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SEEING CHRIST

In The
— Jewish Feasts —

I. Introduction



Speak to the people of Israel and say to them,
These are the appointed feasts of the LORD
that you shall proclaim as holy convocations;
they are my appointed feasts.



Leviticus 23:2 (ESV)

Therefore let no one pass judgment on you in questions of food and drink, or with regard to a festival or a new moon or a Sabbath. These are a shadow of the things to come, but the substance belongs to Christ.



Colossians 2:16-17 (ESV)

Here are their names:

- i. Passover (Pesach) - Nisan 14-15
- ii. Unleavened Bread (Chag Hamotzi) -
Nisan 15-22
- iii. First Fruits (Yom habikkurim) - Nisan
16-17
- iv. Pentecost (Shavu'ot) - Sivan 6-7

Here are their names:

- v. Trumpets (Yom Teru'ah) - Tishri 1
- vi. Atonement (Yom Kippur) - Tishri 10
- vii. Tabernacles (Sukkot) - Tishri 15-22

II. The Spring Feasts

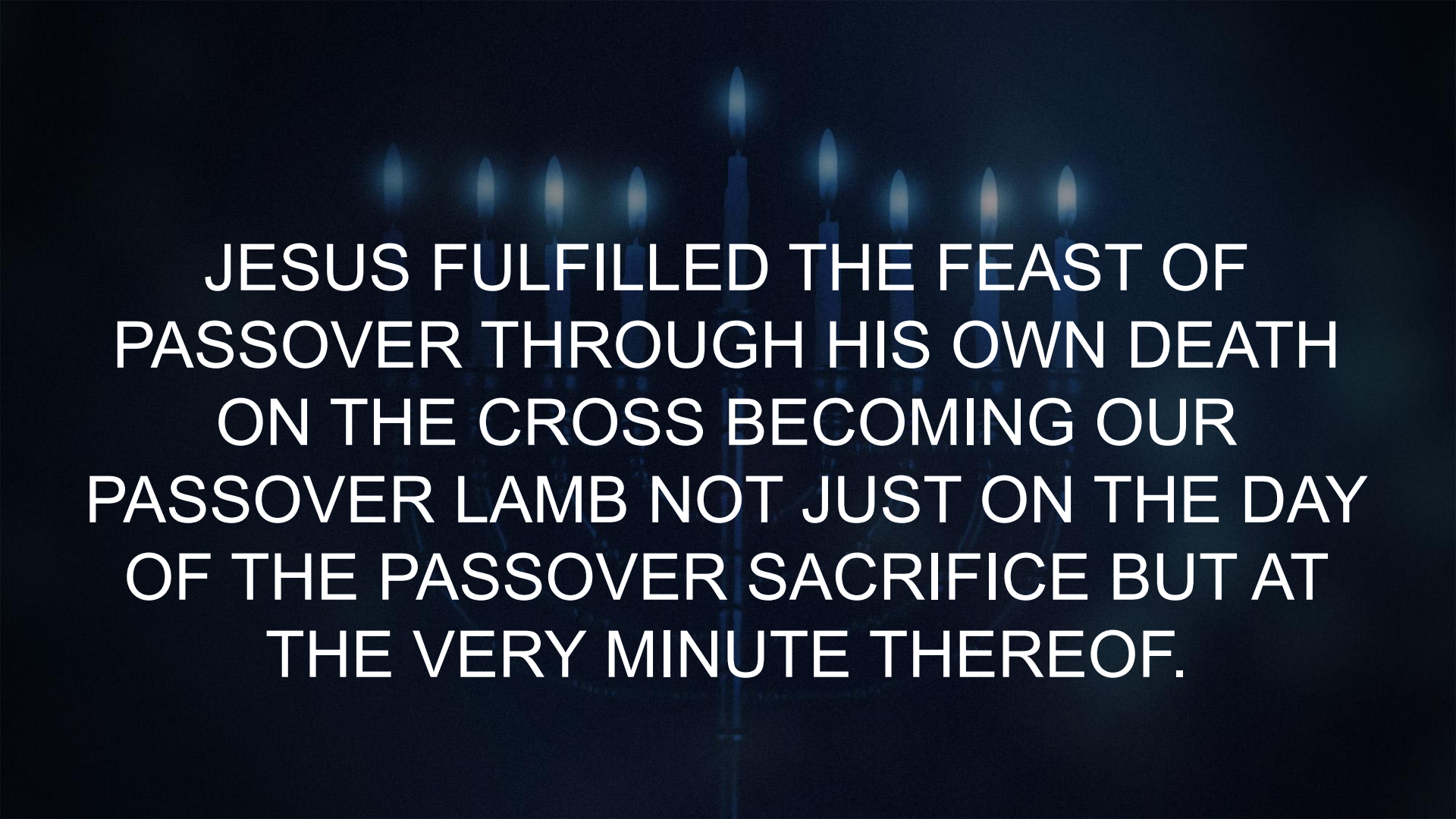
1. PASSOVER



In the first month, on the fourteenth day of the month at twilight, is the LORD's Passover.



Leviticus 23:5 (ESV)



JESUS FULFILLED THE FEAST OF
PASSOVER THROUGH HIS OWN DEATH
ON THE CROSS BECOMING OUR
PASSOVER LAMB NOT JUST ON THE DAY
OF THE PASSOVER SACRIFICE BUT AT
THE VERY MINUTE THEREOF.

II. The Spring Feasts

1. PASSOVER.

2. UNLEAVENED BREAD (Chag HaMotzi).

And on the fifteenth day of the same month is
the Feast of Unleavened Bread to the LORD;
for seven days you shall eat unleavened
bread.



Leviticus 23:6 (ESV)

... who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed.

