

## The Truth Satan Hopes You Never See

In studying for dad's class on John, the Lord gave me a revelation that is the inspiration for this message.

What has been my greatest desire for this ministry?

That when they come in sick, .....they go out well.

Jesus gave special revelation to the disciples on the night before he was betrayed that was never given to any human being before.

He held up a piece of bread

1 Corinthians 11:24-25 NKJV

....He broke *it* and said, "Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

In the same manner *He* also *took* the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is

the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink *it*, in remembrance of Me.”

- *God never tells His people to remember without purpose*
- *Remembrance is designed to produce strength, faith, and empowerment*
- *What you remember about God, determines how you move forward with God*

## 1. The Danger of Ignorance

*Start with the root problem.*

- — *“My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge.”*

[Hosea 4:6](#)

- — *“Satan is the father of lies.”* He lies to hide the truth from you.

[John 8:44](#)

- Remember from the beginning? It was all about getting knowledge.

Genesis 3:4-5 NKJV

Then the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. For God *knows* that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, *knowing* good and evil."

- — *He "comes to steal, kill, and destroy"*. He does not want you to see the truth. He does this by lying and perverting the truth.

[John 10:10](#)

- He blinds the minds of people so they cannot see the truth

2 Corinthians 4:4 NKJV

whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.

Destruction is not always from rebellion. Sometimes it's from ignorance of the truth!

If the truth is hidden, Life is hindered!

If the truth is revealed, Life is given!

John 8:31-32 NKJV

Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, "If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed. And you shall know the truth, and *the truth shall make you free.*"

The night before Jesus was to be crucified, he established a special meal that he wanted his disciples to do in remembrance of him until he returned.

It was based upon the Passover meal.

We call it communion.

Today, I am going to reveal to you a better understanding of communion so that you can get a revelation of the truth so that you may develop faith to experience its benefits, like the nation of Israel, receive the benefits of the Passover meal.

*Communion was given by Christ to confirm, strengthen, and deepen the new life we have through His new covenant*

*Satan does not want you to see the truth about communion*

*Jesus told Jesus told you to remember it!*

*Therefore, he has blinded the minds of many so he can prevent them from experiencing the fullness of the blessings that are derived from being obedient to the command to take it.*

*Satan knows...*

1 Corinthians 11:29–30 NKJV

<sup>29</sup> For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body.

<sup>30</sup> *For this reason many are weak and sick among you, and many sleep.*

Not having an understanding of the Lord's body! Being ignorant of the whole truth of what communion means many *are* weak and sick among you, and many sleep.

I hope to give you more knowledge and understanding about communion so that you might be more discerning and respectful regarding your attitude towards it.

That you might get a revelation of the true meaning of the communion meal and from now on approach the communion table with reverence and faith in it as prescribed by Christ.

## 2. Communion Begins with Passover

*Remember they were given instructions to follow and take the Passover meal*

- [Exodus 12](#)

Key truths:

- Moses gave them specific detailed instructions on how things were to be done just to have a meal
  - They were to kill a special lamb and spread his blood on the door posts of their house
  - Go back and read it in [Exodus 12](#)
- The blood on the doorpost stopped death
  - Consider the foolishness of putting blood on the door post a specific way. Can you imagine how some of the wives must have thought about Moses.

- Do you think this made any sense?
- It doesn't make sense to come back to communion In the evening either does it?
- Judgment passed over the covered house, but death entered those without it
- All they had to do was to eat a meal

### *The results*

Psalm 105:37 NKJV

<sup>37</sup> He also brought them out with silver and gold, And there was none feeble among His tribes.

### *Break it down:*

- They ate the lamb
- They applied the blood

- They walked out with silver and gold
- They walked out strong. None were weak it is as if they had a bread new life

***Make it plain:***

***And there was none feeble among His tribes.***

- No weakness
- No sickness
- No loss
- They were prosperous!

Ask:

- What changed them?
- It was covenant Passover meal

- Millions of people left Egypt. Their bodies were healthy and they left with the riches of Egypt. God was with them!
- God told them to remember it

Exodus 12:14 NKJV

<sup>14</sup>'So this day shall be to you a memorial; and you shall keep it as a feast to the LORD throughout your generations. You shall keep it as a feast by an everlasting ordinance.

Connection:

- *Passover □ remembrance □ deliverance*
- *Communion □ remembrance □ empowerment*

This was all God's idea. He established the covenant with them. A covenant to bless them.

The covenant was symbolized by the Passover meal. He didn't have to do this, but this showed His love towards them.

After the covenant meal, God led them out and had them come to Mount Sinai where they spent 11 months learning more about the Lord.

Don't forget that all of this happened after the Passover meal.

Moses built a Tabernacle under God's instructions for Him to live with them. Then he led them to the promised land with his presence in the tabernacle. A trip that took only 11 days.

