

The Patriarchal marriage is it for today? By Rabbi Simon

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There are many who argue whether if the Patriarchal marriage should be practiced today. Some Torah groups teach that this should not be practiced as it breaks Yesod Ha Bria which is a concept that one group of Essenes held on to which was a pre first century breakaway group.

In Yesod ha Bria it was thought that only one man and one woman could marry and no further wives could be added or a person could decide to take the celibacy vow never to marry anyone and to renounce the world. What many do not realise is that there were actually two groups of Essenes one which did practice patriarchal marriage laws and one which did not practice any marriage. So to us the Essene argument would not work because what one group decided to do withholding a Torah practice does not make it right or more pious. Yahushua came from the group that was practicing Patriarchal marriage because he did not teach hoarding money in one group to use alone nor taught such though many look for inferences in his statements.

Suppose all men were to stop marrying then what would happen to the women who would want them for husband and would then it be more pious to live a sedentary life? I do not think so because in religions in which marriage was disallowed in their priesthood there were more rapes, child abuse and molestations. The Roman Catholic Church is a star example of child molestation, rape and women abuses all the way back to its inception of itself.

Can you imagine such a life for a Nun who would simply be a slave to a religious system which is meaningless? She would be a slave to the men in this type of system which is man-made and serves no real purpose of teaching the law of Elohim but just erects itself against Elohim as another system for people to fit into.

What a horrible life for a woman who is meant to enjoy the benefits of a family, children and outside community with the ability to travel and even teach her peers. The idea of nunnery is not of Elohim but men. History is proof of many Popes having mistresses and Nuns having illicit relations with the clergy secretly begetting children. Would you rather live a life cantered around the Torah in which you could have a Torah marital relationship with one or more wives or would you look to this kind of unrighteous relationship? Many want to practice unrighteousness so its their prerogative to do so.

YHWH does not endorse such type of a solitary lifestyle, which has its roots from Egypt, Gnosticism, men who became ascetics in similar manner and thought that they were more pious. Jerome was one type of such Gnostic who translated the Vulgate into Latin for the Catholic Church so they could hide the scriptures.

The cult of asceticism crept early on in the church with various people known as the early church fathers such as Origen, Jerome and John Chrysostom. These people were also thoroughly anti-Semitic and their doctrines show their hatred toward the Yahudi even to this day. Those that follow them and how the rest of the later church developed influenced by these people can easily be seen today. People such as Jerome had the idea that to marry was weakness and to remain ascetic was the best way forward for spirituality. Jerome was a Gnostic and a hermit, who hated marriage. He wrote hateful material against Jovinian a 4th century monk who did not espouse virginity as the higher form for living unlike Jerome. Augustine had to smooth lip Jerome's hatred by telling nuns that marriage had its benefits in his tract de bono coniugali.

This kind of lifestyle always gives rise to misogynist attitudes.

Any form of forced asceticism is unbiblical. A man may choose to remain single for a time but has to marry unless something forces him otherwise such as pursuing Elohim and His ways which leaves him no time because he is travelling or other such reasons. Pursing Elohim requires to be married as a rule while some did refrain for personal reasons. This could occur with someone who has to travel from city to city or country to country with short stays and in this pattern perhaps it makes it awkward for him to care for a wife at home and supply her needs so rather than marry he chooses to do the missionary work of teaching Torah but avoids marriage as he cannot look after the wife at home while he is doing the travels. This is a special calling for very few and its for a short time only. No one does this their whole life.

There is a world in which there is no marriage and that is in the demonic world there are no marriages between demons because demons cannot love nor conceive and Satan who is asexual cannot conceive so hates all types of conception so what do you think Satan will inspire people to do in religious communities? Do not have children, divorce and do not marry. So any kind of religious teaching that says to do so would be Satanic and demonically inspired.

Marriage is about love, trust and friendship therefore it only exists where these three things exist.

Yahushua said the following to Satan.

Matthew 4:4 But he answered and said, it is written, Man shall not live by Lechem (bread) alone, but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of YHWH.

What is the passage saying? It is saying that every word that has been spoken by Elohim it must be acted upon. Did Elohim command us to join together in marriage or not? Yes He did. So should we marry or not? Did he allow polygamy and regulate it? Yes, then how many wives we take is our personal choice and not other's business. Did He ever command us not to marry? No, not even once in the Torah which contains the laws of Elohim then where does asceticism come from? As stated earlier the demonic world.

How could Yahushua forbid polygamy if he commanded marriage and was himself the product of polygamy as you shall learn later in this article?

Mattityahu 19:5 And said, for this cause shall a man leave abbah and eema (mother), and shall cleave to his wife: and the two shall be one flesh?

YHWH's first commandment for men and women IS to multiply **RIGHTEOUS** seed which is having children and it is this that what we must do.

