Declaring The Truth of Messianic Judaism!

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Messianic Judaism is not another religion separate from Torah; Messianic Judaism is the fulfillment of the Torah and the Tanakh!

The reasons why 1000's, and many 10's of 1,000's of Jews are becoming believers in Yeshua as their Jewish Messiah, and why this will continue to increase in even much greater numbers is because of three major reasons: The God of Israel has proven to multitudes of us Jews that Yeshua is Messiah! Over 300 Scriptures in the Torah and Tanakh clearly prove the Messiahship of Yeshua, whose Life has already fulfilled the majority of these Scriptures, and whose promised return will fulfill the remainder of these Holy Scriptures. Secondly, and of equal importance, the Spirit of God Himself, affirms these Truths from the Tanakh of Yeshua's Messiahship, both by His Holy Presence, and with evidence of multitudes of Signs, Wonders, and Miracles being done in Yeshua's name. Thirdly, We are not serving another God; Yeshua is an expression of the One God of Israel, who took on form and became a Man, the Savior of the world, sent to save all mankind from all their sins. ["Let Us make man in Our image, after Our likeness..." Genesis 1:26]

God has commanded us to love our God, to love each other, to love our neighbors and the stranger. God has also commanded us to love our enemies. ("Hear, O Israel, The LORD our God's the LORD is One. And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might." (Deuteronomy 6:4,5) "You shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD. But the stranger that dwells with you shall be to you as one born among you, and you shall love him as yourself; for you were strangers in the land of Egypt: I am the LORD your God." (Leviticus 19:18,34) "But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those that curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you, and persecute you; that you may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for He makes the sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust." (Matthew 5:44, 45 ...words of Yeshua)

Messiah Yeshua, the Hand and Arm of God, the divine expression of God who became a Man, <u>physically died</u> for all the sins of humanity, so that you and I could be set free from the bondage of all our sins, and be given a New Life ... being united to our God, who is both Creator and Father. For God has said that <u>our sins separate us from our God</u>. "Behold, the LORD'S Hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither His ear heavy, that it cannot hear; but **your iniquities** <u>have separated you from your God</u>, and <u>your sins</u> <u>have hid His face from you, that He will not hear</u>." (Isaiah 59:1,2)

Only God can remove this veil that He has placed over the hearts and minds of our secular and religious Jewish people, so that our brothers and sisters can see the Truth from the Holy Scriptures concerning our Messiah ... Also, I heard the voice of the LORD, saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here I am, send me." And He said, "Go and tell this people, 'Keep on hearing, but do not understand. Keep on seeing, but do not perceive. Make the heart of this people dull, and their ears heavy, and shut their eyes; lest they see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and understand with their heart, and return (to Me) and be healed." Isaiah 6:8-10

Now let's look at just a few of these more than 300 Scriptures from Tanakh about our Messiah, and then reach your own conclusions about Yeshua being the promised Jewish Messiah of Israel, and Savior of the world ...

Isaiah 9:6,7

For unto us <u>a Child is born</u>, unto us <u>a Son is given</u>. And the Government shall be upon His shoulder. And His Name shall be called <u>Wonderful</u>, <u>Counsellor</u>, <u>The Mighty God</u>, <u>The Everlasting Father</u>, <u>The Prince of Peace</u>. Of the increase of His Government and Peace there shall be no end upon the Throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with Judgment and with Justice from henceforth, even forever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this.

Isaiah 7:14 Therefore the LORD Himself shall give you a sign; Behold, <u>a virgin</u> shall conceive, and <u>bear a Son</u>, and shall call <u>His name Immanuel</u> (God with us).

Micah 5:2,4

But you, <u>Bethlehem Ephratah</u>, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet <u>out of you shall He come forth to Me that is to be Ruler in Israel</u>; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting. And He shall stand and feed in the strength of the LORD, in the Majesty of the name of the LORD His God; <u>and They shall abide</u>: for now <u>He shall be Great to the ends of the earth</u>.

Isaiah 1:18.19

Come now, and let us reason together, says the LORD: <u>though **your sins**</u> be as scarlet, <u>they shall be as white as snow</u>; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool. If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land:

Leviticus 17:11

For the life of the flesh is in **the blood**: and I have given it to you upon the altar to make **atonement for your souls**: for it is **the blood** that makes atonement for the soul.

Isaiah 52:13-15

Behold, **My Servant** shall deal prudently, **He shall be exalted and extolled**, **and be very high**. As many were astonished at Him; His visage was so marred more than any man, and His form more than the sons of men. So shall He sprinkle many nations (**with His Blood**); kings shall shut their mouths at Him: for that which had not been told them they shall see; and that which they had not heard shall they consider.

Zechariah 9:9-11 Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem. Behold, **your King comes to you**; He is Just, and **having Salvation**; lowly, and riding on an ass, upon a colt, the foal of an ass. He shall speak **Peace** to the nations: and **His Dominion** shall be from sea even to sea, and from the river even to the ends of the earth. As for you also, **by the Blood of your Covenant** I have sent forth your prisoners...

