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JESUS CHRIST THE SON OF MAN

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THE CHRISTIAN'S STRENGTH IN DIFFICULT DAYS – PART 2

*THE HUMANITY AND DIVINITY OF JESUS CHRIST,
THE SON OF GOD, SON OF MAN, SAVIOR OF ALL MANKIND*

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Luke 22:35-39

And Jesus said to them, "When I sent you out without a money bag, knapsack, or sandals, did you lack anything?" So they said, "Nothing." :36 Then He said to them, "But now, he who has a money bag, let him take *it*, and likewise a knapsack; and he who has no sword, let him sell his garment and buy one. :37 For I say to you that this which is written must still be accomplished in Me: '*And He was numbered with the transgressors.*' For the things concerning Me have an end." :38 So they said, "Lord, look, here *are* two swords." And He said to them, "It is enough." :39 Now coming out, He went to the Mount of Olives, as He was accustomed, and His disciples also followed Him.

1.) God has promised to provide for us v.35-36

1a.) He has proven Himself faithful v.35

And Jesus said to them, "*When I sent you out without a money bag, knapsack, or sandals, did you lack anything?*" (*anything of need*)

Regarding the 12 - - Luke 9:1-4

Then He called His twelve disciples together and gave them power and authority over all demons, and to cure diseases. :2 He sent them to preach the kingdom of God and to heal the sick. :3 And He said to them, "Take nothing for the **journey**, you wont need **staves**, no *knapsack*, no bread nor money...

Regarding the Others - - Luke 10:1-3

After these things the Lord appointed seventy others also, and sent them two by two before His face into every city and place where He Himself was about to go. :2 Then He said to them, "The harvest truly *is* great, but the laborers *are* few; therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest. :3 Go your way; ***behold, I send you out as lambs among wolves.***
(what's He saying - - be faithful to the call, its going to be an ***e-ticket*** ride)

1b.) He has called us to do the same

v.36

Then He said to them, "***But now***, (*the times are changing*) he who has (1) a **money bag**, let him take it, and (2) likewise a **knapsack**; and (3) he who has no **sword**, let him sell his garment and **buy one**.

1 Corinthians 4:2

It is required among those who have been given a trust
That they ***prove themselves faithful.***

(1) The work is going to need funding and financial support.

So be wise and faithful about that

(2) when you go, don't expect people to welcome you in.

take a sleeping bag

(3) The world that you are heading out into is full of dangerous people.

You'll need the freedom of the 2nd amendment to defend yourselves.

1 Timothy 5:8

But if anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

THE CHRISTIAN'S STRENGTH IN DIFFICULT DAYS

WHAT MAKES US ABLE TO CONTINUE IN CHALLENGING TIMES

2.) He does what He's promised

v.37

For I say to you - that which is written must still be accomplished in Me:

"And He was numbered with the transgressors." **For the things concerning Me have an end."**

2a.) He has Identified Himself with us v.37

For I say to you - that which is written must still be accomplished in Me:

"And He was numbered with the transgressors." **For the things concerning Me have an end."**

"Thus Saith the Lord. Everything is proceeding perfectly and will, because you're about to see the scriptures fulfilled right before your very eyes.

Its all about me and what's about to happen."

“It’s about His identification with humanity”

It’s been wisely said: ***“That which is in the Old concealed, is in the New revealed.”***

Romans 15:4

For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have **hope**.

Turn Now in Your Bible to The Book of Isaiah

(written 743 years before the birth of Jesus Christ, It’s a 2,700 year old Prophecy of about Jesus Christ in **Technicolor** – ***and you’re beholding it with your eyes right now !!!***)

This is The Holy of Holies of The Old Testament, why? Because the Ancient Hebrew Scriptures Reveal The New Covenant that is in Christ.

Isaiah 53:1-12

Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?
:2 For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, And as a root out of dry ground.
He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, *There is* no beauty that we should desire Him. :3 He is despised and rejected by men, A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, *our* faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him :4 Surely He has borne our griefs And carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted. :5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed. :6 All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, everyone, to his own way; And the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. :7 He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, And as a sheep before its shearers is silent, So He opened not His mouth. :8 He was taken from prison and from judgment, And who will declare His generation? For He was cut off from the land of the living; For the transgressions of My people He was stricken. :9 And they made His grave with the wicked - But with the rich at His death, Because He had done no violence, Nor *was any* deceit in His mouth. :10 Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; He has put *Him* to grief. When You make His soul an offering for sin, He shall see *His* seed, He shall prolong *His* days, And the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in His hand. :11 He shall see the labor of His soul, *and* be satisfied. By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many, For He shall bear their iniquities. :12 Therefore I will divide Him a portion with the great, And He shall divide the spoil with the strong, Because He poured out His soul unto death, And **He was numbered with the transgressors**, And He **bore** the sin of many, And **made intercession** for the transgressors.

Jesus Christ Came to Do What The Scriptures Promised So Let's Focus on What Jesus Wanted Them to Know...