Beresheeth 1:28 Then Elohim blessed them, and Elohim said to them, Be fruitful, and multiply, fill the earth, and subdue it..

The first commandment for all of us is to bear children for exalting YHWH's name and to have a type of Kingdom of Heaven on earth centred on the Torah of YHWH with a love for the Messiah and to eagerly await his soon return so when He returns he will place us in the land of Y'sra'el where we belong into our inheritance when the physical Kingdom will be revealed.

Therefore deliberately suppressing marriage and children is a sin. There is a sod (hidden) meaning in Beresheeth 1:28 of polygamy which many of our forefathers followed. It said FILL THE EARTH which means fill the North, South, East and West. Well Abraham kept wives in the North, South, he also had a wife from the East and West. Yaqub also had four wives. The Torah teaches polygamy and pulls no punches for those who want to live this righteous lifestyle according to Torah laws they may do so. Modern or ancient Greek Monogamy was a product of Satanic inspiration in which you marry one wife and have one woman on the side. Or you marry then divorce to take on another wife. This is the patten the present world is following.

Note the reason for polygamy was that if you wanted a large family then this could not come from one wife and a single wife in ancient times was incapable of looking after a large estate spread over many miles. The best example given in scripture of such a household is of a polygamous household. The proverbs 31 woman was a polygamous wife with many other concubines in the house but many have failed to see this and foolishly apply it to monogamy while nothing could be further from the truth.

Mishle (Pro) 31:10 Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies.

Many who cite this passage for monogamy only marriages are plainly wrong misinterpreting our Hebrew scriptures given to us to interpret. Monogamy is the Greco Roman culture using proverbs 31 which speaks of a polygamous household. The virtuous woman is one who is mature in YHWH and loves her polygamous righteous husband she does not slander him nor seeks a divorce. He does not make her a slave in the home neither forces his every opinion on her but loves her unconditionally.

Mishle 31:11 The heart of her husband does safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil.

When Yahushua returns he consummates his marriage with more than one wife as shown in the allegory in Matthew 25. The allegory is based on 10 wives and he consummates marriage with five of them which is polygamy in allegory. However in reality when he returns here are two brides not just one being Judah and Efrayim.

Matthew 25:1 Then shall the kingdom of shamayim (heaven) be likened to ten virgins...

Why does the heart of a husband trust in his wife in Proverbs? Because she will not stab him in the back as some women do to their husbands today who may wish to acquire another wife for various reasons which Torah allows.

Mishle 31:12 She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life.

The proverbs 31 woman does good to her husband her entire life but equally her husband lavishes his love on her.

Mishle 31:13 She seeks wool, and flax, and works willingly with her hands.

This woman is a business woman and creative and not an idler scheming against her husband. Many women out there including men have a lot to learn about what scriptures teach about the truth of a mature woman in polygamy. While many women who have broken marriages because their husband espoused a second wife will be judged equally by Torah and have already lost their estate in the coming kingdom. They will be placed in the unrighteous category who brought shame to their husband's for maintaining order of the Torah.

Mishle 31:15 She rises also while it is yet night, and gives food to her household, and a portion to her maidens.

Why would the queen of the house take care of the maidens when it's meant to be the other way around? This is because these are not female servants but concubines (Peligeshim) who she looks after. She is not jealous of them nor schemes behind their backs. There certainly are examples like this in the east even today.

Many cultures in the east have adopted plural marriages today because it is in the design. The average children from one wife Biblically is five, and any over that starts to wear out the woman. Whichever we argue, it is a fact in our society, that when married women are made to bear e.g. ten children, they end up with many illnesses due to over exertion of the body. My own paternal aunty had twelve children and died in a young age due to problems introduced through child birth and energy wasted from so many children being born. If a man of means wants to have several children then he must ought to seek additional wives to do that provided he has the financial ability to do so, its not a sin and perfectly righteous. Do not worry what the people who know no Torah think or say as they are nothing but clanging cymbals. Our forefathers demonstrated and lived this life as you can read the series I wrote on Abraham which is available online on Ask the Rabbi page at www.abrahamic-faith.info where I revealed Abraham's four wives. One day soon I will write a series on our father King Dawud also.

The Torah does not teach us to form ascetic communities the idea is foreign to the laws of YHWH. In ancient times some women took oaths and became Temple virgins we know because Miriam the mother of Yahushua was one but she was there for other reasons which came about as a result of her father being murdered and she having no one to look after her as her brother was on business travels¹ so that caused her to become a Temple virgin and she was recognised as a princess by the Beyth Din (House of Judgment) the reason why she was in the Temple also until she was married.

Some people in America who think they serve YHWH ask people that they must buy their head coverings from their city only, yes, this is true today in modern America and they even force people to baptise in their city in the US otherwise they claim the baptism is not valid. Such is the idea of religion that many are led to believe and follow but this is the world we live in, which is running on its own laws.

