Exposing the false biblical teachings called 'the Courts of Heaven'

These teachings on 'the Courts of Heaven' <u>are not the Gospel of Christ!</u>
They **deny** <u>the finished Work of the Cross</u>, **pervert** <u>the Gospel of Christ</u>, and give **Satan** great power. This is truly <u>another gospel</u>, to be totally avoided!

God's Throne of Grace is God's place of Grace, Mercy, Love, and help. **It is not a Courtroom in Heaven of Satan's accusations**. One of the main Scriptures that those who are endorsing these teachings about 'the Courts of Heaven' are using is found in 1st John 2:1, 2, which says in English, "My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an **advocate** with the Father, **Jesus Christ the Righteous**. And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the whole world." Yes, an advocate is a lawyer in the courts. But is that really what this verse says? Remember the New Testament is from the Greek, and we are reading an English translation. So let's be good Bereans and see what word is being used here in the Greek. The Greek word for advocate used here is **paraclete** (Strongs Greek #3875).

Where have we seen that word **paraclete** before. Oh yes, Jesus used that same word paraclete four different times in the book of John. It referred to the Comforter, the Holy Spirit. In John 14:16, the Comforter [Helper], the Spirit of Truth, 14:26 the Comforter [Helper], the Spirit of Truth; 15:26 the Comforter [Helper], the Spirit of Truth; 16:7 the Comforter [Helper]. But only in 1st John 2:1 do we find the Greek word paraclete being translated as advocate. And there are no other places in the New Testament where we find that word advocate. It is a very poor translation of paraclete; a better translation would have been Comforter. So what is 1 John 2:1 really saying? It says that **Jesus is our Comforter** or Helper. And as our Great High Priest, He is interceding for us before His Father at the Throne of Grace and Mercy. This gives that passage in 1st John a totally different meaning. Jesus is not in any court of Heaven! This means that there are no Courts in Heaven! There is only God's Throne of Grace! Also there are no accusations of Satan coming up into any Courts of Heaven! And Satan is never ever allowed back into Heaven to accuse any of us of any sins. God cast Satan out long ago!

In this teaching on the Courts of Heaven, the authors have taken what is probably the most Holy Place in Heaven, the Throne of Grace, where Jesus sits on His Throne next to His Father who also sits on His Throne. This is the Place that Jesus died to purchase for us, after forgiving us of all our sins on His Cross. (Hebrews 4:16) But authors of these teachings on the Courts of Heaven have renamed and totally changed the function and purpose of the Throne of Grace. I quote from one author's book, "The good news is that

there is a court we can operate in, as believers, that is accessible to us all. It is called the Throne of grace." And then he quotes Hebrews 4:16, Let us therefore come boldly to the Throne of Grace, that we may obtain Mercy and find Grace to help in time of need. This author's statement is a lie! The Throne of Grace is the most Holy Place in Heaven. It is never a court.

Then this author tells us more about what this court is being used for, "I was being used of the devil to empower <u>his (Satan's) accusations</u> against (so and so) in <u>this court of Heaven</u>."

What has been done? The Word of God <u>has been changed</u>; God's Throne of Grace has been turned into <u>a courtroom setting in Heaven</u> where we must not only <u>face Satan's accusations against us</u>, but where we may also <u>now face Satan himself</u> in this courtroom. Satan has also been given Power to accuse us there of both unconfessed sins and hidden ancestral generational sins. Who has ever given Satan such great Power over us? **God never did!**

Authors have taken <u>God's Holy Throne of Grace</u> and <u>Mercy and help</u> for all believers, and have changed it, recreating it into a totally different place of <u>some writers imaginations</u>, into a courtroom setting for <u>Satan's accusations</u>, and where <u>Satan himself can come</u> to accuse us before God. Doesn't that just cause you to rise up with real righteousness indignation?

Let's focus for a moment and look deeper into God's Word on all this ...

Why would a Holy God ever allow Satan, the most evil abomination in all of God's Creation, who God cast out of Heaven so long ago, to ever come back up into God's Holy Heaven, and be allowed to come before a Holy God, and there to accuse us of our sins, after Jesus had paid the highest price of all, by dying for us and by nailing all our sins to His Cross forever?

This Holy Place of God has been turned into <u>a mockery</u> of God's Holy Word, and of God's Holy Throne, and also <u>a mockery</u> of Almighty God Himself, and of our Lord Jesus who came to earth and died for all our sins; and <u>a mockery</u> of the Holy Spirit, & also of the Power of Jesus's Blood!

