Reclaiming the Jewish Jesus: The False Perception of Jesus

Scriptures

- **John 10:30**
  
  “I and the Father are one.”

- **SH’MA YISRAEL (Duet)**
  
  Hear, O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is One.

Other Scriptures

- Numbers 15:37-41
- John 11:38-48,53
- Genesis 18:1-15
- Daniel 7:13-14
- Mark 7:1-13
- Acts 10:9-16
- Jeremiah 31:31-32
- Genesis 22:18
- Romans 11:15

Main Points

- Believing in Yeshua is a Jewish thing.
- Peyas-the Hebrew word for side locks from Leviticus 19:27 which says, “You shall not round off the peyas of your head.”
- Jesus is a Jew, and He’s the Messiah of Israel and the Savior of the world.
- Shaliach-a Hebrew word that means messenger or sent one.
- Special Note: You may not see Rabbi’s peyas in all shows going forward because many impactful shows were recorded before Rabbi grew peyas.
- The first historical document that we have of anybody being called “rabbi” is in the New Testament.
- Jesus is the Messiah of Israel and the King of the Jews.
- How Judaism and Christianity Separated:
  - Jealousy from the religious leaders
    - The Pharisees of Jesus’ day are the origin of Orthodox Judaism today.
  - Theological Issues
    - God can clothe Himself in humanity.
• Jesus proclaimed that many of the traditions of the Pharisees were man-made.
  • Talmud-written account of the Jewish Oral Law
  • Yeshiva-Orthodox Jewish college or seminary
  o The Gospel being shared with Gentiles

Questions

1. Why is it important to know Jesus through His true Jewish identity? Does this impact our future? How so?

2. Rabbi touched on reasons that Judaism and Christianity actually separated from each other. The Jewish leaders reacted against Jesus’ teachings that they were presenting customs more than accurate truth about God. Write about this. Why did they not like this?

3. How did the Pharisees react to Jesus’ claim to be God? Why were they against His claim?

4. What was the Jewish belief about Gentiles coming to God? What new thing was God doing and presenting to the Gentiles concerning their salvation?

5. If you are a Gentile, take a moment to stop and pray for Jewish people everywhere to recognize Jesus as Messiah and embrace Him as Savior. Be sure to remember the work of Rabbi Schneider as you do.