

104.21. DON'T PASS GOD, STOP & COLLECT THE TRUTH

The Bible is the story of God's plan to redeem His people. It reveals who He is to us & who we are in Him. Scripture tells the story of Jesus Christ, who is the ultimate expression of God's love & our life, if we allow.

Many are afraid of, or view obedience to God, as some form of restraining device, when actually it is a free choice, which can eliminate bondages, fears & strongholds & brings true freedom through salvation; allowing us to choose to follow God & Christ's perfect ways, of how we should be living & treating each other; rather than being in bondage to the enemies' hateful, one sided, selfish, sinful, evil, it's all about me, sickly ways.

Rather you choose to admit it, or ignore it, you are either saved from this worlds evils & following Christ, or you're not, which by default means your following satan's worldly plans for you & are lost to this lost world's false truths, selfish wants, deadly lusts & temptations. Many try justifying unbelief of God, through the truth, that the bible was written by man, as they are too blinded to admit; that God can do all things & is it's full authoritative author. Many great works are penned by authors assistants, transcribers, or secretaries, yet are the authors words & truths, just as the Bible was transcribed, under great scrutiny, as God's words & plan for creation, humanity & our eternal lives, were put in place for our salvation.

God used 40+ writers, of many different backgrounds & spent over 1500 years, on 3 continents, in 3 languages to write His words, with no contradictions & which started around 1400 BC/ or BCE (before Christ/ or before the Common Era) until AD 90/ 90CE (Anno Domini=year of the

Lord/or CE Common Era), around 60 years past Jesus death. Over 1/4 of the Bible is prophetic with 2/3rds of its prophecies already fulfilled, e.g., 700 years before Jesus' birth, it & the city in which it would take place, was given by the Prophet Micah.

It is important to understand, why God says that we are to question & prove what we learn, as well as why we don't know all things; as though most everything in the bible is of God, not everything of God is in the bible. Such as, the bible only talks about 3 of Adam & Eve's children, yet they had over 50 children, as seen in the writings of 1000's of ancient scrolls & prophetic & theological works dating from Christ's time & 1000's of years prior & which of course is only logical as man's internal structure was also perfect & familial sex was not immoral, or illegal, within families, except between parents & children which was illegal, for populating the earth, as they did.

As far as having all the answers; individually, no one person knows even near 1% of all there is to know, so don't let supposed great religious minds fool you, as we were all created with nothing more than a need to rely on, trust in & learn from God & each other; as well as to help each other to understand & prove the things of God, for spiritual growth; not by believing what we're taught by men, but by heeding Paul's warning; Test & prove all things & hold onto that which is good. Again this does not say to hold onto all that which you were taught & believe, because if your ego won't allow you to admit that you could have been taught, or believed wrong; then not even God can use you; as He says that all men are fallible & at times the pain of the truth may be used to tear us down, so that He can build us back up better.

Many have been taught wrong ideas, through some of man's faulty interpretations, inferences & traditions, which happens when man tells God to sit back & let us drive awhile, as we think we know His truth, which we learned, but failed to test. E.g. God is not the author of confusion, yet pastors will tell you that the "trinity" is confusing, can you think of why that might be? We will discuss it later, through God's truth, not men's. Do you know why Jesus says to do all in His name so many times in the NT, yet Mathew says to baptize in 3 names; there is a reason, that those who argue ego's, rather than truths, won't listen to? Have you ever searched the bible, for the bride of Christ? What did you find? Are you saved by your faith in Christ, or like the KJV says, the Faith of Christ? What have you proven; not just been told, but absolutely proven, about the end days, the tribulation & the rapture? God doesn't infer, or lie, so taken in context of the entire word of God, all things can be proven, if you believe first.

These are a few of the many ideas that God wants to rediscuss with His teachers & His children, to make sure that we believe God when He says, that ignorance of the truth is no excuse, as He has given us His plain truths, for our lives & has warned us about the many believable false teachings, that will add confusion & be fed to us, as well as, of our responsibility to individually test the truth & scripture that we claim to stand on.

So let's get started on an awe inspiring 6000 year adventure, where you may hear some things that you don't like, as you may have been taught different & that's okay, but I would ask that before discounting any of these Godly truths, that you think about them & prove, or disprove them, before doing yourself & God the disservice, of discounting what God is

showing, even if it goes against what you were taught to believe “by men of God”.

Be wiser than the enemy & test all teaching on God’s word, as we know that man does not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of the Lord, Deut. 8:3.

Man was created to live by the word & the church is entrusted to keep God’s words pure & unaltered & some have failed, causing man to live by the words that proceed from the inferences of the church, instead of from the mouth of God, which has confused some Christians & has become stumbling blocks for many more non-Christians, through passing on man’s beliefs of God, rather than sticking to what God has told & shown.

If this seems unbelievable, look around & ask yourself, how is it that a country, built on & claiming Christian values & being blessed by God, is on a massive downswing in its Christian population, knowing that where God’s truths are taught & God’s words are adhered to, that God will be there, but when God is taught to be who man wants Him to be, God will step away & let man have his way & the church will fail.

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Has anyone that you have highly trusted & loved ever taught you to believe anything, that you later learned to be false & so you had to make adjustments to your beliefs & relearn the truth, while admitting that yes, you can be deceived by trusted loved ones? e.g. This may sound silly, but it really isn’t; Did you ever believe in santa claus, or anything that you later found as false? Why?, if you think critically here, you will find that it didn’t have anything to do with age, it had to do with someone you trusted, that you figured knew better than you, that was teaching you

something that you liked the sounds of, so you believed & probably would have fought with others, that said it was a lie, as you believed it as truth, not just a taught belief?

How many times in your life have you argued over a taught trusted belief, because someone you know, trust & respect taught it to you, when you had no idea if that person proved what they were teaching, or if they were taught it, believed it, heard it, liked the sounds of it & it's what most others were saying, or teaching, so it must be true?

So what have you truly tested & proven about the idea of a trinity, or a rapture, or the bride of Christ, or what the Holy ghost is?, you believe you know the truths, because someone you trusted told them to you & satan couldn't have the power to deceive you through loved ones, right, which is how the world became deceived & why we are now watching Christianity taking such a serious decline, when churches should be getting filled beyond belief.

It is time to get right with God, by going to Him & telling Him we want to know His truths, as He intended, from Him, without any of men's added inferences, or interpretations.

Right now is the time to flush all the learned "santa claus" truths & beliefs out of your head & to restart testing & proving for yourself, the beliefs that your Father & God would have you stand & fight for, or you may just be standing on & for beliefs, that are not the God given truths, that you believe them to be.

Well if you have made it this far, then you are curious enough about the things of God & the things he has planned for each of us, to see how He

has worked with & dealt with some of His other children, throughout time, according to His Word, the Holy Bible.

Now the things He shows me, will differ from what He shows you, as we were all created for knowing & doing different things, that work together in the Kingdom, but the overall goal remains the same from the beginning to the new beginning. Our goal is to know Him & for Him to use us, to help others who may be tangled up in the messes of this world, to find His Kingdom, His love & His salvation & purpose for their lives, through repentance.