19-Psalms-76-Transcript 0:15foreign [Music] 0:27 [Music] 0:43 foreign 0:53 [Music] 1:12 and welcome to another Wednesday night bible study where we study the scriptures line upon line this evening 1:20 God willing we want to cover Psalm 135 and we've we've just finished the Psalms of ascent we did that with pastor Murray he's unfortunately traveling this week so he won't be with us we won't do a 1:33 live q a um either but do think about your questions or whenever we do have the live q a you'll have your questions ready and we're open to anything that we've covered any any scriptures any 1:45 book that we've covered we're happy to entertain your questions and also maybe 1:51 give some thought around what book would you like us to study next 1:56 um I have a few thoughts in my mind around the prophets but also thinking maybe one of the books for one of the 2:03 apostolic uh writings so if you could give that some thought and maybe uh type 2:08 in the chat uh what book you would like us to study next uh we'll just take that into prayerful consideration let's open 2:15 with the word of prayer if you can also confirm that you're hearing me loudly and clearly that will be much 2:22 appreciated our heavenly father we pause before our study as we always do because we want to acknowledge you we want to praise you and we also want 2:32

to ask for your blessing and our study we want to ask for your help Father as we mature in this

Christian walk

help us father to digest the scriptures

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and in that digestion help the scriptures father to transform us

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help them to show us the way and and help father that they would

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prepare us for whatever is to come you see it father we don't but we do have

3:02

the light of your word and that helps us father we so we pray for a greater understanding deeper faith and we pray

3:09

God that you'll bless us all together as we eagerly study your word we ask your blessing now we acknowledge you father

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as our rock as our Fortress as our strength our shield and our deliverer and we just thank you for these ancient

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Psalms that have so much wisdom and Hope We Praise You Lord we thank you we ask your blessing in Jesus name amen so let

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me just uh confirm first of all that you are able to hear me

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uh I am assuming that's all good uh the Book of Genesis I see brother

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Ellen very very good that's interesting to go back through the Book of Genesis the foundation of everything I had I was

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not thinking of that but that is interesting oh brilliant loud and clear very very good so that is that's an

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interesting one that kind of threw me for a curve I was thinking Jeremiah Ezekiel uh maybe uh first and second

4:02

Peter so that's something to take into consideration thank you very much for that let's uh let me share my screen

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last week I had trouble sharing my screen praise God that uh no trouble this week so let's get into uh the study

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for this week Psalm 135 which I should have mentioned as well Psalm 135 it is

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connected to the Psalms of ascent it's also connected to the Psalms of Halal

the psalms of praise so we remember leading into or these Psalms were leading into the spring holy days the

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the Passover and then Psalm 119 was associated with Pentecost and and the

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giving of the law and then the Psalms of ascent are associated with the fall

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festivals and in particular Tabernacles and now we've come through all of that Psalm 135 is sort of a Capstone on the

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Psalms of ascent and it's also what they call an inclusio it's like the open opening bracket is the Psalms of Halal

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in the spring and now this is the closed bracket and so you'll see how this Psalm

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not only links back and refers back to the Psalms of ascent but it also goes

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all the way back to the Psalms of hello the psalms of praise the spring holy days so let me go ahead and

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share my screen

5:31

very very good okay so this Psalm begins with a with an imperative a command a

5:37

summons praise ye Jehovah Praise Him that's just like pray that's

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where we start Praise You the Lord and then he says praise ye the name of the Lord

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so it's not yes let's praise the Lord but let's be even more specific

5:59

let's praise His name why would we praise His name why the difference so if

6:04

we're going to praise the Lord let's praise the Lord but why is the psalmist specifically calling out

6:10

to the Saints to praise His name let's talk about that Praise You the

6:16

Lord Praise ye the name of the Lord Praise Him

6:21

o you Servants of Jehovah now we need to understand this

6:27

distinction between praising the Lord and praising the name of the Lord why

6:33

because the Lord tells us that in the end time the time ahead of us right now

we're turning the corner I think we all feel it we're turning the corner into the Final Chapter 6.44

and in the Final Chapter Christ says to us then shall they deliver you up to be 6:51

afflicted and shall kill you and you shall be hated of all Nations

6:58

why would we be hated of all Nations for my name's sake there is something 7:04

that the Saints in the Final Chapter understand

7:10

about the importance of God's name and that is part and parcel of the

7:15

Gospel that we preach the gospel that we preach is not disconnected from the name

of God it's very much associated with the name of God and so when we come to this Psalm that makes a distinction

