

bleness of **unrighteousness** in them that perish; because **they received not the love of the truth**, that they might be saved,” 2 Thes. 2:1-10.

Those who teach that the law is done away are teaching a mystery of iniquity. Sin is the transgression of the law and we are encouraged not to sin, “If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us,” 1 Jn. 1:8-10.

John writes further, “My little children, **these things write I unto you, that ye sin not**. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Yahshua the Messiah the righteous: And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. And **hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments**. He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him,” 1 Jn. 2:1-4.

“And whatsoever we ask, we receive of him, because **we keep his commandments**, and do those things that are pleasing in his sight....And **he that keepeth his commandments dwelleth in him, and he in him**. And hereby we know that he abideth in us, by the Spirit which he hath given us,” 1 Jn. 3:22, 24.

“Whosoever believeth that Yahshua is the Messiah is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him. By this we know that we love the children of God, when

we love God, and **keep his commandments**. **For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous,**” 1 Jn. 5:1-3.

“**Blessed are they that do his commandments**, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city,” Rev. 22:14.

Are you a New Testament believer? Is the law, are the commandments being written in your heart? If not, you must repent of your sins and be baptized in the name of Yahshua the Messiah for the remission of your sins. His name is the only name given under heaven among men whereby we must be saved (Acts 2:38; 4:12).

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What Is The New Testament?

Are you a Christian? Do you believe in the New Testament? Do you really know what the New Testament is? Does your minister know the answer to this question? Have you thought about it? Have you asked him or her? Where does it clearly define the New Testament in Scripture?

Do you believe that the law is done away? Does your minister/church teach that the law is done away? If so, why?

Did you know that the New Testament explains to us exactly what the New Testament is? Have you ever read it? If we show it to you, will you believe it?

The New Testament is clearly defined in the book of Hebrews. Let's read what it says, “For if that first covenant had been faultless, then should no place have been sought for the second. For finding fault with them, he saith, Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, when **I will make a new covenant (testament) with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah**: Not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day when I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt; because they continued not in my covenant, and I regarded them not, saith the Lord. For **this is the covenant (testament) that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, saith the Lord; I will put my laws into their mind, and write them in their hearts**: and I will be to them a God, and they shall be to me a people: And they shall not teach every man his neighbour, and every man his brother, saying, Know the Lord: for all shall know me, from the least to the greatest. For I will be merciful to their unrighteousness, and their sins and their iniquities will I remember no more. In that he saith, A new covenant, he hath made the first old. Now that which decayeth and waxeth old is ready to vanish away,” Heb. 8:7-13.

Most of Christianity teaches that the law is done

away. But, how can His law/laws be done away when He says that His covenant with His people is that He will write them on their hearts and minds?

Therefore, if you are a Christian and believe that you are under the New Testament, why do you believe that the law is done away? Why are you living as if it is done away? Why are you being taught that such is the case? The Creator says that under the New Covenant or Testament, He will write His laws upon the hearts and minds of His people.

Have you every heard of iniquity? Do you know what iniquity is? Do you know its definition? *Webster's New World Dictionary* defines iniquity as something that is unequal, lack of righteousness or justice, wickedness, a wicked, unjust, or unrighteous act.

The key Hebrew word for iniquity is *avon*, which is defined as perversity, evil, fault, iniquity, mischief, punishment, **sin**.

The key Greek word for iniquity is *anomia*, which is defined as illegality, **violation of law**, wickedness, **iniquity**, **transgression of the law**, unrighteousness.

Most ministers will speak out vehemently against sin, but do they ever give the Biblical definition for sin? Do you know what sin is? Did you know that the Scriptures define what sin is? Do you know where that may be found? The Apostle John defines sin for us. He writes, "Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law: for **sin is the transgression of the law**," 1 Jn. 3:4.

Did you know that the Levitical Aaronic priesthood was supposed to teach Israel about the law, but they failed in that responsibility? "And ye shall know that I

have sent this commandment unto you, that my covenant might be with Levi, saith the LORD of hosts. My covenant was with him of life and peace; and I gave them to him for the fear wherewith he feared me, and was afraid before my name. **The law of truth was in his mouth, and iniquity was not found in his lips:** he walked with me in peace and equity, and did turn many away from iniquity. **For the priest's lips should keep knowledge, and they should seek the law at his mouth: for he is the messenger of the LORD of hosts.** But ye are departed out of the way; **ye have caused many to stumble at the law;** ye have corrupted the covenant of Levi, saith the LORD of hosts," Mal. 2:4-8.

Did you know that the priesthood and the law was transferred to the Melchizedek Priesthood? "If therefore perfection were by the Levitical priesthood, (for **under it the people received the law**,) what further need was there that another priest should rise after the order of Melchisedec, and not be called after the order of Aaron? For **the priesthood being changed, there is made of necessity a change also of the law**," Heb. 7:11-12.

The words "change (-ed)" employed here has to do with the priesthood and law being transferred from the Levitical priesthood to the Melchizedek Priesthood of which the Savior is the heavenly High Priest.

Did you know that when the Savior returns, he will deny any preacher, minister or priest who teaches that the law is done away? "Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will

say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will **I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity**," Mt. 7:21-23.

Notice that they work iniquity. Iniquity means to be without law. Those who teach that the law is done away are teaching iniquity, lawlessness, sin. No matter how great their works seem to be, He will profess that He never knew them.

There is a "mystery of iniquity," "Now we beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Yahshua the Messiah, and by our gathering together unto him, That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of the Messiah is at hand. Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and **that man of sin be revealed**, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time. For **the mystery of iniquity doth already work**: only he who now letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way. And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming: Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders, And with all deceiva-