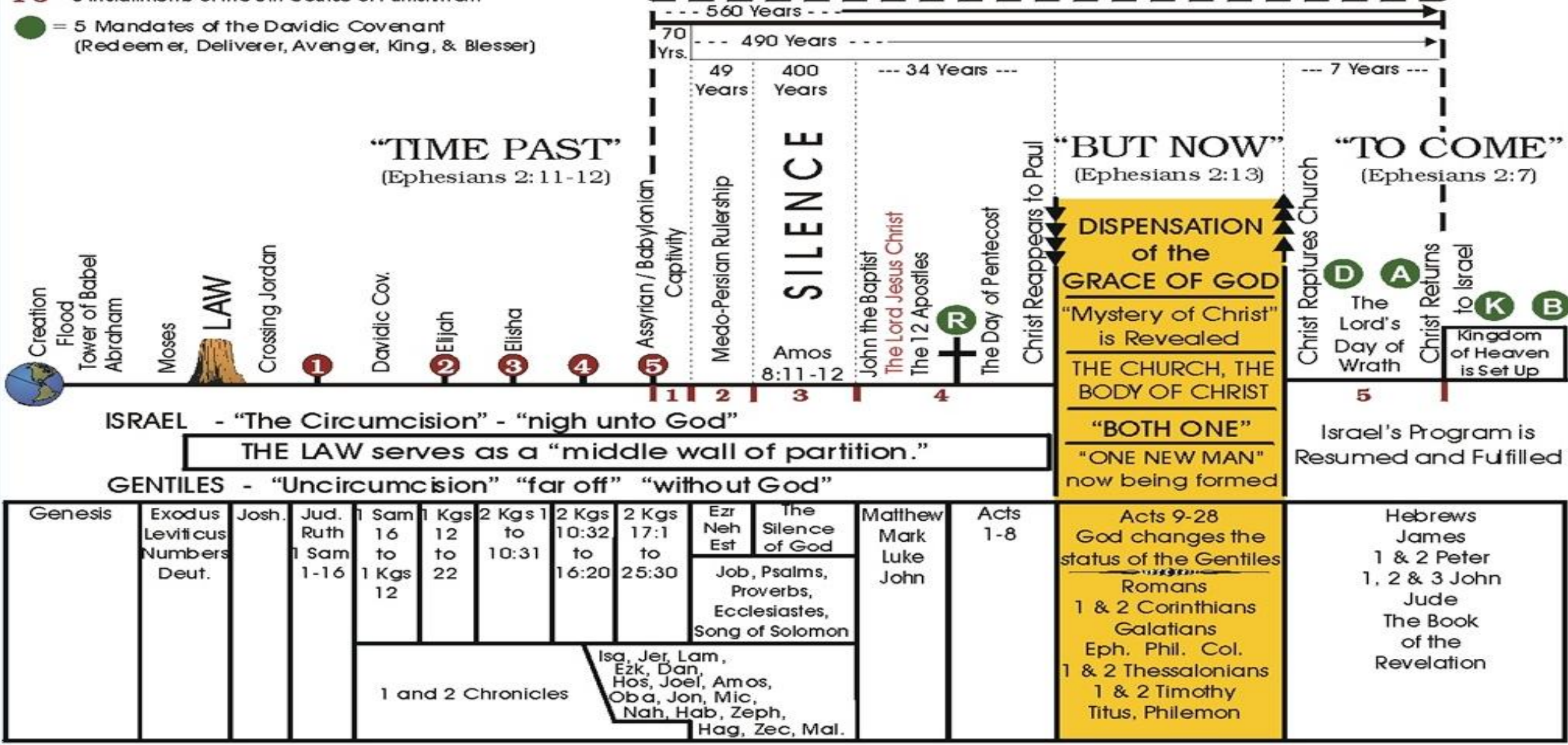
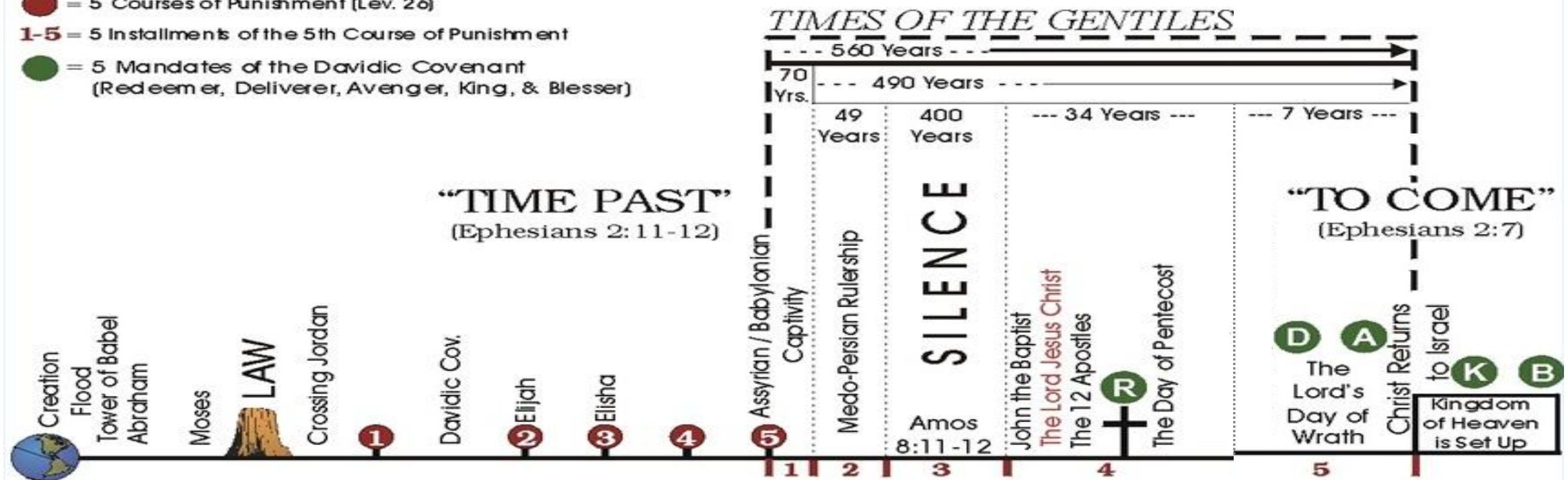