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between praising the Lord and praising the name of the Lord we need to understand this 7.32

that the name Jehovah means something it's his personal name

7:38

and in part one of the joy of the Lord I spoke about this how it it's the time of Moses that God 7:47

reveals to Israel his name they shall know him by Jehovah that Abraham Isaac 7:53

Jacob the fathers they knew him as El Shaddai but this generation shall know him as 7:58

Jehovah why this is the generation that was enslaved and Jehovah means God will save his 8:06

people and so this is the understanding in the end time when all nations agree together 8:13

to destroy the people of God there is good news being preached that their

8:19

their plans will be foiled because God's plan God's counsel cannot

8:24

be withstood and God's plan God's counsel is to save his people

8:30

praise the name of the Lord and then he says here in verse 2 Psalm 135 verse 2 you that stand in the house

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of Jehovah and this is an illusion back to Psalm 134 when they finally make it

8:46

to Jerusalem and they're now standing in the house of God so now in Psalm 135 we

see this this link back to Psalm 134 you that stand in the house of the Lord in

8:58

the courts of the House of our God you are the ones that Must Praise the name of the Lord 9:06

and as we saw the Psalms of ascent they're certainly historical this is what the Jews did as they made their way

9:12

to Jerusalem for the festivals particularly the fall festivals

9:17

but we also said that this Psalms of ascent is also prophetic

9:24

and it points forward to a time when God will gather his people and bring them to Jerusalem and so these Saints who have

9:31

this special privilege of having the name of God upon them and having the will of God upon them and

9:39

the salvation and the Redemption of God upon them you who stand in the house of the Lord in the courts of the House of

9:45

our God praise the Lord why for Jehovah is good

9:51

he's good everything he does is good he's righteous then again sing praises unto unto what 10:00

unto his name understand his name Brethren beloved do you is is his name a

big deal is your understanding of the Gospel intricately tied to his name or is his

10:15

name just something that's kind of foreign to us and then we preach this good news that has nothing to do with

10:21

his name sing praises unto his name for it is Pleasant

10:26

or we could say his name is highly desirable

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his name is to be desired the meaning of his name is to be celebrated

10:38

it is highly desirable verse 4 he says

10:46

now let's clarify what is the big deal about the name Jehovah

10:53

why why should we focus on the name let me explain that the psalmist is going to explain 10:59

for Jehovah has chosen Jacob unto himself

11:06

that's what Jehovah means he's chosen Jacob no matter what the Heathen try to

11:12

do to Jacob he has chosen Jacob and therefore he will redeem Jacob so says

11:18

his name it is highly desirable to those who stand in the house of God

11:24

for Jehovah has chosen Jacob unto himself there are many tribes on the

11:29

Earth Jehovah has chosen Jacob to himself and

11:35

Israel for his peculiar treasure It's A peculiar treasure it's not something

11:40

that we can understand understand on the surface we have to dig deep we have to go into the scriptures to

11:48

really understand what is this this this plan of God

11:54

what did he lay down from the very beginning and he will not deviate from

11:59

and how can we understand what's going to happen next in the world well his plan is all here he's chosen

12:06

Jacob unto himself Jacob will be his peculiar

12:11

treasure now we go back to Torah

12:17

and in Exodus 19 5 this language peculiar treasure he says to them as they're covenanting 12:23

with him now therefore if you will obey my voice indeed and

12:29

keep my Covenant then you shall be A peculiar treasure unto me above all

12:37

people I'm I'm selecting you whole but we need diversity equity and

12:44

inclusion everybody has to be included and everything must be fair and there can be no Advantage there can be no

12:51

privilege God says nonsense because all the Earth is mine I do what

12:58

I want and I have chosen this people to be above all others and if you don't

13:04

like it do you want to argue with the Creator or do you want to be grateful that you

have a place in creation and that you will be blessed as a result of me the Creator lifting up high this

13:19

peculiar people I'm going to lift these people up so that all mankind can be blessed he says 13:25

to Abraham all the families of the Earth shall be blessed in you

13:31

and yet they want to be jealous they want to be envious they want to destroy privilege this this comes from the the