But, because of their unbelief and lack of faith to believe that they could possess the promised land, God made them wander in the desert for 40 years.

If they had simply had kept the faith after seeing all that God had done, they would perhaps have continued experiencing the blessings of God. But they did not believe in the power of their covenant with him.

We need to remember, that God is the same God today that he was yesterday. He is a covenant making God. What he did for for them in the Bible days, he will do for us today. He will not alter his ways to suit ours.

### 3. The Teaching from Paul

Like Moses went into Egypt to set the people free, Jesus came into the world to make us free.

Again:

*Communion was given by Christ to confirm, strengthen, and deepen the new life we have through His new covenant*

Like God established a covenant meal and the Passover, Jesus established a covenant meal at the Lord's supper.

Paul tells us:

1 Corinthians 11:23-27 NKJV

<sup>23</sup> For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus on the *samen* night in which He was betrayed took bread;

<sup>24</sup> and when He had given thanks, He broke *it* and said, "Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

<sup>25</sup> In the same manner *He* also *took* the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink *it, in remembrance of Me.*"

<sup>26</sup> For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.

<sup>27</sup> Therefore whoever eats this bread or drinks *this* cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord.

The communion table is not a common table. The bread and the fruit of the vine are not common items.

When brought together for the purpose of having communion it is a sacred sacrament to be held in highest regard. That is the reason why Paul

said that many Christians are suffering for the lack of discernment regarding communion.

The bread and the fruit of the vine represent the body and the blood of Jesus Christ. It represents the body of the son of God that was beaten and bruised and broken so that our bodies could be healed.

To disrespect the gift that he is offering after Christ made so great a sacrifice in allowing Himself to be crucified, **is of the highest insult to God!**

Think about it!

**In your arrogance you disrespect the sacrifice God made for you when you disrespect communion.**

**Perhaps you consider it unworthy of your time yet He considered us all worthy of his time and His sacrifice.**

Isaiah 53:5 NKJV

<sup>5</sup> But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, And *by His stripes we are healed.*

The body and the blood of Christ is represented at communion.

Every stripe he received, every wound he bore. Every drop of blood he shed was for you.

Paul continues and says

1 Corinthians 11:29–30 NKJV

<sup>29</sup> For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body.

<sup>30</sup> For this reason many *are* weak and sick among you, and many sleep.

Paul says:

- Many are weak

- Many are sick
- Many have died

Why?

- They did not discern the Lord's body
- If misuse brings sickness
- Right use must bring health and strength
- **Wrong understanding brings loss.**
- This is the reason Satan has come: to steal the truth away from the hearts and minds of the people of God.
  - To keep them from knowing that it was God's desire for them to be healthy and blessed.

We see that there is a lesson to learn from the past.

When the New Testament Christians had communion, they honored it.

They honored it so much that they did it daily.

Acts 2:42–47 NKJV

<sup>42</sup> And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, *in the breaking of bread*, and in prayers.

<sup>43</sup> Then fear came upon every soul, and *many wonders and signs were done through the apostles*.

<sup>44</sup> Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common,

<sup>45</sup> and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need.

<sup>46</sup> So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and **breaking bread**

**from house to house**, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart,

<sup>47</sup> praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.

**They understood the power of communion that they would have it every day.**

Many signs and wonders were done and the love of the congregation was clearly seen as they were on one accord.

Perhaps we are missing the truth? Perhaps Satan is deceiving us, or more specifically, perhaps Satan has been deceiving you?

**Right understanding means life**

Because of failure to rightly discern the body of Christ, Paul says many are weak, sick and have fallen asleep.

If that is the negative part of failing to rightly discern the body of Christ, then, if we rightly discern the body of Christ, then we will find the opposite; strength, health and life!

If ignorance produces weakness, sickness and death

Then, truth must produce strength, health and life

Remember Jesus said you shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free.

Free from the bondage of Satan!

Today, many Christians don't walk in the fullness of life in the way that God would desire for them to.

After the covenant meal in Egypt, none of them were sick or feeble.

Today, we have a covenant meal that presents the same opportunities that were presented to them in Egypt. As long as they believe, they experienced health and wealth.

What happens when the church recovers this truth?

#### 4. The Bread — His Body Given for You

- — Isaiah says about Christ, “By His stripes we are healed”

Isaiah 53:5 NKJV

<sup>5</sup> But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

- — Peter says after Christ, “By whose stripes you were healed”

1 Peter 2:24 NKJV

<sup>24</sup> who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed.

***Let us rightly discern:***

- The body of Christ bore your sin
- The body of Christ bore your sickness
- Sickness has no rightful place in your body

Jesus said

**Matthew 26:26 NKJV**

<sup>26</sup> And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke *it*, and gave *it* to the disciples and said, “Take, eat; this is My body.”