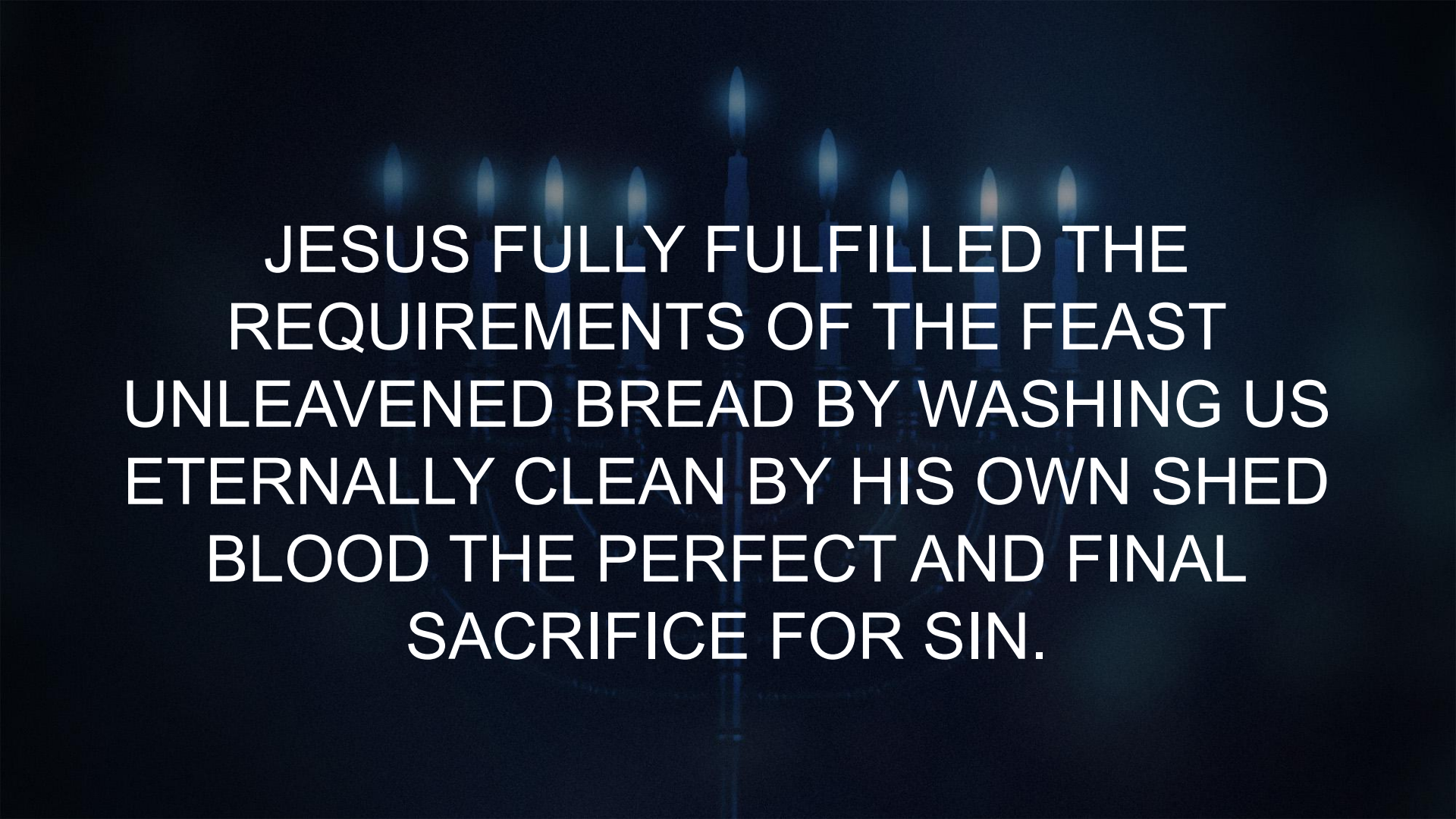


1 Peter 2:24 (NKJV)

...“They shall look on Him whom they pierced.”



John 19:37 (NKJV)



JESUS FULLY FULFILLED THE
REQUIREMENTS OF THE FEAST
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ETERNALLY CLEAN BY HIS OWN SHED
BLOOD THE PERFECT AND FINAL
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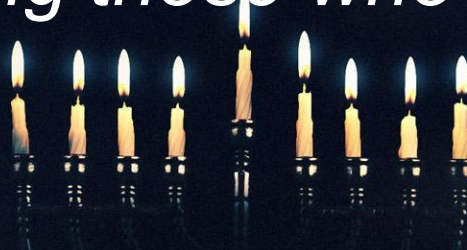
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2. UNLEAVENED BREAD (Chag HaMotzi).
3. FIRST FRUITS (Reshit Katzir).

“Speak to the people of Israel and say to them, When you come into the land that I give you and reap its harvest, you shall bring the sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest to the priest, and he shall wave the sheaf before the LORD, so that you may be accepted. On the day after the Sabbath the priest shall wave it.



Leviticus 23:10-11 (ESV)

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ.

