

The True Purpose of Slavery Today

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Read Matthew 5:17-19-

The true purpose of slavery in Israel-is to teach and evangelize the ways of YHWH-Slavery was a “discipleship and love institution” and we know that all things in Torah are eternal and as such it is impossible that slavery has been done away with.

Gen 18:3 3 And Avraham said, YHWH; if now I have found favor in Your sight, please do not leave Your eved-slave:

In Israel a slave’s true purpose was to be converted to YHWH by an Israelite family within a limited extended period of time, or over a lifetime only if the slave CHOSE lifetime service. While there was abuse, the actual intent id YHWH was to give the slave a patriarchal family to be part of so he or she could come to a saving knowledge of YHWH as Savior. Exodus 12: 44 *But every man's eved that is bought for money, when you have performed brit-milah upon him, then shall he eat of it [Passover].TEACH HIM PESACH AND MOADIM.*

Exodus 20:10-teach him Shabbat. Exodus 21:1-11- all slaves were free after 6 years if they desired to be.

So we see a Torah based program not enslaving for profit, or forever, but for a limited 6 year period of discipleship and teaching Torah so FOREIGN men and women can come to know YHWH. It was not designed for abuse. So unlike the heathen practices of slavery, slaves were property in Israel, so that they can be trained by righteous men to be slaves, or servant avadim of YHWH. That is the reason and principle behind the eternal ordinance of slavery, which is still in effect today. Exodus 33:11-Joshua was Moshe’s slave. Why? To be raised up to be a slave to YHWH. That’s the goal of slavery. Numbers 12:7-Moshe is YHWH’s slave. So don’t let anyone tell you that plural marriage is not for today, just as slavery is not for today. Oh yes it is! All YHWH’s servants were considered slaves for the kingdom’s sake. Let’s pick up the theme of eternal slavery as seen in the Brit Chadasha-Renewed Covenant.

Matthew 10:24-25, 20:26, 23:11, 24:46-47. Luke 1:37-38, Luke 2:29, Luke 19:17, John 12:26, Acts 26:16, James 1:1, 2nd Peter 1:1, Jude 1:1, Romans 1:1, Romans 15:16, 1 Cor. 7:21, I Cor. 9:19, Gal, 1:10, Gal, 4:7; the purpose of NT slavery is to take slaves to sin and turn them into sons and daughters of YHWH. Every sinner is a slave to sin. See John chapter 8: 32-36. So slavery is still in effect and those who don’t know Torah's eternity are blind to its purpose, as well as other issues like patriarchal marriage; all eternal principles.

Eph. 3:7, Col. 4:7, 12, 1 Thess. 3:2, I Tim. 4:6, 2nd Tim 1:8, don’t be ashamed of your slavery, 2nd Tim 3:24; we must not fight our slavery to YHWH, AND TO EACH OTHER, which is true freedom. Rev 1:1 the Book of Revelation was written by a slave for and of YHWH.