13:39

post-modernists and I won't get into that now I'm actually thinking of a a sermon to to

13:44

cover this but we must accept that by the mercy of God

13:51

and by the plan of God there is privilege there is this this peculiarity

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that God speaks of is privilege and Satan wants to destroy that

14:03

and that's why he's putting about there can be no privilege everything must be equal God God disagrees God is a god of

14:10

distinctions God is a god of separations one is not like the other they're not equal

14:17

the the seventh day is not equal to the other six days the priests are not equal to the lay 14:24

people God is a god of separations and distinctions and Levels by his plan by

14:30

his will for the benefit of all he says that they will be this peculiar

14:36

treasure this this was his plan now they broke the Covenant

14:41

but God didn't God still says I've chosen you and so let's try this again

14:47

I'm gonna have a new covenant with you and you shall still be a peculiar treasure

14:53

and I'll take some first fruits now from the Gentile communities the Gentile tribes and I'll graft them in so that

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even they will be part of this peculiar treasure but the treasure is Israel

15.05

in Deuteronomy 7 and verse 6 he says to Moses for you are a holy

15:12

people you are a separated people you are a privileged people unto the Lord your God

the Lord your God has chosen you who's he speaking to

15:26

who has God chosen have you ever seen this language from God Almighty

15:31

associated with anybody outside of Israel are there is there any tribe

15:38

any peoples that God has said that he personally has said I have chosen you

15:45

or has he only ever said this to one set of people Israel the creator has chosen

15:52

are we going to argue are we going to dispute he says the Lord your God has chosen you 16:00

he's never said this to anybody else through Amos he says you alone of all

16:05

the families of the Earth have I know to be a special people unto himself

16:10

that's the purpose of this selection you'll be a special people unto him you will be the kingdom of priests on the

16:18

Earth above all people that are upon the face of the earth oh yes there is privilege

16:25

this is the Israelite privilege over all the people upon the Earth and

16:30

when Christ returns there is so much animosity and so much hatred and resentment over 16:37

this privilege that when Christ returns he himself says all the all the tribes of the Earth 16:44

shall mourn because of me upon my return in the revelation

16:51

that was given to John so that we could know what's going to happen in the future John describes it as all the

16:57

kindreds of the Earth shall wail upon the return of Christ

17:04

they have such resentment for this privilege of Covenant

17:09

that they want to destroy the people of Covenant and woe unto us if we fall into 17:15

this resentment of of Communism of Marxism of socialist resentment for any sort of 17:22

privilege I nobody else can have what I don't have oh if they have a nicer car than me we 17:29

must take it away from them if they have a bigger house than me we must take it away from them because everything must

17:35

be equal and nobody can have more than me and uh well I'm not willing to work so let's just all go on universal basic

17:42

income this is it's like why is Marxism so sticky why is it so successful why 17:49

won't it go away when it is so inherently evil I'll tell you why it's a collusion

17:56

between two parties why won't Marxism disappear why why why is it why why does it seem 18:03

so sticky and intractable I'll tell you why the first reason is men love power

18:12

men are addicted to power men love to exercise power over others this is an

18:18

addiction and and once once they taste power they want more and more and more and once 18:25

they taste the ability to destroy others it becomes an addiction so that's the first reason why Marxism

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is so addictive so so sticky I should say so so intractable and permanent

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the second reason as far as I can see my observation of why Marxism is so sticky and it won't 18:46

just go away after all the evil that it's done the second reason

18:51

is it's very seductive it says to the disadvantaged

18:57

oh just put me in charge just give me more power

19:04

and I will give you money just put me in power and I will give you

19:09

justice I will give you social justice I will give you all the things that the others have that you don't have and this

19:16

is why it sells that people hear this and they like it they're seduced by it and so it's a collusion of those who

19:24

lust for power and those who Envy those that have what they don't have

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and and so it's a great sales job for the poor and the poor always outnumber

19:35

everybody else so it's a great way for the few to exercise incredible power

over the many but to sell it to the many in a way that they love it oh yes give me social justice oh yes give me Equity

19:49

give me diversity oh please give me inclusion oh this sounds so wonderful yes I will give you more power and then

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suddenly I find myself stripped of all dignity stripped of everything that's valuable 20:01

to me and under the foot of the most despicable men on Earth

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this is why Marxism is so sticky and unfortunately

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and and I say this in all caps unfortunately many Christians about Christians I mean 20:19