Isaiah 53:3:4-6, 11

Surely He has borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. But <u>He was wounded for our transgressions</u>, <u>He was bruised for our iniquities</u>: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and **with His stripes (Blood)** <u>we are saved</u> (healed)! All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and <u>the LORD has laid on Him</u> the iniquity of us all. Isaiah 53:11 He shall see of the travail of His soul, and shall be satisfied. By His knowledge **My Righteous Servant** shall justify many; for He shall bear their iniquities.

I will make a New Covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah, not according to the Covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt; which My Covenant they broke, although I was an Husband to them, says the LORD. But this shall be the Covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD. I will put My Torah in their inward parts, and write it in their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people. And they shall teach no more every man his neighbour, and every man his brother, saying, "Know the LORD"; for they shall all know Me, from the least of them to the greatest of them, says the LORD: for I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.

Ezekiel 36:25-27 Then I will sprinkle clean water upon you, and you shall be clean. I will cleanse youfrom all your filthiness and from all your idols. <u>I will also give you a new heart</u>, and <u>I will put within you a new spirit</u>; and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and <u>I will give you an heart of flesh</u>. And <u>I will put My Spirit within you</u>, and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you shall keep My judgments, and do them.

Deuteronomy 18:15, 18, 19

The LORD your God will raise up unto you **a Prophet** from the midst of you, of your brothers, like unto me (Moses); Him you shall hear; I will raise up **a Prophet** from among their brothers, like unto you (Moses), and I will put My Words in His mouth; and He shall speak to them all that I command Him. And it shall come to pass, that whosoever will not listen to My Words which He shall speak in My name, I will require it of him!

Isaiah 35:4-6 Behold, your God will come... and save you. Then the eyes of the blind wil be opened, the ears of the **deaf** shall be unstopped, the **lame** shall leap... tongue of the **dumb** sing:

Daniel 9:26 And after sixty two weeks Messiah shall be cut off, but not for Himself ...

Hosea 5:15 I will go and return to My place, <u>until they acknowledge **their sin**</u>, and seek My face: <u>in their affliction</u> they will seek Me earnestly.

Psalm 110:1 (by King David) **The LORD said to my Lord**, Sit at My right hand, until I make Your enemies Your footstool.

Proverbs 30:4 Who has ascended up into heaven, or descended? Who has gathered the wind in His fists? Who has bound the waters in a garment? Who has established all the ends of the earth? What is His name, and what is **His son's name**, if you can tell?

Daniel 3:24, 25

Then Nebuchadnezzar the king was astonied, and rose up in haste, and spoke, and said to his counsellors, "Did we not cast three men bound into the midst of the fire?" They answered and said to the king, "True, O king." He answered and said, "Oh, I see four men loose and walking in the midst of the fire, and they have no hurt; and the form of the fourth is like **the Son of God.**"

Isaiah 42:8

I am the LORD: that is My name: and <u>My Glory</u> I will not give to another, neither My praise to graven images.

Daniel 7:13,14

I saw in the night visions, and, behold, <u>one like **the Son of man**</u> came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought Him near before Him. And <u>there was given Him **Dominion**</u>, <u>and Glory</u>, and <u>a Kingdom</u>, <u>that all people</u>, <u>nations</u>, and <u>languages</u>, <u>should serve Him</u>: <u>His Dominion is an everlasting Dominion</u>, <u>which shall not pass away</u>, and His Kingdom that which shall not be destroyed.

Zechariah 12:10

And I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and of supplications: and **they shall look upon Me**whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for Him, as one mourns for his only son, and shall be in bitterness for Him, as one that is in bitterness for his firstborn.

Daniel 12:2

And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to **Everlasting Life**, and some to shame and everlasting contempt.

John 5:39,40 (words of Yeshua)

Search the scriptures; for in them you think you have Eternal Life: <u>and these are they which testify of Me</u>. **But you will not come to Me**, <u>that you might have Life!</u>

John 8:24 (words of Yeshua)

I said therefore to you, that **you will die in your sins**; <u>for if you do not believe that I am He.</u> (your Savior and your Messiah) **you will die in your sins!**

What God requires from each one of us ...

Micah 6:8 He has shown you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD requires of you, but to <u>do justly</u>, and to <u>love mercy</u>, and to <u>walk humbly with</u> your God!

Zechariah 7:9,10

Thus speaks the LORD of hosts, saying, "Execute true judgment, and show mercy and compassions every man to his brother: And oppress not the widow, nor the fatherless, the stranger, nor the poor; and <u>let none of you imagine evil against his brother in your heart.</u>

Zechariah 8:16.17

These are the things that you shall do; <u>Speak every man the truth to his neighbor</u>; execute the judgment of truth and peace in your gates. And let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbour; and love no false oath: for all these are things that I hate, says the LORD.

Isaiah 40:8 But the Word of our God shall stand forever!

Psalm 119:89 Forever, O LORD, Your Word is settled in Heaven!

Psalm 138:2 For You have magnified Your Word above all Your name!

Mark 13:31 Heaven and earth shall pass away, but My Words shall not pass away!