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In the justice system of ancient Israel, the court was open to all and each party presented his/her case before the court. The only evidence considered by the court at that time was given by the witnesses. There was no fingerprint identification. No ability to check DNA or the many other advanced ways to gather evidence.

In criminal cases, not less than two witnesses were necessary especially when the accused person stood to lose his/her life. See Deuteronomy 19:15; Numbers 35:30; Deuteronomy 17:2-6.

Jesus and the apostle Paul also recognized the validity of this law and they quoted it several times: Check Matthew 18:16; 2 Corinthians 13:1; 1Timothy 5:19; Hebrews 10:28. Any country, group, church, or organization that violates the principles of this law will reap the awful consequences!

Because the witness system was so important, God gave one of the great Ten Commandments to keep it pure: Exodus 20:16 "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor" (NAU).

This is foundational to a true justice system and done to ensure that the average citizen would take seriously his/her place in that system. Another ordinance was instituted to ensure that people took their testimony seriously. If a person bears a false witness, and it is shown that he/she did, then that person will bear the punishment that they had hoped to inflict on their victim. See Deuteronomy 19:15-20.

Because justice depended upon fundamental honesty, one of the ways to pervert justice was to acquire the testimony of false witnesses. This was the case in the unjust slaying of Naboth who lived in Jezreel and had a vineyard close to King Ahab's palace.

Ahab had always admired that land and wanted it for a vegetable garden. He offered to buy it or give Naboth another property similar to it. But, Naboth said it was his family's inheritance and he would not sell it.

Ahab went home sullen and depressed and wouldn't talk much or eat. His wife Jezebel asked what was wrong and he told her about his conversation and offer to Naboth. She said, "Don't you reign over Israel?" She said you will have that land.

She wrote to the city leaders and told them to have a banquet and to put worthless men (sons of Belial) close to Naboth and they were to testify that Naboth cursed God and the king. With two witnesses they wasted no time putting Naboth to death. Once Naboth was dead, King Ahab took possession of his vineyard. Horrendous injustice angered the Eternal and He sent Elijah with a dire message. It was that Ahab's blood would be licked up by dogs in the same place Naboth died.

Furthermore, Jezebel's body will be eaten by dogs. And all who came from Ahab died -- in the city, their body would be eaten by dogs and in the countryside, their body would be eaten by birds.

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The greatest disrespect one can do to another is to not properly bury that person and leave the body to wild animals or dogs or birds. This means they (their body) become dog and bird dung!

To prevent what Jezebel did to Naboth, repeated warnings and penalties were made to the people becoming a witness or potential false witnesses. See Exodus 23:1-2; Deuteronomy 19:15-20. Again, this was to deter a person from being bribed, persuaded, or induced out of greed, hatred, or prejudice from becoming a false witness.

In essence, the justice system of Israel depended on the integrity of the people. It is the same today. If one can bribe a judge, or witnesses, or threaten them and somehow induce them to lie or pervert justice, the justice system breaks down. Even though we have many scientific detectors such as fingerprints, DNA markers, hair, or fiber samples, etc., nothing can replace the integrity of rulers, judges, witnesses, and all who are a part of the justice system. The great 9th commandment looms over all justice: "You shall not bear false witness against you neighbor" or anyone in your community or society.

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## Whose Faith Does The Healing?

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When someone is healed, whose faith is responsible? The person praying, or the person being prayed for? The healer, or the healed? Whose faith is important? And why does James say to seek the elders of the church and be anointed?

There IS a simple answer! One that makes sense of ALL of the healings in scripture!

Mark 5:25-34 And a certain woman, which had an issue of blood twelve years, And had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse, When she had heard of Jesus, came in the press behind, and touched his garment. For she said, If I may touch but his clothes, I shall be whole. And straightway the fountain of her blood was dried up; and she felt in her body that she was healed of that plague. And Jesus, immediately knowing... [this proves that He DIDN'T know until then!] ...in himself that virtue had gone out of him, turned him about in the press, and said, Who touched my clothes? And his disciples said unto him, Thou seest the multitude thronging thee, and sayest thou, Who touched me? And he looked round about to see her that had done this thing. But the woman fearing and trembling, knowing what was done in her, came and fell down before him, and told him all the truth. And he said unto her, Daughter, THY FAITH hath made thee whole; go in peace and be whole of thy plague.

