



Congregation Notes Torah Portion Shemini Atzeret

The Great and Terrible Day and the Day of our Joy! How are They Related?

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Deut. 14:22-17; I Kings 8:54-66; Luke 2:21-32

***Genesis 3:22-24** Then YHWH God said, "Behold, the man has become like one of Us, knowing good and evil; and now, he might stretch out his hand, and take also from the tree of life, and eat, and live forever"— therefore the LORD God sent him out from the garden of Eden, to cultivate the ground from which he was taken. So He drove the man out; and at the east of the garden of Eden He stationed the cherubim and the flaming sword which turned every direction to guard the way to the tree of life..

***Deuteronomy 14:23a** And before the LORD your God, in the place that he will choose, to make his name dwell there,

***Deuteronomy 15:20** You shall eat it, you and your household, before the LORD your God year by year at the place that the LORD will choose.

***Deuteronomy 16:5-6** You may not offer the Passover sacrifice within any of your towns that the LORD your God is giving you, 6 but at the place that the LORD your God will choose, to make his name dwell in it, there you shall offer the Passover sacrifice, in the evening at sunset, at the time you came out of Egypt. 7 And you shall cook it and eat it at the place that the LORD your God will choose.

***Deuteronomy 17:11** And you shall rejoice before the LORD your God, you and your son and your daughter, your male servant and your female servant, the Levite who is within your towns, the sojourner, the fatherless, and the widow who are among you, at the place that the LORD your God will choose, to make his name dwell there.

***Exodus 29:45-46** "I will dwell (**Shakahn'ti**) among the sons of Israel and will be their God. They shall know that I am the LORD their God who brought them out of the land of Egypt, that I might dwell
[l-shak'ni] among them; I am the LORD their God."

***Exodus 25:8-9** "Let them construct a sanctuary for Me, that I may dwell [shakahn'ti]

***2 Samuel 5:6-7** And the king and his men went to Jerusalem against the Jebusites, the inhabitants of the land, who spoke to David, saying, "You shall not come in here; but the

blind and the lame will repel you," thinking, David cannot come in here." Nevertheless, David took the stronghold of Zion (that is, the City of David).

***2 Samuel 24:24** But the king said to Ornan, "No, but I will buy it from you for a price. I will not offer burnt offerings to the LORD my God that cost me nothing." So David bought the threshing floor and the oxen for fifty shekels of silver.

***1 Chronicles 15:1** David built houses for himself in the City of David; and he prepared a place for the ark of God, and pitched a tent for it.

***2 Samuel 24:25** David built an altar to the LORD there, and offered burnt offerings and peace offerings. So the LORD was moved [to compassion] by [David's] prayer for the land, and the plague was held back from Israel.

***2 Chronicles 3:1** Then Solomon began to build the house of the LORD in Jerusalem on Mount Moriah, where the LORD had appeared to David his father, at the place that David had appointed, on the threshing floor of Ornan the Jebusite.

***Luke 2:19-21** Yeshua answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up."²⁰ Then the Jews said, It has taken forty-six years to build this temple, and will You raise it up in three days?"¹ But He was speaking of the temple of His body.

***Luke 3:23** Now Yeshua himself was about thirty years old when he began his ministry.

***Luke 2:29-32** Lord, now you are letting your servant depart in peace, according to your Word; for my eyes have seen your salvation that you have prepared in the presence of all peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glory to your people Israel.

***John 1:14** "The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth."

***2 Chronicles 6:6** "But now I have chosen Jerusalem for my Name to be there, and I have chosen David to rule my people Israel."

***John 1:14** "The Word became flesh and tabernacled among us.

***Luke 2:10-12** "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Messiah the Lord. And this will be a sign to you: You will find a babe wrapped in swaddling cloths, lying in a manger."

***Malachi 3:23** Behold, I am going to send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and terrible day of the LORD.

***Matthew 11:14-15** And if you are willing to receive it, he (John) is Elijah who is to come. ¹⁵ He who has ears to hear, let him hear!

***Luke 1:36** "Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be unable to conceive is in her sixth month."

***Luke 2:21** Eight days after his birth, the child was circumcised and named Yeshua. This was the name the angel had given him before his mother became pregnant.

***Romans 8:4** that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit."

***Jeremiah 23:5-6** "Behold, the days are coming," says the Lord, "That I will raise to David a Branch of righteousness; A King shall reign and prosper, And execute judgment and righteousness in the earth.

6 In His days Judah will be saved, And Israel will dwell safely; Now this is His name by which He will be called: THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS."

***Matthew 5:48** Therefore you shall be perfect, just as your Father in heaven is perfect.

***Deuteronomy 16:20** Righteousness -- righteousness you shall pursue, so that you may live, and possess the land which the LORD thy God is giving to you.

***I Samuel 18:1** "Now when he had finished speaking to Saul, the soul of Jonathan was knit to the soul of David, and Jonathan loved him as his own soul."

***I Samuel 19:1** Now Saul spoke to Jonathan his son and to all his servants, that they should kill David; but Jonathan, Saul's son, delighted greatly in David.

***Matthew 5:13** You are the salt of the earth, but if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

***Leviticus 20:7-8a** Consecrate yourselves therefore, and be holy, for I am the Lord your God. 8 And you shall keep My statutes, and perform them:

***Philippians 2:12** Therefore, my dear friends, just as you have always obeyed, so now, not only in my presence but even more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling.

***Matthew 5:19** So then, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do likewise will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever practices and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven.

***Romans 2:5-6** But because of your stubbornness and unrepentent heart you are storing up wrath for yourself in the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God, who will render to every man according to his deeds.

***Matthew 16:27** For the Son of man shall come in the glory of his Father with his angels; and then he shall reward every man according to his works.

***Deuteronomy 1:6** The LORD our God spoke to us in Horeb, saying: 'You have dwelt long enough at this mountain.