# Abraham's Land

**Reasons to Visit the Promised Land** 









#### God Called Abram to Canaan

- Abram lived in the city of Ur, of the Chaldeans.
- He first moved 600 miles northwest to Haran.
- After his father died, he traveled 400 miles south.
- He came to a place called Sichem and worshipped.
- God said He would give this land to Abram's seed.



"And the LORD appeared unto Abram, and said, <u>Unto</u> <u>thy seed will I give this land</u>: and there builded he an altar unto the LORD, who appeared unto him." Genesis 12:7

14 And the LORD said unto Abram, after that Lot was separated from him, Lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward:
15 For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever.

Genesis 13:15-16

"Arise, walk through the land in the length of it and in the breadth of it; for <u>I will give it unto thee</u>." Genesis 13:18

"In the same day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, <u>Unto thy seed have I given this land</u>, from the river of Egypt unto the great river, the river Euphrates:"

Genesis 15:18

"And I will give unto thee, and to thy seed after thee, the land wherein thou art a stranger, all the land of Canaan, for an everlasting possession; and I will be their God."

Genesis 17:8

"Sojourn in this land, and I will be with thee, and will bless thee; for unto thee, and unto thy seed, I will give all these countries, and I will perform the oath which I sware unto Abraham thy father;" Genesis 26:3

"And give thee the blessing of Abraham, to thee, and to thy seed with thee; <u>that thou mayest inherit the land</u> <u>wherein thou art a stranger, which God gave unto</u> <u>Abraham</u>."

Genesis 28:4

## What Did God Promise and Do?

- God promised the land to Abram. Did Abram get it?
- God promised the land to his seed. Did Isaac get it?
- God promised the land to his seed. Did Jacob get it?
- God promised the land forever? Did they get it?
- God promised the land forever? Did they lose it?

## Abraham Did Not Get the Land!

4 Then came he out of the land of the Chaldaeans, and dwelt in Charran: and from thence, when his father was dead, he removed him into this land, wherein ye now dwell.

5 <u>And he gave him none inheritance in it, no, not so</u> <u>much as to set his foot on: yet he promised that he</u> <u>would give it to him for a possession, and to his seed</u> <u>after him</u>, when as yet he had no child. <u>Acts 7:4-5</u>

#### Isaac Did Not Get the Land!

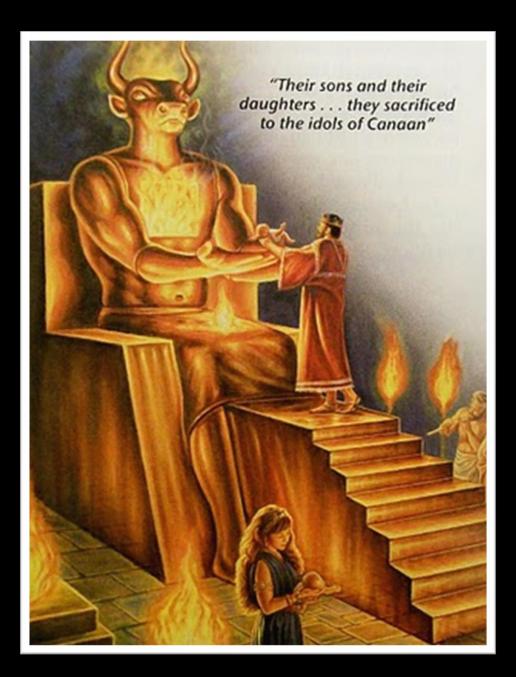
"And Jacob dwelt in the land wherein his father was a stranger, in the land of Canaan." Genesis 37:1

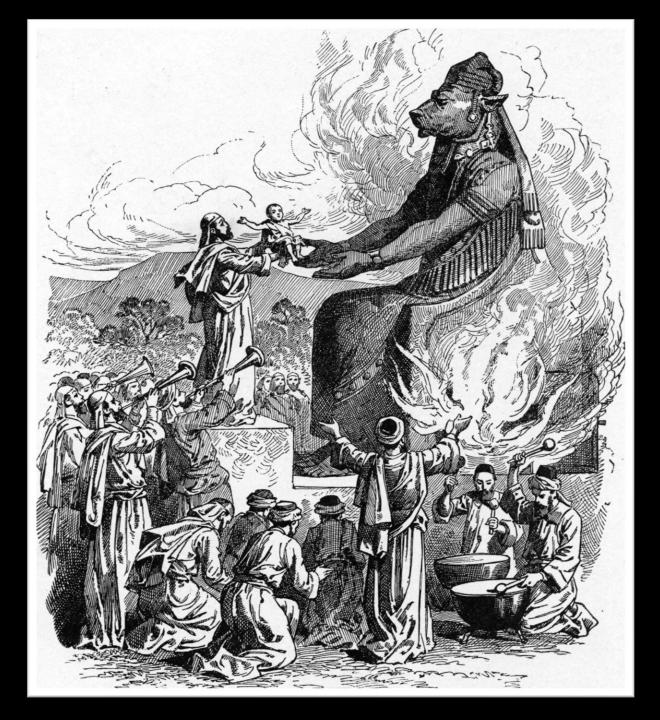
## The Israelites Lost the Land!