This was HER faith, the faith of the person BEING healed, NOT the faith of the person HEALING! This was NOT the faith of Jesus, because He didn't know it was happening until AFTER it had happened! And remember, Christ specifically said it was HER faith that made her whole.

So, the answer in this case is that the faith of the person BEING healed, was the faith that did the healing. But that isn't ALWAYS the case!

Matthew 9:18-19, 23-26 While he spake these things unto them, behold, there came a certain ruler, and worshipped him, saying, My daughter is even now dead: but come and lay thy hand upon her, and she shall live... And when Jesus came into the ruler's house and saw the minstrels and the people making a noise, He said unto them, Give place: for the maid is not dead, but sleepeth. And they laughed him to scorn. But when the people were put forth, he went in, and took her by the hand, and the maid arose.

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But this was NOT the faith of the girl being healed. Remember, she was dead, and dead people don't have faith! So, in this case, it was the faith of her father, who showed HIS faith when he said, she **shall live**. But if it was the faith of the ruler..., why didn't he just raise her himself?

**Luke 22:50-51** And one of them smote the servant of the high priest and cut off his right ear. And Jesus answered and said, Suffer ye thus far. And he touched his ear and healed him.

And here is another intriguing case. Whose faith was responsible here? The high priest's servant didn't ask to be healed, not that we know of anyway - and the bible gives no information by which this healing could be attributed to *his* faith. So, this healing must have been solely on Jesus' faith.

**Mark 6:5-6** And he (Christ) could there do no mighty work, save that he laid his hands upon a few sick folk, and healed them. And he marvelled because of their unbelief. And he went round about the villages, teaching.

But Jesus couldn't - that's worth saying again - Jesus couldn't do major miracles in his own country! It tells us why in another place...

Matthew 13:58 And he did not many mighty works there because of their unbelief.

Putting these two scriptures together, we find that He COULD NOT do major miracles there because of THEIR UNBELIEF!

Summarizing what we have so far, I've shown that it can be the person BEING healed, the person HEALING, or a bystander! Not only that, but if a bystander's faith is not good, it could prevent even CHRIST HIMSELF from healing someone!

When Christ went to heal the ruler's daughter, as we read earlier, he put those with NO faith, (or negative faith, or unbelief) out of the room! Why did He do that?

Mark 5:39 And when he was come in, he saith unto them, Why make ye this ado, and weep? the damsel is not dead, but sleepeth. And they laughed him to scorn. But when he had put them all out, he taketh the father and the mother of the damsel, and them that were with him, and entereth in where the damsel was lying.

Also, He kept the father and mother of the girl in the room. Why? The ruler, the girl's father, had already shown that he had faith. So there can be only one conclusion? Christ wanted those WITH faith in the room, and WITHOUT faith out of the room, BECAUSE THEIR UNBELIEF, just like the people in His own country, would have PREVENTED Him from healing her!

Acts 14:8-10 And there sat a certain man at Lystra, impotent in his feet, being a cripple from his mother's womb, who never had walked: The same heard Paul speak: who stedfastly beholding him, and perceiving that he had faith to be healed, Said with a loud voice, Stand upright on thy feet. And he leaped and walked.

Paul perceived that he HAD the faith to be healed. Notice that carefully. But I ask you... if he ALREADY HAD THE FAITH TO BE HEALED... why was he still a cripple? If you HAD the faith to be healed, wouldn't you have walked long ago?

Of course, you would have! So again, there can be only one answer! One clear, SIMPLE ANSWER to our original question? WHOSE FAITH DOES THE HEALING?! That it was Paul's faith, PLUS this man's faith, that was enough to be healed!

Which leads us to the answer that the healing is *performed by the SUM TOTAL of the faith of EVERYONE involved!* 

Faith is a force that can be measured just as electricity and gravity can be measured. A tangible, real, measurable force.