Covenant believing brethren Brethren of the Covenant Community the

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Church of God unfortunately all caps we ourselves have been seduced by this

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satanic Doctrine of Marxism and ultimately what that means is we will

20:36

resent the Covenant we will resent that there's a thing called privilege

20:42

by God himself it's very very tragic and very very sad

20:49

he says Israel will be a special people because he's chosen them to be a special people 20:55

to himself above all people higher than everybody else why to their benefit

21:04

that as a result of this priest class on the earth this Kingdom of priests as a

21:10

result of that all the Earth will be blessed If Only They can get over their

21:16

resentment that God has not chosen them he's chosen Israel if they can get over that they'll be incredibly blessed

21:24

that's the sticking point and they'd rather turn to Marxism that says oh no I'm special 21:29

I just have to give a human being more power and they'll get me Justice and they'll get me money and they'll get me

21:36

inclusion how sad verse 7 the Lord did not set his love

21:41

upon you nor choose you because you are more in number than any people it wasn't

that you had some incredible like wow I could really use them they're so powerful no for you were actually the fewest of all

21:54

people that's so that's not the reason why you were actually pathetic

21:59

but he chose you because the Lord loved you and listen

22:05

and because he would keep the oath he would keep the oath

22:12

which which he had sworn unto your fathers there's no way out

22:17

he swore an oath to your fathers and therefore he is bound to you and you are

22:24

bound to him and you will be a peculiar people on the Earth he has not said this to any other people

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so here we are yeah for the archive's sake in 2022 hurtling into the future

22:37

and no matter what happens into the future as we head into the future this will always be true 22:43

God has chosen Israel and he is bound by Covenant he is bound by oath to make them A peculiar people

22:51

and that's what's happening on the Earth today Judah first followed by all Israel 22:58

and through that special peculiar position all the tribes of the earth will

23:05

ultimately be blessed but that's why that's why these people are peculiar

23:10

people because of the oath which he swore unto your fathers which was not sworn to any 23:17

other peoples has the Lord brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed you out of the 23:22

house of bond man from the hand of pharaoh king of Egypt so this is why God 23:28

acted at the time of this very powerful king of Egypt the let's call him the most 23:33

powerful man on the planet at that time and these were the fewest in number they 23:38

were they were just a pathetic people under the bondage under the foot of 23:43

Egypt being slaughtered being humiliated totally enslaved 23:49

and the Reason God acted to redeem them is because of the oath

23:55

that he made to their fathers that's why they were to know him as Jehovah

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and that's why we in our preaching the gospel understand the power of the name

24:06

Jehovah and this king of Egypt is really a placeholder

24:13

for the Antichrist and when the Antichrist convinces All Peoples and All Nations to fight against

24:20

privilege to fight against the privilege of Judah and the present privilege of Israel we

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say oh no no no oh contraire you've got it all wrong because the Creator

24:35

has chosen these people because of and because of the oath that he has made to their fathers he will save them he will

24:43

redeem them just as he redeemed them out of the house of bondage

24:48

back to Psalm 135 and verse 5. for I know so so now he's he's saying so

24:56

he's he's summoned us who stand in the house of the Lord to praise the name of the Lord to sing praises to his name to

25:03

praise Jehovah and now there's this like this reflection why why should we do this he says for I 25:12

know that the Lord is great and that our Lord is above all gods so

25:19

he's chosen us above ought to be above all peoples but he himself

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is above all gods and therefore it doesn't matter how upset

25:31

the peoples are about his will to make us A peculiar people

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because he's above all gods and therefore nobody can withstand his

25:41

counsel nobody can frustrate his plan and his plan is to establish Israel as a

25:48

kingdom of priests on the Earth he says I know that the Lord is great

25:55

and that our Lord is above all gods listen verse 6.