"The LORD shall bring thee, and thy king which thou shalt set over thee, unto a nation which neither thou nor thy fathers have known; and there shalt thou serve other gods, wood and stone."

Deuteronomy 28:36

"And the LORD rooted them out of their land in anger, and in wrath, and in great indignation, and cast them into another land, as it is this day." Deuteronomy 29:28





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- Did God keep His promise of the <u>whole land</u>?
- Did God keep His promise of the land forever?

## What Do We Believe?

- We believe Abraham understood a different land.
- We believe God gave all the promised land to Israel.
- We believe the land was only for Israel conditionally.
- We believe Israel sinned and lost the physical land.
- All that is left ... is for you to visit the promised land!

## Why Do We Believe It?

- Because the Bible tells us so clearly and repeatedly.
- Because we do not care what men may think or say.
- Because we know the N.T. rightly explains the O.T.
- Because we know the real seed of Abraham (Gal 3:16).
- Because we know where Lazarus is and will go there!

# **THE NEW** SCOFIELD REFERENCE BIBLE WITH CONCORDANCE

## C.I. Scofield Told Jewish Fables

- C.I. Scofield said God never gave Israel all the land.
- C.I. Scofield said God owes Israel the land forever.
- C.I. Scofield said it was promised unconditionally.
- Paul in the Bible warned us about Jewish fables.
- There are lots of problems with Scofield we'll ignore.

## Does Anybody Believe C.I. Scofield?

- Not very many ... but Bob Jones University does.
- Not very many ... but Dallas Theological Seminary does.
- Not very many ... but every one liking Jewish fables.
- Not very many ... but Fundamentalist Baptists do.
- Not very many ... but Congressional warmongers do.

## Here Is What C.I. Scofield Wrote

"The Palestinian Covenant gives the conditions under which Israel entered the land of promise. It is important to see that <u>the nation has never as yet</u> <u>taken the land under the unconditional Abrahamic</u> <u>covenant, nor has it ever possessed the whole land."</u>

Scofield Reference Bible, page 250. New Scofield Reference Bible, page 251.

## Here Is C.I. Scofield's Fable! (1)

- God never gave Israel the whole land promised.
- He still owes them the whole land, so we must help.
- He still owes them the whole land, so they will get it.
- God did not give it unconditionally like He promised.
- So He is going to yet give it to them unconditionally.

# Here Is C.I. Scofield's Fable! (2)

- God has no land for Gentiles: the Jews are His people.
- The time when God gives the land is the millennium.
- God will have His favorite people on Abraham's land.
- Jesus will reign in Jerusalem on a new Jewish throne.
- The Gentile church is a recess in God's prophetic plan.

# Did God Give Israel All the Land? (1)

"So Joshua took the whole land, according to all that the LORD said unto Moses; and Joshua gave it for an inheritance unto Israel according to their divisions by their tribes. And the land rested from war."

Joshua 11:23

## C.I. Scofield Is a Liar!

- He said God did <u>not</u> give Israel all the land.
- But God said He did give Israel all the land.
- Can you smell the same spirit that was in Eden?
- Who shall we believe? God or C.I. Scofield?
- Our website? Let God be true, but every man a liar!

# Did God Give Israel All the Land? (2)

43 <u>And the LORD gave unto Israel all the land which he</u> <u>sware to give unto their fathers</u>; and they possessed it, and dwelt therein.

44 And the LORD gave them rest round about, according to all that he sware unto their fathers: and there stood not a man of all their enemies before them; the LORD delivered all their enemies into their hand.

45 There failed not ought of any good thing which the LORD had spoken unto the house of Israel; all came to pass.

Joshua 21:43-45

# Did God Give Israel All the Land? (3)

14 ... and ye know in all your hearts and in all your souls, that not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the LORD your God spake concerning you; all are come to pass unto you, and not one thing hath failed thereof. 15 Therefore it shall come to pass, that as all good things are come upon you, which the LORD your God promised you; so shall the LORD bring upon you all evil things, until he have destroyed you from off this good land which the LORD your God hath given you.

Joshua 23:14-15

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (4)

"Then hear thou in heaven, and forgive the sin of thy people Israel, and bring them again unto the land which thou gavest unto their fathers."

