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The Elohim (God) of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob created you to have a personal relationship with Himself and to enjoy His abundant life! In Proverbs 16:4, it is written in the Bible, “Yahweh has made all things for His purpose (His own pleasure).” In Psalm 16:11 it is written, “...At Thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.”

Sin (the transgression or breaking of Yahweh’s Commandments) separates you from a personal relationship with our Creator and His abundant life. Sin also causes spiritual death! In Isaiah 59:2 it is written, “But your iniquities (your sins) have separated between you and your Elohim.” Man was created to have fellowship with Yahweh, but stubbornly chose to go his own independent way and decide for himself what was right and wrong. This self-will (expressed by either active rebellion or passive indifference toward Him), which leads to the breaking of Yahweh’s commandments, is what the Bible calls “sin.”

Sin separates you from Yahweh and causes spiritual death, guilt, lack of peace, frustration, etc. In Ezekiel 18:4 it is written, “...the soul (person) that sinneth, shall die (eternal death).” “For what one earns from sin is death; but eternal life is what one receives as a free gift from Yahweh, in union with the Messiah Yeshua (Jesus), our Master.” (Romans 6:23). In First Kings 8:46 it is written, “...for there is no man that sinneth not.” “For it makes no difference whether one is a Jew or a Gentile, since all have sinned and come short of earning Yahweh’s praise.” (Romans 3:23).

We cannot remove sin by our own human efforts. In Isaiah 64:5 it is written, “...all our righteousness (our self-righteousness) are as filthy rags...” In Proverbs 14:12 it is written, “There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death (eternal separation from Yahweh).” Man's plan is to remove his own sin by his own self-righteousness (that is, to outweigh his bad deeds by his “good” deeds, such as religious “works,” human philosophies, etc. Man's self-righteousness is a “filthy garment” in the sight of our heavenly Father.

The human problem is essentially, a “heart” condition. We have all inherited a fallen nature from Adam, which is prone to selfishness and rebellion. (Romans 5:12-14). The death penalty hanging over our heads can be forgiven and sin can be removed by faith (believing what Yahweh says). Righteousness (right standing

with Yahweh) comes by faith. In Genesis 15:6 it is written, “And he (Abraham) believed (had faith) in Yahweh; and He counted it (Abraham's faith) to him for righteousness.” Abraham's faith generated loving obedience. Faith must be placed in the blood atonement. Atonement means a “covering” for sin. In Leviticus 17:11, it is written, “...for it is the blood that maketh an atonement (covering) for the soul. “

Yahweh has provided the blood of atonement today through a perfect sacrifice: the One who is known as the Messiah. Messiah means “anointed” one. In Isaiah 53:5 it is written, “But He was wounded for our transgressions (rebellions), He was bruised for our iniquities (lawlessness, moral evils): the chastisement (punishment) of our peace (welfare) was upon Him; and with His stripes (wounds, blood) we were healed (atoned for).” In Abel we see atonement for a man as it is written in Genesis 4:4, “ And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock...”

During Passover, we see the atonement for a family as it is written in Exodus 12:13, “...when I see the blood, I will pass over you.” During the Day of Atonement (Yom Kippur), we see atonement for a nation, as it is written in Leviticus 16:30, “For on that day shall the priest make an atonement for you.”

The Messiah brings atonement for all who believe, as it is written in Isaiah 53:6. “But Yahweh has caused the iniquity (the sins) of us all to fall (to focus) on Him.”

How can you know the Messiah Yeshua? You must first be reconciled back to Yahweh and ask the Messiah Yeshua into your heart and life in order to have the blood of atonement, to have a personal relationship with Yahweh and His Son, and to enjoy His abundant life (the Messiah will not force His way into your life; He desires to be invited), In Joel 3:5 it is written, “...whosoever shall call on the name of Yahweh shall be delivered (saved)...”

If you desire to ask the Messiah Yeshua into your heart and life, you may do so by following these simple steps.

1. Pray to Yahweh in your own words (prayer is simply talking to Him).
2. Repent of your sins. Confess that you have sinned against Yahweh and that you are truly sorry for it and will purpose in your heart and mind to stop sinning and obey His commandments.

3. Ask the Messiah Yeshua to come into your heart and life, to cleanse you with His blood of atonement.
4. Thank Him by faith for doing this!
5. Be baptized (immersion) for the remission (forgiveness) of sins in the name of Yeshua Messiah, and by the laying on of hands, receive the free gift of His Holy Spirit (Ruach HaKodesh)! (Acts 2:38, 39).

The following is a sample prayer, which you might pray:

“Dear Heavenly Father, I come to you in the name of Yeshua your Son. I confess that I have sinned against you. I have transgressed your Laws and I am very sorry for it. I cannot walk in your ways and do those things that are pleasing in your sight without your help. I need your Son, Messiah Yeshua, please come into my heart and life and cleanse me with your blood of atonement. Help me to love, serve and obey you all the days of my life. Thank you for doing this according to Your Word.”

If you have prayed this prayer and really mean it, Yahweh has promised you many wonderful things, including the following:

1. Your sins are atoned for (covered, forgiven) (Isaiah 53:6.) You have a clean slate!
2. You receive righteousness (right-standing with Yahweh) being justified by faith (Genesis 15:6; Habakkuk 2:4),
3. You enter into a personal relationship with Yahweh and you become His child (Jeremiah 31:32). You are now a new creature in Yeshua! “Therefore if anyone is united with the Messiah, he is a new creation -- the old has passed; look, what has come is fresh and new!” [Apostle Paul (Sha'u1), 2 Cor.5:17].
4. You receive the gift of eternal life (Joel 3:5; Daniel 12:2; John 3:16).
5. Yahweh’s Holy Spirit (Ruach HaKodesh) enters your life and mind! (Ezekiel 11:19; Zechariah 12: 10).

If you have made a decision to accept the Messiah into your life, congratulations! Welcome to the family of Yahweh! “In fact, I will be your Father

and you will be my sons and daughters, says Yahweh-Tzva'ot (Yahweh of Hosts).” (2Cor.6:18; Heb.2:10). You have just begun a wonderful journey. Allow the Spirit of Yahweh to make you into the image of His Son! “And keep growing in grace and knowledge of our Master and Deliverer, Yeshua the Messiah. To Him be the glory, both now and forever!” (2 Peter (Kefa) 3:18). Learn more about Yahweh’s wonderful plan of salvation for mankind through Yeshua Messiah, beautifully revealed in His Seven Annual Holy Days.

If you are a Jew, then continue to be Jewish and please try to find a local Messianic congregation to attend, for you have just become a completed Jew. If you are non-Jewish and have made a decision to accept the Messiah Yeshua into your life, you too should locate a Messianic fellowship in your area, for in union with the Messiah Yeshua, you are all one! (Gal.3:27-29). Remember, Yeshua said that He would never leave your side! (Matt.28:20).

Regardless of whether you are Jewish or non-Jewish, if you have made a decision to accept the Messiah Yeshua into your life, I would love to hear from you. In addition, if you would like to obtain further instruction material or training as a new follower of Messiah, please write me.

“I pray that from the treasures of His glory He will empower you with inner strength by His Spirit, so that the Messiah may live in your hearts through your trusting. Also I pray that you will be rooted and founded in love, so that you, with all Yahweh’s people will be given strength to grasp the breadth, length, height and depth of the Messiah's love, yes, to know it, even though it is beyond all knowing, so that you will be filled with all the fullness of Him.” (Eph.3:16-19).

**SHALOM! (PEACE) MAY OUR HEAVENLY FATHER BLESS YOU
AS YOU SEEK TO GROW IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE
MESSIAH!**