Yahushua condemned any ideas of piety which were not according to the Torah of YHWH. All those who try to erroneously connect Yahushua with the Qumran community forget he did not agree with many of their ideas such as keeping wealth in one community hence why the example of the rich man was given in scripture (Matt 19:21) to give away all wealth to the poor but the Qumran community did not do this. Even John the Immerser who was part of the group that practiced plural marriage.

To understand this more fully ask yourself this question, why did Yahushua send the leper after healing him to the Temple priests?

Mattityahu 8:2-4 And, behold, there came a leper and bowed before him, saying, Master (Adon: Lord), if you desire, you can make me clean. **3** And Yahushua put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I am willing; be clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed. **4** And Yahushua said to him, See that you tell no man; but go your way, show yourself to the kohen (priest), and offer the gift that Musa (Moses) commanded, for a testimony to them.

Why would Yahushua himself be there on many occasions and His disciples went there to celebrate the feasts? Why would Yahushua's cousin become the Temple High Priest? Surely Yahushua should have told him to avoid becoming a High Priest. Even another of His disciple became the High Priest which many know not. You should not believe everything you hear in Churches because most of it is based on bad teachings. The Temple certainly did have issues as would any institution the size of the Temple and the community it served. Even at one time through bribery and corruption a man from the tribe of Benjamin by the name of Onias Menalus² became the High Priest, a bad thing when he should have been from the Levite clan.

The rabbonim (rabbis) opinion was that the Temple was destroyed for wanton hatred. I would disagree with that statement. Just because such sentiments are written in the Talmud they do not automatically become true.

In my humble opinion the Temple had people who were divided against different groups the School of Shammai and the School of Hillel. They had around 316

¹ See the book [Beyth Yahushua Son of Dawud, Son of Tzadok by Rabbi Simon Altaf](#).

² [Page 18 Judea trembles under Rome by Rudolph Windsor](#).

disputations alone between these two schools. In one such case many priests from the school of Hillel were murdered to push through the decrees of Shammai but that does not mean that all the priests in the Temple hated each other or were corrupt in fact many Pharisees from the line of Hillel were very poor and it was these that the Sermon of the Mount addresses in Matthew chapter 5. Christendom teaches its own version of mistruths that because the Yahudim rejected Yahushua so it was destroyed. No, not so but the Temple was destroyed for one reason and one reason alone. In my opinion it was destroyed because of UNRIGHTEOUS WEALTH invested in it.

Anytime we put up UNRIGHTEOUS WEALTH to build the Kingdom of YHWH it may appear to succeed for a short time but the end result is destruction. You may ask me to explain what I mean. Well, let's say hypothetically someone robbed a bank and then donated 50% of that robbed money to build a synagogue. Would that synagogue that serves the faithful then stand for a long time and be a blessing to others? That synagogue may stand for a short period of time but because the foundations of that synagogue were put up with UNRIGHTEOUS WEALTH it will never last and its demise would be by its destruction which is exactly what happened to the second Temple and all of the synagogues in Judea later after 1948 since they were also put up with unrighteous Zionist wealth.. The Muslims destroyed them all.

Psalm 1:3 And he shall be like an etz (tree) planted by the rivers of mayim (water), that brings forth his fruit in its season; and whose leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he does shall prosper.

Only the RIGHTEOUS WEALTH can bring forth fruit but unrighteous wealth can only bring unrighteousness. The deeper study of Psalm one will reveal what I am teaching here. Unrighteousness will never bring forth its fruit, it just cannot bring GOOD fruit therefore all those against righteous polygamy will never bring forth GOOD fruit either as they are against Torah and their little kingdoms are already marked for destruction..

Here is another scripture that speaks a little more clearly.

Isa 17:11 In the day shall you make your plant to grow, and in the morning shall you make your seed to flourish: but **the harvest shall be a heap in the day of grief** and of desperate sorrow.

How does this apply to the Temple of Y'sra'el? When our people sinned against YHWH taking the Torah lightly as many do today, He was so angry with us that He brought in a foreign army to destroy many of our forefathers. Our women were raped, our men slaughtered, many died by starvation and others were led as slaves many completely naked showing their flesh. Only some were given some measure of grace to leave the clothing on their backs but others were not. This was a sure sign of our humiliation for rejection of His set apart law. Isn't this what some are doing today trying to live by modernist examples?

Why were our homes destroyed and our country looted? Think over it. We were unrighteous and refused to obey all the Torah. We had made our own Torah and said YHWH is wrong and we know better. Have not many women today done the same thing who dictate to men how they should live and behave? Indeed they have their so

called women's rights groups which actually are only there to usurp authority and headship of men. All such men, women and their little kingdoms will be brought down low.

