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Summary: There is a promise that the Lord will bring rest to the people, them.

One of the first places we find the word for rest, is when Noah sent out a dove finding a place to rest.

Quote:

Genesis 8:9 But the dove found no rest for the sole of her foot. And she returned for the waters were on the face of the whole earth. Then he put out his hand and took her in to him into the ark.

Then as they came out of Egypt, there becomes a promise that the Lord will give them a land that they can call their own.

Quote:

Numbers 10:33 And they moved three days' journey from the mountain of Sinai, and the covenant of Jehovah went before them in the three days' journey, to bring them to the land.

This promise expands to the Lord will sanctify this place, so that they shall dwell yet within this promise there are other contexts, that the Lord will remove the land, so that all will know true monotheism - which is to honour the Lord Most High as the only thing to be worshipped.

Quote:

Deuteronomy 12:9-10 For you have not as yet come to the rest and to the inheritance your God gives you. (10) But when you go over Jordan and live in the land which He gives you to inherit, and He gives you rest from all your enemies all around you,

When we come to the time of the 1st temple, and after David's kingdom, the rest that had been promised; yet when we look overall, for this truly to be a religious ideas were also meant to be removed.

Quote:

1 Kings 8:56-58 Blessed be Jehovah, who has given rest to His people Israel as He promised. There has not failed one word of all His good promise which He swore to Moses His servant. (57) May Jehovah our God be with us as He was with our fathers, and He will not leave us nor forsake us, (58) to incline our hearts to Himself, to walk in His commandments and His statutes and His judgments which He commanded us to do.

By the time of the prophet Micah, he announces that the Lord doesn't find rest to the standards expected of them, and so instead the rest they had, was removed.

Quote:

Micah 2:10 Arise and depart! For this is not your rest, because of destruction and grievous destruction.

When Yeshua came at the time of the 2nd temple, because the Leaders paid the price of their King sent by God (Messiah), the Curse of Moses in Deuteronomy on Israel - who were then persecuted from nation to nation because of the Curse - that they would not find rest, until the Lord returns to redeem them in Deuteronomy. Quote:

Deuteronomy 28:64-66 And Jehovah shall scatter you among all people, from the east to the west, and you shall serve other gods there, which neither you nor your fathers have known, wood and stone. (65) And among these nations you shall find no rest for the sole of your foot have rest. But Jehovah shall give you there a trembling and a sorrow of mind. (66) And your life shall hang in doubt before you, and you shall have no assurance of your life.

Because they kept rebelling, and following idolatry, the Lord said that they should keep to what was required.

Quote:

Psalms 95:10-11 For forty years I was grieved with this generation, and they strayed in their hearts, and they have not known My ways; (11) to whom I should not enter into My rest.

The Messiah returns like a Parable of the 'Fig before Summer' (Isaiah 28) where the Lord's rest is placed within him, and that the time of Judgement Day is coming. What was honoured what was given, shall then be brought into the Messianic Age, and removed from reality.

Because many have been taught that they already have rest in the Lines of the Law, they're about to be incinerated as stated in Deuteronomy 29, where their rest is taken, they already have peace.

Quote:

Isaiah 28:11-13 for with stammering lips and another tongue He will speak to them whom He said, This is the rest; cause the weary to rest; and this is the rest they are willing to hear. (13) But the Word of Jehovah was to them precept on precept, line on line, line on line; here a little, there a little; that they might go, and be broken and snared and taken.

Because they'd not listen to what they'd been instructed, and instead they followed their own Christianity, they've created the Bed of Adultery, telling people that they were innocent of the Messiah's murder, and rather than be corrected that they'll get incinerated in the Fire, they've placed themselves into a noose, going from 'Line to Line' in Deuteronomy. Quote:

Isaiah 34:14 The wild beasts of the desert shall also meet with the howling jackals, and the goat shall cry to his fellow. The screech owl also shall rest there, and the owl shall be there.

When the Lord's rest is given, this reality will be restored to the Garden of Eden after there will be an everlasting covenant, where the rest promised by Deuteronomy. Quote:

Isaiah 32:15-18 until the Spirit is poured on us from on high, and the wilderness shall be fruitful, and the desert shall be fruitful.

field, and the fruitful field is thought to be a forest. (16) Then judgment and righteousness remain in the fruitful field. (17) And the work of righteousness shall be quietness and hope forever. (18) A peaceable home, and in secure dwellings and quiet resting places.

The Messiah is symbolically given the name of Zion the Divine Being (Psalm 147:12, Isaiah 52:7), where the Lord's spirit is placed within him, as the fulfillment of the promise.

Quote:

Psalms 132:10-14 For Your servant David's sake, turn not away the face of Jehovah; for Jehovah has sworn to David in truth; He will not turn from it; Of the fruit of the tree will you sit on your throne for you. (12) If your sons will keep My covenant and My testimony, then shall their sons also sit on your throne forever. (13) Jehovah has chosen David His dwelling-place. (14) This is My rest forever; here I will dwell; for I have chosen it.

Whereas mankind wants a temple for God, God doesn't need a temple built for Him; the Lord places its spirit within living beings, and has chosen the Messiah to fulfill the Lord's desires.

Quote:

Isaiah 66:1-2 So says Jehovah, Heaven is My throne, and earth My footstool; where is My house that you build for Me? And where is the place of My rest? (2) For I have said, and all those exist, says Jehovah. But to this one I will look, to the afflicted one who trembles at My Word.

The Messiah is a return of King David & Yeshua, with the spirit of the Lord; the rest promised is within the Messiah, to share advanced wisdom from the Lord and bring those worthy into the Messianic Age.

Quote:

Isaiah 11:10 And in that day there shall be the Root of Jesse standing for a sign to the people; Him the nations shall seek; and His resting place shall be glorious.

The final outcome of the Lord's rest, is the restoration of a glorious kingdom where those who'd not accept the Lord's standards.

It is very clear over the history of this concept that the leaders will lie to the people that they already have that rest - yet in doing so, causing everyone's destruction.