26:01

whatsoever whatsoever means

whatsoever it means there's whatever whatsoever the Lord pleased

26:14

whatever his Joy is the joy of the Lord whatever his will is whatever he wants

26:20

to accomplish whatsoever the Lord pleased that did he in heaven

26:26

and in Earth in the seas and all deep places there is

26:32

no escaping the will of the Lord and whatever he whatever Delights him

26:39

he will do and it is his good pleasure to give the

26:44

kingdom to Israel it is his good pleasure to bring Salvation to All Mankind through Israel

26:51

this is his Joy it is his good pleasure to establish the Throne of David in Zion

26:59

this is his Zeal this is his Joy nobody can frustrate this

27:05

so now this whatsoever the Lord pleased that's what he did in heaven and in the

27:11

Deep places all of this praising the name it's a call back to Psalm 115 which

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was in the Psalms of Halal the spring holy days Psalm 115 and verse 1 he says not unto us O

Lord

27:27

not unto us but unto your name unto your name

27:33

give Glory we're in Dire Straits here

27:38

we're in trouble we're in bondage we need Redemption

27:45

but don't give glory to us give it to your name Jehovah

27:51

show how powerful your name is not unto us but unto your name give

27:57

Glory for your mercy and for your truth's sake

28:04

what is the truth brethren God says he's seeking those to worship Him in spirit

28:12

but he doesn't stop there he's seeking those who will worship Him in spirit

28:18

and in truth what is our understanding of the truth of God's word

what is our understanding of the truth of his plan what is our understanding of the good 28:30

news that he once preached in the Earth he says do this Lord

28:35

not for our sake but for the sake of your name for the sake of your truth bring glory 28:43

to your name Jehovah the Holy One of Israel

28:48

again in Psalm 115 the reason he is arguing or praying

28:54

soliciting God to act and give glory to his name what

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why because if you don't it would give the Heathen the upper hand

29:06

and so he says why should the heathens say where is now their God

29:12

this is what it's about the name of God is in contradiction to the will of the

29:18

heathen so God if you don't give glory to your name

29:23

then we cannot be redeemed and then the Heathen can say well where is their God 29:29

but our God is in the heavens so yes he hides in his face his face

29:34

from Jacob in the in the short term But ultimately we know he will act

29:39

and so they're praying for him to act and where where is your god well he's in the heavens 29:45

and he has done whatever he has pleased and unfortunately it has pleased him to 29:51

punish Jacob it has pleased him to scatter Jacob

29:56

it has pleased him to humiliate Jacob to bring Jacob and Judah to repentance 30:03

this is this is the plan of God this is what pleases him and he does whatever he 30:08

pleases back to Psalm 135 verse 7. he goes on now to explain the power of 30:16

the creator he says he causes the vapors to ascend from the ends of the Earth 30:23

he makes Lightnings for the rain he brings the wind out of his treasuries 30:29

this is his description of the power of this God this is this is the true creator this is the true God 30:35

Jeremiah quotes almost word for word Jeremiah 10 and verse 13 the prophet

30:41

says when he utters his voice there is a multitude of waters in the heavens

30:47

and he causes the vapors to ascend from the ends of the Earth and makes Lightnings with rain and

30:54

brings forth the wind out of his treasures in case you didn't know which God we're talking about 31:01

this is the god this is the creator this is the sustainer this is the Holy One of Israel

31:07

Psalm 135 and verse 8 now he explains he does whatever he wants this God

31:14

in Heavens and in Earth and now he explains the operation

31:19

the the primary objective that this Creator and sustainer has in

31:27

the Earth he says this verse 8 he's the one

31:34

who smote the firstborn of Egypt what a powerful

31:39

strike to the most powerful man on the planet at the time who was seen as a god of the

31:46

Earth and our God struck the firstborn of Egypt both man

31:53

and Beast and and struck in in sort of a Precision strike

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that as long as you were first born in Egypt it didn't matter where you were or what you were or what level you were all

32:05

of these people died and their beasts as well and you just oh that's firstborn this is a strike with Precision to the

32:12

most powerful Empire at the time the most powerful man in the world at the time This Is Our God

32:18

and the reason he struck Egypt we saw that in Deuteronomy

32:25

because he's he's swore an oath to our fathers and Satan is trying to interfere with 32:32

the operation of God through this man pharaoh and God is saying nobody confront God is 32:40

the Creator and he has a plan for Israel and so it was inevitable

that Egypt would be destroyed it is inevitable that the Antichrist will be

32:50

destroyed why because of the oath that the fathers uh hoped in

32:57

that God swore to the fathers and they hoped in that oath and it's impossible for God to lie 33:03

verse 9. who sent tokens and wonders

33:09

signs and wonders into the midst of you he sent it right into the middle of You O Egypt 33:16

upon pharaoh and upon all his servants this is how powerful this was

33:23

so let's let's have a little um historic history lesson here just to understand who this God is 33:31

and nobody can stop him he didn't just stop at Egypt so he

33:37

released them from Egypt and then he goes on to say who who smoked great Nations power and mighty