Was it good that our people were put through slavery twice or even thrice and when the sons of Japheth went to Africa they not only took the lands but also took the black slaves that ended up all over the world which belonged to true Y'sra'el. When the British Raj took over India our people ended up in slavery there who had earlier left Judea to live there who were brown skinned. When the British took over Garcia Diego our people were expelled from their homes and are to this day not able to return back while America has a military base there rented to them by the British for one dollar a year for fifty years in exchange for nuclear missiles. So to come back to the premise unrighteous wealth has its consequences. The Temple was rebuilt by Herod who was an extremely unrighteous Jew but he was a converted Edomite a mix, his father was Antipater and their goal in life was to hoard wealth because they were aligned with the sons of Japheth the Romans and the Greeks. Today many of our people foolishly follow the Roman and Greek marriage model and think its right to do so.

What did YHWH say about Edom?

Mal 1:2-3 I have loved you, says YHWH. Yet you say, Wherein have you loved us? Was not Esav Yaqub's brother? says YHWH: yet I loved Yaqub, **3** And I hated Esav, and laid his mountains and his heritage waste for the jackals of the wilderness.

ואת-עשו שנאתי ואשים
V'Et Esav Sanaiti V'Asem.

The Hebrew phrase above does not mean hate as in a momentary rage but it means the removal of divine grace. In the ancient Hebrew hieroglyphs the Hebrew word Sana for hate would mean "Not to pour His majesty or Benevolence on a living creature". This is actually the 'hate' YHWH is speaking about which is very different from the 'hate' we describe day to day. We have made the phrase so common and cheap. We use it in our common vocabulary for everything without understanding its ancient meaning. We say I hate this fruit, I hate that film, I hate crisps, and I hate coffee, this is the kind of language we have got into and this is the Roman/Greek style unfortunately. It has no correlation to the ancient meaning whatsoever.

Let me show you an example from the Torah to prove the point.

Beresheeth 24:26-27 Then Abimelech came to him from Gerar with Ahuzzath one of his friends, and Pichol the commander of his army. **27** And Ytzhak said to them, Why have you come to me, since you hate (Sanay) me and have sent me away from you?

As you can read Abimelech was a king and Isaac complains to him that he sent him away from him. Why, because Isaac is not saying you are in a fit of rage or continually hate me as his character in the modern sense but actually saying "You refuse to pour your benevolence upon me as the king of Gerar."

So this should explain why Herod's Temple would not stand forever as it was built on UNRIGHTEOUS WEALTH that Herod controlled. That wealth came from various corrupt sources including the Romans with much blood shed over it of innocent people.

Remember that he also murdered righteous people such as Yahuchannan ha Matbil (John the Immerser), He also had murdered Miriam's father that I described earlier and other righteous Hebrews. Therefore taking my earlier example of the allegorical robber giving his money to build a synagogue it may look good to do that or he may be thinking that he is somehow washing his sins but in affect unrighteous wealth helps no one and cannot be cleaned up as such. There is no laundry to make it squeaky clean. What you can do with unrighteous wealth is to give it to the poor and be done with it since many poor people have been robbed in the process of the rich men becoming wealthy so it's really the money of the poor and rightfully belongs to them.

The leper

Yahushua cleansed many lepers in Y'sra'el (Luke 17:17) and sent them all to the Temple. A rather oddity don't you think if the institution was corrupt at that particular time, remembering also it was marked for destruction the day Herod put his unrighteous wealth into it. Would you send your children or friends to a corrupt institution? Moreover this indicates that many priests there were sincere apart from a few over zealous souls but the building was built with the wrong type of money so it was allowed to stand for only a short period of time to fulfil the will of YHWH.

Patriarchal marriage

Yahushua himself was born through a patriarchal marriage in the traditional African cultural sense and this is something the Church is either ignorant about or keeping under a tight lid. Yahushua's mother Miriam was the second wife of Yosef the adopted father of Yahushua. Did you know this? Yosef was already married and had children from his first wife in the south and the marriage with Miriam was meant to produce the ruling heir from the North that is where Yahushua's mother came from in Nazareth hence why Yahushua is called **Yahushua of Netzereth** and not Yahushua of Beythlechem. Yosef had an estate in the south and his first wife lived there and was alive and well when he took his second wife for an heir.

The pattern was the same as of Abraham's wife Sarah in the North who produced the promised son Isaac and Keturah in the south producing six sons for Abraham. Abraham was a Horoite and so was Yahushua as He was the descendant of Abraham (Matt 1:1). The Horoites had a belief of waiting for Elohim to send forth His son which in ancient times was confused with Horus and Isis but this promise made in Beresheeth 3:15 was fulfilled in Yahushua the King with two crowns who is the Son of Abbah YHWH.

Sarah is a tribal identity of an African clan, the real name of Sarah was Y'skah, she too was a Horoite African woman of colour who controlled the northern territory in Hebron while Keturah another black woman controlled the southern territory in Beersheba, the daughter of Yoktan. If you don't believe me just look at the skin

colours of the original Arabs in Yemen and Arabia. They are not Caucasian even today.