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ISRAEL - "The Circumcision" - "nigh unto God"

THE LAW serves as a "middle wall of partition."

Israel's Program is Resumed and Fulfilled

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Genesis	Exodus Leviticus Numbers Deut.	Josh.	Jud. Ruth 1 Sam 1-16	1 Sam 16 to 1 Kgs 12	1 Kgs 12 to 22	2 Kgs 1 to 10:31	2 Kgs 10:32 to 16:20	2 Kgs 17:1 to 25:30	Ezr Neh Est	The Silence of God	Matthew Mark Luke John	Acts 1-8	Hebrews James 1 & 2 Peter 1, 2 & 3 John Jude The Book of the Revelation
				1 and 2 Chronicles				Isa, Jer, Lam, Ezk, Dan, Hos, Joel, Amos, Oba, Jon, Mic, Nah, Hab, Zeph, Hag, Zec, Mal.					

I'D RATHER HAVE JESUS

I'd rather have Jesus than silver or gold
I'd rather be His than have riches untold
I'd rather have Jesus than houses or land
I'd rather be led by His nailed pierced hand

Chorus:

***Than to be the king of a vast domain
Or be held in sin's dread sway
I'd rather have Jesus than anything
This world affords today***

I'D RATHER HAVE JESUS

I'd rather have Jesus than men's applause

I'd rather be faithful to His dear cause

I'd rather have Jesus than worldwide fame

I'd rather be true to His holy name

Chorus:

Than to be the king of a vast domain

Or be held in sin's dread sway

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I'D RATHER HAVE JESUS

He's fairer than lilies of rarest bloom
He's sweeter than honey from out of the comb
He's all that my hungering spirit needs
I'd rather have Jesus and let Him lead

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Victorious Christian Living

Eph. 2:2

1. Eph. 2:2—Satan’s Course of the World:
 - a. Its goal is to push God and His things out of every aspect of life by suppressing His Truth while replacing it with its things and advancing its own “truth” which is really the lie, stealing away God’s creation and exploiting it for its own glory.
 - b. We saw example of this by looking at God’s Course of the Word at the creation of world—male/female; marriage/nuclear family; bringing God and His things in while pushing Satan and his things out; using God’s things unto His Glory.
 - Satan began attacking all these things especially through the rebellious unbelieving world of humanity represented in the line of Cain and continues to do so today.
 - The great lie is that apart from God, everything is vanity because it is coming to nothing (1 Cor. 2:6; 3:20).

