

Christian Proclamation of the Feast of Passover

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Time to Observe the Feast of Passover

"In the fourteenth *day* of the first month at even *is* the LORD'S Passover." (Lev 23:4-5) "For even Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: Therefore let us keep the feast ... with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth." (1 Cor 5:7-8)

Thereby, **Paul wrote that Christians should keep the Passover feast of the Lord Jesus**. Paul never heard of Easter (invented by the papacy in the A.D. 300s) which is based on the time of the pagan celebration of the vernal equinox. Passover {anglicized as '*Pesach*' or '*Pesah*' commemorates Yeshua (Jesus) as our Paschal Lamb}. (cf., Lev 23:5; 1 Cor 11:23-26; cf., Mat 26:19--41; Mk 14:16-38)

God's time is reckoned from sunset to sunset (twilight to twilight) so a new biblical calendar day (a *Hebrew Calendar* day) starts at sunset *on the Gregorian day before*.

See the separate calendar publication for dates of the holy days for the current-year.

The Lord's Passover is a Feast day, but **not a holy day** because God did **not** command a holy convocation for it.

Time to Observe the Feast of Passover, Continued:

Although it runs for 24 hours, we observe Passover from sunset to midnight, perform the Passover service right after sunset on Sunday March 28, keeping vigil until midnight (**a night of solemn observation**; *Ex 12:42*); that is, **keeping vigil** and focusing on the Lord bringing His people out of bondage; for He brings out of bondage to sin all Christians who repent.

How to Calculate the Date of the Feast of Passover

The Holy Bible gives perfectly clear instructions for calculating the exact date of Passover. (cf., *Lev 23:4*)

God's Word Trumps the
"man of sin" (*2 Thes 2:3*)

Always rely upon God's Word instead of the tradition of men (cf., *Mat 15:3, 6; Mark 7:9; Col 2:8*) for many liars have gone forth that Satan may deceive, if possible, the very elect. (*Mat 24:24*) God's Word is accurate and clear.

**Look at God's Signs in
the Sky!**
A Still Small Voice, p. 52

Step Procedure to Find the Gregorian Date (*Lev 23:4*):

- 1 On the Hebrew Calendar, find the first month (Nisan, also called Abib) day 14.
- 2 On the Gregorian Calendar, find the corresponding date of Nisan 14.
- 3 Celebrate Passover right after sunset the day before the Gregorian calendar date because biblical days are from sunset to sunset. (*Gen 1:5, 8, 13, 19, 23; 2:3; Mat 28:1*; cf., *A Still Small Voice, p. 174*).

God's True Religious System Requires You to Take Communion at Passover, Not Easter

God appointed observance of Passover at twilight as the true time for Christians to take the communion service commanded by Yeshua (Jesus) in the New Testament.

"Wherefore whosoever shall eat this bread, and drink this cup of the Lord, unworthily, shall be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of that cup." (*1 Cor 11:27-30*)

You may **perform Passover service at home with family and friends** one-time at twilight (after sunset). (*Ex 12:46*) Services include doing the following:

- Washing each other's feet.
- Eating unleavened bread.
- Drinking the fruit of the vine (water) in accordance with the instructions of Yeshua, Jesus. (*Mat 26:29; Mk 14:25; Lk 22:18*)

Note: See separate study for biblical details about the "fruit of the vine."

You may read the following Scriptures at your home Passover service:

- *Mat 26:26-30*;

**God's True Religious
System ..., Continued:**

- *Mark* 14:22-26;
- *Luke* 7:38; 22:14-20;
- *John* 13:5-15;
- *Ex* 3:9-15; 12:1-51; 13:1-10;
- *Num* 33:1-5;
- *Lev* 23;
- *Deut* 32:1-5.

Note: Visit ChristianHebrewRoots.org for more Bible studies.

