

February 4, 2024

I Choose To Follow Jesus: Consent

2024 is the Year of Decision, the Open Door and Eliakim.

Theme verse 2024: 1 Kings 18:21 *And Elijah came to all the people, and said, "How long will you falter between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow Him; but if Baal, follow him." But the people answered him not a word.*

People in America are watching the chaos, corruption, woke indoctrination and invasion at our border. Many are undecided where they stand. The attack on those who stand for God's righteousness is self-evident; our government is corrupt. They are using "lawfare" to silence those who speak out against their "unjust" laws and illegal actions. This Marxist government is violating our God-given unalienable rights expressed in our U.S. Constitution of free speech, freedom of religion and the right to bear arms and defend ourselves. *NOTE: Not all politicians are corrupt.

People will have to make a choice. Remain silent or speak up against the corruption. If they remain silent, then by default they are in agreement with the corruption. If they speak up, they stand against a corrupt Marxist system. In 2024 America will choose between a Marxist government based on Luciferian Ideologies or a Constitutional Republic based on Biblical Ideologies.

The fate of America is in the hands of the Good People. God has given us a free will to decide our own fate. Our lives are a result of the choices we make. Follow God, and the nation will be blessed. Follow Baal (Marxism) and the nation will go into total bondage and suffering. Moses and Joshua warned the people in their farewell address.

Deut 30:17-20 *But if your heart turns away so that you do not hear, and are drawn away, and worship other gods and serve them, 18 I announce to you today that you shall surely perish; you shall not prolong your days in the land which you cross over the Jordan to go in and possess. 19 I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; **therefore choose life**, that both you and your descendants may live; 20 that you may love the Lord your God, that you may obey His voice, and that you may cling to Him, for He is your life and the length of your days; and that you may dwell in the land which the Lord swore to your fathers, to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, to give them." After this, Moses passed the torch to Joshua who then passed it to the "Judges."*

Josh 24:15 *And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, **choose for yourselves** this day whom you will serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, **we will serve the Lord.**" Men/Fathers what do you choose for your household? Your words and actions are your answer.*

Josh 24:25 *So Joshua made a covenant with the people that day, and made for them a statute and an ordinance in **Shechem.***

Sept 12, 2015, LSC 14-year Anniversary, Feast of Trumpets, God-given Trumpet Voice from Isa **58:1**.

Our Silver Trumpet, the one that helped confirm our "Trumpet Voice" was blown in **Shechem! We Live the Bible!**

"Friday Feb 12, 2021 email: Hi Mike, Here's the story on the trumpet:

Three people gifted me this silver trumpet that is made to the specifications required by the Torah. It's made from a single piece of pure silver to an exact size by an artisan in Israel. The trumpet has journeyed around the promised land and been blown by Christians and Messianic Jews over many places in Israel and Palestine, including Old and New Jerusalem, the Mt. of Olives, Jericho, Mt. Bracha (Mt of Blessing), and **Shechem**, It's unique not only because it meets the specifications of the Torah and was handmade in Israel, but also because of its unusual story. Now it's here to continue its journey."

January 18th 2024 Life Song Church event: "Protecting God's Children: Assembly of the Thumb Pastors" we had 30 Pastors/Ministry Leaders representing all 5 counties of the Thumb. This was the first time we blew our **silver trumpet** at an event gathering Pastors together. At this event I explained about the government being on the "shoulder of Jesus" and the Abrahamic Promise/Covenant of blessing the nations, and possessing the gate.

I explained how the Bible is the “book of the Supreme Law of Heaven and Earth” and the Constitution is the Supreme Law of the Land. I said how the PLEDGE to protect God’s Children is a covenant-pledge. **This all lines up with the symbolism of Shechem!**

SHECHEM (means shoulder)

Here Abraham pitched his tent and **built his first altar in the Promised Land**, and received the first divine promise (Gen 12:6,7). To Shechem Joshua gathered all Israel “before God,” and delivered to them his second parting address (Josh 24:1-15). He “made a covenant with the people that day” at the very place where, on first entering the land, they had responded to the law from Ebal and Gerizim (Josh 24:25), the terms of which were recorded “in the book of the law of God”, i.e., in the roll of the law of Moses; (Easton’s Bible Dictionary) Shechem is one of the oldest cities on earth.

One of the reasons for our Assembly of Thumb Pastors was to get them to “choose” not to remain silent, but to stand up for God’s children protecting them from child abuse, especially because of new laws that enshrine transgenderism and the Woke religion. **Our silence gives consent to these unjust laws.**

Church: Strong’s #1577, *ecclesia* (ek-klay-see-ah); an assembly of citizens, a calling out, a popular meeting, a religious congregation, assembled together, Christian community of members on earth or heaven. The Greek word *ecclesia* was 700 years old when Jesus used the term to describe what He was building. It was not a “Christian” or religious word. It was used by the Romans to represent the **legislative and judicial branch of their government**. As Christians we are to release the authority Jesus has given us back into our government to protect our God-given unalienable rights. The Church are the ones who carry the government on their shoulders as being joint heirs with Christ thus fulfilling the Isa 9:6,7 prophecy of Jesus Christ.

CONSENT

Another key word this year is “consent.” Both Lucifer and Jesus want our consent in order to establish their kingdom on earth. In order to get our consent, Lucifer will use deception, fear, greed and hatred. Jesus will use truth, peace and love. Our consent is an individual choice, and our individual choices form a collective in our family, church, community, region, state and over America. Once a group of people consent, they form a movement be it good or bad.

Our consent can be given consciously, or unconsciously through our actions, words or silence. Our choices form our consent. We can disagree with our government, **but if we choose to remain silent, by default, we have given our consent.** God has given us a free will, the right to choose. Giving consent means giving our choice to someone else.

“The only thing necessary for evil to triumph is for good men to do nothing”-Edmund Burke

Consent: Strong’s #225, Hebrew *uwth* (ooth); to come, to assent. Synonyms; agreement, accord, consensus, harmony, and permission. Webster Dictionary: to give assent or approval. Compliance in or approval of what is done or proposed by another. Agreement as to action or opinion specifically; voluntary agreement by a people to organize a civil society and give authority to the government. **“I consent to the government of Jesus Christ.”**

1 Tim 6:3-10 *If anyone teaches otherwise and **does not consent to wholesome words**, even the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to the doctrine which accords with godliness, 4 he is proud, knowing nothing, but is obsessed with disputes and arguments over words, from which come envy, strife, reviling, evil suspicions, 5 useless wranglings of men of corrupt minds and destitute of the truth, who suppose that godliness is a means of gain. From such withdraw yourself.*

6 Now godliness with contentment is great gain. 7 *For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. 8 And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content. 9 But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and harmful lusts which drown men in destruction and perdition. 10 For the **love of money is a root of all kinds of evil**, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.*

Have you given your full consent for Jesus to be your Lord? Or, are you still chasing money?