I Kings 8:34

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (5)

"Blessed be the LORD, that hath given rest unto his people Israel, according to all that he promised: <u>there</u> <u>hath not failed one word of all his good promise</u>, which he promised by the hand of Moses his servant." I Kings 8:56

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (6)

7 Thou art the LORD the God, who didst choose Abram, and broughtest him forth out of Ur of the Chaldees, and gavest him the name of Abraham; 8 And foundest his heart faithful before thee, and madest a covenant with him to give the land of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, and the Perizzites, and the Jebusites, and the Girgashites, to give it, I say, to his seed, and hast performed thy words; for thou art righteous:

Nehemiah 9:7-8

## If God Did Not Give all the Land ...

- Then He is not the LORD the God!
- Then He is not righteous!
- C.I. Scofield puts his fable over God being righteous.
- Do you believe the LORD is the God? Amen!
- Do you believe the LORD God is righteous? Amen!

# Did God Give Israel All the Land? (7)

23 ... and broughtest them into the land, concerning which thou hadst promised to their fathers, that they should go in to possess it.

24 <u>So the children went in and possessed the land</u>, and thou subduedst before them the inhabitants of the land....

25 And they took strong cities, and a fat land ... so they did eat, and were filled, and became fat, and <u>delighted</u> <u>themselves in thy great goodness</u>.

Nehemiah 9:23-25

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (8)

- 1 We have heard with our ears, O God, our fathers have told us, what work thou didst in their days, in the times of old.
- 2 <u>How thou didst drive out the heathen with thy hand,</u> <u>and plantedst them</u>....
- 3 For they got not the land in possession by their own sword, neither did their own arm save them: but thy right hand, and thine arm, and the light of thy countenance, because thou hadst a favour unto them. Psalm 44:1-3

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (9)

10 Who smote great nations, and slew mighty kings;
11 Sihon king of the Amorites, and Og king of Bashan, and all the kingdoms of Canaan:
12 <u>And gave their land for an heritage, an heritage</u> unto Israel his people.

Psalm 135:10-12

## Did God Give Israel All the Land? (10)

22 And hast given them this land, which thou didst swear to their fathers to give them, a land flowing with milk and honey;

23 And they came in, and possessed it; but they obeyed not thy voice, neither walked in thy law; they have done nothing of all that thou commandedst them to do: therefore thou hast caused all this evil to come upon them:

Jeremiah 32:22-23

## Did God Give Israel all the Land?

- Yes, if we believe the Bible over C.I. Scofield!
- How many times does the Bible have to repeat it!
- Joshua did the first phase of possession.
- David did the second phase of possession.
- Do you want a Bible with Scofield's lies on the page?

## Was the Land Promise Unconditional?

- No! God warned Israel often that they could lose it.
- No! God ripped them off the land for disobedience.
- If it was unconditional to Abraham, he got none of it.
- If it was unconditional to Isaac, he got none of it.
- But the Bible says all God's promises were fulfilled.

## Did Abraham Want Canaan? (1)

8 By faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went.

9 By faith he sojourned in the land of promise, <u>as in a</u> <u>strange country</u>, dwelling in tabernacles with Isaac and Jacob, the heirs with him of the same promise:
10 For he looked for a city which hath foundations, <u>whose builder and maker is God</u>.

Hebrews 11:8-10

## Did Abraham Want Canaan? (2)

13 These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them, and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth.

14 For they that say such things declare plainly that they seek a country.

15 And truly, if they had been mindful of that country from whence they came out, they might have had opportunity to have returned.

16 But now they desire a better country, that is, an heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city (Heb 11:13-16).

#### Did Abraham Get His Land?

- Yes, he got his land! God promised it ... he wanted it!
- He was looking for a heavenly country, heavenly city!
- What is his land called? <u>Abraham's bosom</u>!
- Who is the seed of Abraham? Jesus and His children!
- Do they get the heavenly land forever? Most surely!

## Hate Jewish Fables! Love truth! (1)

- C.I. Scofield told fables, and there are many more.
- Paul warned about his fables (Titus 1:14; II Thess 2:1-3).
- God gave Israel's kingdom to us (Matt 21:33-46; 22:1-14).
- Jews and Gentiles have a better kingdom (He 12:18-29).
- Jesus is on His throne in Jerusalem (Rev 2:27; 3:7,21).

## Hate Jewish Fables! Love truth! (2)

- Jesus united Jews and Gentiles in one body (Ep 2:11-22).
- David's kingdom is built with Gentiles (Acts 15:13-18).
- There is no difference of Jews and Gentiles (Gal 3:28).
- We Gentiles are like Isaac, sons of promise (Ga 4:21-31).
- Unsaved Jews are like Ishmael, reprobates (Ga 4:21-31).

## Hate Jewish Fables! Love truth! (3)

- The promises made to Abraham are fulfilled in Jesus!
- Jesus is the seed of Abraham (Ga 3:16)! Never forget!
- You are the seed of Abraham (Ga 3:7,28-29)! Love it!
- Fleshly seed of Abraham is rejected (Ro 9:6-8; Rev 3:9).
- Jesus is in the promised land waiting for you (Jn 14:1-6).

## **For Further Study**

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