This is why Keturah and Abraham's sons in the south ended up going away and ruling lands in the south and south east Africa.

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Questions to ask;

If Abraham's sons were Caucasians then why don't we find Caucasian kingdoms in these lands?

These areas in our modern times became known as Saudi Arabia, Yemen, Sudan and others parts of eastern Africa such as Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania.

In the same pattern Yosef the adoptive father of Yahushua had two wives one that lived in Beythlehem and the other which lived in Netzareth. The ruling seed (Yahushua) was meant to come from the North in the same pattern as Isaac. The Bible is an African book cover to cover and the story of a kingdom in the continent called Africa of a man called Yaqub who became Y'sra'el the land promised to his twelve sons.

Luke 1:26 And in the sixth month the messenger Gabri'el was sent from Elohim to a city of Galil, named Netzer'eth,

Now those of you who dislike polygyny you need to know this important fact that if Yosef had never taken the second wife Miriam in his old age to produce his heir then how would Yahushua have been born and given His name? One of the main reasons

³ <http://maps.google.co.uk/maps?hl=en&tab=w>

for his second marriage was to produce an heir while his southern wife was not dead. Even though he is not the biological father of Yahushua but he did give him his name and family position.

It is clear that Yosef had a daughter from his first wife but had no sons. In righteous polygamous marriages the children that are brought up are very happy children who have ample love from more than one mother and a great bond with many children within the household. This is a blessing that few may understand.

Yahushua even attended the marriage of his half sister which is mentioned in the pages of John chapter two now there is something new for you.

John 2:1-2 And the third day there was a marriage in Cana of Galil; and the mother of Yahushua was there: **2** And both Yahushua was called, and his disciples, to the marriage.

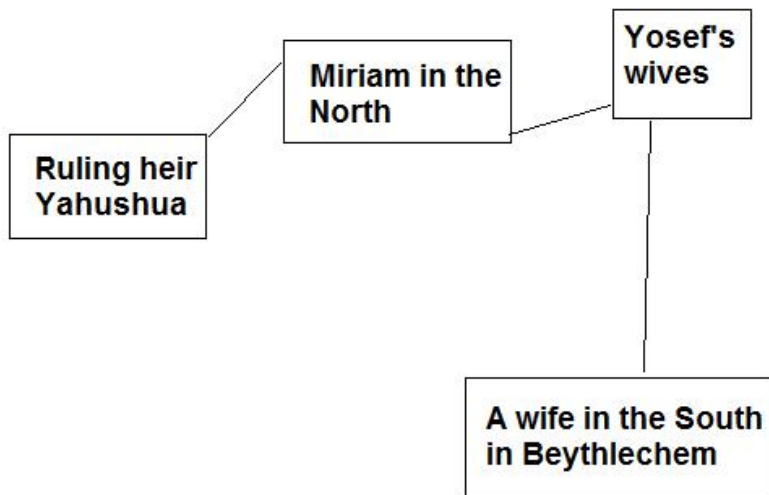
Questions to ask:

Where did Yahushua get a sister from if Yosef had no other wife since no other child from Yosef is recorded with Miriam or in history? Do you know who this sister got married with? It was to one of Yahushua's own disciples called Simeon the Zealot mentioned in Luke 6:15 since it was he who lived in Cana of Galil.

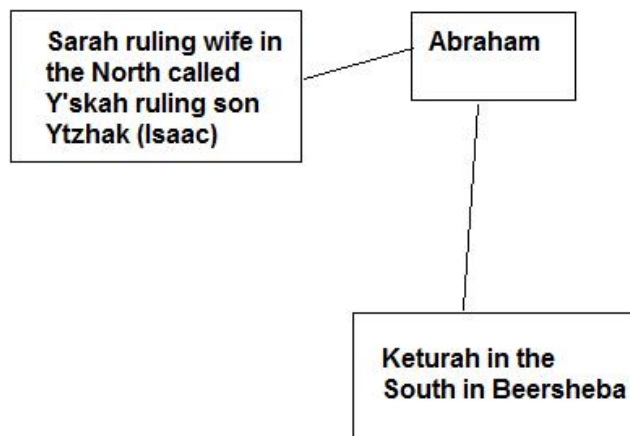
More Questions to ask:

Who looked after Miriam when she was in Judea and pregnant with a child? Would Yosef attend to his job as a builder/carpenter or look after his wife all day long when she was pregnant or did the local social services send in home help while they were in Judea? You need to get an understanding of eastern culture to understand this important point. When women are pregnant they usually go to their mother's home but Miriam's parents were not around to do that so the polygamous cultural rules apply where a wife is looked after by maidservants (concubines) or the additional wives especially appointed for this task.

Why would Yosef return to Judea if he had no estate to tax since he also had a home in Netzareth? See what I said earlier about two wives and two homes in the North and south.



