Jesus

Our Passover

April 5, 2020
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- **Passover 2020**
  - Begins Wednesday, April 8
  - Ends Thursday, April 16

- *This Corona Virus Has Changed Many Things... But Something It Won’t Change Is About How Christ Has Made A Way For Us To Be Redeemed And Ready*
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- **READ**: Exodus 12:1-14, 21-23, 29-31

- **Colossians 2:16-17 (NIV)**  
  16 Therefore do not let anyone judge you by what you eat or drink, or with regard to a religious festival, a New Moon celebration or a Sabbath day.  
  17 These are a shadow of the things that were to come; the reality, however, is found in Christ.

- **Passover Is A Shadow Which Points Us To Christ**
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- Christ Is Our Passover

*The Parallels Of Christ And Passover*

- Christ Fulfilled All Elements of Passover
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- A Lamb Without Defect
- (Exo 12:5 NIV) The animals you choose must be year-old males without defect, and you may take them from the sheep or the goats.
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Public Declarations: Jesus Was Spotless

- Pilate, Herod, Annas, Caiaphas, Judas, The Centurion, The Thief On The Cross, All Confessed The Fact That There Was No Spot Or Blemish in Him. – He Was God's Perfect Lamb

(Luke 23:41b NIV) “… this man has done nothing wrong.”
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■ **The Lamb Must Be Killed In The Evening**

■ *(Exo 12:6 NIV)* Take care of them until the fourteenth day of the month, when all the people of the community of Israel must slaughter them at twilight.

■ **Jesus Died In Total Darkness. At 3 P.M. – (Twilight)**
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- *The Blood Of The Was Applied To The Door So That The Angel Of Death Would Passover.* (Exo 12:7,12-13)

- We Apply The Blood Of Christ To Our Souls To Deliver Us From Eternal Death (Rom. 3:25;6:3-4; Heb 10:22)
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*In The Passover:*
- *The Blood Must Be Shed*
- *The Blood Must Be Put On The Door Posts*
- *The Blood Must Be Applied In Three Places*
- *Each House Had To Apply The Blood*
- *The Blood Must Be Applied In Faith And Obedience To The Word Of The Lord*
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- **In His Death**— Christ Is **Our Passover Lamb**— His Shed Blood Must Be Applied To Our Lives, Put On The Door Post Of Our Lives

- **By His Resurrection** Jesus Is Also **The Door**

- *(John 10:9 NIV)* I am the gate; *(DOOR - KJV)* whoever enters through me will be saved. He will come in and go out, and find pasture.
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- For Passover All Leaven Must Be Removed From The House
- We Must Drive The Leaven Of Sin From Our Lives To Partake Of The Passover Of Christ

- The Passover Meal Remembered God’s Deliverance Of Israel From Egypt’s Bondage
- When We Partake Of The Lord’s Supper We Remember How The Lord Has Delivered Us From Bondage To Sin And Death.
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- The Passover Was Shared By The Whole Family
- Today, The Family Of God Shares The Lord’s Supper

- The Body Of The Lamb Was To Be Eaten The Same Night, With Unleavened Bread And Bitter Herbs. It Was To Be Roasted With Fire And Not Cooked In Water. Any Leftover Part Were To Be Burnt After The Feast.

- Just As The Israelite Must Feed On The Lamb Every Part Of It – We Must Feed On Christ – Every Part Of Him Is Life For Us
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- As Israel was in Bondage to Egypt, so Man is a Slave to Sin. (Rom 3:10,23)

- As the Firstborn of Egypt Died, so Death comes to All Men. (Rom 6:23)
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- As the **Blood of the Lamb** Saved the Hebrews, so the **Blood of Christ** Saves Us. (John 1:29; Heb 9:22; 1 Cor 5:7; 1 Pet 1:18-19)

- As the Hebrews were **Saved by Applying the Lamb’s Blood**, so We are **Saved by Applying Christ to our Lives**. (Heb 11:28)
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- We Get A New Beginning Through Christ

- We Don't Stop Our Lives At Calvary -- That's Where Life Begins

- (2 Cor 5:17 NIV) Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!
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- Everyone Needs A Lamb
  (Gal. 2:20; Isa 53:5; John 3:16)

- The Lamb Has To Be Perfect
  (Ex 12:5; Jn 1:29; 1 Pet 1:19; 2 Cor 5:21)

- Everyone Needs The Blood Applied
  - It Is A Personal Thing
    (Ex 12:7)

- Everyone Needs To Be Ready
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- **Are You Living In Readiness?**

- **The Blood Has No Power To Protect You, Unless It Is Applied!**

- **God’s Revealed Way Of Salvation Is The Only Way!** *(Ex 12:13; Heb 9:22)*

- **Has The Blood Been Applied To Your Heart?** *(1 Jn 1:7)*
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■ (Exo 12:11 NIV) *This is how you are to eat it: with your cloak tucked into your belt, your sandals on your feet and your staff in your hand. Eat it In Haste; It Is The Lord's Passover.*

■ **Passover Is Not About Relaxation --- It Is About Readiness**

■ 1 Corinthians 11:26 (NIV) *For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.*

■ **This Reminds Us:** *Jesus Is Coming Again*