33:44

Kings he slew and then he begins to give some examples seahon king of amorites and OG king of

33:51

Bashar and all the kingdoms of Canaan kanaan Deuteronomy and you can go to numbers 21 33:57

which gives this in detail but in Deuteronomy 29 and verse 7 he he

34:03

recounts this history that's in the Torah and when you came unto this place sihan the king of heshbon and OG the

34:09

king of Bashan came out against us unto battle and we smote them well God actually smoked them through Israel just

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as in the end time Zechariah 12 he's going to destroy all these nations that come against Jerusalem but he's going to

34:23

empower Judah to put their enemies down now this part of the history so there's the 34:31

releasing them from bondage that's part one part two is bringing them into the 34:37

Promised Land and they had to destroy these Mighty Kings in order to take hold of that 34:42

promised land and God was with them to do that and he goes on to explain

34:47

verse 12. and gave their land for a heritage

you know today it's probably I started to notice this maybe five or six years ago maybe seven years

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ago where I was thinking I think I was like my son the first time I noticed that was at my son's graduation University and

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they were getting ready to give this uh presentation uh to the students give them their their decree degrees and

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their diplomas and and they get up and they stand up the first thing that comes out of their mouth is we want to acknowledge that we

35:20

are standing on Stolen land and this is not our land and this is and this is constant 35:26

beating down of Western civilization and the despising of Western Civilization 35:35

and let's completely hate Western Civilization and only only when we look back at the 35:41

history of Western Civilization let's only see the bad things let's only see the evil things 35:47

and then let's pretend that Nations like China are honorable the Communist Party 35:52

of China let's pretend that the the world

35:58

economic forum and their globalist agenda let's pretend that that's an honorable thing and we should look

36:04

forward to that but let's despise Western Civilization and that's that's what we're seeing 36:11

and even in the Middle East to this day you have the Palestinians saying This Is Our Land We this is we were here first

36:18

This Is Our Land an all nations agree but what does God say God's word says He gave their life he

36:26

acknowledges this this was the land of the Philistines this was the land of the Canaanites 36:32

he acknowledges it and then God says I'm taking their land and I'm giving it to Israel 36:37

because he has a plan and so if we want to say well whoever was there first that's their land we can

say that but we're going against the word of God the word of God says God himself the Creator gave their land for heritage

36:52

that means that once he gives it to them it's theirs and and generation after generation 36:58

after generation will have it as a Heritage this is the word of God it might be offensive to us I maybe I don't like this this is the

37:05

plan of God gave their land for a heritage and a Heritage unto Israel his people 37:11

that's who belongs in this land and when Christ comes all the nations have agreed 37:17

together to remove these people from the land and when Christ comes all tribes of the 37:23

earth will wail because of him because all of that is Antichrist

and it is his will to give this land to Israel for a Heritage here in

37:35

Deuteronomy 32 and verse 8 he says when the most high divided to the Nations their inheritance

37:42

so all of the Nations will have their inheritance and he divided them when he separated the sons of Adam he set the

37:49

bounds of the people that is the Gentile peoples according to the number of the 37:55

children of Israel so from the very beginning God's plan was that Israel

38.00

would be a kingdom of priests and the Earth would be divided up in such a way that when they come to

38:06

Jerusalem to worship they would come through one of these tribes that all nations are accounted for

38:12

through and accommodated through Israel he says so he explains this now

and he says the reason he's doing this is because the Lord's portion

38:24

is his people Jacob is the lot of his inheritance

38:32

God is going to inherit Jacob and therefore he's given Jacob a plot of

38:38

land which is part of his Covenant with them and he he's going to make them A 38:44

peculiar people in this specific plot of land so that he can inherit them

38:49

meanwhile he's going to give the Nations their portion but they're going to of their portion

38:54

they're going to bring offerings through Jacob to the god of Israel

39:00

back to Psalm 135 verse 13. your name o yehovah

39:06

your name or Jehovah endures forever

39:13

and ever and ever yo the name Jehovah will never go away

39:21

the name Jehovah the Holy One of Israel will never be out of fashion Sometimes some things are in fashion sometimes

