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PENTECOST



2023



Ruth and Boaz

A Marriage- Feast of Weeks

KEY POINTS: The Harvesting, Gathering, Winnowing, Redemption and Wedding

- **Harvest: Harvest order-Barley first then wheat**
- **Boaz was the Lord of the Harvest**
- **Ruth gentile bride**
- **Boaz near kinsmen redeemer**
- **Takes place in Bethlehem- House of Bread**

The Feast of Weeks

The Festival of Weeks or Shavuot

Pentecost (Greek word meaning 50th)

The Festival of Harvest (wheat)

The Festival of First fruits

The First Fruits of the wheat (Bikkurei Ketzir Chittim)

Hag HaKatzir, or "harvest holiday";

Hag HaBikkurim, meaning "the holiday of first fruits,

The Day of Assembly (Yom HaK'hal)

Hag HaAtzeret (Atzeret shel Pesach)

Season of the Giving of Torah (Zaman Mattan Torateinu) 4

Strong's Greek Dictionary

4005. πεντηκοστή pentekoste

(pentēkosté) πεντηκοστή

pentēkosté, *pen-tay-kos-tay'*

feminine of the ordinal of G4004;

fiftieth (G2250 being implied) from

Passover, i.e. the festival of

"Pentecost":—Pentecost.

feminine noun

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Leviticus 23:10-11 Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, When ye be come into the land which I give unto you, and shall reap the harvest thereof, then ye shall bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest unto the priest: And he shall wave the sheaf before the LORD, to be accepted for you: on the morrow after the sabbath the priest shall wave it.

Romans 11:16 For if the firstfruit be holy, the lump *is* also *holy*: and if the root *be* holy, so *are* the branches.

1 Corinthians 15:20-23 But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the firstfruits of them that slept. For since by man *came* death, by man *came* also **the resurrection** of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive. But every man in his own order: **Christ the firstfruits;** afterward they that are **Christ's at his coming.**

Exodus 23:14-16 Three times thou shalt keep a feast unto me in the year.

- 1** Thou shalt keep the **feast of unleavened bread**: (thou shalt eat unleavened bread seven days, as I commanded thee, in the time appointed of the month Abib; for in it thou camest out from Egypt: and none shall appear before me empty:)
- 2** And the feast of harvest, the firstfruits of thy labours, which thou hast sown in the field:
- 3** and the **feast of ingathering**, which is in the end of the year, when thou hast gathered in thy labours out of the field.

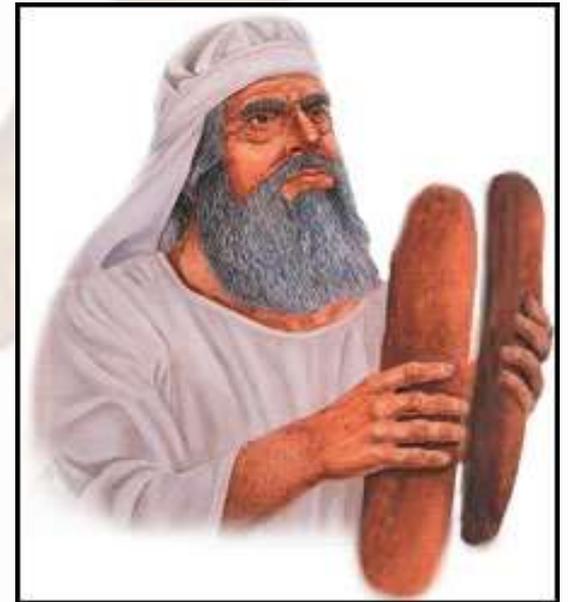
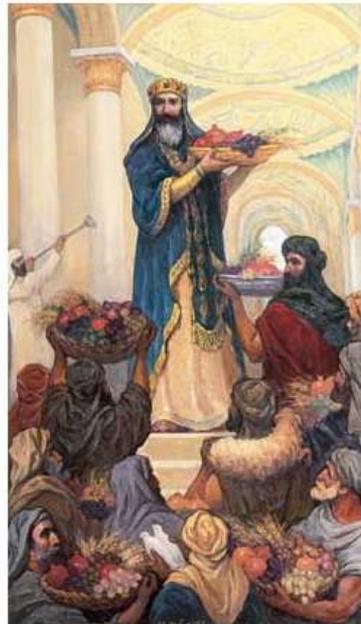
Exodus 34:19-22 All that openeth the matrix is mine; and every firstling among thy cattle, whether ox or sheep, that is male.

