

WOC INTERNATIONAL

2021 Unleavened Bread - April 4, 2021

Introduction

**Circumstances cause us to forget sometimes, Yahweh has a Plan for the now and hereafter
It's called Conversion, Regeneration, Justification, Adoption, Sanctification & Glorification
And His 7 Festivals mirror this fact in its revelation of the person and work of Yeshua
Spring Festivals - Reveal the Plan's first 5 elements in Yeshua's service (His B,D,R)
Fall Festivals - Reveal the Plan's last element in Yeshua's Kingship (return to reign)
What happens when we forget this? - We unnecessarily suffer in our personal walk**

What should we already know about Unleavened Bread in regards to Yahweh's Plan?

Deut 16:16 "Three times a year all your men are to appear in the presence of Adonai your God in the place which he will choose — at the festival of matzah, at the festival of Shavu'ot and at the festival of Sukkot. They are not to show up before Adonai empty-handed." CJB

1 - The Plan's conversion & regeneration elements began at Pesach's end and ULB's beginning Had Israel not slain the Lamb & left early that morning, they would have all died in Egypt

Ex 12:22-23 "Take a bunch of hyssop leaves and dip it in the blood which is in the basin, and smear it on the two sides and top of the door-frame. Then, none of you is to go out the door of his house until morning. 23 For Adonai will pass through to kill the Egyptians; but when he sees the blood on the top and on the two sides, Adonai will pass over the door and will not allow the Slaughterer to enter your houses and kill you." CJB

If we do not accept Yeshua as our Pesach lamb, we will all die as well in Egypt (spiritual)

2 - The Plan's matzah in ULB festival symbolized Israel's physical _____ and Was charged with being Israel's "Bread of Affliction" and reminder of their former state

Deut 16:2 "You are not to eat any hametz with it; for seven days you are to eat with it matzah, the bread of affliction; for you came out of the land of Egypt in haste." CJB

If we do not accept Yeshua as our Bread of Life, we will forever be enslaved to sin

3 - Plan's counting contained a 40- and 10-day testing _____ ending on Shavu'ot That started with ULB's sanctification & ended with Shavu'ot's justification and adoption

Lev 23:15-16 "From the day after the day of rest — that is, from the day you bring the sheaf for waving — you are to count seven full weeks, 16 until the day after the seventh week; you are to count fifty days; and then you are to present a new grain offering to Adonai." CJB

What 3 things does the Plan reveal about Unleavened Bread's reflection of Yeshua?

1 - The Plan dictated matzah be Israel's life source on the 1st part of their PL journey

Thereby foreshadowing our unleavened Yeshua being the same to us on our journey

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Yeshua lawfully changed Pesach & ULB Bread Mosaic's symbolism because

That matzah symbolized the haste in which the Israelites fled Egypt

Ex 12:33-34 "The Egyptians pressed to send the people out of the land quickly, because they said, "Otherwise we'll all be dead!" 34 The people took their dough before it had become leavened and wrapped their kneading bowls in their clothes on their shoulders."

It now represents the offering of His sinless life as the Father's perfect sin offering

2 - The Plan dictated Yeshua's body be "given for us" but not broken for us as many think

Yahweh's Pesach instructions were clear, none of the Lamb's bones were to be broken

Ex 12:43-46 "Adonai said to Moshe and Aharon, "This is the regulation for the Pesach lamb: no foreigner is to eat it. 44 But if anyone has a slave he bought for money, when you have circumcised him, he may eat it. 45 Neither a traveler nor a hired servant may eat it. 46 It is to be eaten in one house. You are not to take any of the meat outside the house, and you are not to break any of its bones." CJB

And since Yeshua was our Pesach Lamb, none of His bones were broken

John 19:33 "but when they got to Yeshua and saw that he was already dead, they didn't break his legs." CJB

What He meant was that He was " _____ " from the rest for us; not "broken"

Luke 22:19-20 "Also, taking a piece of matzah, he made the b'rakhah, broke it, gave it to them and said, "This is my body, which is being given for you; do this in memory of me." CJB

3 - The Plan dictated Yeshua's soul sole experience with leaven be at sin's transference

This is why, none of the bread given as an ULB offering could ever have leaven in it

Affirming the fact Yeshua as Bread of Life, was leaven free up till His sacrificial death

2 Cor 5:21 "God made this sinless man be a sin offering on our behalf, so that in union with him we might fully share in God's righteousness." CJB

Yeshua could only be the true Bread of Life, if He fit the other matzah criteria as well

_____ - Leaven is made without salt, as the poor couldn't buy any salt to flavor it

The Plan dictated Yeshua be financially poor, thus meeting this criterion

Matt 8:20 "Yeshua said to him, "The foxes have holes, and the birds flying about have nests, but the Son of Man has no home of his own." CJB

_____ - ULB matzah is striped from hot, swift baking

The Plan dictated Yeshua be striped by a whip, thus meeting this criterion

John 19:1 "Pilate then took Yeshua and had him flogged." CJB

_____ - ULB matzah is impaled with a sharp object to thwart it from rising

The Plan dictated He be pierced & speared at death, thus meeting this criterion

John 19:34 "However, one of the soldiers stabbed his side with a spear, and at once blood and water flowed out." CJB

_____ - ULB matzah is torn in away from the rest of the bread in the Seder

Plan dictated His soul be torn away from His body, thus meeting this criterion

Notes

Why does the Plan demand we focus on the nature of leaven at this specific festival?