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Christ proved this when he said. If ye had faith **as a grain** of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey you.? (Luke 17:6)

That proves that X amount of faith is sufficient to do Y amount of work. In this case, a mustard seed's worth of faith would throw a tree in the ocean. So, it CAN be measured! But each miracle, each act of faith requires a different amount of faith. Again, I point to...

Mark 6:5 And he could there do no mighty work, save that he laid his hands upon a few sick folk, and healed them.

Notice that he didn't do any MIGHTY works there, except that he healed a few people. In another place, to raise the dead Christ put the unbelievers out of the room. From those two facts, we can conclude that raising the dead requires more faith than healing a few sick folks.

To make this point clear, let's say that faith has units, like volts and amps. I think that's a reasonable hypothesis. And we know that there is positive faith, and negative faith.

So, let's say it takes 40 units of faith to heal a lame man. And maybe 50 units to call fire from heaven, and maybe 60 to raise the dead.

In the incident at Lystra, let's say Paul at this point in his life had 30 units of faith, and that the faith of the cripple had 12. The cripple by himself couldn't heal himself, he didn't have nearly 40 units - but Paul perceived that he had enough to be healed with HIS faith added!

It doesn't matter who's faith is strong enough to accomplish the miracle! What matters is the TOTAL faith of all those involved!

To make one last postulation to illustrate this point, if Christ had 100 units of faith, the people in his country had such strong negative faith that Christ's faith plus their NEGATIVE 55 units of faith equaled only 45 units of faith! That, according to our hypothesis, is only enough for a few healings!

And so, we have the answer to our question, WHOSE FAITH DOES THE HEALING! It is the SUM TOTAL of the positive AND NEGATIVE faith of EVERYONE involved, that will either accomplish, or PREVENT, a healing.

James 5:14-16 Is any sick among you? **let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him**, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him. Confess your faults one to another, **and pray one for another, that ye may be healed.** The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

And so now we can explain WHY God said to go to the elders of the church, to have them pray for you when you are sick! It isn't for some confusing, ritualistic reason, nor is it because of church government, it is because the elders are SUPPOSED to have considerable faith!

**1 Timothy 1:9** Holding the mystery of the faith in a pure conscience.

That is one of the requirements of even a Deacon, to have FAITH, and a pure conscience! All God was instructing you to do when you are sick, in James 5:14, is to seek out MEN WITH FAITH, so that YOUR FAITH, PLUS THEIR FAITH, could equal sufficient faith to heal you of your illness!

But if you go to an elder, minister, deacon, or friend, who has NO faith, and have THEM pray for you, that will almost GUARANTEE that you WON'T get a healing, because what faith YOU have will be dragged into the gutter with THEIR faith, as long as they are involved!

And so, a healing is accomplished by YOUR faith, PLUS THEIR FAITH. If you have enough faith, by yourself, to talk God into healing you, then by all means, do so!

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**James 5:14** wasn't written to force you to have faithless ministers pray for you! Remember, Paul prayed for HIS OWN infirmities many times. So did Hezekiah, David, and many, MANY others. They did this because THEIR FAITH, ALONE, was enough to accomplish what they needed!

Is yours?

If not, then when you are sick, seek elders and friends who have strong faith to help you.

If it is... then be healed.

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## Why I Don't Believe in the Trinity

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#### Where is the Trinity in these writings? (Where you would think it would be!)

<u>Deut. 6:4</u> Hear (sense is obey) O Israel, Yehovah [YHwH] our Elohim (Mighty One) **is one** (H. 256 echad meaning one Yehovah, not family)

<u>Isaiah 45:5</u> I am Yehovah, and there is none else, **there is no Elohim (God)** beside me. I girded you, though you have not known me. (The word "I" is H.595 *singular* – i.e., not 3 persons in one)

<u>John 3:36</u> He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of Yehovah [Greek direct article 'the' God] abideth on him. (Note: no requirement to believe in the Trinity)

**John 5:23** That all *men* should honour the Son, even as they honour the Father. He that honoureth not the Son honoureth not the Father which hath sent him. (Note: no mention of honoring Holy Spirit)

**John 17:5** And now O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was. (No mention of including Holy Spirit here)