Look at the pattern of Abraham for comparison below;



Any eastern man would know that Miriam was looked after by Yosef's first wife who had an estate there which is why Yosef went to pay taxes for his first wife's estate, it would be she who attended to Miriam since the passages clearly mentioned the House of Dawud (David) in Beythlechem connecting his first wife with being of the tribe of Yahudah also. It is a well kept secret that Yosef was married but what they do not like to tell you is that his first wife was alive. If questioned they will say she was dead since if they told you that she was alive then how would they explain the polygamous relationship considering the Church has lied about this from the start.

This is how the Catholic Church lied and suppressed the truth in unrighteousness along side today's modern Christianity which is also the daughter of Rome. Since I do not buy such lies I do not have to defend these lies as some are doing and do not suppress the truth. Yosef was elderly, in possibly his forties when he married Miriam and our Hebrew people do not remain single until their mid life. The same pattern of

Isaac who was forty (Gen 25:20). Isaac also had two wives one was hidden from view in the Torah and likewise the same here in the story of Yosef since these wives were not important to mention in the roles that were being highlighted. So all of the people who read the bible ignorantly should know that it has many polygamous relationships, sons and daughters but many of you fight it like the devil but none of you who oppose this will ever change a thing in history or what the Torah commands us or can one of you change the way Abraham or Dawud lived?

It is also important to know that King Dawud would have never been born if his grandfather never married a second wife in a polygamous relationship, this man was called Boaz who was a mature man. Ruth was his second much younger wife who gave birth to Obed, (Ruth 4:17) Obed then begat Yishai (Jesse) and Yishai begat King Dawud and King Dawud begat King Solomon through whose lineage Yahushua was born. All these men were polygamous in accordance with Torah and had no issues or regret with it. Today's women like to think they know better but without the real Torah they know nothing and are just hapless.

It is apparent while the first wife of Yosef lived in Beythlehem which was the ancestral home of Abraham's mother the first wife of Yosef would have helped look after Miriam while her husband went to work but when she later died Miriam as a good wife took on the role of being a mother to the children of Yosef's first wife hence the marriage in Cana of her step-daughter who was born to the first wife in which Yahushua did his first great miracle of turning the water to wine. Yahushua showed no bias towards his half sister.

This dispels another myth that the Hebrew people did not drink alcohol. Miriam had become a Temple virgin through dire circumstances and Yosef was not only from the tribe of Yahudah but the next in the line of the throne he would have needed another wife and a son to succeed the throne. In the African culture which is the culture of the bible it was the mother who gave birth to a son who would then succeed or ascend to the throne this is how we know who is a true Yahudi which is classed from the mother and a tribal link is established from the father (Num 1:4) This is why even though Abraham had eight sons already but he still waited for a son to be born through his northern wife Sarah (the same pattern as in Yosef marrying his northern wife Miriam out of Nazareth) to have a son to rule his territory. The Son that was born was from her womb but came out of the heavenly seed.

King Dawud had eighteen wives and was counted righteous by YHWH and after YHWH's own heart. Also take note all the hypocrites who sing the psalms of Dawud yet continue living as hypocrites denying the plural marriages which were a common pattern in our people. These people really have no right to sing the psalms of King Dawud, Moses or King Solomon since they were all polygamous, Solomon exceeded even his father by having one thousand wives since as a king he would be given gifts by other kings of their daughters and maidens which King Solomon decided to marry in which he did no wrong. The wrong that he did was to allow his wives to erect altars to false elohim in which he had a hard heart in his old age.

Those who lack understanding in our African patterns and come up with erroneous conclusions that Kings cannot have more than one wife citing one passage as follows which I will explain shortly.

Note the bad translation from the King James Version Bible states incorrectly.

Deut 17:17 (KJV) Neither shall he (The king) multiply wives to himself, that his heart turn not away: neither shall he greatly multiply to himself silver and gold.

Abrahamic-Faith Hebraic Study Scriptures sheds some more light

Debarim 17:17 **Neither shall he greatly increase many wives** for himself, that his heart turn not away: neither shall he increase a great amount of silver and gold for himself.

If we follow the silly notions of today's scholars then King Solomon should have had one wife, one horse and one soldier and maybe for good measure we will throw in two gold coins and one silver coin. Does that look right for a king of his stature and of a powerful nation like Y'sra'el? If this was the case anyone would invade Y'sra'el and beat King Solomon and take over the land but thankfully the picture was very different. Do you know that the Temple had its golden vessels stolen by the Romans which measured some 8000 talents. One talent is around 12 pounds so now you tell me would YHWH forbid King Solomon to have gold but allow the priests in the Temple to acquire all that gold?

In fact a king must have lots of gold for his people and to keep in the treasury for the betterment of the country as a reserve item. King Solomon received his gold and diamonds on ships from Africa the finest gold and diamonds came from Africa.

