GARY REPORT

The All-Important Covenant Pattern, Part 2

Upon posting the last Report, I realized that more needed to be said regarding the extraordinarily important Abrahamic covenant pattern whereby the smoking oven and flaming torch pass between the split covenant parts (Genesis 15). Regarding a fulfillment of that covenant per the first two thousand years of the church, there was a problem. A smoking oven and a flaming torch would need to pass between the covenant parts that were laid out. In this case, the split covenant parts were obviously the two Remnant—the first Remnant at the beginning of the church, and at the end the second Remnant. And of course Christianity would have to be the smoking oven and the flaming torch that passed between the two split parts. But as the afflicted Body of Christ and coming too early, Christianity simply cannot fulfill these two, as will be discussed. What we find then is that it was the right pattern, but as might be expected, the wrong timing. As noted even by Satan himself, the true fulfillment was too early, "before the time" (Matthew 8:29). In truth, the first two thousand years of the church were a "first bird" work (Leviticus 14) that could not provide the essential outcome. So what is the true and much needed fulfillment? This we will now see.

There is no question that the two Remnant separated by the Body of Christ is a covenant pattern, but something is lacking per that set forth in Genesis 15. Foremost, the flaming torch which bears light would have to be the Body of Christ. But frankly, they are not true light but rather darkness. What we see in actuality is that set forth in the offspring of Judah by Tamar, and that is: Zerah—Perez—Zerah, or Light—Breach—Light. So, light cannot come from Christianity. In truth, light was brought forth at the beginning of the church and then breached; and only now with the second Remnant is true light returning.

In reality, Christianity is two thousand years of darkness, evidenced by the Mystery Babylonian confusion of the more than twenty-five thousand denominations or sects who cannot agree. In fact, they are the darkness of the torches in Judges 7 where Gideon's army of 300 men, a remnant, placed them in pitchers. As we see with Zerah versus Perez, the light has been hidden for two thousand years, the torches have been in the pitchers for two thousand years, and today the pitchers have to be broken in order for the light/Light to be revealed and we get victory over our enemies. But Christianity cannot get the victory even if given 3,000 years, and must be cut short and a remnant smash their pitchers and bring forth the light that, as with Gideon, confuses our enemies and they destroy themselves and flee. Christianity was too early, before the time, even a first-bird work.

So the point here is that the covenant that was set forth with Abraham is not fully evidenced in Bride—Body—Bride. Yes, it is indeed an essential covenant pattern, but that which was set forth with Abraham will not find fulfillment until during and after the Millennial Reign. Let us now see why and how that will be.

There are two things that must pass between the split covenant parts—the smoking oven and the burning torch. And frankly, that cannot happen until the Millennial Reign when the female smoking oven and the male flaming torch are present—the Bride and Immanuel! What we find is that the Millennial Reign is central in every regard to all that Yahweh is doing. So what is it that is split into two parts via the Millennial Reign? Most importantly, this is Christianity with its preceding two thousand years and its latter two thousand years. Also, the nations with their preceding six thousand years will have another six thousand years on the other side of the Millennial Reign. And only then can the covenant set forth with Abraham truly begin to be fulfilled. This fulfilling work is presented with helpful graphics in *Resurrection And Judgment*, page 6. And as you will see, the Millennial Reign is central to everything the Father is doing. And only then is the covenant with Abraham fulfilled:

Split covenant parts—Millennial Reign—Split covenant parts

And what were the original covenant parts that Abraham split and set apart? From Genesis 15:9 we see that there were in fact four things to be split: "a three year old heifer, and a three year old female goat, and a three year old ram, and a turtledove, and a young pigeon." Why are the first three all three years old? It would seem that it is for the same reason there were 300 men chosen in Gideon's army: it brings one into the Millennial Reign—two thousand years plus the fulfilling one thousand years. The reality is that the Millennial Reign is the turning point for all of creation. And if we knew more about the fallen angels, we would undoubtedly find the like fulfillment with them. Yes, they too have to be redeemed and restored, including Satan. Read here.

And let us now look at the four split offerings of the covenant, and most importantly their fulfillments. First there was the heifer, the Bride. Then there was the female goat, Christianity. Then there was the ram, the nations. And finally there was the turtledove and the young pigeon, the angels, particularly the fallen ones. When all of this will be redeemed, it will be as it is written:

When all things are subjected to Him, then the Son Himself also will be subjected to the One who subjected all things to Him, so that God may be **all in all** (1 Corinthians 15:28).

And "all" is indeed "all"! Amen!

But there is a problem with this association. The heifer clearly is the Bride, and the angels are the two birds, as they too ascend and descend and are not a split work as occurs with man. But the goat is typically the nations, and the ram, a male sheep, is Christianity. So, why the flip, and what does it mean? I asked myself this question and confessed that I did not know the answer. But in my confession of a lack of understanding, suddenly I knew the answer.

We know that Christ died for all men. But for two thousand years the Body of Christ has been dying. Thus, as went Christ, so has gone the Body of Christ. You may say, "Of course. We are not immortal yet." But, Christ is immortal, so why isn't the Body of Christ immortal? The reason is that they have to remain here and be a Christ to the nations. This is seen in the prophetic governmental testimony of Christianity being the

female goat, and the nations being a ram, a male sheep. Thus, the reality is that there are two Christs who pay the price and die. It is a flip in the identity of the female goat and the ram, and Yahweh flips things to make them clean. There is Christ the son of God, and there is Christ as His body on this earth. This is clear in His words, "take up his cross and follow Me" (Matthew 16:24). And this is evidenced by the Body of Christ's identity with the female goat. And both Christs pay a price for others, both lay down their lives for others, for all men. And regarding the fallen angels who are not made in His image, it will be interesting to see how He redeems and restores them, and yes, even Lucifer, the "light bearer." Click here for a mention of this matter of making the angels clean as well.

It is wonderful what the Father is opening our eyes to see, evidencing the light that we the second Remnant impart: Light—Breach—Light. And the only reason we see these things is that it is time, even time for preparing the way for the true and complete light, the Son of God, the Savior of all mankind. And it is to Him that we look to save us from darkness and death, and to be able stand before Him in His glorious presence above. May He be glorified in and through our lives, and may we serve Him with all of our heart, soul, and spirit. Blessed be His name forever. Come quickly, Immanuel!

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