1 John 2:22 Who is a liar but he that denieth that Yayshua is the Messiah? He is anti-messiah, that denieth the Father and the Son. (No mention of denying "Father, Son and Holy Spirit)

1 John 4:15 Whosoever shall confess that Yayshua is the Son of Yehovah [the God], Yehovah [the God] dwelleth in him, and he in Yehovah [the God]. (No need to confess the Holy Spirit is a part of a Trinity in order to have salvation) Revelation 3:21 Yayshua also did not include a trinity of Beings. Notice, "To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne." (No Holy Spirit Being sitting on the Throne)

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#### Greetings from the apostles (Holy Spirit never included)

**1Cor 1:3** Paul says "Grace *be* unto you, and peace, **from** Elohim [God; and singular in this sense] **our Father**, and *from* the **Lord Yayshua Messiah**." (no greeting from Holy Spirit) For many other similar examples from Paul see 1 Cor. 1:9; Galatians 1:3; Ephesians 6:23; Philippians 1:2; Colossians 1:2; 1 Thessalonians 1:1; 1 Timothy 1:2; Philemon 1:3. The apostle James also gives like greetings in James 1:1. Peter also in 1 Peter 1:1. Jude the half-brother of Yayshua gives a similar greeting in Jude 1:1;

#### Holy Spirit The Power of Yehovah:

Zech. 4:6 Yehovah says "...by MY Spirit" showing ownership of Holy Spirit.

<u>Luke 1:35</u> And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Spirit shall come upon you, and *the power of the Highest* shall overshadow you; therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of you shall be called the Son of Elohim. (God, i.e., no Gk direct article 'the').

Eze 39:29 Neither will I hide my face any more from them: for I have poured out <u>my</u> spirit upon the house of Israel, says Yehovah.

Acts 10:45 And they of the circumcision which believed were astonished, as many as came with Peter, because that on the Gentiles also was poured out the gift of the Holy Spirit.

2 Tim 1:7 For Yehovah [the God] hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.

**Romans 15:19** Through mighty signs and wonders, *by the power* of the Spirit of Elohim [God]; so that from Jerusalem, and round about unto Illyricum, I have fully preached the gospel of Messiah.

<u>Hebrews 1:3 Who</u> being the brightness of *his* glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things *by* the word of his power, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high;

#### MEANING OF Greek word 'one' G1520 - in the neutral 'Hen' in John 10:30

I and *my* Father are **one**. (G. 1520 *hen* (neut.) "In the mas. *Heis* must be distinguished from the neut. *Hen. Heis* means one numerically while *hen* means one in essence, as in John 10:30; (i.e., one in essence although two different personalities). Had it said *Heis*, it would have meant one person." Reference: Lexical I Aids to the NT by Spiro Zodhiates, TH. D (And notice Yayshua did not include the Holy Spirit in this oneness).

John 17:21-23 That they all may be **one** (gk. Hen – in essence); as thou, Father, *art* in me, and I in thee, that they also may be **one** (gk. Hen) in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me. v22 And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be **one** (gk. Hen – in essence), even as we are **one** (gk: hen) v23 I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect in **one** (gk. hen); and that the world may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me.

**SPECIAL NOTE**: From the above verses, IF there were such a thing as a Trinity (3 in one) it now would have to be eliminated from the vocabulary <u>as with all the saints now included</u> with the Father and the Son in **one** (and the gk. word would have had to be *heis* in the numerical sense; which it isn't), it would have to be known now with some such phrase as a "Multiplicity", not a Trinity.

#### Who Our Fellowship is with:

**1 John 1:3** That which we have seen and heard declare we unto you, that ye also may have fellowship with us: and *truly our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Yayshua Messiah.* (Does not say any fellowship with the Holy Spirit)

#### Scriptures often used to show there is a Trinity:

<u>1 John 5:7-8</u> Often mentioned as "The Johannine Comma", most scholars understand the words that show a trinity of Beings were added as margin notes in the medieval days and became incorporated in some later Bible versions. See for example: <a href="http://www.bible-researcher.com/comma.html">http://www.bible-researcher.com/comma.html</a>

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<u>Matthew 28:19</u> Similarly, starting out in Matthew 28:18 "And Yayshua came and spake unto them, saying [as it should read per indications from other Scriptures], All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. 19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in <u>My name</u>; 20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, *even* unto the end of the world. Amen.

