

C & C: And Yet You Curse My NAME Over EVERYTHING!!!

Connections and Comparisons is an ongoing weekly series that deals with many scriptures in the Bible, some of which are not commonly addressed. The purpose of this series is to examine the scriptures at hand comparing what is said and looking at the connections within.

Deuteronomy 5:11

11 Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain: for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

Matthew 22:37-39

37 Jesus said unto him, **Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind.**

38 This is the **first** and great commandment.

39 And the **second** is like unto it, **Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.**

Job 1:1-22

1 There was a man in the land of Uz, whose name was Job; **and that man was perfect and upright, and one that feared God, and eschewed evil.**

Do you eschew evil or do you chew on evil!

2 And there were born unto him seven sons and three daughters.

3 His substance also was seven thousand sheep, and three thousand camels, and five hundred yoke of oxen, and five hundred she asses, and a very great household; so that this man was the greatest of all the men of the east.

4 And his sons went and feasted in their houses, every one his day; and sent and called for their three sisters to eat and to drink with them.

5 And it was so, when the days of their feasting were gone about, **that Job sent and sanctified them, and rose up early in the morning, and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all:** for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned, and cursed God in their hearts. Thus did Job continually.

The man of God WATCHES for your SOUL and Diligently calls out on the name of God for YOU that YOU may get the VICTORY!! PRAYING that just in case you Might HAVE SINNED and CURSED GOD IN YOUR HEART that you may be FORGIVEN and find GRACE and MERCY IN TIME OF NEED!! THIS YOUR PASTOR DOES FOR YOU CONTINUALLY WHILE THERE IS STILL HOPE FOR YOU!!

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6 Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan came also among them.

7 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, Whence comest thou? Then Satan answered the LORD, and said, From going to and fro in the earth, and from walking up and down in it.

8 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, **Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil?**

9 Then Satan answered the LORD, and said, Doth Job fear God for nought?

10 Hast not thou made an hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side? thou hast blessed the work of his hands, and his substance is increased in the land.

11 **But put forth thine hand now, and touch all that he hath, and he will curse thee to thy face.**

12 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, Behold, all that he hath is in thy power; **only upon himself put not forth thine hand. So Satan went forth from the presence of the LORD.**

Have you considered my servant (YOUR NAME HERE) that has been born again of water and of the Spirit of Christ that fears God, and eschews evil? “And the LORD said unto Satan, Behold, all that he hath is in thy power; only upon himself put not forth thine hand.”

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“There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: **but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.**” (1 Corinthians 10:13) “**Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempteth he any man: But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death. Do not err, my beloved brethren.**” (James 1:13-16)

There is ALWAYS AN OPEN DOOR GIVEN TO YOU BY GOD to ESCAPE WHATEVER TEMPTATION YOU MAY BE FACING. BUT BE AWARE IT IS NOT GOD WHO IS TEMPTING YOU!! “LET NO MAN SAY WHEN HE IS TEMPTED, I AM TEMPTED OF GOD: FOR GOD CANNOT BE TEMPTED WITH EVIL, NEITHER TEMPTETH HE ANY MAN”. GOD WILL NOT ALLOW YOU “TO BE TEMPTED ABOVE THAT YE ARE ABLE; BUT WILL WITH THE TEMPTATION ALSO MAKE A WAY TO ESCAPE, THAT YE MAY BE ABLE TO BEAR IT.”

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13 And there was a day when his sons and his daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house:

14 And there came a messenger unto Job, and said, The oxen were plowing, and the asses feeding beside them:

15 And the Sabeans fell upon them, and took them away; yea, they have slain the servants with the edge of the sword; **and I only am escaped alone to tell thee.**

WE ARE IN A SPIRITUAL WARFARE!!

16 While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, The fire of God is fallen from heaven, and hath burned up the sheep, and the servants, and consumed them; **and I only am escaped alone to tell thee.**

“For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: (For the weapons of our warfare **are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;**) Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;” (2 Corinthians 10:3-5) “Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because **greater is he that is in you,** than he that is in the world.” (1 John 4:4)

17 While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, The Chaldeans made out three bands, and fell upon the camels, and have carried them away, yea, and slain the servants with the edge of the sword; **and I only am escaped alone to tell thee.**

THIS IS ALL TAKING PLACE AT THE SAME TIME!!! “And when he had called the people unto him with his disciples also, he said unto them, **Whosoever will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it; but whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's, the same shall save it. For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?**” (Mark 8:34-37)

18 While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, Thy sons and thy daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house:

19 And, behold, there came a great wind from the wilderness, and smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead; **and I only am escaped alone to tell thee.**

“**If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple. And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.**” (Luke 14:26-27)

Despite the LOSS of ALL HIS POSSESSIONS all taking place at THE SAME TIME Job then learns that ALL TEN OF HIS CHILDREN ARE DEAD!!

20 Then Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground, **and worshipped.**

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21 And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD.

22 In all this Job sinned not, nor charged God foolishly.

IT'S TIME TO “Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?” (2 Corinthians

13:5) THIS DOES NOT MEAN MAKE UP YOUR OWN DOCTRINE!! YOU BETTER LEARN THE SCRIPTURES FOR YOURSELF AND MAKE SURE WHAT YOU ARE BEING TAUGHT IS TRUTH OR NOT!! THIS DOES NOT MEAN YOU DON'T NEED A PASTOR, BUT IF HE IS NOT TEACHING YOU TRUTH HOW WILL YOU KNOW?

Job 2:1-10

1 Again there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan came also among them to present himself before the LORD.

2 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, From whence comest thou? And Satan answered the LORD, and said, From going to and fro in the earth, and from walking up and down in it.

3 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, **Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? and still he holdeth fast his integrity, although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.**

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4 And Satan answered the LORD, and said, Skin for skin, yea, all that a man hath will he give for his life.

5 **But put forth thine hand now, and touch his bone and his flesh, and he will curse thee to thy face.**

6 **And the LORD said** unto Satan, **Behold, he is in thine hand; but save his life.**

7 So went Satan forth from the presence of the LORD, **and smote Job with sore boils from the sole of his foot unto his crown.**

8 **And he took him a potsherd to scrape himself withal; and he sat down among the ashes.**

9 **Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die.**

10 **But he said unto her, Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speaketh. What? shall we receive good at the hand of God, and shall we not receive evil? In all this did not Job sin with his lips.**

What? shall we receive good at the hand of God, and shall we not receive evil? And Yet You Curse My NAME Over EVERYTHING!!!

Matthew 5:43-48

43 Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy.

44 **But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;**

45 **That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.**

46 For if ye love them which love you, **what reward have ye?** do not even the publicans the same?

47 And if ye salute your brethren only, **what do ye more than others?** do not even the publicans so?

48 **Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.**

James 1:2-4

2 My brethren, **count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations;**

3 **Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience.**

4 **But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.**

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James 1:12

12 Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him.

Luke 9:62

62 And Jesus said unto him, **No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.**

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