## THE MIRACLES OF THE LOAVES AND FISHES (page 1)

Verifying the Timeline from the Flood to the Very Last Day (Miracle \#1, the Church Age)

| BIBLE PASSAGE | SPIRITUAL MEANING | VERSE |
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| "And Jesus, when he came out, saw much people, and was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd: and he began to teach them many things." | Jesus was setting an example of teaching truth from the gospel for the coming church age. | Mark 6:34 |
| "And when the day was now far spent, his disciples came unto him, and said, This is a desert place, and now the time is far passed:" | Christ's ministry would be coming to an end, and there was little water of the gospel out in the world. | Mark 6:35 |
| "Send them away, that they may go into the country round about, and into the villages, and buy themselves bread: for they have nothing to eat." | The disciples told Jesus to tell the people to look for truth out in the world. | Mark 6:36 |
| "He answered and said unto them, Give ye them to eat. And they say unto him, Shall we go and buy 200 pennyworth of bread, and give them to eat?" | But he told the disciples that it was soon time for them to do the ministering. They asked Him concerning where they should find their knowledge. | Mark 6:37 |
| "He saith unto them, How many loaves have ye? go and see. And when they knew, they say 5 and 2 fishes." | They would have the word of God (loaves) concerning the atonement (5). They were to send out the message as witnesses in the church age (2 fishes). | Mark 6:38 |
| "And he commanded them to make all sit down by companies upon the green grass." | The result would be successfully spreading the word of God (green grass) into the world. | Mark 6:39 |
| "And they sat down in ranks, by 100's and by 50's." | The alignment of individuals into denominations would start to develop. | Mark 6:40 |
| "And when he had taken the 5 loaves and the 2 fishes, he looked up to heaven, and blessed, and brake the loaves, and gave them to his disciples to set before them; and the 2 fishes divided he among them all." | Jesus passed on understanding of the message of salvation (brake the bread), and the church age (2 fishes divided he among them all) began. | Mark 6:41 |
| "And they did all eat, and were filled." | The spreading of the Gospel during the church age would be completed as God had planned. | Mark 6:42 |
| "And they took up 12 baskets full of the fragments, and of the fishes." | The fulfillment (12) of salvation (basket) during the church age meant only a remnant (fragment) would actually be saved. | Mark 6:43 |
| "And they that did eat of the loaves were about 5000 men." | The time between the flood and the beginning of the church age was $5000+$ 23 years (inclusive) (about 5000 men). | Mark 6:44 |
| "And straightway he constrained his disciples to get into the ship, and to go to the other side before unto Bethsaida, while he sent away the people." | The salvation plan for the church age was complete, dividing the saved (disciples to get into the ship), and the unsaved (he sent away the people). | Mark 6:45 |

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| "In those days the multitude being very great, and having nothing to eat, Jesus called his disciples unto him, and saith unto them," | There was still a great multitude to be saved during the great tribulation following the church age, but truth was not coming from the churches. | Mark 8:1 |
| "I have compassion on the multitude, because they have now been with me 3 days, and have nothing to eat." | Christ had paid for the sins of many more by his death on the cross (3 days), but it was not yet time to open the Bible concerning the final times. | Mark 8:2 |
| "And if I send them away fasting to their own houses, they will faint by the way: for divers of them came from far." | The people that God had planned to save that were still in the churches during the great tribulation had to come out to experience salvation. | Mark 8:3 |
| "And his disciples answered him, From whence can a man satisfy these men with bread here in the wilderness?" | The disciples were asking where the people coming out of the churches would find truth out in the world. | Mark 8:4 |
| "And he asked them, How many loaves have ye? And they said, 7." | Jesus replied that the perfect (7) word of God (loaves) is found in the Bible. | Mark 8:5 |
| "And he commanded the people to sit down on the ground: and he took the 7 loaves, and gave thanks, and brake, and gave to his disciples to set before them; and they did set them before the people." | The elect still in the churches were in an unfruitful environment (on the ground), but they received the message and came out to be saved. | Mark 8:6 |
| "And they had a few small fishes: and he blessed, and commanded to set them also before them." | The messengers were not numerous, but they had the mandate from God to deliver this message to the world. | Mark 8:7 |
| "So they did eat, and were filled: and they took up of the broken meat* that was left 7 baskets." | God's word reached everyone (they did eat), and salvation (baskets) was perfectly fulfilled (7), but there would still be more information (broken bread). | Mark 8:8 |
| "And they that had eaten were about 4,000: and he sent them away." | The time between the birth of Jacob (a picture of all true believers) in 2007BC, and the start of the latter rain in 1994, was 4,000 years (about 4,000 men). | Mark 8:9 |
| "And straightway he entered into a ship with his disciples, and came into the parts of Dalmanutha." | All of God's elect are together with the Lord Jesus in the promise of salvation. | Mark 8:10 |
| "And he sighed deeply in his spirit, and saith, Why doth this generation seek after a sign? verily I say unto you, There shall no sign be given unto this generation." | No outward signs will be given of the end days, but the signs will appear in the Bible. God has placed this verse immediately following these miracles to show us that these events contain end time information. | Mark 8:12 |
| "When I brake the 5 loaves among 5,000, how many baskets full of fragments took ye up? They say unto him, 12. And when the 7 among 4000, how many baskets full of fragments took ye up? And they said, 7. And he said unto them, How is it that ye do not understand?" | God is telling us that the 2 events are linked, and so when taken together will explain truth. Numbers will be the key to understanding here. | Mark 8:19-21 |