As mentioned, other Scriptures that correlate with Matthew 28:19 is Mark 16:15-18, Luke 24:47, John 14:13 and John 15:16. For actual application of baptizing in Yayshua's name *only* see Acts 2:37-38; Acts 8:16; Acts 10:48; Acts 19:5. Also see 1 Corin. 6:11 and Galatians 3:27.

The Trinitarian theory by some authorities was put in by Constantine in the 4<sup>th</sup> century after the death and resurrection of Yayshua Messiah. For more information on this subject and with the understanding that I am not necessarily in agreement with all their doctrines, check out <a href="http://english.sdaglobal.org/research/mt2819.htm">http://english.sdaglobal.org/research/mt2819.htm</a> or <a href="http://israelofgod.org/">http://israelofgod.org/</a> and click on their Biblical Teachings, then on <a href="http://israelofgod.org/">Constantine Wrote Matt. 28:19 Into Your Bible!</a>

## "I was born to run," she said (so was I)

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**NELLIE** was her name, but she called me Bella. She was a little old lady from Pasadena who only drove me once a week to church. She bought me brand new for her 90th birthday. She put a gun rack in the back window for old times' sake. She didn't own a gun, just the gun rack. We got a lot of funny looks around town. I'm a pickup truck.

Nellie had been a professional baseball player back in the fifties, one of the older members on the team, but she could still fly around those bases. She grew up on a potato farm in Idaho, played ball in the Midwest, married up, and ended up with a mansion in LaLa Land when her husband died thirty years ago. When she turned the big one-oh-oh, her great-grandson asked what's the best thing about turning a hundred, and she says:

#### "No more peer pressure."

Nellie drank diet Coke and ate only at McDonalds. Her great-granddaughter asked her what her secret of long life was, and she says:

#### "First thing is, don't worry about it!"

She downed a glass of red wine and died on the morning after, in her sleep, with a look of serenity on her face, dreaming about an inside-the-park home run she had once run. The kids put ME up for sale (the son is 81 and the daughter is 79). I was a bit worried about going on the auction block, but ironically enough, I was purchased by another female athlete, a track star (I don't mean NASCAR). "I was born to run," she had said once.

#### "Me too," I said.

I was so happy, but she left me before I even got to know her name; a plane crash took her life. It was a terrible turn of events, but life goes on I told myself. But life was about to take another wrong turn. Through a series of trades, I couldn't quite follow, I ended up being owned by a heroin addict. He removed my Make America Great Again sticker and put one on that said, "I love wolves and I vote." On our first day together, he picked up a hooker. I was so *humiliated*.

The very next day he wrapped me around a tree while texting his dopey dope dealer. He was dead even before the gas tank exploded. My air bag killed him. It wasn't me; it was the "Karma Bar" in Hotel California.

Yes, I'm a pickup truck, but to whom am I telling this tale? I'm talking to the gal who runs the crusher. She's about to push the button, but don't cry for Isabella, Argentina; I'm going to be recycled. To paraphrase old Ben Franklin, I'm going to get a new body someday, I tell'ya. I just hope I'll be a self-parking truck. That's the only thing old Nellie wasn't very good at.

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**P.S.** Awful or awesome? This tale is a metaphor for the State of the Union. America is right on the bubble. Summit or precipice? The first verse of the Star-spangled Banner doesn't end with a proposition; it ends with a question mark. Another example of "American Exceptionalism." The exception to the rule. Unique among all the nations. We await the answer to the question: "Does that banner still wave over the land of a Free People?" And do the people still *stand* for it?

**PSS:** There are people who say we are irredeemable, deplorable, and "unfit." Like the school yard brawl, it is, the question is, "Who started it?" We are only defending ourselves, bitter clingers such as we are.

May God make this a witness against the adulterers, and the false swearers – who "swear" to defend the Constitution, and then only ATTACK IT! They are the "unfit."

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## The Devils Delight!