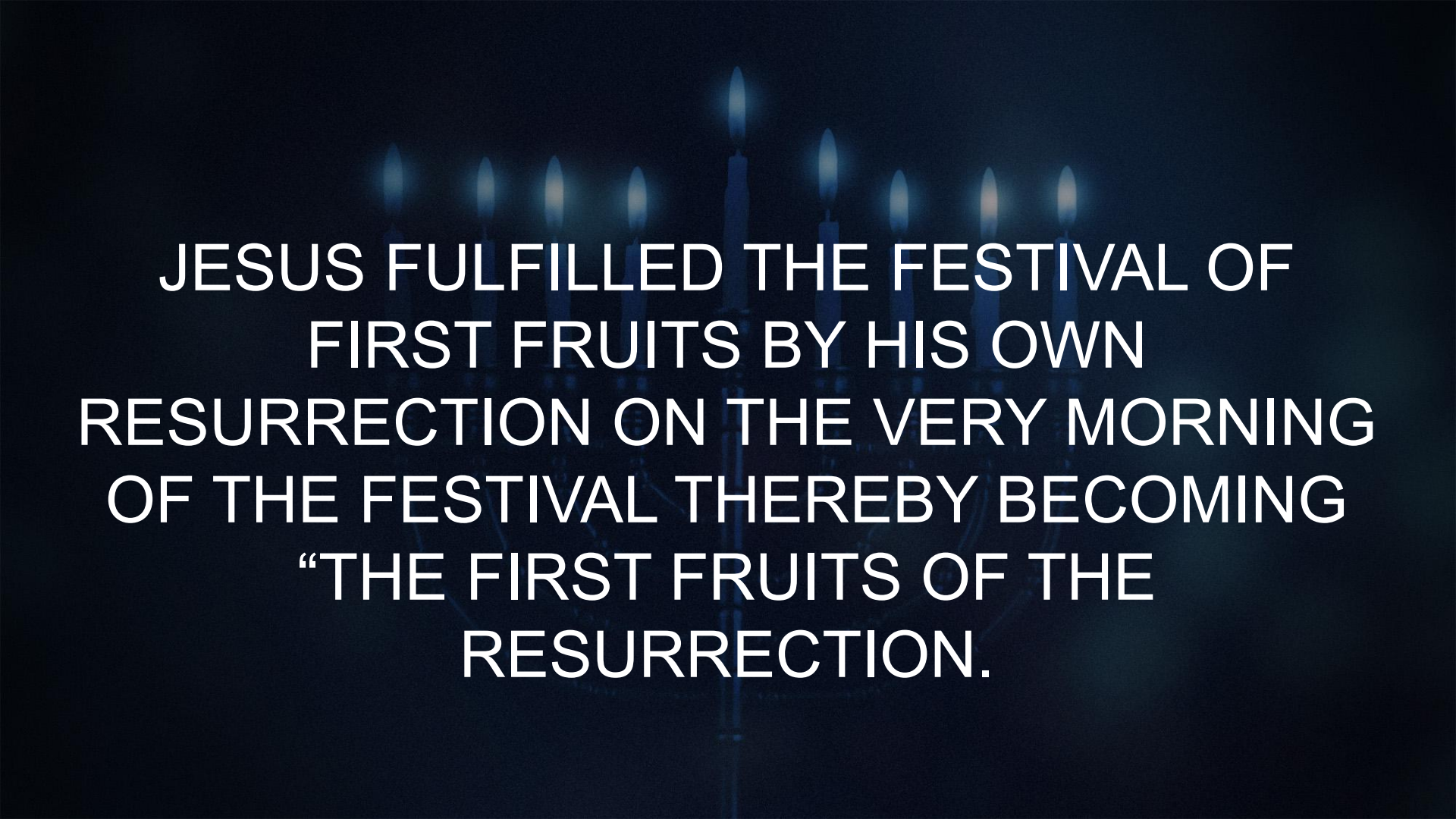


1 Corinthians 15:20-23 (ESV)

For I know that my Redeemer lives,
and at the last he will stand upon the earth.
And after my skin has been thus destroyed,
yet in my flesh I shall see God,
whom I shall see for myself,
and my eyes shall behold, and not another.
My heart faints within me!



Job 19:25-27 (ESV)



JESUS FULFILLED THE FESTIVAL OF
FIRST FRUITS BY HIS OWN
RESURRECTION ON THE VERY MORNING
OF THE FESTIVAL THEREBY BECOMING
“THE FIRST FRUITS OF THE
RESURRECTION.

II. The Spring Feasts

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2. UNLEAVENED BREAD (Chag HaMotzi).
3. FIRST FRUITS (Reshit Katzir).
4. PENTECOST (Shavu'ot).