But the firstling of an ass thou shalt redeem with a lamb: and if thou redeem him not, then shalt thou break his neck. All the firstborn of thy sons thou shalt redeem. And none shall appear before me empty. Six days thou shalt work, but on the seventh day thou shalt rest: in earing time and in harvest thou shalt rest. **And thou shalt observe the feast of weeks, of the firstfruits of wheat harvest, and the feast of ingathering at the year's end.**

Leviticus 23:15 And ye shall **count** unto you from the morrow after the sabbath, from the day that ye brought the sheaf of the wave offering; **seven sabbaths shall be complete:** 16 **Even unto the morrow after the seventh sabbath shall ye number fifty days**; and ye shall offer a new meat offering unto the LORD. 17 Ye shall bring out of your habitations **two wave loaves of two tenth deals**:they shall be of fine flour; they shall be baked with **leaven**; they are **the** **firstfruits** unto the LORD.



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Leviticus 23:18-20 And ye shall offer with the bread seven lambs without blemish of the first year, and one young bullock, and two rams: they shall be for a burnt offering unto the LORD, with their meat offering, and their drink offerings, even an offering made by fire, of sweet savour unto the LORD. Then ye shall sacrifice one kid of the goats for a sin offering, and two lambs of the first year for a sacrifice of peace offerings.

And the priest shall wave them with **the bread of the firstfruits** for a wave offering before the LORD, with the two lambs: **they shall be holy to the LORD for the priest.**

Leviticus 23:21-22 And ye shall proclaim on the selfsame day, that it may be **an holy convocation** unto you: ye shall **do no servile work** therein: it shall be a statute for ever in all your dwellings throughout your generations. And when ye **reap the harvest** of your land, thou shalt not make clean riddance of the corners of thy field when thou reapest, neither shalt thou gather any gleaning of thy **harvest: thou shalt leave them unto the poor, and to the stranger: I am the LORD your God.**

Numbers 28:26-31 Also **in the day of the firstfruits**, when ye bring a new meat offering unto the LORD, **after your weeks be out, ye shall have an holy convocation; ye shall do no servile work**: But ye shall offer the burnt offering for a sweet savour unto the LORD; two young bullocks, one ram, seven lambs of the first year; And their meat offering of flour mingled with oil, three tenth deals unto one bullock, two tenth deals unto one ram, A several tenth deal unto one lamb, throughout the seven lambs; And one kid of the goats, **to make an atonement for you**. Ye shall offer them beside the continual burnt offering, and his meat offering, (they shall be unto you without blemish) and their drink offerings.

Acts 2:1-3 And when the day of **Pentecost** was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a **sound** from heaven **as of a** rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. **And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.**

Matthew 9:36 But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.

Matthew 28:3 His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow:

Hebrews 1:12 And as a vesture shalt thou fold them up, and they shall be changed: but thou art the same, and thy years shall not fail.