39:27

people say the flavor of the month these things come and go Jehovah is here to stay 39:33

and the name Jehovah will endure forever and your Memorial o yehovah throughout

all generations there's a story there's a narrative in the name Jehovah and it

39:46

will be forever in fact Luke it's in the archive if you missed our study on the Gospel of Luke 39.52.

it is important we understand the true gospel but here it is right in Luke it's

39:58

all over Isaiah it's all over the Bible Luke 1 verse 33 and he that is Christ

40:06

shall reign over what over the house of Jacob

40:12

Jacob will be a kingdom of priests Jacob will reign on the Earth Christ will reign over Jacob for how

40:20

long will Christ reign over Jacob what does the scripture say he shall reign over the house of Jacob forever

40:27

forever means forever that means there's always going to be a Jacob there's always going to be an

40:33

Israel and this name Jehovah that saved and redeemed Jacob the name Jehovah is 40:40

forever the kingdom over Israel is forever forever and ever and ever

40:46

this is part and parcel of the Gospel he shall reign over the house of Jacob forever and of his kingdom there shall

be no end Our Gospel message must be very specific

41:02

according to the scriptures and there's no gospel there's no good

41:08

news that is exclusive of the House of Jacob there is no good news that is exclusive

41:16

of the name Jehovah and what it means your name O yehovah endures forever and

41:23

your Memorial o yehovah throughout all generations

41:29

sorry I have a wrong reference here let me get back to Psalm 135.

41:36

thank you Psalm 135 and verse 14 in fact let me

41:43

just go back to verse 13 just to make sure I haven't missed anything yes so your name O yehovah endures forever

41:50

and your memory your Memorial oh Lord throughout all generations why is it

41:58

that his name Jehovah will endure forever well he explains

42:03

because Jehovah will judge his people and this word judge uh maybe you know

42:10

King James time uh we would Shakespearean time language

42:16

we would understand this word judge differently today judge it sounds like for the Lord will condemn his people the

42:22

Lord will punish his people that's not at all what this is saying this will a better translation would be vindicate

42:29

justify for the Lord will vindicate will redeem his people

42:36

this is why his name endures forever his name Jehovah God Saves Israel

42:43

why will that endure forever because the Lord will redeem his people he will vindicate his people

42:50

and he will repent himself concerning his servant so all of the punishment the fact that he hides his face from the the

42:56

from the from Jacob the fact that this is going to be a time of tribulation the likes of which no 43:03

nation has ever seen but it will be the time of Jacob's trouble all of that he will he will repent 43:09

he will change he will reverse it and he will vindicate his people though all

43:15

nations of the Earth are against the privilege of Israel God will vindicate his people

43:22

Deuteronomy 32 and verse 36 this is coming from Torah

43:27

it's an illusion to Torah Torah says for yehovah shall vindicate his people

43:34

and repent himself for his servants when he sees that their power is gone think

43:39

Deuteronomy 30. this is exactly what Moses told them when you finally when you when you're 43:45

broken and you repent and you realize you can't turn to anybody else but Jehovah when he sees 43:52

that their power is gone and there is none shut up or left that's when he will

43:57

vindicate his people and so this is we see how the world the history of man is going to unfold 44:04

back to Psalm 135 verse 15. the idols of the heathen

44:13

are silver and gold the work of men's hands so this this

44:18

verse is just beautiful this is exactly where we are today the work of men's hands are silver and 44:27

gold this is this is exactly where we are today this whole today uh this is um November 2022. and this whole FTX

44:36

Scandal we're out of nowhere this uh crypto exchange came out of nowhere

44:43

multi-billion dollar exchange this young kid comes with the wealthiest people one

44.50

of the biggest donors to the Democratic party in in the U.S and supporting climate change just came out of nowhere

44:57

and it's all about the money and in fact we can understand what's going on in the world today with everything

45:04

man does if we simply follow the money because that's that's their God

45:11

money the work of men's hands so here anciently

45:17

they would actually take the silver and gold and fashion it into idols and the

psalmist goes on to say they have mouths but they speak not eyes have they but 45:28

they see not they have ears but they hear not neither is there any breath in 45:34

their mouths so today at least right now

45:39

we may not see sophisticated man taking their money and creating physical 45:48

Idols with ears and a mouth and a nose and then bowing down to worship it 45:54

but we certainly have idolatry and money is at the root of this idolatry money 46:00

sex and power these are their gods and and these are their true idols and 46:07

so what the psalmist is saying here is these things have no power and yet look at these men worshiping