You shall count fifty days to the day after the seventh Sabbath. Then you shall present a grain offering of new grain to the LORD.

You shall bring from your dwelling places two loaves of bread to be waved, made of two tenths of an ephah.



Leviticus 23:16-17 (ESV)

They shall be of fine flour, and they shall be baked with leaven, as firstfruits to the LORD.



Leviticus 23:16-17 (ESV)

And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high.



Luke 24:49 (ESV)

And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, “you heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”



But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit
has come upon you, and you will be my
witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and
Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”



Acts 1:8 (ESV)

He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.”



Matthew 15:24 (ESV)

Break forth together into singing, you waste places of Jerusalem, for the LORD has comforted his people; he has redeemed Jerusalem. The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

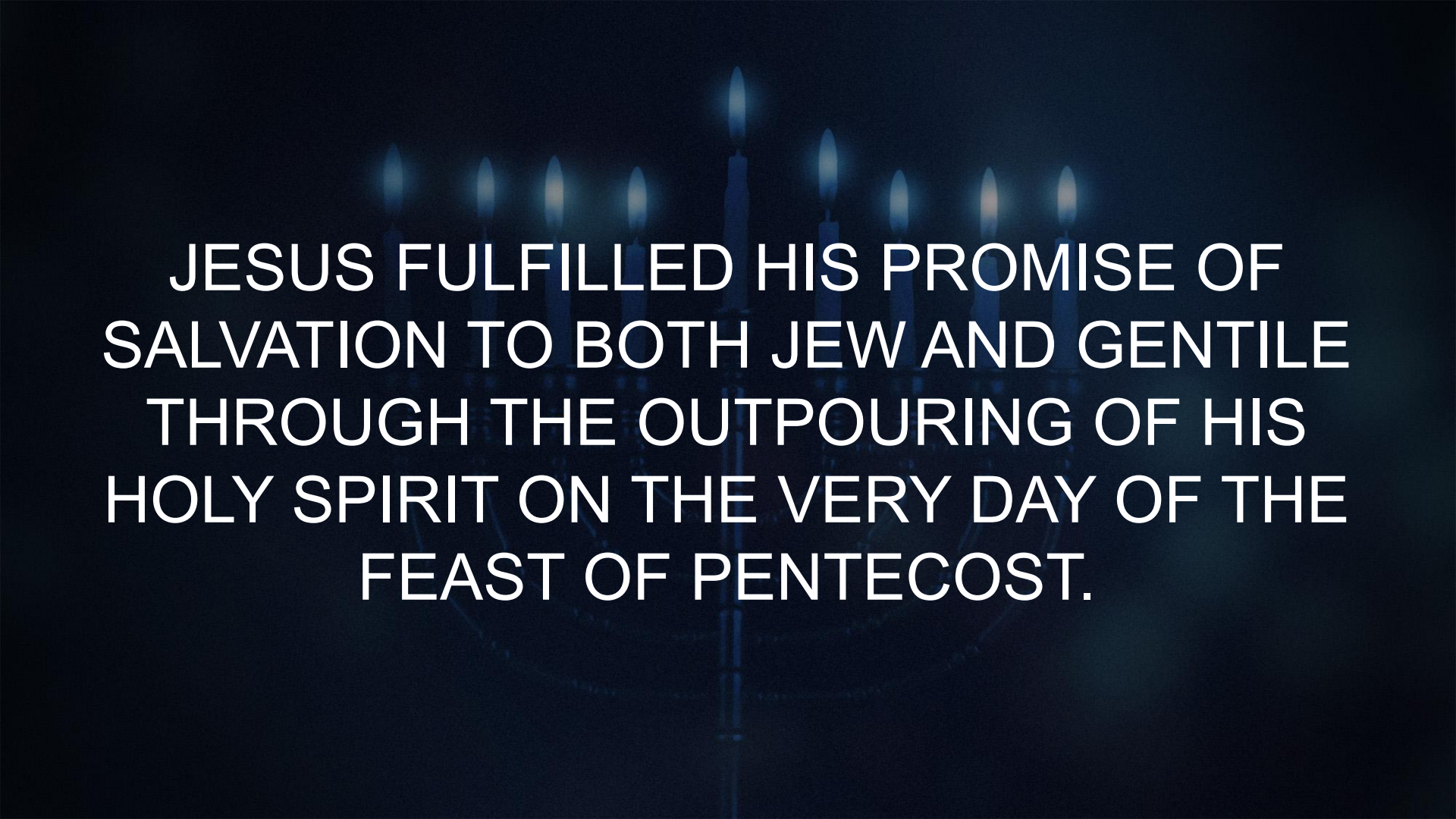


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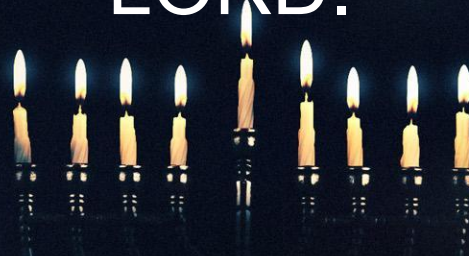
JESUS FULFILLED HIS PROMISE OF
SALVATION TO BOTH JEW AND GENTILE
THROUGH THE OUTPOURING OF HIS
HOLY SPIRIT ON THE VERY DAY OF THE
FEAST OF PENTECOST.

III. The Fall Feasts

5. THE TRUMPETS (Yom Teru'ah).



“Speak to the people of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, on the first day of the month, you shall observe a day of solemn rest, a memorial proclaimed with blast of trumpets, a holy convocation. You shall not do any ordinary work, and you shall present a food offering to the LORD.”



Leviticus 23:24-25 (ESV)

On the morning of the third day there were thunders and lightnings and a thick cloud on the mountain and a very loud trumpet blast, so that all the people in the camp trembled..



Exodus 19:16 (ESV)

