

Who Is The Seed of Abraham?



Orthodox Jews?

Baptized Christians?

Nation of Israel?

Galatians 3:16 – “Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made ...”

God made incredible promises to Abraham and his seed about 4,000 years ago ... promises of a land for an everlasting possession, an innumerable family, destruction of their enemies, and blessings on all nations of the earth. Who is the seed of Abraham? The answer should be important to every reader.

The Seed of Abraham is Christ and His elect.

“Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.” [Galatians 3:16](#)

“For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. And if ye be Christ’s, then are ye Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise.” [Galatians 3:27-29](#)

What about the promise of the land?

“And it came to pass, that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham’s bosom:
the rich man also died, and was buried;” [Luke 16:22](#)

“And said unto him, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and come into the land which I shall shew thee. 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. And he gave him none inheritance in it, no, not so much as to set his foot on: yet he promised that he would give it to him for a possession, and to his seed after him, when as yet he had no child.” [Acts 7:3-5](#)

“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. By faith he sojourned in the land of promise, as in a strange country, dwelling in tabernacles with Isaac and Jacob, the heirs with him of the same promise: For he looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God... 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. For they that say such things declare plainly that they seek a country. And truly, if they had been mindful of that country from whence they came out, they might have had opportunity to have returned. 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.” [Hebrews 11:8-16](#)

What about an innumerable family?

“And they sung a new song, saying, Thou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation; And hast made us unto our God kings and priests: and we shall reign on the earth.” [Revelation 5:9-10](#)

“After this I beheld, and, lo, a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands; And cried with a loud voice, saying, Salvation to our God which sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb.” [Revelation 7:9-10](#)

What about taking their enemies' gate?

“And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.” [Matthew 16:18](#)

“But if I with the finger of God cast out devils, no doubt the kingdom of God is come upon you. When a strong man armed keepeth his palace, his goods are in peace: But when a stronger than he shall come upon him, and overcome him, he taketh from him all his armour wherein he trusted, and divideth his spoils.” [Luke 11:21-22](#)

“For he must reign, till he hath put all enemies under his feet. The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death.” [1 Corinthians 15:25-26](#)

“Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, nailing it to his cross; And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, triumphing over them in it.” [Colossians 2:14-15](#)

What about blessings on all the nations of the earth?

“By whom we have received grace and apostleship, for obedience to the faith among all nations, for his name:” [Romans 1:5](#)

“But now is made manifest, and by the scriptures of the prophets, according to the commandment of the everlasting God, made known to all nations for the obedience of faith:” [Romans 16:26](#)

“And the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham, saying, In thee shall all nations be blessed.” [Galatians 3:8](#)

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But what about Jerusalem?

“For this Agar is mount Sinai in Arabia, and answereth to Jerusalem which now is, and is in bondage with her children. But Jerusalem which is above is free, which is the mother of us all.” [Galatians 4:25-26](#)

“For he looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God.” [Hebrews 11:10](#)

“But ye are come unto mount Sion, and unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to an innumerable company of angels,” [Hebrews 12:22](#)

“For here have we no continuing city, but we seek one to come.” [Hebrews 13:14](#)

Are only some Israelites the seed

of Abraham?

“Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and saith of him, Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!” [John 1:47](#)

“Not as though the word of God hath taken none effect. For they are not all Israel, which are of Israel: Neither, because they are the seed of Abraham, are they all children: but, In Isaac shall thy seed be called. That is, They which are the children of the flesh, these are not the children of God: but the children of the promise are counted for the seed.” [Romans 9:6-8](#)

“And as many as walk according to this rule, peace be on them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.” [Galatians 6:16](#)

Are only some Jews the seed of Abraham?

“They answered and said unto him, Abraham is our father. Jesus saith unto them, If ye were Abraham’s children, ye would do the works of Abraham.” [John 8:39](#)

“For he is not a Jew, which is one outwardly; neither is that circumcision, which is outward in the flesh: But he is a Jew, which is one inwardly; and circumcision is that of the heart, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God.” [Romans 2:28-29](#)

“I know thy works, and tribulation, and poverty, (but thou art rich) and I know the blasphemy of them which say they are Jews, and are not, but are the synagogue of Satan.” [Revelation 2:9](#)

“Behold, I will make them of the synagogue of Satan, which say they are Jews, and are not, but do lie; behold, I will make them to come and worship before thy feet, and to know that I

have loved thee.” [Revelation 3:9](#)

So Israel is a spiritual nation of elect Jews and Gentiles?

