Sunday, March 31, 2024—The Sacrifice Of Issac & The Garden Of The Lord

Introduction

- I Corinthians 15:3-4—the death, burial, and resurrection were according to the scriptures.
 - Isaiah 53:4-8—the prophetic Scriptures predicted in advance that Jesus Christ would die and be stricken in payment for sin.
 - o Psalm 22:6-18—here again we see a prophetic statement about the events surrounding the death of Christ.
 - Matthew 27:26-50—the gospel writes: Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John record the historical fulfillment of the prophetic utterances regarding the death of Jesus Christ.
 - o Isaiah 53:9—prophets predicted Christ would be buried in a rich man's tomb.
 - Psalm 16:10—upon his death Jesus to hell and stayed there for three days and three nights.
 - o John 2:19-22—Jesus foretells of his own resurrection.
 - Acts 2:30-32—Peter makes application of Psalm 16:10 not only to Christ's burial but also to his resurrection.
- I Corinthians 15:12-19—all of Christianity rests upon the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Either the resurrection of Jesus is the greatest miracle of history, or it is the biggest hoax ever perpetrated against humanity.

Abraham & The Sacrifice Of Issac

- Genesis 12:1-3
- Genesis 15:1-6
- Genesis 16:1-4
- Genesis 18:10-14
- Genesis 21:1-8
- Genesis 22:1-14

• Hebrews 11:17-19

The Garden Of The Lord

- Genesis 2:8, 15
- Genesis 3:23-24
- John 19:41-42—the crucified body of Jesus Christ was buried in a garden.
 - Matthew 27:57-66—Jesus is burred proving that Joseph of Arimathaea, the disciples, Pilate, and the Jewish leadership all believed that Jesus was dead.
- I Corinthians 15:35-50—Christ's body was sown into the garden of the earth and raised incorruptible.
- John 20:15—in a sense was Mary speaking to the gardener?
 - o Matthew 28:1-15—the grave is found empty, and the Roman soldiers are paid by the Jewish leadership to say that the disciples stole the body.
- Death, condemnation, and expulsion from the presence of God occurred in a garden.
- Some four thousand years later eternal life and victory over death sprang forth from a different garden.
- Romans 6:23—God is offering the world eternal life through the death, burial, and resurrection of his son.
- II Corinthians 4:10-11