**Yeshua (Jesus) Ended the
Animal Sacrifices with the
Free Gift of Grace
(Abolished our Enmity
Against His Laws)**

Saved by **Grace**
Not by Feasts;
Feasts of the Lord
Prepare Us for
Everlasting Life

Leviticus 23:14, 21, 31, and 41 give us notice that the ***Feasts of the Lord*** are “**statutes for ever,**” and consequently, are to be observed by Christians. If you still feel *enmity* (opposition) *against* keeping the Feasts of the Lord, then you have not fully accepted **Jesus’ grace** which is defined as abolishing our enmity; that is abolishing our opposition to His statutes, feasts, laws, etc... (*Eph* 2:15-16) nor do you really accept that Jesus came in the flesh. (*1 John* 4:3)

Yeshua (Jesus) Himself commanded the change in the way Passover is to be kept after His death, resurrection, and ascension: “And He took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, this is My body which is given for you: **this do in remembrance of Me.**” (*Luke* 22:19-20)

Yeshua’s new covenant with His people was thereby established by the sacrifice of His own **flesh** on the cross, **abolishing the enmity** (*Eph* 2:15-16), that is, destroying His followers’ *opposition to* keeping God’s commandments, judgments, laws, ordinances, and statutes— destroying our opposition to God’s way of doing things. Abolishing our enmity against His statutes, laws, etc., **is what free grace is.**

Look carefully at what *Eph* 2:15-16 says, for it holds an important **key to obtaining the power of Christian living** — access to the same powers demonstrated by the original Apostles in the New Testament. (cf., *Mark* 16:17-20; *Luke* 7:28; *John* 3:2; *Acts* 2:22; 4:16, 22; 6:8; 8:6, 13; 15:12; 19:11; *1 Cor* 12:10-11, 28-31; *Heb* 2:4)

Yeshua (Jesus Christ) is symbolized by the sacrificial references to lambs, sin offering, and priest in *Leviticus* 23:18-20. When Yeshua fulfilled His role as our Messiah, dying on the cross, resurrecting Himself three days later, no more animal sacrifices are required.

“We are sanctified through the offering of the body of Yeshua (Jesus Christ) once for all. ... This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, saith the Lord, I will put My laws into their hearts, and in their minds will I write them; And their sins and iniquities will I remember no

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Animal Sacrifices ...,
Continued:**

more. Now where remission of these is, **there is no more offering for sin.**" (*Heb 10:6-18*)

**The Lord's Feasts
are the Seal or Mark
of the Living God**

By observing and keeping the nine Feasts of the Lord listed in *Lev 23: 1-44*, you are taking the seal or mark of the living God who set up the **true system of religion**. (cf., *Lev 23; 2 Tim 2:19*)

Decide whether you will worship God the way He commands and thereby take the seal or mark of the only living God who said "These are *My Feasts*."

1. "The foundation of God stands sure, having this seal: the Lord knows those who are His." (*2 Tim 2:19*; cf., *Rev 7:2-3*) All others perish. (*Rev 9:4; 14:9-11*)
2. God's feasts do not earn us salvation, for we are saved by faith in the blood of Yeshua (Jesus). Rather, God's *Feasts of the Lord* prepare us to be a part of God's everlasting kingdom in heaven when **the last trump** is sounded! (*1 Cor 15:52*)

† Endnotes

Read the details in our
book, "*A Still Small
Voice: The Vatican, the
USA, and Israel in Bible
Prophecy*," pp. vii, 271.

A.D. – In the year of our Lord; Anno Domini. [Instead of C.E., Common Era.] This is the popular year designation on the global commercial Gregorian calendar in universal use. "Because the British laws applied to the colonies in 1752, the United Colonies of North America (the future USA) began using the Gregorian Calendar when Britain did." It was the USA that introduced the Gregorian Calendar into universal global commerce in modern times.

A.H. – In the Hebrew Year; Anno Hebraico.

B.C. – Before Christ. [Instead of B.C.E., Before the Common Era.] This is the popular year designation for historical events predating Christ on the global commercial Gregorian calendar in universal use.

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