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America is the Devils Delight; Satan has defeated and intellectually enslaved a "Superpower". One, Church and State United with Satan and his faithful children. America's great political leaders, Judges and lawmakers have established - Satanic Religious Laws. Laws that defend and praise what Almighty God ruled as evil. Law defending - LGBT - desecrates and mocks God's Creation of: Male and female, husbands and wives, fathers and mothers, and sons and daughters; and therefore is: "Blasphemy against the "Holy Spirit" and will "not be forgiven" Matthew 12:31. "Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who call Darkness Light and Light Darkness" Isaiah 5:20. All 50 States have been stripped of freedom, they are slave states of Satan, and his ruling faithful. The - Faithful of Satan – are America's Judges, lawmakers, politicians, educators, media, and some Christian leaders.

The Unholy Trinity: Three Snowflakes are at the head of America today. Snowflakes are those who are so - Easily Intimidated - by the, Mad Deacons of Satan, in the Media. These, Media Mad Deacons, are constantly screaming out the gospel of Satan, that is: "Do not Discriminate" close the eyes of your heart, to evil; and embrace the "darkness."

This unholy trinity is President Trump, Secretary of State Tillerson, and Vice President Pence. "Trump who promised to defend his LGBT darlings. Defend them against who? Against God and those who believe God. Tillerson Who promoted openly homosexuals in the Boy Scouts, making the Scouts acceptable to Satan. And Pence who declared in defense of Satan's' LGBT mob "I hate discrimination".

The Truth is: If you do <u>not</u> "DISCRIMINATE" your <u>mind and heart</u> has been captured by the Devil; making you his intellectual slave. You no longer know the difference between good and evil. And you will praise the wicked thinking that you are extending God's love. But God teaches us to pray for the wicked and call for repentance, not join, praise, and applaud them.

Lawmakers have given, sexual perverts, freedom to promote and teach abnormal and destructive sexual lifestyles; but freedom to disapprove has been ignored. All must honor Satanic values to avoid attacks by the Unholy State Church. Some state employees and governors are - Satan's high priests of hell; they attack Christians who believe God. Christians have been fined and dragged into court by them. Government officials have become worshipers of Satan and his perverse-religious-state-doctrines. To many state officials, the Devil's LGBT perverts must be honored.

Many so-called conservatives are snowflakes regarding the LGBT issue; they slobber all over themselves in sympathy for them; instead of calling on them to repent. They should realize that they are being attacked by Satan's LGBT evangelists, who are, appealing for respect, desiring acceptance of their sexual depravity. Today, sexual deviants, love shouting their perversions from the house top, and attacking those, who do not applaud or show respect. "The wicked freely strut about when - what is vile - is honored among men" Psalm 12:8-NIV.

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President Trump should repent. Then, write an executive order stating that: "All abnormal sexual practices should be kept private or shared, with those of like mind." And that, expressing disapproval of LGBT is acceptable as freedom of speech and opinion. That may be necessary because our lawmakers are so easily intimidated by LGBT and their, Mad Deacons of Satan – in Education and Media; shouting out the Devils gospel of: "do not discriminate" praise and justify, those who demand respect, for their aberrant sexual perversions.

As things stand now: State and federal workers, freedoms to express their opinions, will be eliminated. If an, in your face homosexual, invites a state worker to his wedding with another man, and that worker expresses disapproval because: Scripture teaches "Rebuke your neighbor frankly so you will not share in his guilt" Leviticus 19:12, and suggest he repent and pray for mercy; that worker will be, charged with discriminating and fired from his job. Why? Because, our reckless and stupid lawmakers have established law, that requires everyone to close their eyes, and embrace evil. He may also be forced to attend, Satan Shrine, called "diversity training" as punishment; where perversions are exalted, and people are judged by skin color.

Schools, teaching children, especially before puberty, that - same sex marriage - is acceptable and is to be respected is: A government sponsored <u>hate crime</u>. Hate toward God, those who believe God and an attack on innocent children. Who would desire to live and raise children in such a society? Why can't the LGBT keep their perversions to themselves? That would display, a hint of repentance.

