

MESSAGE: The Impact of Christians Observing Jewish Feasts

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Two of us were in King's Counsel when we asked the following questions

Preface: There is a move, especially among believers within Charismatic circles, to celebrate the Jewish feasts, as well as the Sabbath meal. But, considering that we are supposed to be Father's sons and to be about his business, there is a need to question such Old Covenant religious leanings in light of the New Covenant and The Kingdom. If everything we do is to impact the world for the King and his Kingdom, then there is a need to enquire of the King to find out if such Jewish celebrations by Christians has any spiritual impact – in our case, on Australia.

Notes: The other person in this session, who will remain nameless, celebrates (in a 'non-Jewish' way) the Sabbath meal and the Jewish feasts as well as the main Christian festivals. They often do this with other 'Messianic' Christian groups and also with Jewish groups. The question they asked avoided the direct enquiry as to whether there was any significant national impact when Christians celebrate Jewish feasts, or whether it was just a religious activity that was spiritually neutral. We received no reply to their question. I rephrased it to go more directly into the area of, 'Is it worthwhile in the bigger picture' – without being offensive to the other person. We received an answer to this, but the interesting thing about it was the initial sentence. The sense of the tone here was “impact, shmimpact” indicating a redirection from the focus of the Jewish question onto what's really important. This unusual expression is a Yiddish way of expressing that the main point is not as important as the speaker thinks it is. For example: If I disagree that government taxes are over-bearing and destroying national investment I can reply to a person's comment with “Taxes, smaxes”, and then give my opposing opinion. That was the sense of this message's beginning, setting the stage for highlighting where the real importance was for impacting Australia for the Kingdom.

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**Other Person's Initial Question:** Father, we've just celebrated Purim and while we think of that on Israel's side of things, what would you say to Australia from that angle?

## Message

(No message received)

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My Rephrased Question: Lord, many Australian Christians have celebrated Purim recently and they will celebrate Passover very shortly. Is there anything that you want to say to us about that and about the impact of it on Australia?

Message

Impact, impact.¹ You want to know about impact? Your very existence on this planet, on this Earth that I created is to impact it. My plans and my purposes are to impact Earth – the planet itself and the living things on it – through you. You must get this and get it firmly fixed in your heart and mind and soul. As my sons, you are here to impact. What you do, what you say, what you declare, what's in your heart, all these things will impact this nation either positively or negatively. I want you to focus on that. Do you understand? As my sons, you were made in my likeness and in my image, and you have that ability to impact this planet – impact Earth and its inhabitants for me.

Watch your language. Watch your heart, guard it. Watch what you do. Guard and watch your thoughts. Because all of these things either allow me to work in this planet through you or it gives the enemy the

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go-ahead to do his work. It's all about spiritual authority, as you know. But in this time and in this season, in these last days it's imperative that you understand the importance of your place as the rulers of this planet. I have given you dominion, and now that you have come back into my Kingdom as my sons, that rulership is now re-established in you through my Son.

If you want to impact this nation and impact it for good, then it's all in your hands. Don't look to the government. Don't look to the powers that work in your nation. Look to yourselves, your brothers and your sisters, and start working in unison with my Holy Spirit. Start living and speaking and being and thinking in ways that will impact this nation. I have plans for this nation, plans to raise it up as a 'leader nation', plans to bring it to the fore. But it requires my people to be active and working in parallel with me, in alignment with me, so that my plans can come to fruition.

This is the impact you should be looking for. Seek me, celebrate me. Find out what my plans and my purposes are and implement them in your environment: in your local area; in your homes; in your cities and towns; in your businesses and schools. When all my sons work together like this, there will be a shift. A shift in the spiritual which will manifest in the natural, and there will be an impact. An impact that this nation has never seen before, far greater than any proposed or thought-of revival. The wholesale movement of my sons in alignment with me is like a tidal wave that will sweep across this nation and have great impact. Some will see it as devastation, but for me it is my heart's desire and my delight to see my sons being about my business in this nation.

So rise up sons, "gird your loins" (as the Old Testament phrase goes) and get ready for battle. Get ready to impact this nation. Remember, it starts with your homes and your streets and your towns and your cities, before it goes to the nation. Set your eyes to the immediate – what your territory is, the Kingdom that you rule. Take authority there. Align yourself with me there and expand as I grow you, so that it spreads like a network across the nation, from city to city and town to town, so that the nation is impacted. This will be a glorious time, a time when the glory that I have in you will be displayed, and all will see it. I will see it. The other nations will see it. It will not be able to be hidden. What an impact! That's the impact that my heart's desire is working towards – make it yours.

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