“But concerning that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father only. For as were the days of Noah, so will be the coming of the Son of Man.



Matthew 24:36-37 (ESV)

Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed.



1 Corinthians 15:51-52 (ESV)

III. The Fall Feasts

5. THE TRUMPETS (Yom Teru'ah).

6. ATONEMENT (Yom Kippur).



“Now on the tenth day of this seventh month is the Day of Atonement. It shall be for you a time of holy convocation, and you shall afflict yourselves and present a food offering to the LORD.



Leviticus 23:27 (ESV)

“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing!



Matthew 23:37-39 (ESV)

See, your house is left to you desolate. For I tell you, you will not see me again, until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.'"



Matthew 23:37-39 (ESV)

And if one asks him, 'What are these wounds on your back?' he will say, 'The wounds I received in the house of my friends.'



Zechariah 13:6 (ESV)

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7. TABERNACLES (Sukkot).

“Speak to the people of Israel, saying, On the fifteenth day of this seventh month and for seven days is the Feast of Booths to the LORD.



Leviticus 23:34 (ESV)

I will make a covenant of peace with them. It shall be an everlasting covenant with them. And I will set them in their land and multiply them, and will set my sanctuary in their midst forevermore.



Ezekiel 37:26 (ESV)

Then everyone who survives of all the nations that have come against Jerusalem shall go up year after year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Booths.



Zechariah 14:16 (ESV)

IV. Conclusion: GOD'S 7000 YEAR PLAN

1. GOD'S CREATION PLAN



But, beloved, do not forget this one thing, that
with the Lord one day is as a thousand years,
and a thousand years as one day.



2 Peter 3:8

For a thousand years in Your sight are like
yesterday when it is past, and like a watch in
the night.



Psalm 90:4

IV. Conclusion: GOD'S 7000 YEAR PLAN

1. GOD'S CREATION PLAN

2. WHERE ARE WE ON GOD'S PROPHETIC
TIMETABLE?

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