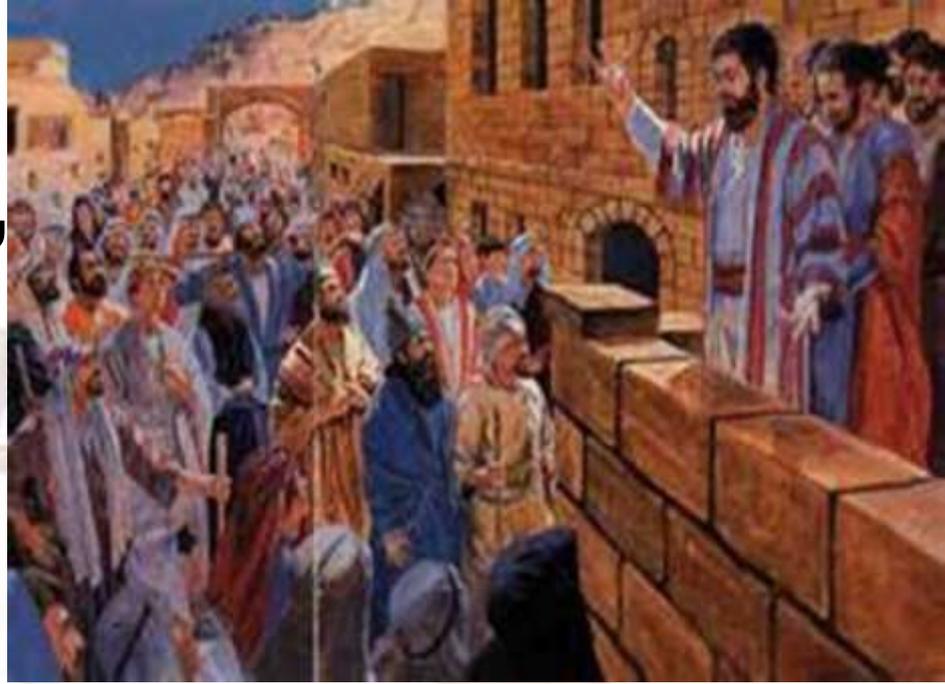
Revelation 1:14 His head and *his* hairs were white like wool, as white as snow; and his eyes were as a flame of fire;

Acts 2:4-6 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, devout men, **out of every nation** under heaven. Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that **every man heard them speak in his own language.**

Acts 2:7-11

And they were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak Galilaeans? And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born? **Parthians**, and **Medes**, and **Elamites**, and the dwellers in **Mesopotamia**, and in **Judaea**, and **Cappadocia**, in **Pontus**, and **Asia**, **Phrygia**, and **Pamphylia**, in **Egypt**, and in the **parts of Libya about Cyrene**, and strangers of **Rome**, Jews and proselytes, **Crete**s and **Arabians**, we do hear them **speak in our tongues** the wonderful works of God.

Acts 2:12-14 And they were all amazed, and were in doubt, saying one to another, What meaneth this?



Others mocking said, *These men are full of new wine.* But Peter, standing up with the eleven, lifted up his voice, and said unto them, Ye men of Judaea, and all ye that dwell at Jerusalem, be this known unto you, and hearken to my words:¹⁸

Acts 2:15-17 For these are not drunken, as ye suppose, seeing it is *but* the third hour of the day. But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel; And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, **I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh:** and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams:

Acts 2:18-21 And on my servants and on my handmaidens **I will pour out in those days of my Spirit;** and they shall prophesy: And I will shew wonders in heaven above, and signs in the earth beneath; blood, and fire, and vapour of smoke: The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before that great and notable day of the Lord come: **And it shall come to pass, *that* whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.**

Acts 2:22-24 Ye men of Israel, hear these words; **Jesus of Nazareth, a man approved of God** among you by miracles and wonders and signs, **which God did by him** in the midst of you, as ye yourselves also know: Him, being delivered by the determinate counsel and foreknowledge of God, ye have taken, and by wicked hands have crucified and slain: **Whom God hath raised up, having loosed the pains of death: because it was not possible that he should be holden of it.**

Acts 2:25-28 For David speaketh concerning him, I foresaw **the Lord** always before my face, for he is on my right hand, that I should not be moved: Therefore did my heart rejoice, and my tongue was glad; moreover also my flesh shall rest in hope: **Because thou wilt not leave my soul in hell, neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.** Thou hast made known to me the ways of life; thou shalt make me full of joy with thy countenance.

Acts 2:29-31 Men *and* brethren, let me freely speak unto you of **the patriarch David, that he is both dead and buried, and his sepulchre is with us unto this day.** Therefore being a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him, that of the fruit of his loins, according to the flesh, he would raise up Christ to sit on his throne; **He seeing this before spake of the resurrection of Christ, that his soul was not left in hell [the grave], neither his flesh did see corruption.**

Acts 2:32-36 This Jesus hath God raised up, whereof we all are witnesses. Therefore being by the right hand of God exalted, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he hath shed forth this, which ye now see and hear. For David is not ascended into the heavens: but he saith himself, The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand, Until I make thy foes thy footstool. Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that God hath made that same Jesus, whom ye have crucified, both Lord and Christ.