Why are the sexually insane, those who do not accept their own gender, encouraged in their madness? And some of them are mutilated by, Frankenstein-like doctors, to appease their insanity. That is insane medical malpractice; pandering to madness inspires more madness, stupid. God created male and female; but these reckless doctors are creating, Frankenstein-Babies.

America's national leaders must, for the safety and freedom of our nation, repent and pray for mercy. Almighty God has - paid our <u>debt of sin and rebellion against him</u> - by the sacrifice of His Wonderful Son Christ Jesus. Jesus Christ teaches us in John 5:24 "I tell you the truth, whoever hears my word and believes - <u>Him who sent me</u> - has eternal life and will not be condemned; he has crossed over from death to life. Jesus also said, "Repent or Perish" Luke 13:1-5. Believe, praise and honor, the God and Father of our Savior, Christ Jesus.

Everyone: forward this message to the White House. Tyranny and, <u>Satanic Mind Control</u>, reigns. President Trump, REPENT: stop praising Satan's LGBT darlings; instead call on them to repent also. Free yourself from being, the Mind-Slave of the Devil. Judgment is at the door, the day of your death is the, Day of Judgment, for you. You will <u>not</u> remember being dead. <u>Death of the Wicked</u>: To those who "parade their sin" and those who defend them - <u>death will be like</u>, falling-asleep at night, and awakening in the morning, facing the "Lake of Fire" John 5:28-29, Revelation 20:14-15.

#### Other Items

(Poems, Jokes, Questions etc.)

## The Startling "Foreword" to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition

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I am honored and thrilled to write this Foreword for such a timely, church-shaking volume as this Second Edition of *In the Spirit We're Equal*. What this book addresses is not just a "woman issue." What this book addresses is a "church issue" and an issue of discipleship and world evangelism.

This was made very clear to me about twelve years ago when the Lord visited me in an unusual manner and instructed me to "identify" with Sue and her two-fold vision to articulate the Biblical basis for the equality of women and men in Christ and to "write God's women back into history."

It began early one morning around 3 a.m. when I suddenly found myself wide awake. Desiring to pray, but not wanting to disturb Sue, I quietly slipped out of bed and made my way to another room where I sat on a couch. The only light in the room came from a streetlight just outside the window. It was a very quiet and tranquil setting. As I quietly lifted my heart to the Lord, I had a very unusual experience. My soul seemed to suddenly become supernaturally quiet, and I heard

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the voice of the Lord in my heart, saying, "I want you to be more identified with Sue and what she is doing." There was a moment of silence and then I heard words that astounded me. "This message has the power to begin a mass movement from Islam to Christianity, beginning with the women."

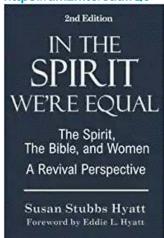
As I sat in the darkness contemplating what I had just heard, an African woman came to mind whom I had heard speak boldly about the dangers of Islam. She had grown up in a Muslim family in Africa and when barely a teenager her father arranged for her to marry a Muslim man in Canada. She escaped to the Netherlands where she received a college education, became a secularist, and was then elected to the Dutch parliament where she was an outspoken critic of Islam.

When I heard her story, I had wondered why she did not become a Christian when she left Islam. As I sat quietly that morning contemplating what I had heard, I suddenly realized why. If she had known the truths in this book, I am confident she would have become a Christian. But why would she leave a hard form of patriarchal oppression in Islam for a softer form in Christianity?

From that moment, I knew that the message contained in this book is vital for world evangelism and for the Church to truly be the Church—a fully functioning body where people function, not according to their gender (man or woman) but according to their God-given gifts and callings.

This book has the power to ignite a Reformation on the scale of the Protestant Reformation that Luther ignited when he nailed his 95 theses to the Wittenberg Church door. I pray, therefore, that you will help spread this book far and wide and thereby help awaken the Church to the powerful, transformative truths that are found therein.

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### Holy Days 2022

Passover – April 16, 2022 (Observed at Sunset the Evening Before)
Unleavened Bread – April 16-22, 2022
Pentecost – June 5, 2022
Trumpets - September 26, 2022
Atonement – October 5, 2022
Tabernacles – October 10-16, 2022
Last Great Day – October 17, 2022

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