Application:

- When you take the bread, You should recognize that your healing was purchased by his body being hung on the cross. When you take of the bread you need to recognize that healing is part of the covenant.
- When you don't discern that, you miss the blessing. You are taking it unworthily. This is not because of sin, but it is because you are ignorant of the full truth of what communion means. You have not studied to show yourself approved under God. You have not taken the time to meditate over what you are doing.
- Perhaps you are just going through the motions? Perhaps you are only doing it because pastor has told you to. Perhaps it is merely just a ritual, instead of a process by which you receive blessings from God?
- Your lack of knowledge, is what destroys the blessing of God in your life.

- You may have been taken communion all your life, but if you are not recognizing that healing is part of what Jesus purchased, and that his body being broken was for you, you are missing the understanding of his word that can heal you.
- Perhaps you have seen communion as an unnecessary action to go through.
- But I put it to you, communion was a command by Christ so that you might experience abundant life by recognizing the covenant.
- It is tragic that many Christians have this truth hidden from them, but it is understanding because that is Satan's purpose to hide the truth from as many as he can.
- Jesus said if you continue in his word, you shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free.

- Without a true understanding of the body and the blood of Christ you cannot have the faith to believe in the promised results of a better covenant than the first covenant.
- You are practicing the form and the ritual, but don't have faith to experience the reality that the body of Christ rejects all sickness and disease.
- He said, "this is my body, which is broken for you". We should recognize that by his stripes we are healed. We should connect the broken bread to his broken body and that his body was broken for our healing. Failure to recognize this, means failure to develop the faith that only comes by receiving the word of God.
- When you receive the bread, you should also be recognizing that you are receiving healing to your body. You should declare for yourself, and make it personal that by his stripes, you were healed and no matter

what the devil may do today, healing has been purchased for you. You should declare that you are healed.

- Remember that you are snared by the words of your mouth. Now get caught up in the snare that you are healed. Confess healing over your body as you partake of the bread. Come to the awareness that his body was broken for your deliverance from sickness and every disease that comes from the devil.
- Believe your confession will become your possession, and your possession will increase your confession for further possession!
- You are not remembering weakness
- You are receiving healing

***Connect back to Passover:***

- The Passover lamb □ healing & strength for Israel

Psalm 105:37 NKJV

He also brought them out with *silver and gold,*

And *there was none feeble* among His tribes.

Deuteronomy 29:5 NKJV

<sup>5</sup>And I have led you forty years in the wilderness. Your clothes have not worn out on you, and your sandals have not worn out on your feet.

- The body of Christ □ healing & strength for believers

So:

- The bread represents healing for the body
- The cup represents forgiveness and covenant

Expectation is key:

- You don't just take communion
- You receive from it

Ask:

- Do you take communion expecting healing?
- Satan does not want you to know that healing is related to receiving the body of Christ

## 5. The Blood — A New Covenant

*Now shift to the cup.*

- — “This cup is the new covenant in My blood”

1 Corinthians 11:25 NKJV

<sup>25</sup>In the same manner *He* also *took* the cup after supper, saying, “This cup is the *new covenant in My blood*. This do, as often as you drink *it*, in remembrance of Me.”

Notice he says new covenant! This is a far better covenant than the old!

Matthew 26:28 NKJV

<sup>28</sup> For this is *My blood of the new covenant*, which is shed for many for the remission of sins.

*Think and Compare covenants:*

- Old covenant □ written on stone
- New covenant □ sealed in blood
- — “A better covenant”

His blood was shed for your forgiveness and your declaration of righteousness.

Hebrews 9:22 NKJV

And according to the law almost all things are purified with blood, and *without shedding of blood there is no remission.*

1 John 1:7 NKJV

But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and *the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.*

if sin has been removed from you, by the shedding of his blood, then the barrier between you and God is eliminated. You can now be in the presence of God and in his presence there is no sickness.

Sickness and death came as a result of sin. If sin has been removed, and you are declared righteous, then even when you experience trouble in this life you can have the confidence that when you drink of the cup you are receiving forgiveness and righteousness. When you are made righteous, and remind God of your righteousness by drinking of the cup, then you can be confident and know that though there may be many challenges and afflictions that you encounter in this life,

Psalm 34:19 NKJV

<sup>19</sup> Many *are* the afflictions of the righteous, But the LORD delivers him out of them all.

When you drink of the cup, this should resonate in your mind that you are reinforcing the truth of your continued deliverance no matter what Satan may do.

You should remember, that it is the blood of the lamb that frightens demons!

You should also remember when you drink of the cup that you should confess your healing, your prosperity and your victory over Satan is the word of God is clearly stated

Revelation 12:11 NKJV

<sup>11</sup> And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.

Communion should remind you Of the new covenant that Christ has made with you. A better covenant than Israel!