Isaiah 53:12

Therefore **I** (*the Father*) will divide **Him** (*the Son*) a portion with the **great**, (*great of the earth*)
And **He** (*the Son*) shall divide the spoil with the **strong**, (*those who believe*) Because **He**
(*the Son*) **poured out His** soul (*willingly yielded*) unto death.....
.....And **He (A)** was **numbered** (*allowed Himself to be degraded*) with **the transgressors**.
And **He (B)** bore (*carried the weight alone*) **the sin of many**, And **(C)** made **intercession**
(*cried out with a great cry*) for **the transgressors**.

.....And **He (A)** was **numbered** with **the transgressors**.

numbered *maw-naw'*; to be enrolled among others or classed within a group.
To associate with or to be identified with. To be seen as all the rest.

NLT Luke 22:37

For the time has come for this prophecy about me to be fulfilled: '**He was counted among those who were rebels.**' Yes, everything written about me, by the prophets will come true."

“Look For Me - At That Spot”

You'll find me where the **rebels** are. Wherever the **outcasts** are.
You'll be able to find me among the **hopeless**...

(A) was **numbered** with **the transgressors**,

(B)

αἰνομωσῶσιν ἀνόμοις = lawbreakers, the condemned.

Philippians 2:6-8

Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, :7 but made himself **nothing**, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. :8 And being found in the appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death — **even death on a cross!**

2 Corinthians 5:21

For He made Him who knew no sin **to be sin for us**,
that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

I was going to staple certain sins on my shirt right now....
But I decided not to ruin my shirt.

You Need to Thank God That He Doesn't Think Like Me
Because My sins "put a hole" in hands and feet and heart of God!!!

HE DOES WHAT HE'S PROMISED

2b.) He has Sacrificed Himself for us

v.37

For I say to you - that which is written must still be accomplished in Me:
“And He was numbered with *the transgressors*.” For the things concerning Me have an end.”

And This Too is Part of The Plan... Atonement

“It’s not an “I” for an “I”, - - It’s an “I” for a “You”

But what does “**Atonement**” mean?

2b.) He has Sacrificed Himself for us

Isaiah 53:12d

And He bore (*carried the weight alone*) the sin of many,

1 Peter 3:18

For Christ also **suffered once** for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh (*sacrifice*) but made alive by the Spirit, (*priesthood*)

2 Corinthians 5:18-19

Now all things are of God, who has **reconciled** us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, :19 that is, that God was in Christ **reconciling** the world to Himself,

Colossians 2:14

...He has taken our sin out of the way, **having nailed it to the cross**.

HE DOES WHAT HE'S PROMISED

2c.) He has Presented Himself to us v.37

For I say to you - that which is written must still be accomplished in Me:
“And He was numbered with *the transgressors*.” For the things concerning Me have an end.”

There’s a mission, a purpose, an end to all that is going on in
this world – because there is a world to come.
the ending is good, it’s well-planned...

Jesus Christ is **Presenting** Himself to the World

2 Timothy 1:10

but has now been revealed by the **appearing** of our Savior Jesus Christ, *who* has abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel,

If He can do this, can't He take care of everything else?

2 Timothy 4:7-8

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. :8 Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who **have loved** His **appearing**.

In 627 B.C. The Hebrew Prophet of Your Bible - - Jeremiah 31:31

“Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah— :32 not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day *that* I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant which they broke, though I was a husband to them, says the LORD. :33 But this *is* the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

The Gospel Message of Jesus Christ

Was Revealed to Israel First, then to the world, and now to us today...

Matthew 24:12-14

And because lawlessness will abound, the love of many will grow cold. :13 But he who endures to the end shall be saved. :14 And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come.

We had 17 million, worldwide viewers on His Channel....
And the message of Jesus Christ was given!

“Intercession” is Part of His Great Plan...

The **Intercession** of Jesus Christ as man's
representative before God

The High Priestly Prayer of Christ - - John 17:1

Then Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said:
“Father, the hour has come... **and He prays for the disciples, He prays for His followers... But then He comes verse :20** “I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; :21 that they all may be one, as You, Father, *are* in Me, and I in You; that they also may be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me. - **Intercession**

The “Priestly Work” of Jesus Christ as **Our...**
Priestly defender, protector, mediator, conductor, provider

John 14:6

And He Jesus (*The Intercessor*) said to him (*Thomas the doubter*)
“I am **the way, the truth, and the life.**
No one comes (*there is no other*) to the Father except through **Me.**

There is a “Prophetic Word” here for Peter,
and Karen, and Brian and Shelly
That as long as Our Intercessor Lives
There is a way back because of His intercession, His Defense of You.

Hebrews 7:25

Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost **those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.**

Are you one of “**those**”? Are you one of “**them**”?

The Basilica of Saint John Lateran.

“The Holy Stairs” of Saint Lawrence’s Chapel, Rome

(Martin Luther, when he got to Rome he was told that if he climbed these stairs and paid a fee, his grandfather would be released from purgatory and could enter heaven.

When Luther made it to the top – he had a profound, interactive revelation – Jesus Christ is the Way, the Truth and Life, not these beautiful stairs and chapel or the nickel in his pocket!!!

what then? After you’ve made it, what then?

There is No Stairway to Heaven – It’s Jesus Christ!

2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone *is in Christ*, *he is* a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

Where is Your Heart This Morning? / What is Your Life’s Meaning?
What do You Believe? / What are You Doing?

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