* "meat" is not in the original Greek, but was inserted by the translators. It should be "bread", as the fish was not broken.


## THE MIRACLES OF THE LOAVES AND FISHES (page 3)

Verifying the Timeline from the Flood to the Very Last Day (The 2 Miracles)

| MIRACLE \#1, THE CHURCH AGE |  | MIRACLE \#2 THE GREAT TRIBULATION |  |
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|  |  | - The 7 loaves were each broken in half, and each h |  <br> fed 6 companies of 50 . |
| The 5 loaves were each br The 2 fishes were passed The 2 fishes were passed Whatever portions were ta The last person in each co | in half, and each half fed 10 companies of 50 . aneously in 2 adjacent rows to feed 2500 each. each person were immediately regenerated. put whatever he did not take into the basket. | The 7 loaves were each broken in half, and each half fed 6 companies of 50 . The 3 fish were passed simultaneously in 3 adjacent rows to feed 1400 each. Whatever pieces of bread taken were immediately regenerated for the next person. The last person in each column put into the basket whatever bread he did not take. The fishes were small, so each man took the fish, which was immediately replaced The last 3 people to take their whole fish had no fish leftover to put in a basket. |  |
| "...By 100's and by 50's." There are 100 units of 50 , so 100 times 100 units = $100 \times 100=10,000$ There are 10,000 days left from the end of this age. | World is ripe for the word. (Green grass) 5,000 yrs. from flood to church age. (5,000) Message of hope from the atonement. (5) - Two witnesses during the church age. (2) Fulliness of the church age salvation. (12) More information left in the Bible. (Bread) More of God's people to be saved. (Fish) - |  | "...By 100's and by 50's." There are 84 units of 50 , so 100 times 84 units $=$ $100 \times 84=8,400$ There are 8,400 days in the great tribulation. |
| "...Make them all sit down by 50's in a company." Luke $9: 14$ A company is a relaxed group like at a party. Imagine watching the food regenerate or multiply over and over! "And they sat down in ranks, by 100 's and by 50 's" ${ }^{\text {" }}$ Mark $6: 40$ There are 10,000 days after the church age, 8400 are the great tribulation, so judgment day is 1600 days. "And they sat down in ranks, by 100 's and by 50 's" Mark $6: 40$ Each company of 50 was paired off to split a loaf, therefore also being a group of 100 . (See shaded 50 's.) "And ye shall hallow the 50 th year,..." Leviticus $25: 10$ "....after the 7 th sabbath shall ye number 50 days;..." Leviticus $23: 16$ 50's mark time in the Bible, so people signify time. From the atonement to the day after the great tribulation ends, which is the beginning of the day of judgment, it is 722,500 days, or ( $17 \times 17 \times 50 \times 50$ ). |  |  |  |
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