First Kings 9:27-28 And Hiram sent in the navy his servants, shipmen that had knowledge of the sea, with the servants of Sulahmon. **28** And they came to Ophir, and fetched from there gold, four hundred and twenty talents, and brought it to king Sulahmon.

Hiram had a covenant with King Solomon and Ophir is the name from which we derive the modern term Africa. Proof that the best gold came from Africa and Saudi Arabia was called a region of Eastern Africa in ancient times.

A country is measured by its gold reserves so how much gold could King Solomon have? How much silver and pray tell how much bronze? Would one soldier be enough with threatening kingdoms on each side like the Egyptian Empire, the Assyrian Empire and the Grecian Empire? King Solomon should have had and did have an army and he was one of the few ancient kings to have a navy and skilled men to navigate ships which was a skill of Africans. Indeed he was a very wise man.

The case of King Solomon having one thousand wives shows us the problem was not the 1000 wives contrary to most scholar's opinions or biases but the fact that they turned his heart away from YHWH in his old age because many of them were heathen. So even if you being a believer marry an unbeliever, and she turns your heart away from Elohim as can happen then that one wife is too much. Should we then go for the model of no wife which is equally wrong which breaks Torah and is sure way to destroy ourselves?

We have a perfect example in scripture of this one wife, who caused folly in Y'sra'el with King Ahab and his wife Jezebel. So much so that a spirit in the demonic realm also has that name and it is unwise to call your daughters by the name of Jezebel. This spirit's aim is to dislodge people from Torah and make them rebel against YHWH's voice. Today if anywhere Torah disobedience is the strongest you can guarantee that the demonic realm and the spirit of Jezebel is present. There are ways to rid of Jezebel.

The wife of king Ahab called Jezebel did more damage in Y'sra'el bringing in Baalism than any other woman. Proving that one wrong wife was too much. Whereas if King Ahab had married twenty righteous women there would have been no problem. So a man has to decide for himself what he can support and sustain whether it be one wife or three wives. If a man has very little business and only one home then he can forego polygamy and live with the one wife provided she gives him the sons to continue his name. If she does not give him the sons then that will cause concerns in the home. One also needs to think if they can afford to run two or more homes and if they cannot then they should not take up plural marriages and best to stay monogamous.

In my personal opinion a righteous man who has lands and businesses to look after should aim for at least three wives minimum to place each wife in each area of the land if possible. Another man who does not have lands may decide otherwise as he so wishes so that they can be helpful to him in the business of YHWH perhaps placed in different cities to help in the work of the besorah between the cities which the man travels to and fro. I am going to tell you a little story of a man and his son. He went with his baby to the country of his foreign wife. There one night he ended up in a family dispute. His wife threatened to divorce him and told him to take his baby back to where he came from as she did not want him. The man begged the woman that the baby was on the mother's milk and how would he look after the baby as he had to work and how would his baby live without the mother who the baby was so attached to. The woman refused to listen. That night the man cried and realized that all these years when he had ample opportunity to acquire more wives he did not do so and he regretted his past decision thinking of how he will cater for his child. He thought he should have three wives at least. This was because he realized if one of his wife became unrighteous then he could at least fall back on the other two and his son would never be in this predicament that he was in thousands of miles away from home. Maybe one day I will tell you what happened to this man but he was not just 100% right but a 1000% right. Had he been wiser he would have never got into that situation in which his baby boy would have to endure a motherless life and the painful circumstances in which he had got into. Remember righteousness will cost you in this society of the godless we live in and one day you will realize what I wrote is true. I myself lived through a traumatic time in my teens when I found out my mother was dying from cancer, I wished my father had another wife as my father tried his best to treat the mother and work. Eventually she died and there was no one to look after the three of the youngest siblings and everyone refused to look after them except one aunt.

I was separated from my brother and two sisters for five years because I had no mother and they had no mother to look after them so we lived in separate countries.

My father would have been wiser to acquire a second wife earlier before my mother's death would have saved us all the separation and heartache.

This is why no matter what people think it is my personal advise to all of you to think over your situations and don't think that the one wife you have now will be forever faithful to you this may change tomorrow and you be like that man with the baby crying as to what to do next. Plan for the harsh realities ahead and ignore the religion of men and society and then you will succeed. The blessing of YHWH will be with those who obey the Torah and live it righteously.

The truth is that most Y'sraelites in ancient times while being in Egypt had up to seven wives each and some more.

Let me show you how the church behaved in the fourth century banning polygamy.

⁴At the council of Toledo, in A.D. 400, it was ordered, by canon seventeenth, that every Christian that had both a wife and a concubine should be excommunicated; but he should not be excommunicated who had only a concubine without a wife. At the fourth council of Carthage, A.D. 401, it was ordered, by canon seventieth, that all bishops, priests, and deacons, who had wives, must repudiate them, and live in celibacy, under penalty of deposition from office. Pope Innocent I., about A.D. 412, in his official letter to the two bishops of Abruzzo, orders them to depose those priests who had been guilty of the crime of having children since their ordination. Thus the seeds of Gnostic error, that had been sown in the church during the former periods of its history, now sprang up anew, and bore a plentiful harvest.