“Simeon hath declared how God at the first did visit the Gentiles, to take out of them a people for his name. And to this agree the words of the prophets; as it is written, After this I will return, and will build again the tabernacle of David, which is fallen down; and I will build again the ruins thereof, and I will set it up: That the residue of men might seek after the Lord, and all the Gentiles, upon whom my name is called, saith the Lord, who doeth all these things. Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world.” [Acts 15:14-18](#)

“But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light: Which in time past were not a people, but are now the people of God: which had not obtained mercy, but now have obtained mercy.” [I Peter 2:9-10](#)

But John Hagee supports the nation of Israel?

“Holding fast the faithful word as he hath been taught, that he may be able by sound doctrine both to exhort and to convince the gainsayers. For there are many unruly and vain talkers and deceivers, specially they of the circumcision: Whose mouths must be stopped, who subvert whole houses, teaching things which they ought not, for filthy lucre’s sake.... Wherefore rebuke them sharply, that they may be sound in the faith; Not giving heed to Jewish fables, and commandments of men, that turn from the truth.” [Titus 1:9-14](#)

But Genesis 12:3 teaches blessings for F-15s to Israel?

“And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.” [Genesis 12:3](#)

“And the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham, saying, In thee shall all nations be blessed.” [Galatians 3:8](#)

“Ye are the children of the prophets, and of the covenant which God made with our fathers, saying unto Abraham, And in thy seed shall all the kindreds of the earth be blessed. Unto you first God, having raised up his Son Jesus, sent him to bless you, in turning away every one of you from his iniquities.” [Acts 3:25-26](#)

Is America great for having protected the Jews?

Any greatness of America based on political policy is due to the protection and liberties she provided for the true followers of Jesus Christ, not the [antichristian Jews and their Zionist state in Israel](#). It is blessing and favoring Jesus Christ and His elect and the preaching of the gospel that brings God's blessings on a people, not sending military aid to Israel!

Can doctrine be based on a single letter – seed vs. seeds?

“Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed,

which is Christ.” [Galatians 3:16](#)

“But as touching the resurrection of the dead, have ye not read that which was spoken unto you by God, saying, I am the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob? God is not the God of the dead, but of the living. And when the multitude heard this, they were astonished at his doctrine.” [Matthew 22:31-33](#)

“Saying, What think ye of Christ? whose son is he? They say unto him, The Son of David. He saith unto them, How then doth David in spirit call him Lord, saying, The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand, till I make thine enemies thy footstool? If David then call him Lord, how is he his son?”[Matthew 22:42-45](#)

“Then said the Jews unto him, Thou art not yet fifty years old, and hast thou seen Abraham? Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Before Abraham was, I am.” [John 8:57-58](#)

“Jesus answered them, Is it not written in your law, I said, Ye are gods? If he called them gods, unto whom the word of God came, and the scripture cannot be broken; Say ye of him, whom the Father hath sanctified, and sent into the world, Thou blasphemest; because I said, I am the Son of God?” [John 10:34-36](#)

“But now, after that ye have known God, or rather are known of God, how turn ye again to the weak and beggarly elements, whereunto ye desire again to be in bondage?” [Galatians 4:9](#)

“In that he saith, A new covenant, he hath made the first old. Now that which decayeth and waxeth old is ready to vanish away.” [Hebrews 8:13](#)

“Whose voice then shook the earth: but now he hath promised, saying, Yet once more I shake not the earth only, but also heaven. And this word, Yet once more, signifieth the removing

of those things that are shaken, as of things that are made, that those things which cannot be shaken may remain.” [Hebrews 12:26-27](#)

What do modern Bibles do with the Seed of Abraham?

They corrupt and pervert the words of the living God! They change the word “seed” in the Old Testament promises to Abraham to “descendants,” “children,” or “offspring.” This profane corruption of Scripture, altering the Old Testament to contradict [Galatians 3:16](#), does the following:

1. Denies their Old Testaments to be the words of God!
2. Replaces salvation by grace with national blessings on a race!
3. Promotes Jewish fables that Paul had to oppose 2000 years ago!
4. Causes Americans to support the most antichristian state on earth!
5. Steals the good news and joyful sound of God’s blessings on Gentiles!
6. Replaces the Lord Jesus Christ with Golda Meir and Menachem Begin!
7. Relegates the kingdom and churches of Jesus Christ to a pitiful after-thought!

