

INTRODUCTION: A SUMMARY OF HOLY DAYS (Lev.23; see Num.28,29; chart NIVSB)

- A. SPRING: PASSOVER, UNLEAVED BREAD (7), FIRSTFRUITS / PENTECOST** (5-22; 1st month)
- B. FALL: TRUMPETS, ATONEMENT, BOOTHS (7), [ASSEMBLY]** (23-43; 7th month; Neh.8:2)
- C. CHIASM: TWO PARTS OF ONE THING**
- D. THEME: REJOICING TOGETHER TO GOD AS CREATOR, PROVIDER, REDEEMER**
(see Ps.42:4 and 120-134, Ascents)

I. THE HOLY DAYS FULFILLED IN CHRIST

- A. ATONEMENT** (*Yom Kippur*; see Heb.9:6f; 10:18)
- B. PASSOVER & UNLEAVENED BREAD** (see Lk.22:15f,etc; 1Cor.5:6-8)
- C. FIRSTFRUITS** (barley; 1Cor.15:20,23; see Lev.23:5f; 6f; 9f with Lk.22:15; 23:56; 24:1)
- D. PENTECOST** (*Weeks, Harvest* (wheat); Acts 2:1f; 33f)
- E. TRUMPETS** (*Rosh Hashanah*; see Num.10:1-10; see Heb.10:19f,25; Rev.1:10)
- F. BOOTHS** (*Tabernacles, Ingathering*; 1Pt.2:11; Phil.3:20; 2Cor.4:16f /Heb.3:7f; 4:11; 11:13f /Col.1:13; Eph.2:11f)
- G. ALL SACRIFICES, THEREFORE ALL FESTIVALS** (Lev.23; see Heb.10:18 yet 25)

II. THE HOLY DAYS ROOTED IN THE SABBATH DAY

- A. DOUBLE INTRODUCTION** (Lev.23:1f&4f)
- B. SEVENTH MONTH** (Lev.23:23f; Trumpets, Atonement, Booths)
- C. SEVENS OF YEARS** (Lev.25:1f & 8f)
- D. SABBATHS** (Col.2:16, *marg.*; see Num.28,29)
- E. CREATION & PROVIDENCE & REDEMPTION** (Gen.2:1,2 & Gen.2:3; Ex.20:9f,11 & Dt.5:13f,15)
- F. LAST DAY OLD CREATION TO FIRST DAY NEW CREATION** (Gen.2:1f & Jn.20:1; Gal.6:15)
- G. MANY HOLY DAYS TO ONE** (Jn.20:1,19; Acts 20:7; 1Cor.16:2; Rev.1:10; see Heb.4:14f; 9:12; 10:10)
- H. NO OTHER HOLY DAYS APPOINTED BY GOD FOR HIS WORSHIP** (see Lev.23:2)
- I. PRECEDENT OF MARKING SIGNIFICANT DAYS IS PROPER TO CULTURE** (see Est.9:26-32)

CONCLUSION: CELEBRATE THE HOLY DAY OF THE NEW COVENANT!

- A. CELEBRATE THE HAJJ!** (Lev.23:39-41; see Ps.42:4 (120-134); see Heb.10:25; Acts 2:42)
- B. SAVOR THE SAVIOR'S DAY!** (Rev.1:10; Is.58:13f,1f; Neh.8:1f; 7,8; 9-12; 13f; note: *WCF*,c.21,para.8; worship > mercy > necessity; Mt.22:37,39)
- C. CELEBRATE THE FEAST!** (1Cor.5:6-8; see 1Cor.11:24,25; Acts 2:42)
- D. ENJOY A HOLIDAY EVERY WEEK!** (see Num.10:10; Neh.8:10,12; Acts 2:42)
- E. REST FROM YOUR THINGS SO THAT YOU WILL REJOICE IN HIS THINGS** (Lev.23:3; Ex.20:10f; Dt.5:13f; Mt.11:28f; Is.58:13f; Acts 2:42; Neh.8:10-12)

Brethren, what shall we do? (see Acts 2:37f)