Yahweh wants us to know the similarity between leaven & sin, in operation, cause & effect

1 - Sin (like leaven) is a form of fermentation, corruption, and _____

James 1:14-15 “Rather, each person is being tempted whenever he is being dragged off and enticed by the bait of his own desire. 15 Then, having conceived, the desire gives birth to sin; and when sin is fully grown, it gives birth to death” CJB

2 - Sin (like leaven) grows relentlessly until it _____ its host

Rom 5:12 “Here is how it works: it was through one individual that sin entered the world, and through sin, death; and in this way death passed through to the whole human race, inasmuch as everyone sinned.” CJB

3 - Sin (like leaven) has an unseen penetrating and expansive _____

Matt 16:11-12 “How can you possibly think I was talking to you about bread? Guard yourselves from the hametz of the P'rushim and Tz'dukim!” 12 Then they understood – they were to guard themselves not from yeast for bread but from the teaching of the P'rushim and Tz'dukim.” CJB

4 - Sin (like leaven) works on whatever it encounters until it becomes part of its _____

Gal 5:7-9 “You were running the race well; who has stopped you from following the truth? 8 Whatever means of persuasion he used was not from the One who calls you. 9 “It takes only a little hametz to leaven the whole batch of dough.” CJB

Yahweh wants us to accept some personal responsibility regarding the removal of the leaven

ULB directives reminds us of our ability to _____ sin's effect in our lives to a degree

Rom 6:18-19 “and after you had been set free from sin, you became enslaved to righteousness. 19 (I am using popular language because your human nature is so weak.) For just as you used to offer your various parts as slaves to impurity and lawlessness, which led to more lawlessness; so now offer your various parts as slaves to righteousness, which leads to being made holy, set apart for God.” CJB

But we can never forget, regardless to the amount of spiritual leaven we remove

There will always more leaven that needs removing - So, we trust in Him that

Whatever leaven we cannot remove via our power; He can remove via His

Rom 14:3 “who are you to pass judgment on someone else's servant? It is before his own master that he will stand or fall; and the fact is that he will stand, because the Lord is able to make him stand.” CJB

Conclusion

Yahweh's Salvation Plan for Unleavened Bread is to be an annual reminder of our _____

Where unlike the 7 days a year we now observe, every day will be an unleavened day

Rev 21:3-4 “I heard a loud voice from the throne say, “See! God's Sh'khinah is with mankind, and he will live with them. They will be his people, and he himself, God-with-them, will be their God. 4 He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. There will no longer be any death; and there will no longer be any mourning, crying or pain; because the old order has passed away.”

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His Plan for ULB is for His Remnant Servants to walk in the power of an unleavened life by

- 1 - _____ to be more unleavened throughout the year; not just during the festival**

1 Cor 5:7 “Get rid of the old hametz, so that you can be a new batch of dough, because in reality you are unleavened. For our Pesach lamb, the Messiah, has been sacrificed.” CJB

- 2 - _____ in His progressive, dual natured consecration to rid their souls of leaven**
Systemic - Relating to corporate Body as opposed to a specific person

The Remnant submit to the general sanctification God performs on all men

Personal - Relating to individual, as opposed to the corporate Body

The Remnant submit to the specific sanctification God performs on them alone

- 3 - _____ additional personal sanctification to increase their holiness**

Rom 14:14 “I know – that is, I have been persuaded by the Lord Yeshua the Messiah – that nothing is unclean in itself. But if a person considers something unclean, then for him it is unclean” CJB

- 4 - _____ more personal discipline to maintain a pure conscience before their God**

Rom 14:22-23 “The belief you hold about such things, keep between yourself and God. Happy the person who is free of self-condemnation when he approves of something! 23 But the doubter comes under condemnation if he eats, because his action is not based on trust. And anything not based on trust is a sin.” CJB

- 5 - _____ in the power they have as leaven is being removed from their soul**

Unleavened individuals do not fear Satan, his devices or his efforts to condemn

He’s another Pharaoh that will ultimately succumb to the mighty hand of their God

Unleavened individuals focus on their God, His spiritual gifts, & their assignment

As their joy and happiness is in living, moving, and having their being in Yeshua

What Day is today (April 4th) before sundown on the Omer Count? - It is Day 7

- What will introspection help us discover today that’s applicable to the rest of the Count?**

The leavened thoughts & feelings contaminating our soul, interfering with our purity

1 Cor 5:8 “So let us celebrate the Seder not with leftover hametz, the hametz of wickedness and evil, but with the matzah of purity and truth.” CJB

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