

[SCRIPTURAL] FALL APPOINTED TIMES

Before we start with this short study, it **must be UNDERSTOOD** that the **Appointed Times** of The Almighty are **[ETERNAL] FESTIVALS UNTO [ALL GENERATIONS]**. It was NOT instituted by Mosheh (Moses) as many preach and teach, but by Almighty Yahuah (YHUH/YHWH) Himself!

In four (4) verses (14, 21, 31 and 41) of **chapter 23, of the Book of Wayyiqra (Leviticus)**, we read that these appointed times are ETERNAL - meaning it STILL APPLIES to ALL Believers who choose OBEDIENCE to the Instructions and Commands (Torah) of Yahuah (YHUH/YHWH)!

The **ETERNAL Appointed Times** of Yahuah (YHUH) are **CONFIRMED in 20 Books of Scripture** - 13 First Covenant (Old Testament), and 7 Renewed Covenant (New Testament) Books!

Nobody - not even [ANY] pastor or church can REFUTE, NULLIFY, DELETE or ALTER Almighty Father Yahuah's Eternal Appointed Times!

What He has COMMANDED will NOT return empty (**YeshaYahu (Isaiah) 55:11**).

Yom Teruah (Trumpets)

1st of the [FALL] Eternal Appointed Times of Yahuah (YHUH/YHWH)

"Speak to the children of Yisrael (includes **every Believer [BOTH Jew and Gentile]**, who guard and observe YHUH/YHWH's Instructions and Commands), saying, In the [seventh month], on the [first day] of the month, you have a [rest], a remembrance of [blowing of trumpets], a [set-apart gathering].

Wayyiqra (Lev) 23:24.

And in the seventh month, on the first day of the month, you have a set-apart gathering, you do [no servile work], it is a day of blowing the trumpets for you.

Bemidbar (Numbers) 29:1

Although the trumpet is sounded at the beginning of each month, the **seventh month's blast signals the beginning of the fall festivals**. The first being Yom Teruah! Yom Teruah is followed ten days later by the Day of Atonement (Yom Kippur), a foreshadowing of the day the books would be closed and judgment would begin.

Yahusha (Messiah) referenced this appointed time in His answer to Peter, James, John and Andrew's private questions regarding the end times. These men were all Yahudites (Jews) - so they understood to what He was referring. The average Christian, unfortunately, misses this very important revelation, because they have not been schooled in the commands of YHUH (YHWH). **We understand that we are to be set-apart as He is set-apart; set-apart from the world for His service.**

Wayyiqra (Lev) 20:7-8 'And you shall set yourselves apart, and shall be set-apart, for I am Yahuah (YHUH) your ELOhim, and you shall guard My laws and do them. I am Yahuah, who sets you apart'.

In order to become set-apart, we are instructed to keep Yahuah's commands and practice them. Even the King James says, "Observe to do them".

But what exactly are His commands? Are they just the Ten Commandments, or is there more?

A closer look at the Hebrew always helps.

The word translated as statute (command) is [**chuqqah**], which is basically defined as:

Something prescribed, an enactment, an appointment.

These are the set-apart days that Yahuah (YHUH) gave His people. They are **NOT only "Jewish holidays" as so many claim - they are the set-apart times of Yahuah, and represent His calendar of events for BOTH Jew and Stranger (Gentile).**

If we want to be people of understanding, we must understand His appointed times, or we'll never be prepared for what is coming.

When Messiah died on the tree/pole/stake, He fulfilled (filled up - full of meaning) the 4 spring appointed times. From **Pesach (Passover)** and the **Feast of Matzah (Unleavened Bread)**, to **Bikkurim (First Fruits)** and **Shavuot (Pentecost)**, **Messiah's sacrificial life, death, resurrection, and ascension to the right hand of the Father gave new meaning to each and every one of these appointed times.**

When **Messiah Yahusha returns** again in esteem to judge the living and the dead, He will **bring the full meaning of the fall appointed times as well.** The ancient Yisraelites understood that there would be a [future] Yom Teruah - no one was sure when this might happen - when the **Shofar blast would arouse them from their slumber**, (as when Yahuah gave the Instructions/Commands (Torah) from the mountain top), they would know that the end was near - indeed, right at the door! This **Day of Trumpets would signal the beginning of the end, which the prophet Daniel revealed.** In "those days" when the trumpet would blast, it would signal that generation to fall upon its knees, confessing their sins, and preparing for their coming Messiah, for judgment was at hand. This is why each year the practicing Yahudite (Jew) will contact friends and family, apologizing for wrongs committed and seeking forgiveness - it's their way of enacting this statute, and it should be ours as well.

For Yom Teruah is (almost) here! We must **be prepared for the appointment** of Yahuah (YHUH) made with our forefathers so long ago - for this year brings us closer than ever before to "That Great Day" - the future **Yom Teruah, when we will all hear the shofar's blast, announcing that the end has begun.**

Are we prepared and ready to hear the blast of His Trumpet?

Please note [what] The Scriptures teach - it is an **appointed time of [rest]** and a **[set-apart gathering]**, meaning that **[NO WORK] is to be done on this day.**

Date of Yom Teruah for 2014

The **first day of the seventh SCRIPTURAL month** (not the world's Gregorian calendar) starts at exactly **08h14 on Sep 24, 2014**, when the **moon is 0% full and 100% of age** (completing its previous month's cycle and starting the new month's cycle). PLEASE ALSO NOTE that this is the **ONLY DAY when the moon is called the [NEW MOON]!**

The following day (25th of Sept), the moon progresses to its waxing crescent [cycle], when it will be 1% full and 3% of age (in it's new month's cycle) - thus NOT the [new moon] any more. This means that the 24th of September is a DAY of NO WORK. This time is based on Time Zone [+2:00]. For your exact time zone, you can visit . . .

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or you can visit the following link . . .

<http://www.moonconnection.com/quickphase/>

for a paid version (I have used this version for 3 years now and find it very accurate)!

Have a blessed DAY of Yom Teruah (Blasting of Trumpets) . . .

Love and shalom to all my brothers and sisters in Mashiach (Messiah) around the world, who guard the commands (Torah) of our Father - because we love Him and want to serve Him in Spirit and Truth!