THE MESSIANIC MESSAGE OF THE PENTATEUCH

SESSION 8

GOD'S RESPONSE TO THE FALL: THE MESSIANIC SEED!

GROUNDWORK: WATCH FOR PARALLELS IN THE STORYLINE!

INTRODUCTION TO A PHRASE:

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THE DEEDS OF THE FATHERS ARE A SIGN TO THE SONS!

#3RD PROPHECY—NUM 24

NUM 22:18 BALAAM REPLIED TO THE SERVANTS OF BALAK, "THOUGH BALAK WERE TO GIVE ME HIS HOUSE FULL OF SILVER AND GOLD, I COULD NOT DO ANYTHING, EITHER SMALL ORGREAT, CONTRARY TO THE COMMAND OF THE LORD MY GOD.

NUM 24:2 AND BALAAM LIFTED UP HIS EYES AND SAW ISRAEL CAMPING TRIBE BY TRIBE; AND THE SPIRIT OF GOD CAME UPON HIM.

NUM 24:1 WHEN BALAAM SAW THAT IT PLEASED THE LORD TO BLESS ISRAEL, HE DID NOT GO AS ATOTHER TIMES TO SEEK OMENS BUTHESETHIS FACE TOWARD THE WILDERNESS.

JOSH 13:22 THE SONS OF ISRAEL ALSO KILLED BALAAM THE SON OF BEOR, THE DIVINER, WITH THE SWORD AMONG THE REST OF THEIR SLAIN.

NUM 22:34 BALAAM SAID TO THE ANGEL OF THE LORD, "I HAVE SINNED, FOR I DID NOT KNOW THAT YOU WERESTANDING IN THE WAY AGAINST ME. NOW THEN, IF IT IS DISPLEASING TO YOU, I WILL TURN BACK.

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NUM 31:8 THEY KILLED THE KINGS OF MIDIAN ALONG WITH THE REST OFTHEIR SLAIN: EVIAND REKEM AND ZUR AND HUR AND REBA, THE FIVE KINGS OF MIDIAN; THEY ALSO KILLED BALAAM THE SON OF BEOR WIIHIESWORD.

NUM 31:16 "BEHOLD, THESE CAUSED THE SONS OF ISRAEL, THROUGH THE COUNSEL OF BALAAM, TO TRESPASS AGAINST THE LORD IN THE MATTER OF PEOR, SO THE PLAGUE WAS AMONG THE CONGREGATION OF THE LORD.

PARALLELS: NUM 22:22-35/22:36-24:25

WHO HAS SPIRITUAL INSIGHT?
WHO DOESN'T?
WHAT IS GOING ON?
HOW MANY TIMES?
THE RESULT OF THE 3RD ATTEMPT?

1. THE SPIRITUALLY BLIND FIGHTS AGAINS THE LORD'S MESSAGE

2. EVEN A DONKEY CAN REFUSE TO GO AGAINST THE ANGEL OF THE LORD

3. THE 3RD ENCOUNTER OPENS FLAWED EYES TO SEE TRUTH OTHERWISE UNKNOWABLE!

JN 11:49-52 THEN ONE OF THEM, NAMED CAIAPHAS, WHO WAS HIGH PRIEST THAT YEAR, SPOKE UP, "YOU KNOW NOTHING AT ALL! YOU DO NOTREALIZE THAT IT IS BETTER FOR YOU THAT ONE MAN DIE FOR THE PEOPLE THAN THAT THE WHOLE NATION PERISH."

JN 11:49-52 ...HE DID NOT SAY THIS ON HISOWN, BUTAS HIGH PRIEST THAT YEAR HE PROPHESIED THAT JESUS WOULD DIE FOR THE JEWISH NATION, AND NOT ONLY FOR THAT NATION BUT ALSO FOR THE SCATTERED CHILDREN OF GOD, TO BRING THEM TOGETHER AND MAKETHEM ONE.

THE 3RD ENCOUNTER IS THE KEY!

BLESSING:

CURSING:

THIS LATTER DAY ROYAL CONNECTION TO THE ABRAHAMIC COVENANT

1. RICHLY SEEN

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2. EXPLICITLY TIED TO ISRAEL'S KINGS — GEN 49:8-9; NUM 24

3. ULTIMATELY REALIZED & CULMINATED BY THE GLORIOUS REIGN OF THE MESSIAH KING IN THE LAST DAYS!

THE "3'S A CHARM" PARALLEL PATTERN

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE IN THE 3RD ATTEMPT TO CURSE ISRAEL?

NOTE THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN NUM. 23:22,24 AND NUM. 24:8,9

MT. 2:13 NOW WHEN THEY HAD GONE, BEHOLD, AN ANGEL OF THE LORD APPEARED TO JOSEPH IN A DREAM AND SAID, "GET UP! TAKE THE CHILD AND HIS MOTHER AND FLEE TO EGYPT, AND REMAIN THERE UNTIL I TELL YOU; FOR HEROD IS GOING TO SEARCH FOR THE CHILD TO DESTROY HIM."

MT2:14-15 SOJOSEPH GOTUPAND TOOK THE CHILD AND HIS MOTHER WHILE IT WAS STILL NIGHT, AND LEFT FOR EGYPT. HE REMAINED THERE UNTIL THE DEATH OF HEROD. THIS WAS TO FULFILL WHAT HAD BEEN SPOKEN BY THE LORD THROUGH THE PROPHET: "OUT OF EGYPT I CALLED MY SON."

MT. 2 IS A CONSISTENT & LEGITIMATE APPLICATION OF THE PREVAILING INTERPRETIVE ATTITUDES OF JEWS DURING THAT TIME — AND BEYOND!

BARKOZEBA = BARKOCHBA

NUM24

LINEAGE

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