



THE WAY

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This week we'll talk about the WAY of salvation.....then and today...same way....

Matthew 5:18 All Torah in affect for all times!

-Yochanan 14:6-יהושע Yahshua said to him, *I am the Derech, the Emet, and the Chayim: no man comes to My Abba, except through Me.*

THE WAY-THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE-WAY=outer court. Truth equals inner court, Life =holy of holies, where Yahshua serves. Yeshua was showing and declaring to us a visual picture of our walk of redemption, for those who take hold of Him!

Matt 7:13, 14 narrow gate of the outer court-Most can't squeeze through. Too much baggage. Today's Parsha: Exodus 35: 20-departing from mans presence (baggage, sin, tradition) into the WAY of YHWH. Shemot 35: 21-22 from Moshe to YHWH's salvation. Starts with willingness to start fresh verse 21, and receive new hearts Shemot 35:22. This gate can be accessed any time. Never closed and had no door for Yahshua is the DOOR! And the neir tamid, or the eternal light of the brass altar is always lit, for Yahshua is the LIGHT of the world.

After hearing Moses, the whole community moved away from him. Moving away from man's presence and counsel!

Only those who were willing and whose hearts responded came forward and brought offerings to YHVH.

THE WAY-Exodus 38: 1-7 The Brazen Altar-Willing heart! The place to put old, sins, attitudes and thinking for a renewed WAY!

Now we start the outer court ministry beginning with the Brazen Altar. The Brazen Altar Ministry is the ministry for sanctification and redemption of the soul. It shows how to walk out a redeemed lifestyle. The journey of the priesthood of Yeshua, the Bride, starts here. The heart is the seat of our emotions and guides our decisions for our physical activities. The outer court ministry can only really be effective if we are willing to offer our hearts on the altar and begin afresh. As the sacrifices were offered none could take away the sin. The animal sacrifice could only cover the sin, not take the sin away. Only Yahshua's perfect sacrifice of His Body and blood could cover our sin AND take our sin away. We can try and do it on our own with works and good deeds but **salvation only comes by faith**. Faith in His finished work! **Matthew 9:13, Daniel 9:11, Romans 5:12, Romans 3:23, Romans 10:9**. THE WAY is entered by a willing believing heart. Let us not have hearts that are far from redemption and the lifestyle that comes with a confession of faith. Sin and the guilt of the sin pass away when we walk in the faithfulness of our Moshiach. We are covered in His perfect sacrifice on our behalf. No longer do we sacrifice or try and do good works to earn our salvation. YHVH desires mercy not sacrifice. "When Yeshua came as high priest of the good things that are already here, He went through the greater and more perfect tabernacle that is not man-made, that is to say, not a part of this creation (Ivrim/Hebrews 9:11-14).

Exodus 38:8 The Laver-Willing Spirit

2 Corinthians 6: 16-7:1 "Since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for YHVH. To make the WAY prosperous.

Once sprinkled by the blood, the unclean walk of the heart and mind should be "put to death" by the time we come to the Laver. The Laver is where the soul is washed. Water is a representation of the Spirit of YHVH and does the cleansing work of the soul/mind/conscience. "I tell you the truth, unless a man is 'born again,' he cannot 'see' the Kingdom of YHVH." Exodus 38:8 says that the Laver was made from the mirrors of the women who served at the entrance to the Tent of Meeting. This would have been a very sought out position. Great care would have been given to their appearance, but it would have been for vanity purposes. The women learned that the mirrors would show up flaws in the appearance of the heart, that only YHWH's water, mikvah unto repentance could clean.

The Outer Court is the place where the person is saved and purified. The furnishings of the Brazen Altar (BLOOD REDEMPTION) and Laver (MIKVAH OF TESHUVAH/CLEANSING) help us cleanse the being. The entrance into the Tabernacle was through Yeshua who said, "I am the Gate" (Yochanan 10:7). Philippians 3:8-12, Mal 3:1, Matt 3:3, Matt 21:19, Acts 18:26, Acts 19:9, 23, Acts 22:4, 14, Acts 24:22

Close-Before Truth can be entered, the way is the way of repentance, cleansing and new starts. Next week, the TRUTH.