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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

GENTILES - “Uncircumcision” “far off” “without God”

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.					

Jesus, the Temple Leaders and the Crowds

ENCOUNTERS	Jesus and Mary
<p>What was in their heart/s and mind/s:</p>	<p>God’s promises to her that He would fulfill all His promises to Israel through her Son. He would be Israel’s Savior, the everlasting inheritor of David’s Throne and Kingdom, the Son of God (Lk. 1:29-35). This would make her the blessed of all women (Lk. 1:42). Through her Son, God would fulfill all His covenants to Israel (Lk. 2:46-55), the Christ/Messiah/King Lord of Israel (Lk. 2:8-20), who would fulfill all the Father’s business (Lk. 2:46-51).</p>
<p>OT Symbols/Type/Metaphors:</p>	<p><u>Marriage/Bridegroom</u>: God’s wooing and betrothal to Israel in covenants. (Rev. 19:7-10; Hos. 2:14ff; Is. 62:4-5; Jer. 31:31).</p> <p><u>Woman</u>: Points back to God’s original promise to destroy Satan’s evil (Jn. 2:4; 19:26; Gen. 3:15; 4:1, 25)—what Eve wanted, Mary got.</p> <p><u>Wine</u>: Kingdom peace and prosperity likened to sitting under fig tree and vine (Mic. 4:4, et. al.). Israel is also God’s Vine ((Is. 5:1-7; Ps. 80:8-15; Jer. 2:21), and Jesus will be the True Vine (Jn. 15:1).</p> <p><u>Super-Abundance</u>: Kingdom blessings (Deut. 8:7-9; Lev. 26:10; Ezek. 34:25-31).</p>
<p>What “sign” points to:</p>	<p>Miraculous sign that pointed to Israel’s lack of and need for Kingdom blessings that will come through the Creator God of Israel, the LJC and His Word.</p>
<p>Jesus’s Glorification:</p>	<p>The HOUR hasn’t yet come—the appointed time on Daniel’s Time Schedule for the glorification of Messiah through His death, resurrection and exaltation.</p>
<p>Result:</p>	<p>They believed on Him is stated explicitly.</p>

ENCOUNTERS	Jesus and Mary	Jesus and the Temple Leaders
What was in their heart/s and mind/s:	Heart with the Lord: She was thinking about God fulfilling all His promises and Covenants to Israel through her Son.	Hearts against the Lord: They thought God would fulfill His promises to Israel through them. They had an automatic right relationship with Him and citizens of the Kingdom and excused from His wrath because they were the natural progeny of Abraham (Jn. 8:37-44; Mat. 3:7-9, 6:12, 15:3, 23:27-33; Lk. 7:30, 11:39)
OT Symbols/Type/ Metaphors:	<u>Marriage/Bridegroom</u> ; Woman; Wine; <u>Super-Abundance</u> —Kingdom and New Covenant Blessings.	<u>Temple/House of God</u> which He left in Ezek. 10:18; 11:23) some 590 years before. <u>Jew's Passover</u> —Leaven of idolatry in the Temple—Love of money (cp. Ex. 12:11) that will lead to it being a den of thieves (Mat. 21:13)
What “sign” points to:	Miraculous sign that pointed to Israel’s lack of and need for Kingdom blessings that will come through the Creator God of Israel, the Lord Jesus Christ.	Prophetic Sign that manifests Israel’s need for a new religious system, cleansed of all impurity, starting with their hearts, so that the Glory of God can reside there again in the Person of the Son. They need to “cleanse” away man and His traditions and return to God and His Word (Mat. 5-7) that Jesus, God’s Son, brings about.

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Jesus's Glorification:	The HOUR hasn't yet come— Points to the Father's Prophetic CLOCK, ticking in fulfillment of Daniel's Time Schedule for the glorification of Messiah through His death, resurrection and exaltation and return in power and Glory as Son of Man with the everlasting Kingdom.	Gave them a "sign" of His death and resurrection in the context of the Temple as portrayed in the Passover week. Point's to the Lord's Prophetic Calendar and its fulfillment.
Result:	They believed on Him is stated explicitly.	They questioned His authority, didn't understand Him and they are left with ambiguous unbelief— perhaps some believed but most didn't? His disciples, however, remembered and believed this after the resurrection.

ENCOUNTERS

Jesus and The Crowds at Passover in Jerusalem

What was in their heart/s and mind/s:

Jesus knew what was in all their hearts and minds of all people—whether Mary’s or the Jewish leaders or the crowds—and He didn’t entrust Himself to the testimony of any of them, not even JohnB (Jn. 5:33-36).

OT Symbols/Type/Metaphors:

Signs were for Israel (the whole Exodus) so that they might believe (Ex. 4)

What “sign” points to:

These unspecified signs pointed to the glory of Jesus Christ as the true representative of God and, indeed, the I AM Jehovah God Name for Israel.

Jesus’s Glorification:

Jesus only entrusts Himself to the Father and His Will.

Result:

They believed on His Name is stated explicitly, which is “saving” faith (Jn. 1:12).