistical, bourgeoisie escapists who want to live on a planet while the rest of the world gets its comeuppance. We are called to be 'caught up within the glory cloud' ones, preserved in sanctuary, living with the Lord Jesus Christ in the secret place and later on caught up without.

“And he ..... shewed me that great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God,” (Revelation 21:10 AV)

“Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, .....” (Revelation 1:7 AV)

## HOW DO WE GET THERE?

### **We get there by connecting with Paul plus Israel, becoming new creation spiritual Israelites.**

“..... For they are not all Israel, which are of Israel: ... but the children of the promise are counted for the seed.”  
(Romans 9:6-8 AV)

Don't go for the fool's gold, splitting the bible in two, but instead go for the all-inclusive oneness, seeking after the true riches being gold, silver and precious stones and the bejewelled, celestial city.

“Now if any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones .....” (1 Corinthians 3:12 AV)

“And the foundations of the wall of the city *were* garnished with all manner of precious stones.....” (Revelation 21:19 AV)

We are called to be spiritual Israel, the sealed overcomers, king priests, elder overcomers, angel messengers, God's temple incorporating all temples. God's full purpose consummates in the New Jerusalem.

“And I saw no temple therein: for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple of it.” (Revelation 21:22 AV)

### **We get there by taking three steps, the ABCs, into the age to come:**

a) Identifying with the historical Christ;  
b) the post-resurrectional Christ and  
c) the post “day of the Lord” Christ;  
stepping into the kingdom age, the cubed city through the seventh and eighth windows. From Passover to Pentecost to Tabernacles. Paul preaches “times past”, “but now” and “ages to come”.

“And have tasted the good word of God, and the powers of the world to come,” (Hebrews 6:5 AV)

“That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace .....” (Ephesians 2:7 AV)

**We get there by being most holy place believers**, understanding the tabernacle structure: outer court, inner court and most holy place, consummating in the New Jerusalem. Most believers today are worshipping in the outer court. True worship is shut down by leaders usurping Christ's position. While the apostles and prophets do not function, the church will never come to maturity.

**We get there by recognising the priesthood of believers functioning**, realising that the priesthood comes before the kingship - reigning with Christ followed by the prophethood - being God's spokespersons who respond to the voice from the throne.

“But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, .....” (1 Peter 2:9 AV)

**We get there by recognising headship believers** and releasing the fivefold ministry within the body of Christ. Each believer is connected with the head, the Lord Jesus, and is called to be an apostle, prophet, teacher, pastor or evangelist.

“He that descended is the same also that ascended up far above all heavens ....) And he gave some, ....” (Ephesians 4:10-11 AV)

Paul is the apostle to the Gentiles and a distributor of God's economy, 'oikonomia'; a manager of God's household law; a steward of God's grace; a minister according to the divine office of making the word of God and the mystery of Christ fully known. We as believers are called to be ministers of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God.

“For this cause I Paul, the prisoner of Jesus Christ for you Gentiles, If ye have heard of the dispensation of the grace of God which is given me to you-ward:” (Ephesians 3:1-2 AV)

**We get there by being stewards of God's economy, dispensers of God's grace.** We recognise the mystery Jew/Gentile body reconciled with God and the universal body of Christ, being made ministers by a God-delegated anointing or authority putting us on an equal playing field with Christ who is first amongst equals. We experience the riches of Christ, God's treasure house, the fellowship of the mystery. By faith we see the angelic realm observing the body of Christ unfolding. The Father is glorified in the church throughout all the ages or aeons (Messianic, future or light force), manifesting in ambassadors of

light functioning in the kingdom age.

“And to make all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery.....” (Ephesians 3:9 AV)

“Unto him *be* glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.” (Ephesians 3:21 AV)

**We get there by identifying the “but now” far above body and “ages to come” window.** We are progressive dispensationalists when we identify with Christ in the heavenlies within the above “but now” window. We access all the covenants including the Abrahamic, Mosaic, Davidic, the Melchizedekian priesthood and the kingdom age.

“Far above .... every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come:” (Ephesians 1:21 AV)

The antichrist, the beast system, the tribulation, the resurrection and the coming of Christ are all experienced as past, present and future, within spiritually now, and later on, without. The coming of Christ is seen as ‘Christ has come’, ‘Christ is coming’ and ‘Christ will come again’.

**We get there by ascending and descending with the Lord.** Breathe in ascending, being caught up within the glory cloud. Breathe out descending, calling out “Arise!”; identifying with the seventh Shekinah angel.

Breathe in visualising your spirit as a lightning rod being in radiant white light, seeing the dove star’s arising.

“For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:” (1 Thessalonians 4:16 AV)

“The sun *and* moon stood still in their habitation: at the light of thine arrows they went, *and* at the shining of thy glittering spear.” (Habakkuk 3:11 AV)

Both Paul and John testify to Christ coming after the seventh trump, which is followed by the dead in Christ rising, the mystery caught up body appearing, the marriage supper of the Lamb and the bema seat judgment.

“... And they ascended up to heaven in a cloud ....” (Revelation 11:12 AV)

“And the seventh angel sounded ...” (Revelation 11:15 AV)

“... the time of the dead, that they should be judged, and that thou shouldest give reward unto thy servants the prophets, and to the saints.....” (Revelation 11:18 AV)

**Our ABCs into God’s eternal purpose are defined as:** Admit you’re a sinner; believe Christ died for you and receive the Lord Jesus. We step into the kingdom age by going through the stages of “times past” – a sinner; “but now” – what we are in Christ; “ages to come” experiencing kingdom dominion. Passover, Pentecost and Tabernacles. John’s revelation dovetails with Paul’s revelation. Amen. Come Lord Jesus. (Revelation 22:20; 1 Corinthians 16:22)