1 John 5:7 For there are three that bear witness in Heaven: **the Father**, **the Word**, and **the Holy Spirit**; and these three are One. 1 John 5:8 And there are three that bear witness on earth: **the Spirit**, **the (Living)** water, and **the Blood of Jesus**; and these three agree as One.

Galatians 6:7 Do not be deceived, **God is not mocked**; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap.

Satan was cast out of Heaven long ago. He was on earth tempting Eve in the Garden of Eden. Also He was tempting Jesus during His 40 days in the wilderness. And in Revelation 12:10, all of Satan's accusations coming against us were cast down forever when Jesus said, "It is Finished!" (John 19:30) Jesus died for us, forgiving us of all of our sins, nailing all of Satan's accusations against us to the Tree forever!

Revelation 12:10 Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, "Now Salvation, and strength, and the Kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down!" Cast down did not mean that Satan was now cast down to earth, for that happened long before Jesus had ever come to earth. Satan's accusations which were constantly going up to God in Heaven had been cast down, permanently absolutely stopped forever! When did it happen? It all happened at the Cross, when Jesus totally disarmed and defeated Satan and all his principalities and powers. All of Satan's accusations which were going up to Heaven against us were finally stopped forever, nailed to the Cross! Jesus said, "It is Finished!"

Colossians 2:13-15 And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses, 2:14 having wiped out the handwriting of requirements that was against us, which was contrary to us. And He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross. 2:15 Having disarmed principalities and powers, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them in it.

What part of all of our sins did Jesus miss? Who's telling the Truth, and who's lying? Is God's Word True, or are the authors teachings? For Jesus's Blood was applied to the Mercy Seat in Heaven for all our sins. Heb 9:12

Of course we may face Satan's accusations every day, but it happens only right here **on earth**, and never in Heaven for true believers, ever since the finished Work of the Cross. God allows Satan's accusations against us on earth in order to build us up into who we really are as sons of God, to take our Authority over all of hell with God's full Power inside of us. Because we know that 'Greater is He in us than he who is in the world.' 1 John 4:4

These teachings both <u>adds to</u> and <u>takes away from</u> the Word of God. And God warned us <u>not to add to or to take away from</u> God's Holy Word, or we would <u>be found a liar</u>. Proverbs 30:5, 6; Revelation 21:7. God also told us in Revelation 22:18, 19, that any person who did those things would suffer the plagues written in the book of Revelation, and God would also

take away his part in **the Book of Life**, and the Holy City, and that that person would have their part in the lake of fire!

But the real depths of <u>these deceptions get so much worse</u> for 10,000's of sincere Christian believers who have really been deceived, who have believed these teachings, and who have now been <u>operating in these so called Courts</u> of Heaven.

I now ask them just one question. Since there are no courts in Heaven, as Christian writers have told us and sincerely believe. And God's Throne of Grace and Mercy is just that; it is God's Throne of Grace! And God will never allow any man to change His Holy and undefiled Word! Then for many thousands of sincere Christian believers who have believed these teachings about the Courts of Heaven, and who have been deceived, here is my important question. For all those who are now following these author's teachings & who are actually going to, & speaking in some imaginary Court of Heaven, where are they really going to? And also to whom are they really talking to in these places? For our God will not be mocked!

When Jesus was asked about the End Times, the first thing He told us was, "**Do not be deceived!**" For many <u>false christs and **false prophets**</u> will arise and deceive many, to deceive <u>even **the elect**</u>. Matthew 24:4,11,24

Satan is a liar, & he is 'the father of lies.' To whom are these Christian believers really speaking to? A 'christ' in some court of heaven? For sure, but not to the real Jesus Christ who died for all of our sins, and not in God's real Heaven! Have believers who have gone to the Courts of Heaven opened themselves up to the lying demon spirits, the fallen angels, which may have now invaded their souls? Yes, voices may tell you they are the real Christ, but they're all liars. Are the spirits being tested, as John instructed us to do, in 1st John 4:1-3, to ask them if Jesus ever came in the flesh? This teaching is a very serious form of witchcraft which binds the mind, which is being directed against many believers, even many leaders in the Body of Christ.

If you have been tricked and deceived, just as I also was by these very deceptive teachings, and have entered into these teachings in any way, then run to the real Throne of Grace and Mercy where you will find Grace and God's help in your time of need. Humble yourself and cry out to God to deliver you, and to cleanse you from wherever you have opened up your soul to Satan and his demonic spirits by trickery and deception. Jesus and your Father in Heaven both love you dearly, for Jesus died for you, and for all of your past and present and future sins. For He shed His precious Blood

to save you, and to give you **Eternal Life**. God is faithful, even when we blow it. 1 John 1:9, "If you confess your sins, He is faithful <u>to forgive you</u> of all your sins, and to cleanse you from all unrighteousness."