46:13

them and building their whole meaning and and perception of life around them 46:19

and and today we see men going astray they've rejected the Bible 46:25

they've rejected Jesus Christ they've rejected the morality of Christ 46:31

all for their idolatry and as a result they are plunging into deep Darkness 46:37

we see in the western world today they don't even know what a woman is 46:43

they are warming up to the concept and the idea of pedophilia it's not an 46:50

outrage anymore it's it's tolerated it's okay they are mutilating 46:55

the genitals of children and they're they're declaring that anybody who's against this is a bigot 47:01

this is the madness that they are descending into because of their idolatry so it's no 47:07

different is it we think we're sophisticated modern man we think we're modern and sophisticated it's the same

47:13

idolatry that the psalmist is calling out here to say this is absolutely ridiculous 47:20

so there's it's just illogical it's it's foolishness that they would worship 47:25

these Idols even today they that make them are like unto them

so is everyone that trusts in them and this you know here today the darkness

47:40

these people can put on a suit they can put on a dress they can put on fine makeup and nice hairstyles and they look

47:48

nice and they smell nice but they are despicable

47:53

they are so incredibly evil they that make them are like unto them

47:59

they're foolish they're dumb and blind they're they can't speak they they make no sense 48:05

and so is everyone that trusts in them and woe unto us if we're falling into this Marxist filth and garbage we will

48:13

be we will be wrecked if we trust in these people

48:18

again an allusion to Psalm 115 verse 4 he says their Idols are silver and gold

48:24

the work of men's hands they have mouths but they speak not eyes have they but

48:29

they see not they have ears but they hear not noses have they but they smell

48:34

not they have hands but they handle not feet have they but they walk not neither

48:40

speak they through their throat they that make them are like unto them so is

48:45

everyone that trusts in them so a very clear kind of connection Psalm 136 is

48:50

like this Capstone as we come through the Psalms of Halal we've come through the big Psalm

119 we've come through

48:57

these Psalms of ascent and now here we are Psalms 135 and 136 are calling back

49:04

I think I said 136 both we'll do 136 next week God willing but 135 136 are

49:09

kind of pulling all of this together verse 19 bless the Lord

49:15

o House of Israel this is very specific

49:21

bless Jehovah o House of Israel bless the Lord O House

49:28

of varians he's getting very specific now bless the Lord Israel bless the Lord the house of Aaron the

aaronic priesthood bless the Lord O House of Levi you that

49:41

fear the lord bless the Lord and this again is calling back to Psalm

49:47

115. verse 9 o Israel that trusts in the Lord

49:52

he is their help in their Shield o House of Aaron trust in the Lord he is their help and shield you that

49:59

fear the Lord trust in the Lord he is their help and shield so we just get this nice uh continuity all the way back

50:07

from Psalm 115 all the way through now we've come through the Psalms of ascent and now we're still pulling all of this

50:14

together with Psalms 135 and 136 Psalm 135 then concludes

50:21

blessed be the Lord blessed be the Lord let's be very clear out of Zion

50:28

blessed be the Lord out of Zion we have to understand Jerusalem is the center of the Earth 50:35

it's the spiritual umbilical cord to heaven and it will be the headquarters of the

50:42

Earth right now Babylon is the center of the Earth and it's the model in the pattern that 50:48

all the countries of the Earth are following but in the very near future

50:55

the Lord will rule and Roar out of Zion and all the stars will come out of Zion

51:02

and everybody will be patterning themselves in their conduct and their behavior out of the model that comes out

51:08

of Jerusalem with this understanding we also can say bless the Lord out of Zion which dwells 51:15

at Jerusalem let's be very clear God has chosen these people he's chosen this

51.21

land he set his plan in motion he's sworn an oath and this is what he will do

51:26

bless the Lord out of Zion which dwells in Jerusalem and then the psalm ends

51:32

with the summons that it began with praise ye hovah

what a beautiful powerful Psalm thank you so much brethren for joining me this evening God willing we'll be back next

51:45

week with Psalm 136 Jesus Christ is Lord we are in a world of great and deep 51.53

Darkness but we have the light we have understanding and we have Christ God 52:00

bless you brother