

Resurgence of Judaism in the Church

(Legalism and religion by deception)

One of the dangerous signs, in my opinion, of the strengthening of legalism and religion in the church is the resurgence of Judaism. This, I believe, is part of the subtle slide towards the One-World Religion, especially the initial joining of the Abrahamic religions – Christians, Jews and Muslims.

It's one thing to support the nation of Israel, to oppose anti-Semitism and to reject Replacement Theology, but it's another thing to: Keep the Sabbath (Shabbat) meal each week; Keep all the feasts each year; Wear Israeli prayer shawls during prayer and 'sacred' occasions; Read a Jewish infused Bible; Refer to biblical characters using their Jewish biblical names rather than their Anglicised names; Wrap yourself in the Israeli flag; Have a replica Ark of the Covenant and a menorah in the house and church building, etc.

Even the flurry of interest and the commitment to the Shemitah and its impact on the gentiles is of concern: eg "Shemitah impact? See evidence for yourself"¹.

Some Christians are even submitting to and teaching others to follow Torah. They even write books and Internet articles saying that Paul taught Torah to the gentiles in his letters. For example: see "Paul Taught Torah"². Also: the basis of Skip Moen's articles³ such as "Inspiration and Inerrancy in Hebrew Perspective". **This attitude is the 'leaven' of the circumcision that Paul warned about.**⁴

*****Check out what rules the Jerusalem apostles placed on the gentiles.⁵ They concluded, "If you keep yourselves from these, you will do well." Nothing more!**

For a good understanding of the dangers of this infiltration, check out the audio or video of one of Terry Bennett's talks, "I Never Knew You - **part 2**" recorded on 25-4-2015.

LINK: terrybennett.net/sermons/i-never-knew-you-oxford-al

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There's also a YouTube video of it. Well, it's actually an audio with a static graphic, so it's not really a video of him speaking.

LINK: youtu.be/fu8K1vQEZok

I believe the main causes for this Jewish movement in the church is 5-fold:

1. The rise within Islamic nations of the hatred of Israel and the determination towards eliminating it from the face of the Earth,
2. Global pro-Palestine sentiment at the expense of Israel,
3. The nearness to the return of the King is focussing attention on biblical references to Israel and particularly Jerusalem,
4. The Lord is focussing intercessors to intercede for Israel so that end-time events are correctly set in place, &
5. The rise of an over-correction to the perceived error of Replacement Theology⁶.

1 – www.wnd.com/2016/01/the-sword-of-the-shemitah-and-how-it-just-changed-your-world

2 – www.fogwhistle.com/acts/follow.html

3 – Do some searches at skipmoen.com

4 – Titus 1:10-11

5 – Acts 15:29

6 – See my document "What's Going on at the Moment with Replacement Theology"

All these are powering the move in the church to support Israel at all cost, and fostering a fascination with the nation.

So,

- If you're not a Messianic Jew, Judaism doesn't relate to you.
- Be careful. Discern, assess and evaluate what you see of this phenomenon among Christians.
- Do not lose the liberty that's in your status as a Kingdom citizen.

NOTE: I address this topic and related ones in my School For Prophets course – ask me about it.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCE

- My online document “What’s Going on at the Moment with Replacement Theology”
- **LINK:** [“The Primary Purpose of The Holy Spirit Part 1 \[27/9/15\] - Terry Bennett”](#)
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