2. Last week we saw the divine secret God instructed Paul so that he could be content and experience victorious Christian living in whatever state he found himself (Phil. 4:11-19). He learned that:
 - a. You can have all the things of the world and yet apart from God still have nothing (Phil. 3:4-9). For the things of the world, individually or collectively, aren't big enough to fill the God-shaped and –size void inside.
 - They will always be inadequate, unsatisfying and will eventually come to nothing. Their falsely called “glory” is really shame.

b. But when you have God and His things, you have **EVERYTHING** you truly need even if you have none of the things of the world.

--You have been freed from everything that was against you and united to God through Christ where everything is for you, which will never fail and will always lead to true Glory that fully satisfies. If God is for you, who can be against you (Rom. 8:31)?

c. We view things from God's perspective.

--God and His things is the cake.

--The world and its things WHEN USED PROPERLY are just the icing on the cake. They can be received or not received without disturbance.

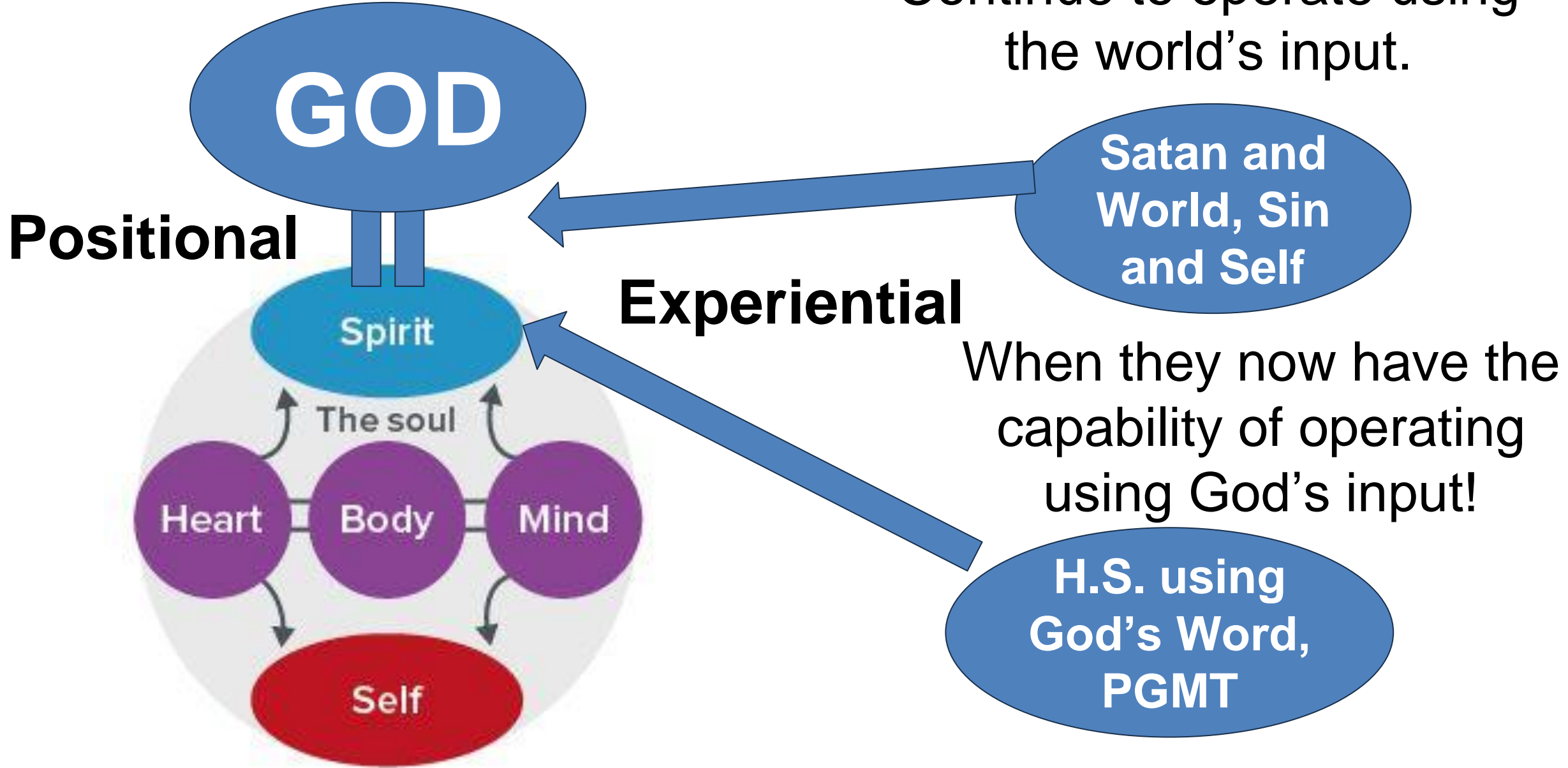
--The world and its things used IMPROPERLY as replacements for God and His things become evil and come to nothing.

