

# The Effect of Not Living the New Covenant Life

In this new era<sup>1</sup> of the Kingdom, and in the current coronavirus pandemic, the question as to the purpose of this and other forms of chaos is in the forefront of people's minds. We have already been given some of the King's mind on the answer to these queries, so we are not ignorant.<sup>2</sup>

Ron McGatlin produced a teaching on this very topic, of which the following extract is the most important in terms of Kingdom understanding.

This extract covers the more important concept of humanity's responsibility to live the life of the covenant we are in with Almighty God because living outside of it breaks the covenant and releases consequences – that's a covenantal principle.



## **“IS GOD CAUSING THE DEATH AND DEVASTATION?”**

*God's answer to this question may surprise us because of some of our incomplete or partial understanding of biblical truth. We may need to receive more complete biblical truth by the Holy Spirit to see through to further truth.*

*Much is being revealed in this age of the Kingdom of God that brings together the Body of Christ that has been divided by seeing only one side or the other of the two-edged sword of the word of God. The greater revelation of the Kingdom of God brings all truth together under the one major heading of the Kingdom of God...*

*There is sound scriptural basis for both the truth that judgment does come at the hand of God and that God is always love, desires no evil for us and sent Jesus to redeem us. If our spiritual eyes and ears are opened to the gospel of the Kingdom, we can see there is truth to both sides of this sword, but it takes the two to make the whole. (Please read on).*

*Let's consider both 2 Chronicles 7:14 and the preceding verse 13.*

*It is clear in verse 13 that God is speaking of when He sends a plague or other deadly disasters among the people. Verse 14 then gives the specific proper response to these disasters that come as strong correction to turn the people.*

*The Old Covenant people had no problem in seeing this for what it was. The New Testament people are often very confused because Christ Jesus has paid the price for all sin. So why then would God in any way send disasters upon the people? The reasoning of the people is that God would not send this, so it has to be the devil sending it. And that is total truth as well. Jesus said the devil comes only to steal, kill, and destroy. Jesus also confirmed that God loves the people and that He (Jesus) loves us and that we should love God and one another.*

*So what is the final Kingdom answer?*

*Simply stated, in this time after the cross and resurrection, all disaster and evil misfortune in the world is caused by MAN NOT WALKING IN THE NEW COVENANT OF CHRIST JESUS NOW IN THIS LIFE.*

*The Old Covenant was a covenant of law. The New Covenant is a covenant of love relationship.*

*There is little or no difference in this life on Earth for either an Old Covenant person in the past or a New Covenant person today who does not walk in the covenants established by God. In both the old and the new, it was never okay to ignore or neglect the covenant of God or to try to partially or occasionally walk in covenant with God.*

*God made it clear that the soul that sins shall die. Sickness and disease are a part of the curse of death. Death, sickness, and all deadly disaster in this world are part of the original fall of Adam and the broken covenant of God by Adam in the Garden.<sup>3</sup>*

*More is involved and at stake here than the well-being of mankind. The whole Earth with all of its perfectly balanced designed system are disrupted by the failure of mankind to walk in the covenant and covenant purposes of God.*

*In the Garden of Eden it was NOT God who initiated the release of the broken covenant and the subsequent disorder of death, disease, and disaster upon the world. The breaking of covenant by Adam released the devil and deadly disorder upon the land and all mankind.*

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1 – [canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/MESSAGE-A-New-Era-in-the-Kingdom-21-11-2018.pdf](http://canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/MESSAGE-A-New-Era-in-the-Kingdom-21-11-2018.pdf)

2 – [canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/MESSAGE-Coronavirus-5-3-2020.pdf](http://canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/MESSAGE-Coronavirus-5-3-2020.pdf)

3 – Genesis 2:15-17

## **THE NEW COVENANT**

*God provided the New Covenant by Himself for mankind in sending His only begotten son to make void the old broken covenant and establish the new for the purpose of restoring the Kingdom of God on Earth back to the rule of God through covenant with mankind in Christ Jesus our Kingdom redeemer.*

*Jesus incarnate taught and demonstrated the new Kingdom covenant and then paid the price on the cross to redeem the Kingdom on Earth. The Kingdom in Heaven was never lost and now the way is prepared for the Kingdom of God in Heaven to come to Earth in mankind walking in covenant with God through Christ Jesus.*

*The New Covenant involves the death of the old and the coming of the new. The cross was the death of the old and the resurrection was the coming of the new. The coming of the King to fully restore the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth. After His ascension to Heaven, Christ Jesus returned in the Holy Ghost, Holy Spirit, to indwell believers to carry out and complete the establishment of the Kingdom of Heaven ruling on Earth in and through His people.*

## **HERE IS THE DETAIL REASON FOR THE DEVASTATION ON EARTH AT THIS TIME**

*We have believed a lie from the devil, and that has caused us to fail to fully walk in the New Covenant of love relationship with God. All cunningly devised lies need some truth to make the lie palatable to the minds of the people. The Christian religion in general has been duped by the enemy to reproduce teachings that hide the real truth of walking in the New Covenant.*

*Perhaps the biggest and most deadly deception is that the Kingdom of God reality is not available in this world until Jesus BODILY returns someday to THEN establish His kingdom. Different versions of this lie are propagated in different streams of religion. Some are willing to admit that the Kingdom is within but deny that it is here in us to be established now in this world.*

*The Kingdom of God has been available to be fully established on Earth since Pentecost when Christ Jesus returned in the Holy Spirit to do the works of establishing the Kingdom in His BODY of believers, the “many sons of glory”.<sup>4</sup>*

*The Lord and His first century disciples proclaimed the Kingdom at hand and demonstrated its power and provisions. The disciples, after the return of Christ in the Holy Spirit, continued to “turn the world upside down” which was really right side up Kingdom-wise.<sup>5</sup>*

*God has sought through two millennia and now the beginning of the third millennia since that time to bring the people of the world into walking in the New Covenant of Christ Jesus.*

*The New Covenant involves God actually abiding in and with His people in this world in Christ Jesus by the Holy Ghost, Holy Spirit. God in Christ in us is to empower and guide us in bringing forth the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth. Christ in you is the hope (positive expectation) of Glory, the glory of the Kingdom on Earth.<sup>6</sup>*

## **THE SHUTDOWN AND COMING EVENTS**

*The shutdown and other coming apocalyptic and cataclysmic events are occurring to turn the people of the world toward walking the true covenant with God and away from the false covenant lifestyles of worshiping themselves and the works of their hands instead of becoming the temple of God, vessels suitable for Christ Jesus and the Father to abide by the Holy Spirit.*

*So is devil doing this? Yes. He is doing it because he can. Why can he do this? Because man is not walking in covenant with God through Christ by the Holy Spirit.*

*Is God allowing the deadly devastation? Actually God is moving as fast as He can to stop the evil death and disasters and establish the Kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit on Earth.*

*So is this not really God's fault or the devils fault but the failure of man to walk in the covenant of pure holy love relationship with God? Yes, you got it.”<sup>7</sup>*

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4 – Hebrews 2:10-11

5 – Acts 17:6

6 – Colossians 1:27

7 – Ron McGatlin “Heaven’s Glory And Freedom Or Bondage And Death On Earth? The Choice Is Ours!” (9-4-2020)

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