Acts 2:37-40 Now when they heard *this*, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men *and* brethren, what shall we do? Then Peter said unto them, **Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even** as many as the Lord our God shall call. And with many other words did he testify and exhort, saying, **Save yourselves from this untoward generation.**

Acts 2:41-45 Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added *unto them* about three thousand souls. And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. And fear came upon every soul: and many wonders and signs were done by the apostles. And all that believed were together, and had all things common; And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all *men*, as every man had need.

Acts 2:46-47 And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, Praising God, and having favour with all the people. **And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.**

Romans 8:9-10 But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, **if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you.** Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of his. **And if Christ *be* in you, the body *is* dead because of sin; but the Spirit *is* life because of righteousness. ...14** For as many as are **led by** the Spirit of God, **they are** the sons of God.

Acts 5:32 And we are his witnesses of these things; and so *is* also the Holy Ghost, **whom God hath given to them that obey him.**

John 14:26 But the Comforter, *which is* the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you.

YOU ARE THE FIRSTFRUITS

James 1:17-18 Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning. Of his own will begat he us with the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures.

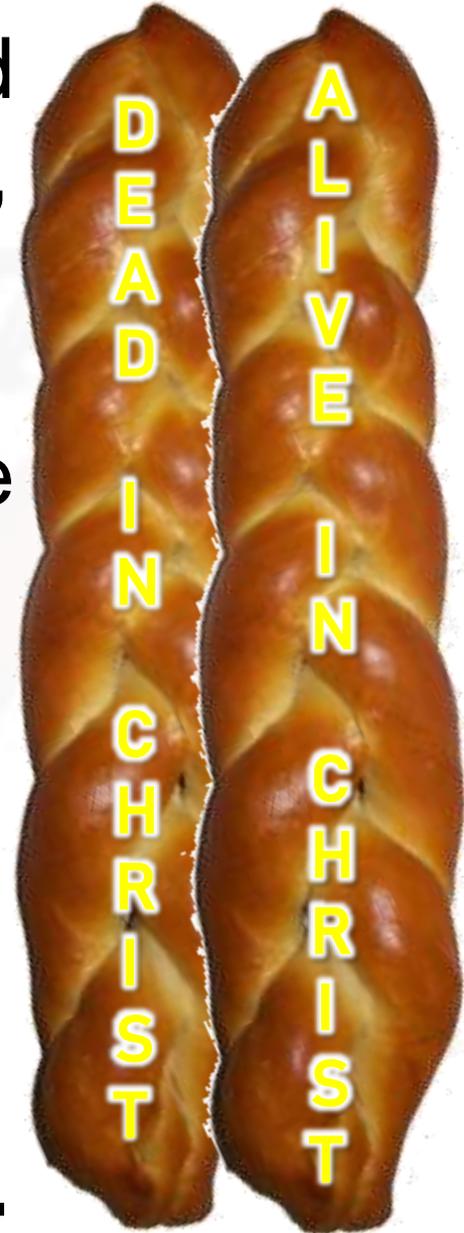
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Romans 8:23 And not only *they*, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even **we** ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, *to wit*, the redemption of our body.

Hebrews 12:23 To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect,

TWO LOAVES: DEAD IN CHRIST & ALIVE IN CHRIST

1 Thessalonians 4:13-15 But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them **which are asleep**, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so **them also which sleep in Jesus** will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, **that we which are alive *and* remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.**



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1 Thessalonians 4:16-18 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: **and the dead in Christ shall rise first**: Then we which are alive *and* remain shall be **caught up together with them in the clouds**, to **meet the Lord in the air**: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

Spirit Galatians 6:8 ... “But he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.”

Galatians 5: 22: “But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, 23: Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law. 24: And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts. 25: If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit. 26: Let us not be desirous of vain glory, provoking one another, envying one another.”

WALK IN THE SPIRIT- DAILY!

HAPPY PENTECOST



THANK YOU!

YOU ARE GOD'S HARVEST!

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