Jesus our Great High Priest is always interceding for us at His Throne Hebrews 7:25 Therefore He is also able to save to of Grace and Mercy. the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them. Heb 8:1 Now this is the main point of the things we are saying: We have such a High Priest, who is seated at the right hand of the Throne of the Majesty in the Heavens ... Heb 9:12 Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own Blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained Eternal Redemption. Heb 9:15 And for this reason He is the Mediator of the New Covenant, by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions under the first Covenant, that those who are called, may receive the Promise of the Eternal Inheritance. Heb 9:24 For Christ has not entered the holy places made with hands, which are copies of the True, but into Heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us; Heb 9:28 so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. 1 Peter 3:21, 22 ... through the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into Heaven and is at the right hand of God, angels and authorities and powers having been made subject to Him.

Jesus is also the Judge of all the earth. Genesis 18:25 "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" 1st Chronicles 16:33 Then the trees of the woods shall rejoice before the LORD, for He is coming to Judge the earth. Micah 5:1 They will strike the Judge of Israel with a rod on the cheek. Psalm 9:8 He shall Judge the world in Righteousness, and He shall administer Judgment for the peoples in uprightness. Psalm 50:4 He shall call to the Heavens from above, and to the earth, that He may Judge His people. Psalm 50:5 "Gather My saints together to Me, those who have made a Covenant with Me by sacrifice." 50:6 Let the heavens declare His Righteousness, for God Himself is Judge. Psalm 96:13 For He is coming, for He is coming to Judge the earth. He shall Judge the world with Righteousness, and the peoples with His Truth. Isaiah 33:22 For the LORD is our Judge, the LORD is our Lawgiver, the LORD is our King; He will save us; Isaiah 66:16 For by fire and by His sword the LORD will Judge all flesh; and the slain of the LORD shall be many. Act 10:42 "And He commanded us to preach to the people, and to testify that it is He (Jesus) who was ordained by God to be Judge of the living and the dead. 10:43 To Him all the prophets witness that, through His

name (Jesus), whoever believes in Him will receive remission of sins."

I thank God <u>for warning me and showing to me these deceptions</u>, so that I would be able to also warn others. Those who believe that God has called and chosen you to be <u>His own Bride</u> must be pure and holy, without spot or blemish. Revelation 14:5 says about Messiah's Bride, <u>that in their mouth</u> <u>was found no deceit</u>, for <u>they are without fault</u> before the Throne of God.

Great deceptions are now attacking Messiah's Body from many directions. We must now become really awake and alert and also <u>love each other enough to be quick to warn each other</u> of anything that is not from God's Holy Word. Many leaders in the Body have come under attack by this deception and do not even know it. We must surrender our pride, and take up our cross daily, deny ourselves, and just follow the real Jesus, who is our Loving Messiah.

The apostle Paul <u>warned us</u> about such teachings, and he told us clearly what to do when such teachings come. <u>To flee from them!</u> 1st Thes 5:22;

2nd Corinthians 6:15 And what accord has Christ with Belial? Or what part has a believer with an unbeliever? 6:16 And what agreement has the Temple of God with idols? For you are the Temple of the living God! As God has said, "I will dwell in them and walk among them. I will be there God and they shall be My people." 6:17 Therefore "Come out from among them and be separate, says the LORD. Do not touch what is unclean, and I will receive you." 6:18 "I will be a Father to you, and you shall be My sons and daughters, says the LORD Almighty."

2nd Corinthians 11:3, 4 But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from **the simplicity** that is in Christ. 11:4 For if he who comes preaches another Jesus whom we have not preached, or if you receive a different spirit which you have not received, or <u>a different Gospel</u> which you have not accepted, **you may** well put up with it!

Galatians 1:6 I marvel that you are turning away so soon from Him who called you in the Grace of Christ, to <u>a different gospel</u>, 1:7 which is not another; but there are some who trouble you and want to pervert the Gospel of Christ. 1:8 But even if we, or an angel from Heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, <u>let him be accursed!</u>

1 Timothy 4:1, 2, 7 Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times **some will depart** from the faith, giving heed to **deceiving spirits** and **doctrines of demons**, 4:2 speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their own conscience seared with a hot iron, 4:7 But reject profane and old wives' fables, and exercise yourself toward godliness.

2 Corinthians 10:4-7 For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for <u>pulling down strongholds</u>, 10:5 <u>casting down arguments</u> and <u>every high thing that exalts itself</u> against the knowledge of God, <u>bringing every thought into captivity</u> to the obedience of Christ, 10:6 and being ready to punish all disobedience when your obedience is fulfilled. 10:7 Do you look at things according to the outward appearance?

