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The MONOTHEISM (one God) of the Hebrew Jacob-Israel Tribes is based on the belief there is only ONE God, who is worshipped as the righteous ruler of the world, who dispenses justice, and is the giver of the LAW. His power results from his being the Creator, who directs his creatures in ethical responsibility and moral consciousness....

He is revealed fully in Jesus Christ. *"For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ."* John 1:17

Now place them together= LAW GRACE AND TRUTH. Simple.

In Hebrew-Christian thought, our relationship to the God of Israel... Jehovah, (YAHWEH) is the revelation of JEHOVAH-JESUS who "...saves his people from their sins."

Thus we express our relationship in faith worship and conduct.

Babylon has greatly influenced and moulded Hebrew-Christian life. Both actual and spiritual. The impact of Babylon commenced when Abraham began his journey to Canaan from Ur his home City.

The Prophets in Israel did not claim to speak from human wisdom. He claimed knowledge which ordinary man could not possess. Prophets represented inspiration---direct instruction from Jehovah as a result of which he unveiled and foretold the course of human events with Jacob-Israel center stage in world history....It's HIS-STORY!

Prophets divinely expressed the pleasure or displeasure of Jehovah, and with foresight discerned more than the future declaring what man could hope for or must fear in the eyes of Jehovah....

The content of the Prophetic Divine communication was NOT exclusively foretelling the future---more often than not it was accompanied by instruction to people and the Nation concerning actions to be performed by the Hebrews in their conduct toward Jehovah...

When the Prophecy was one of doom, predictions of the future were accompanied by Divine instruction to follow the way of Jehovah.

It is most important to understand the background of the Old Testament in reading the Gospels and Acts in relationship to Paul and his letters to various 'churches' in the expansion of Christianity.

Christianity became a particularly European phenomena...WHY?

Christianity is the creator of the Western World in which you and I now live...WHY? THERE MUST BE A REASON.

It is this: Jehovah is in control of human history and the westward movement of peoples; which movement is especially noted in and with the COVENANT MAN...ABRAHAM. History, archaeology etc., proclaim that westward movement. The Bible & Scripture is our God's best kept secret!