3. Believers are heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ (Rom. 8:17), once you receive the riches of the riches of the Glory of His Grace in Christ (Eph. 1:6; 2:7); once you have been united to God the Father through the Lord Jesus Christ, God the Son, unto eternal life through God the Holy Spirit ... Where the whole Triune Godhead is working today (Rom. 15:13-20).

--YOU HAVE EVERYTHING!

Believers Have Been Re-Connected to God

How Sad That Most Continue to operate using the world's input.



When they now have the capability of operating using God's input!

4. Believers have been equipped with all they need to operate according to God and His things, enlivened and enlightened by His Spirit.
 - a. How sad it is that most Christians, however, continue to operate in accord with the things of the world—ways, wisdom, rulers.
 - b. The main reason for this is that they have been taught by Christianity's own vain religious system to throw away Paul's distinct apostleship and God's Word rightly-divided.
--Therefore, don't know what God is doing, or what His things are for today, confusing God's Prophetic Program with the Nation of Israel with His Mystery Program with the Body of Christ.
 - c. To walk well-pleasing to God, you must intake sound doctrine, and God's sound doctrine for today comes from Pauline Grace Mystery Truth.

5. As ones who have all their needs filled in dependence upon God, and who enjoy them through God's Word rightly-divided, victorious Christian living is making use of those riches to serve God by serving others in selfless love unto their edification in God's things.

a. When all your most basic and fundamental needs are filled by God, you won't demand of your spouse the impossible task of filling your most basic needs (he or she isn't big enough!) ... A burden they cannot bear ...

--Rather, having your needs met by God, you are now equipped to serve your spouse in love leading them to God and building them up in His things.

--Rather than demanding of them what they cannot provide, you freely give them God and His things in Love unto their edification—grace and mercy, love and joy—unto .

- b. Instead of demanding your children to fulfill your needs (they aren't big enough!) by creating them in your own image ...
 - You are equipped to serve them by leading them to God and building them up in His things so they can be conformed to the image of His dear Son (Rom. 8:29)!
- c. Instead of trying to get your career to fulfill your needs (its not big enough!) ...
 - You can bring light of God and His Truth into your workplace, which simultaneously pushes out Satan and his lie.
 - Satan's Course of the World is coming to nothing (1 Cor. 2:6).
- d. Of course, if you can better your situation do it—but not because you are using it to replace God and dependence on Him to fill your needs (1 Cor. 7:13-24).

IN MY HEART THERE RINGS A MELODY

I have a song that Jesus gave me
It was sent from heav'n above
There never was a sweeter melody
'Tis a melody of love

Chorus:

In my heart there rings a melody
There rings a melody
with heaven's harmony
In my heart there rings a melody
There rings a melody of love

IN MY HEART THERE RINGS A MELODY

I love the Christ who died on Calv'ry
For He washed my sins away
He put within my heart a melody
And I know it's there to stay

Chorus:

In my heart there rings a melody
There rings a melody
with heaven's harmony
In my heart there rings a melody
There rings a melody of love

IN MY HEART THERE RINGS A MELODY

'Twill be my endless theme in glory

With the angels I will sing

'Twill be a song with glorious harmony

When the courts of heaven ring

Chorus:

In my heart there rings a melody

There rings a melody

with heaven's harmony

In my heart there rings a melody

There rings a melody of love