It is clear from the above paragraph that 4th century Christianity practiced polygamy until it was banned by the so called great church fathers. It is also clear that the Church was willing to have men divorce their wives which YHWH hates (Mal 2:16) but they were not allowed to have more than one wife which YHWH has completely allowed in his perfect will.

Isaiah 4:1 And in that day **seven women shall take hold of one man**, saying, "We will eat our own food and wear our own apparel; only let us be called by your name, to take away our reproach."

So what are we going to do now, allegorise, ignore scripture and pretend it's talking about the Messiah when it is not? Is the Messiah a beggar desperate for other women's food in the millennial kingdom to come?

These seven women came to marry this man and not just to give him their bread and clothes. These women are future women who will say you do not have to worry about our finances we will support our self but please marry us to the righteous living men.

⁴ [The History and Philosophy of Marriage, Or, Polygamy and Monogamy Compared 1869 page 132 by James Campbell.](#)

Of course a man who is capable of marrying seven women does not need the women's bread or clothes and has his own and plentiful for such an offer. Why do you think you can allegorise it by saying the man is the Messiah and he needs these women's bread? Foolishness reigns in many places.

Many Christians wrestle with Scripture by calling plural marriage the permissible will of Elohim but not the perfect will. Does Elohim have **two** "wills", the hybrid man one and another perfect one? Maybe His will is not so perfect that He will tolerate some things in humanity for the sake of humanity? Ridiculously silly notion.

Bmidbar 23:19 El (The Power) is not a man, that **he should lie**; neither the son of man, that he should repent: has he said, and shall he not do it? Or has he spoken, and shall he not make it good?

Only the unlearned would want to believe in such things, Elohim's will is always **PERFECT** no matter what time of the day it is or which year we are living in. There is no dualism with Elohim but that is a Christian dilemma and not a Torah issue for us at all.

The unrighteous Christians on the other hand teach unbiblical satanic doctrines. This is what one leading Christian called Pat Robertson quoted on his 700 club to a woman who said her friend was dating a woman while his wife was suffering with Alzheimer's disease and what she should advise him. The following was the advise of Pat Robertson

"I know it sounds cruel, but if he's going to do something, he should divorce her and start all over again, but make sure she has custodial care and somebody looking after her,"[end quote]

This is a perfect example where the Torah law of polygamy would have helped two individuals keeping the marriage together with the first wife and satisfying the need of the man also. Whether you believe it or not it's in the design a man will never stay with one woman his entire life.

If the same man had come to me I would have advised him in order to get a second wife he cannot divorce the first and to make sure the second wife is willing to look after the first through to the end and to understand what she is coming into. This is the difference between a Torah and a non Torah lifestyle that many Christians have chosen to follow. While YHWH hates divorce (Mal 2:16) a leading Christian leader on TV is telling people its okay to divorce a wife who is ill. This is how Christianity exposes it's self as an unrighteous religion and anyone who supports such a religion is also unrighteous by definition.

When Y'sra'el was in Egypt each man had at least seven wives to arrive at the number of children which are described as the first born in the book of Numbers (Num 1:46, 3:40-43).

Our father Abraham's wives were explicitly mentioned in the Torah, Isaac had two wives one was hidden from view n the pages of the Torah with her son since she did

not have a role to play, Jacob had four wives and YHWH declared that all the children of Jacob were His inheritance as one body called Y'sra'el. YHWH never singled out the sons of the concubines such as Zilpah and Bilhah and put them to one side. However today many people foolishly think they know better by thinking they follow Torah but they do not really uphold the Torah of our forefathers but are rejecters of it. They have created a new Torah and run after that which is called dualism a new law beside YHWH's law. Next time you go hating those who practice the polygamist lifestyle think of what you are doing and what unrighteousness you are creating which will have its consequences in your personal life.

Those who fear and serve YHWH in righteousness do not worry about such people but live under the truth and guidance of the Torah. Polygamy was the ancient pattern of our forefathers which has proven to work and will remain so in the future too. The Roman pattern of having one wife and hiding one mistress has proven to be a failure. The satanic polygamy of serial monogamy is also a failure where you marry one wife then divorce that one to take on another wife. The righteous polygamy pattern will stand forever and is a model of the millennial kingdom which many people will come to understand and adopt in later times. All righteous men and women who obey YHWH stay strong and do not falter. May all those who uphold Torah have a reward in this world and a multiple reward in the olam haba (coming world).

YHWH bless you and safe guard you. Chazak.

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- Why did Sarah die so suddenly?
- Did Moses marry in Egypt?

- Moses, what colour? White or Black.
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