John 10:19 Behold, <u>I give you the Authority</u> to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you."

Jesus said to him, "I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life. No one comes to My Father except through Me." [This happens only at God's Holy Throne of Grace!] John 14:6

Heaven is the most Holy Place of God's Light.

No Darkness can ever come into God's Glorious Heaven!

And the Throne of God is the most Holy Place in Heaven!

Revelation 4:8 The four living creatures, each having six wings, were full of eyes around and within. And they do not rest day or night, saying, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!"

Isaiah 6:3 "**Holy, Holy** is the LORD of hosts! The whole earth is full of His Glory!"

As Jesus's Bride makes herself ready, our Lord Jesus is calling each one of us into a walk of purity and holiness, to be without spot or blemish.

Be ye holy, for I the Lord your God am Holy!

1 John 1:5 God is Light and in Him is no darkness at all.

Habakkuk 1:12, 13 Are You not from Everlasting, O LORD my God, my Holy One ... 1:13 **You are of purer eyes than to behold evil**, and cannot look on wickedness.

John 1:17 For the law was given through Moses, but <u>Grace and Truth</u> came through Jesus the Messiah.

"Do not judge according to appearance, but <u>judge with **Righteous Judgment**!"</u>
John 7:24

John 19:30 So when Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, "It is Finished!" And bowing His head, He gave up His spirit.

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More Supportive Scriptures:

Galatians 3:1-3 O foolish Galatians! Who has bewitched you that you should not obey the Truth, before whose eyes Jesus Christ was clearly portrayed among you as crucified? 3:2 This only I want to learn from you: Did you receive the Spirit by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith? 3:3 Are you so foolish? Having begun in the Spirit, are you now being made perfect by the flesh (by doing your own self works)?

John 14:21 He who has My Commandments <u>and keeps them</u>, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him **and manifest Myself to him**." 14:23 Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My Word; and My Father will Love him, and **We will come to him <u>and make Our home with him!</u>"**

One of the job descriptions of the Holy Spirit is found in John 16:7, 8, 11; John 16:7 "Nevertheless I tell you the Truth; It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter (paraclete) will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send Him unto you. 16:8 And when He is come, He will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of Judgment: 16:11 of Judgment, because the ruler of this world (Satan) is Judged! Matthew 12:32 "Anyone who speaks a word against the Son of Man, it will be forgiven him; but whoever speaks against the Holy Spirit, it will not be forgiven him, either in this age or in the age to come." Mark 3:28 "Assuredly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the sons of men and whatever blasphemies they may utter; 3:29 but he who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is subject to Eternal condemnation."

1st Corinthians 6:2, 3 Do you not know that <u>the saints will judge the world</u>? And if the world will be judged by you, are you unworthy to judge the smallest matters? 6:3 Do you not know that we shall judge angels?

Psalm 149:5-9 Let the saints be joyful in Glory; Let them sing aloud on their beds. 149:6 Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a two-edged sword in their hand, 149:7 To execute vengeance on the nations, and punishments on the peoples; 149:8 To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron; 149:9 To execute on them the written judgment, this honor have all His saints. Praise the LORD!

Hebrews 6:4 For **it is impossible** for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted the Heavenly gift, and have become partakers of the Holy Spirit, 6:5 and have tasted the good Word of God and the powers of the age to come, 6:6 **if they fall away**, to renew them again to repentance, since they crucify again for themselves the Son of God, and put Him to an open shame.

Luke 24:46 Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Messiah to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, 24:47 and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. 24:48 And you are witnesses of these things. 24:49 Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high."

Matthew 19:28 So Yeshua said to them, "Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the Throne of His Glory, you who have followed Me will also <u>sit on twelve thrones</u>, <u>judging the twelve tribes</u> of Israel."

Luke 22:30 "... that you may eat and drink at My table in My Kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel."

Ezekiel 44:15 "But the priests, the Levites, the sons of Zadok, who kept charge of My Sanctuary when the children of Israel went astray from Me, they shall come near Me to minister to Me; and they shall stand before Me to offer to Me the fat and the blood," says the Lord GOD. 44:16 "They shall enter My Sanctuary, and they shall come near My table to minister to Me, and they shall keep My charge. 44:23 And they shall teach My people the difference between the holy and the unholy, and cause them to discern between the unclean and the clean. 44:24 In controversy they shall stand as judges, & judge it according to My judgments. They shall keep My laws & My statutes in all My appointed meetings, & they shall hallow My Sabbaths.

