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**Free Article: "Galatians 3: Why NO Old Testament
Prophecy Of Christ Or His Kingdom Is Unfulfilled"**

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Salted Speech Colossians 4:6

~ Life is a series of experiences, each one of which makes us bigger, even though sometimes it is hard to realize this.
For the world was built to develop character, and we must learn that the setbacks and grieves which we endure help us in our marching onward. ~~~Henry Ford

~It takes more than one for perfect harmony.

~Don't judge each day by the harvest you reap but by the seeds that you plant. ~~~Robert Louis Stevenson

~ When we die we leave behind us all that we have and take with us all that we are.

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"The greatest danger for most of us
is not that our aim is too high
and we miss it
but that it is too low
and we reach it."

Michelangelo

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QUESTION: "Are the Jews God's Chosen People today?"

ANSWER: NO, and everyone who keeps repeating this false doctrine is denying that Jesus is the Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, for Jesus preached a new birth (**John 3:3**) not the Jewish fleshly birth (**John 3:4-7**).

1. Today's Jews Are Not God's Chosen People

In Antioch of Pisidia, Paul preached Jesus Christ: "through this Man is preached to you the forgiveness of sins; and by Him everyone who believes is justified from all things from which you could not be justified by the law of Moses" (**Acts 13:38-39**).

"The law of Moses" was given only to the Israelites

(**Deuteronomy 5:2-3**) and only until Jesus Christ came: "[the Law] was added because of transgressions, till the Seed should come to whom the promise was made" (**Galatians 3:19**). That promised "Seed" is Christ (**Galatians 3:16**). Concerning Moses' Law, Jesus "has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross" (**Colossians 2:14**). Since Jesus' death, none of the Jews can claim to be God's Chosen People. God said, "This is My beloved Son. Hear Him!" (**Luke 9:35**).

2. Can Moses' Law Save Today?

God's Word plainly shows no law before Jesus Christ's Law was intended to save. "For if there had been a law given which could have given life, truly righteousness would have been by the law. But the Scripture has confined all under sin, that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe" (**Galatians 3:21-22**). The Law of Moses can save no one today, for "if righteousness comes through the law, then Christ died in vain" (**Galatians 2:21**). To keep the Law of Moses today, severs one from obedience to Christ. "You have become estranged from Christ, you who attempt to be justified by law; you have fallen from grace" (**Galatians 5:4**). It is either Moses or Christ, but not both! The Gospel saves, not 10 commandments!

3. Christians Today Are God's Chosen People "But we are bound to give thanks to God always for you, brethren beloved by the Lord, because God from the beginning chose you for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth, to which He called you by our gospel, for the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, brethren, stand fast and hold the traditions which you were taught, whether by word or our epistle" (**2 Thessalonians 2:13-15**). Jesus said, "He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned" (**Mark 16:16**).

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**Excuses, excuses, you'll hear them every day.
And the Devil he'll supply them, if the church you stay away.
When people come to know the Lord, the Devil always loses
So to keep them folks away from church, he offers them excuses.**

#1

In the summer it's too hot. And, in the winter, it's too cold.
In the spring time when the weather's just right,
you find some place else to go.
Well, it's up to the mountains or down to the beach or
to visit some old friend.
Or, to just stay home and kinda relax and hope that
some of the kin folks will start dropping in.

#2

Well, the church benches are too hard. And, that choir sings way too loud.
Boy, you know how nervous you get when
you're sitting in a great big crowd.
The doctor told you, "Now, you better watch them crowds.
They'll set you back."
But, you go to that old ball game because you say "it helps you to relax."

#3

Well, a headache Sunday morning and a backache Sunday night.
But by worktime Monday morning, you're feeling quite alright.
While one of the children has a cold, "Pneumonia, do you suppose?"
Why the whole family had to stay home, just to blow that poor kid's nose.

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#4

Well, the preacher he's too young. And, maybe he's too old.
The sermons they're not hard enough. And, maybe they're too bold.
His voice is much too quiet-like. Sometimes he gets too loud.

He needs to have more dignity. Or, else he's way too proud.

#5

Well, the sermons they're too long. And, maybe they're too short.
He ought to preach the word with dignity instead of "stomp and snort."
Well, that preacher we've got must be "the world's most stuck up man."
Well, one of the lady's told me the other day,
"Well, he didn't even shake my hand."

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Assessing Our Life in Christ

A Christian is to be...

- ...**Possessing** the spirit of Christ (Rom. 8:9)
- ...**Accessing** the word of Christ (Col. 3:16)
- ...**Blessing** always the name of Christ (Eph. 1:12)
- ...**Confessing** the Sonship of Christ (Acts 8:37)
- ...**Stressing** the authority of Christ (Matt. 28:18)
- ...**Dressing** in the image of Christ (1 Cor. 11:1)
- ...**Addressing** the importance of Christ (Col. 1:28)
- ...**Progressing** the gospel of Christ (Rom. 1:16)
- ...**Expressing** the love of Christ (Eph. 5:2)
- ...**Impressing** the care of Christ (Eph. 2:10)
- ...**Pressing** on for the cause of Christ (Phil. 1:27)
- ...**Effervescing** the light of Christ (1 John 1:7)
- ...**Suppressing** the enemies of Christ (1 John 4:1)

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