

ONE NEW MAN IN MESSIAH – STUDY COURSE Threemacs Ministries

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We greet you in the name of Yeshuah.

The seeds for this study œurse were planted in 1999 at a meeting at a Waffle House in Dayton, Ohio at 2 a.m. with my brother Todd. I had just come through a 3-month period of my life of repentance and restoration from the Lord after backsliding and turning my back on His call for close to three years. During this 3-months the Lord broke my heart into pieces. During the early summer of 1999 I watched the movie "Schindler's List," for the very first time. After seeing the horrible acts perpetrated upon the Jewish people my heart was broken in two. I began to research everything I could on the Holocaust. In my research I came across information that not only saddened me, but angered me. I was hurt at our country's refusal (and all the other countries of the world as well) to put a stop the systematic killing of over six million Jews. After watching this movie, there would be days where I would cry non-stop the entire day. I'd wake up in the middle of the night crying. I would take road trips with the company I worked for and would go through stretches of driving where I would do nothing but weep deeply – feeling the hurt of those brutalized by Nazi Germany.

Up until then I was like most people – especially Gentile Christians. I thought the Bible centered on ME – the Gentile. I knew nothing of the Holocaust in detail other than just knowing a lot of Jews got slaughtered. I knew nothing of the church's Hebraic biblical roots other than knowing Jesus was a Jew and Israel was the place He ministered. I was rather disenfranchised with anything that had to do with Judaism. I was taught all my life that everything about Judaism was wrong because it was a "religion" based on works and the people involved in Judaism lived "according to the law."

Then one night in August 1999 my brother Todd and I had gotten together for some fellowship in Dayton. I began to tell Todd what had been going on with me for the past three months and how the Lord had so broke my heart over the plight of the Jewish people that I wanted to know everything I could about it. He stared at me in shock for a few minutes then leaned over the table and said "brother, you won't believe this but the Lord has been doing the same thing with me. I've been going through the exact same thing you have. You need to listen to this tape." At that time he handed me a taped sermon a man by the name of Sid Roth had delivered at Steve Gray's Church in Smithton, MO a few months earlier. On this tape, Sid was preaching on the "ONE NEW MAN" and the

revelation of the last days of how God was about to do something wild and fantastic between Jews and Gentiles.

After listening to that tape I became a strong supporter of Sid's ministry and began to seek out other ministries with a similar vision. Since 1999, this has been my burden and heart – AS A GENTILE – to share with a many as I can that the call in these last days – at least part of the call on the church (it's not all of it) is the bringing together of the Jew and Gentile into ONE NEW MAN IN MESSIAH. That is the purpose and goal of this study guide. We leaned heavily upon other resources in the making of this guide. We're not trying nor seeking to take credit for material that came from men who know more on this than me. We tried our best to give credit where credit was due.

As you read this study guide allow the Lord to speak to your heart. The time is coming soon when the world is about to explode and its hatred toward the Jewish race will reach an all-time high. Those days are just ahead. The only friend the Jewish people are going to have will be Gentile Christians, who for so long have been alienated from its Jewish foundation. Our "identity" if you would, has been hidden because of certain doctrines and teachings that have blindness us to a great truth in Yeshuah.

These last five years have changed me. I have found my purpose in life now, in ministry and in my calling. This enlightening if you will has given me a purpose now to know what the Lord has called me, along with my two other brothers as well to proclaim a message of true unity in the church. It is our hearts desire that the gospel be preached TO THE JEW FIRST, then to the Gentile. It's not a new message but one that has gotten lost in the pages of tradition, anti-Semitism and just plain out ignorance and bigotry. We are not ignoring the need for the gospel to be preached to the Gentiles, but the "Times of the Gentiles," as we know it is coming to an end friend. It's the Jewish people's time now. As the Psalmist wrote, "NOW is the set time to favor Zion."

I heard an evangelist once make a very profound statement: "If you don't know anything about something, you don't know just how much you don't know about that something!" Friend, you're eyes are about to open I pray. You are about to be set free from traditional notions that has caused some of you to be kept away from one of the greatest groups of believers in the world – our Jewish brethren in the faith. In addition, you are about to find that your heart will be changed with a supernatural love for national Israel and to see all of Israel saved, as Paul prayed so long ago.

Always remember this. Whether Israel is in right standing with God or backslidden, she has a special place in His heart. We cannot forsake her EVER! To our fellow Messianic believers in Yeshuah we have come to meet these past few years – we're HONORED to be a part of the BODY OF CHRIST with you. Our only desire is to be Isaiah 49 Christians and lick the very dust off your feet if

necessary. To the Jewish people out there who are not believers in Yeshua, we say, "forgive us," for not standing with you in times past. Our Messiah is the same one you are seeking and He wants you to be saved today and inherit eternal life through Him.

Enjoy the study. I will leave you with a thought I heard from Nita Johnson, a precious Jewish prophetess in the Lord. She said that no matter how much "good" the world does to repay the Jewish people for the evils and hurts committed to them over the years (and many of those hurts were done in the name of Christianity) it will never repay the bad that has been done. Friend, the Jewish people need ALL THE LOVE THEY CAN GET. Will you be a follower of YESHUAH? Will you ask God to give You HIS HEART and break your heart for Israel? We pray He will for the time is short and we need YOU in this last day's army of Gentile and Jewish believers uniting in spreading the gospel to the Jewish people and seeing one of the mightiest outpourings of the HOLY Spirit this world has ever seen. As Paul said, it will be "*life from the dead.*"

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"Because it's harvest time and it's getting late."