Romans 8:18-37 For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the Glory which shall be revealed in us. 8:19 For the earnest expectation of the creation eagerly waits for the revealing of the sons of God. 8:20 For the creation was subjected to futility. not willingly, but because of Him who subjected it in hope; 8:21 because the creation itself also will be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God. 8:22 For we know that the whole creation groans and labors with birth pangs together until now. 8:23 Not only that, but we also who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, eagerly waiting for the Adoption, the redemption of our body. 8:24 For we were saved in this hope, but hope that is seen is not hope; for why does one still hope for what he sees? 8:25 But if we hope for what we do not see, we eagerly wait for it with perseverance. 8:26 Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. 8:27 Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He makes intercession for the saints according to the will of God. 8:28 And we know that all things work together **for good** to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. 8:29 For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren. 8:30 Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified. 8:31 What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? 8:32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? 8:33 Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? It is God who Justifies. 8:34 Who is he who condemns (Satan)? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. 8:35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? 8:36 As it is written, "For Your sake we are killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep for the slaughter." 8:37 Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. 8:38 For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, 8:39 nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

2 Timothy 4:3, 4 For **the time will come** when they will not endure **sound doctrine**, but according to their own desires, because they have <u>itching ears</u>, they will heap up for themselves <u>teachers</u>; 4:4 and <u>they will **turn their ears**</u> **away from the Truth**, and be turned aside <u>to fables</u>.

2nd Thessalonians 2: 2:3, 9-12 **Let no one deceive you** by any means; for that Day will not come unless **the falling away comes first**, and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition ... 2:9 The coming of **the lawless one** is according to the working of Satan, with all power, signs, and lying wonders, 2:10 and with all unrighteous **deception** among **those who perish**, because they did **not receive the love of the Truth**, that they might be Saved. 2:11 And for this reason **God will send them strong delusion**, **that they should believe the lie**, 2:12 that they all may be condemned who did not believe the Truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

2 Timothy 2:15-26 Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of Truth. 2:16 But shun profane and idle babblings, for they will increase to more ungodliness. 2:17 And their message will spread like cancer. 2:19 Nevertheless the solid foundation of God stands, having this seal, "The Lord knows those who are His," and, "Let everyone who names the name of Messiah depart from iniquity." 2:20 But in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay, some for honor and some for dishonor. 2:21 Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work. 2:22 Flee also youthful lusts; but pursue righteousness, faith, love, peace with those who call on the Lord out of a pure heart. 2:23 But avoid foolish and ignorant disputes, knowing that they generate strife. 2:24 And a servant of the Lord must not quarrel but be gentle to all, able to teach, patient, 2:25 in humility correcting those who are in opposition, if God perhaps will grant them repentance, so that they may know the Truth, 2:26 & that they may come to their senses and escape the snare of the devil, having been taken captive by him to do his will.

Hebrews 3:12-15 Beware, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of **unbelief** in departing from the Living God; 3:13 but exhort one another daily, while it is called "Today," lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin. 3:14 For we have become partakers of Christ if we hold the beginning of our confidence steadfast to the end, 3:15 while it is said, "Today, if you will hear His voice, do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion." [Proverbs 23:7 For as he thinks in his heart, so is he.]

John 10:4 "And when He brings out His own sheep, He goes before them; and the sheep follow him, for they know His Voice. 10:5 Yet they will by no means follow a stranger, but will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers."

1 John 1:5-9 This is the message which we have heard from Him and declare to you, that **God is Light** and in Him is **no darkness** at all. 1:6 If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. 1:7 But if we walk in the Light as He is in the Light, we have fellowship with one another, and the Blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us **from all sin**. 1:8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the Truth is not in us. 1:9 If we confess our sins, He is Faithful and Just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness!

Colossians 2:9, 10 For in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily; 2:10 & you are complete in Him, who is the Head of all principality & power.

John 3:16-21 "For God so Loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have Everlasting Life. 3:17 For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved. 3:18 He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. 3:19 And this is the condemnation, that the Light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than Light, because their deeds were evil. 3:20 For everyone practicing evil hates the Light and does not come to the Light, lest his deeds should be exposed. 3:21 But he who does the truth comes to the Light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God."

Galatians 5:1 **Stand fast** therefore in the liberty by which Christ has made us free, and do not be entangled again with a yoke of bondage.

Romans 6:16 Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin leading to death, or of obedience leading to righteousness?

Revelation 3:21 "To him who Overcomes I will grant to sit with Me on My Throne, as I also Overcame and sat down with My Father on His Throne."

Matthew 16:26 "For what profit is it to a man <u>if he gains the whole world</u>, and loses his own soul?"

Hebrews 12:2 **Looking unto Yeshua**, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the Throne of God. & Heb 8:1