

Galatians 3:14~ The purpose was that the blessing of Abraham might come to be by means of Jesus Christ for the nations, that we might receive the promised spirit¹ through our faith.

Footnote: Literally; the promise of the spirit

- 1· The purpose of God in this respect, was that the blessing of Abraham might come to be through Jesus Christ for the nations. Thus they receive the promised spirit through faith, just like that of Abraham.

[Question] What blessing of Abraham come solely through Jesus Christ, the Greater Isaac?

[Question] How does it come forth, through what?

- 2· Does this happiness, then, **come** upon circumcised people or also upon uncircumcised people? For we say; His **faith** was counted to **Abraham** as righteousness. (**Romans 4:9**)

[Question] What was the state of Abraham when he gained imputed righteousness under the first Abrahamic covenant of (**Genesis 15:1-20**)?

- 3· By **means** of his flesh he abolished the enmity, the Law of commandments consisting in decrees, that he **might** create the two peoples in union with himself into one new man and make peace. (**Ephesians 2:15**)

[Question] What did Jesus Christ abolish through his death in the flesh?

[Question] To what end result?

- 4· And after that it must occur that I shall pour out my **spirit** on every sort of flesh, and your sons and your daughters will certainly prophesy. As for your old men, dreams they will dream. As for your young men, visions they will see. (**Joel 2:28**)

[Question] What did Yehowah God promise to do for his people, through Joel?

- 5· Paul said; John baptized with the baptism in symbol of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one coming after him, that is, in Jesus. (**Acts of Apostles 19:4**)

[Question] What did John the Baptist baptize in symbol of, and what did he tell the people?

- 6· For it is contained in Scripture: Look! I am laying in Zion a stone, chosen, a foundation cornerstone, precious, and no one exercising **faith** in it will by any **means** come to disappointment. (**1 Peter 2:6**)

[Question] What does the Scripture say about the foundation cornerstone, and those who exercise faith in it?

- 7· Then he blessed him and said; Blessed be Abram of the Most High God, producer of heaven and earth. (**Genesis 14:19**)

[Question] What blessing did Melchizedek confer upon Abraham?

- 8· Why, **Abraham** is surely going to become a nation great and mighty, and all the **nations** of the earth must bless themselves by **means** of him. (**Genesis 18:18**)

[Question] What was prophesied to come true for Abraham in the future?

- 9· Let his name prove to be to time indefinite, before the sun let his name have increase, and by **means** of him let them bless themselves, let all **nations** pronounce him happy. (**Psalms 72:17**)

[Question] Whose name will be blessed forever, and what will all nations pronounce him?

- 10· In that day Israel will **come** to be the third with Egypt and with Assyria, namely, a **blessing** in the midst of the earth. (**Isaiah 19:24**)

[Question] What would Israel, Egypt and Assyria come to be together in the earth?

- 11· And on the basis of his name repentance for forgiveness of sins, would be preached in all the **nations**, starting out from Jerusalem. (**Luke 24:47**)

[Question] What would be preached throughout all the nations, and on the basis of whose name?

- 12· And the faithful ones, that had **come** with Peter, who were

of those circumcised, were amazed, because the free gift of the Holy Spirit was being poured out, also upon people of the **nations**. (**Acts of Apostles 10:45**)

[Question] How did the men with Peter feel when they saw the Holy Spirit fall upon Cornelius, and those gathered together with him?

- 13· Or is he the God of the Jews only? Is he not also of people of the **nations**? Yes, of people of the **nations** also. (**Romans 3:29**)

[Question] Is Yehowah the God of the Jews only?

- 14· Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord **Jesus Christ**, for he has blessed us with every spiritual **blessing** in the heavenly places in union with **Christ**. (**Ephesians 1:3**)

[Question] Why should Yehowah God be continually blessed by his anointed sons?

- 15· Namely, that people of the **nations** should be joint heirs and fellow members of the body, and partakers with us of the promise, in union with **Christ Jesus through** the Good News. (**Ephesians 3:6**)

[Question] What is the Good News, and what inheritance do we look forward to through it?