

God's Plan for solving Poverty

God's Three Sabbaths: A Sabbath of Days → A Sabbath of Years → A Sabbath²

Leviticus 25: 1-2 The LORD then spoke to Moses at Mount Sinai, saying, "Speak to the sons of Israel and say to them, 'When you come into the land which I shall give you, then the land shall have a sabbath to the LORD.

3 Six years you shall sow your field, and six years you shall prune your vineyard and gather in its crop

4 but during the seventh year the land shall have a Sabbath rest, a Sabbath to the LORD; you shall not sow your field nor prune your vineyard.

10 You shall thus consecrate the fiftieth year and proclaim a release through the land to all its inhabitants. It shall be a jubilee for you, and each of you shall return to his own property, and each of you shall return to his family.

11 You shall have the fiftieth year as a jubilee; you shall not sow, nor reap its aftergrowth, nor gather in from its untrimmed vines.

35 'Now in case a countryman of yours becomes poor and his means falter, then you are to ~~sustain him~~ **give him a hand**.

36 Do not take interest from him, but revere your God, that your countryman may live with you.

37 You shall not give him your silver at interest, nor your food for gain.

Exodus 22:25 "If you lend money to My people, to the poor among you, you are not to act as a creditor to him; you shall not charge him interest.

39 'If a countryman of yours becomes so poor that he sells himself to you, you shall not subject him to a slave's service.

40 He shall be with you as a hired man; he shall serve with you until the year of jubilee.

41 He shall then go out from you, he and his sons with him, and shall go back to his family, that he may return to the property of his forefathers.... In respect to your countrymen, the sons of Israel, you shall not rule with severity over one another.

Luke 20:45 - 46 And while all the people were listening, He said to the disciples, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and love respectful greetings in the market places, and chief seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets,

47 who devour widows' houses...

47 'Now if the means of a ~~stranger~~ **proselyte** with you becomes sufficient, and a countryman of yours becomes so poor with regard to him as to sell himself to a ~~stranger~~ **proselyte**,

48 - 49 then he shall have redemption right after he has been sold. One of his brothers may redeem him, or his uncle, or his uncle's son, may redeem him, or one of his blood relatives from his family may redeem him; or if he prospers, he may redeem himself.

Romans 1:1 Paul, a ~~bond servant~~ **free will servant** of Christ Jesus, called as an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God

John 15:15 No longer do I call you slaves, for the slave does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you.

Philippians 2:5 Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus,

6 who, although He ~~existed in the form of God~~ **subsisted** in the **essential nature / essence** of God, did not regard equality with God a thing ~~to be grasped~~ to **keep clinging to**

7 but emptied Himself, taking the form of ~~a bond servant~~ a **free-will** servant, and being made in the likeness of men.

Galatians 4:4 But when the fullness of the time came, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law

Leviticus 25:18 'You shall thus observe My statutes and keep My judgments, so as to carry them out, that you may live securely on the land.

Colossians 1:9 For this reason also, since the day we heard of it {their salvation}, we have not ceased to pray for you and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding,

10 so that you will walk in a manner ~~worthy of~~ **equal** to the Lord, ~~to please Him in all respects~~ **in all pleasant ways**, bearing fruit in every good work every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God;

11 strengthened with all power, according to His glorious might, for the attaining of all steadfastness and ~~patience~~ **resilience**;

12 joyously giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in Light.

I Peter 2:9 But you are A CHOSEN RACE, A royal PRIESTHOOD, A HOLY NATION, A PEOPLE FOR *God's* OWN POSSESSION, so that you may proclaim the excellencies of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light