When you drink the cup, you should also make the confession that the power of Satan has been broken by the power of Christ.

Hebrews 8:6 NKJV

<sup>6</sup>But now He has obtained a more excellent ministry, inasmuch as He is also Mediator of a better covenant, which was established on better promises.

Satan does not want you to know that of the blood your righteousness.

Teach:

- The blood gives access to the throne room of God
- The blood gives forgiveness of all of our sins
- The blood establishes relationship of sonship

*Connect to wilderness:*

- God guided Israel with cloud and fire

- God provides for you today

Ask:

- Do you live like you are under a better covenant?

The truth Jesus said

John 6:53-56 NKJV

<sup>53</sup> Then Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you.

<sup>54</sup> Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day.

<sup>55</sup> For My flesh is food indeed, and My blood is drink indeed.

<sup>56</sup> He who eats My flesh and drinks My blood abides in Me, and I in him.

## 6. The Lie of the Enemy

### *Expose his strategy.*

- He reduces communion to ritual
- He makes it optional
- He removes expectation

Result:

- No faith
- No power
- No transformation

Speak plainly:

- What you treat casually, you will never receive fully.

Ask:

- Have you reduced communion to a routine?

## 7. The Revelation An Improved Life Through Communion

### *Present the deeper truth.*

The body and the blood work together. Neither stands by itself. Both are necessary and are represented in communion.

- When blood and body separate □ death occurs

This is the cross:

- His body broken for your healing
- His blood shed for your cleansing of all unrighteousness

Now communion:

- You take the body
- You take the blood

- There is a new life that is created in you now
- The life of Christ you have his body and his blood

You are declaring:

- Death has been defeated
- Life has been restored by his body and his blood
- I have been forgiven, I have been healed, I now walk in righteousness and health
- Communion confirms my deliverance

***Make it clear:***

- You are not just remembering
- You are participating

Key statement:

- Communion is not a symbol only
- It is a union
- — “Communion of the body... communion of the blood”

1 Corinthians 10:16 NKJV

<sup>16</sup>The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the *communion of the blood of Christ?* The bread which we break, is it not the *communion of the body of Christ?*

*Drive it home:*

- His life becomes our life
- His strength becomes our strength

Ask:

- Do you see yourself as united with Christ in this moment?

## 8. The Call to Respond

### *End with action.*

#### 1) Recognize the truth

- Communion's **relationship**
  - God desires fellowship with you
- Communion is **restoration**
  - His body was broken for your healing
- Communion is **redemption**
  - His blood cleanses and secures the covenant

Communion is more than just the ceremony,

It is a connection with God!

## 2) Receive the truth

- **Received** by faith
  - [John 3:16](#) life is given to whoever believes
- **Receive** it personally
  - This is not general, this is for you
- **Receive** with expectation
  - [Mark 9:23](#), all things are possible to him who believes

You don't receive what you hear,

You receive what you believe

## 3) Respond with truth

- Confess the word
  - [John 17:17](#), Your word is truth

- Confess the Covenant
  - You are under a new and better covenant
- Confess with expectation
  - Confession creates manifestation

Silence weakens your faith

Confession strengthens it

#### 4) Reject the lies

- Reject deception
  - Refuse every lie of Satan
- Reject diminishment
  - Communion is not an empty ritual
- Recheck passivity

- Eat and drink and engage Intentionally, Not casual

Stop treating communion as a common meal

It is the body and blood of Jesus Christ

**Final challenge:**

- Will you come to the table are you in remembrance of what God has done for you before?
- Do you have an expectation of what he can do for you now?

Closing

- The table is not empty - come with an expectation
- The covenant is not weak - come with an expectation
- The power is not gone - come with an expectation

When you recognize the truth, You can receive God's best

The truth shall make you free!

When you receive communion you must confess

You are a covenant child and you expect God's best

*The table is where you receive again what Christ has already secured*

*Communion was given by Christ to confirm, strengthen, and deepen the new life we have through His new covenant*

Deuteronomy 8:18 NKJV

<sup>18</sup>“And you *shall remember the LORD your God*, for *it is* He who *gives you power* to get wealth, *that He may establish His covenant* which He swore to your fathers, as *it is* this day

The question is:

- Will you discern it?

- Are you willing to value communion?

*Prayer*

*Now repeat after me:*

I recognize that the thief comes to steal, kill, and destroy,

He wants to steal the truth of the word of God out of my life

I now recognize the power of communion that what God did for the

Israelites, he has done for me in a better covenant. I am a covenant child

I received the truth of his word. I believe God's word is for me, and I choose to accept what he has done in communion for me.

I reinforce God's truth that by his stripes I was healed, and I reinforce his truth that I am cleansed and made righteous by the blood.

I reject Satan's lies, and I reject the concept that communion is merely a ritual.

I also reject the idea that communion will not have a positive effect on my  
life