Modern Bibles Correctly Say the Old Testament has Singular ‘Seed’

Galatians 3:16

King James Version

“Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.”

New King James Version

“Now to Abraham and his Seed were the promises made. He does not say, “And to seeds,” as of many, but as of one, “And to your Seed,” who is Christ.”

Modern Bibles Correctly Say the Seed is Christ – Includes Those in Him

Galatians 3:27-29

King James Version

“For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. And if ye be Christ’s, then are ye Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise.”

New King James Version

“For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ’s, then you are Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise.”

But Modern Bibles Corrupt Old Testament with Plural 'Descendants'

Genesis 12:7

King James Version

"And the LORD appeared unto Abram, and said, Unto thy seed will I give this land: and there builded he an altar unto the LORD, who appeared unto him"

New King James Version

"Then the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "To your descendants I will give this land." And there he built an altar to the LORD, who had appeared to him"

Genesis 13:15-16

King James Version

"For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever. And I will make thy seed as the dust of the earth: so that if a man can number the dust of the earth, then shall thy seed also be numbered"

New King James Version

"All the land which you see I give to you and your descendants forever. And I will make your descendants as the dust of the earth; so that if a man could number the dust of the earth, then your descendants also could be numbered"

Genesis 15:5

King James Version

"And he brought him forth abroad, and said, Look now toward

heaven, and tell the stars, if thou be able to number them:
and he said unto him, So shall thy seed be”

New King James Version

“Then He brought him outside and said, “Look now toward heaven, and count the stars if you are able to number them.”
And He said to him, “So shall your descendants be”

Genesis 15:13

King James Version

“And he said unto Abram, Know of a surety that thy seed shall be a stranger in a land that is not theirs, and shall serve them; and they shall afflict them four hundred years”

New King James Version

“Then He said to Abram: “Know certainly that your descendants will be strangers in a land that is not theirs, and will serve them, and they will afflict them four hundred years”

Genesis 15:18

King James Version

“In the same day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, Unto thy seed have I given this land, from the river of Egypt unto the great river, the river Euphrates”

New King James Version

“On the same day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying: “To your descendants I have given this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the River Euphrates—”

Genesis 17:8-10

King James Version

“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. And God said unto Abraham, Thou shalt keep my covenant therefore, thou, and thy seed after thee in their generations. This is my covenant, which ye shall keep, between me and you and thy seed after thee; Every man child among you shall be circumcised”

New King James Version

“Also I give to you and your descendants after you the land in which you are a stranger, all the land of Canaan, as an everlasting possession; and I will be their God.” And God said to Abraham: “As for you, you shall keep My covenant, you and your descendants after you throughout their generations. This is My covenant which you shall keep, between Me and you and your descendants after you: Every male child among you shall be circumcised;”

Genesis 17:19

King James Version

“And God said, Sarah thy wife shall bear thee a son indeed; and thou shalt call his name Isaac: and I will establish my covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with his seed after him”

New King James Version

“And God said, Sarah thy wife shall bear thee a son indeed; and thou shalt call his name Isaac: and I will establish my covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with

his seed after him”

Genesis 21:12

King James Version

“And God said unto Abraham, Let it not be grievous in thy sight because of the lad, and because of thy bondwoman; in all that Sarah hath said unto thee, hearken unto her voice; for in Isaac shall thy seed be called”

New King James Version

“But God said to Abraham, “Do not let it be displeasing in your sight because of the lad or because of your bondwoman. Whatever Sarah has said to you, listen to her voice; for in Isaac your seed shall be called”

Genesis 22:17-18

King James Version

“That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore; and thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies; And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed; because thou hast obeyed my voice”

New King James Version

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Genesis 24:7

King James Version

“The LORD God of heaven, which took me from my father’s house, and from the land of my kindred, and which spake unto me, and that sware unto me, saying, Unto thy seed will I give this land; he shall send his angel before thee, and thou shalt take a wife unto my son from thence”

New King James Version

“The LORD God of heaven, who took me from my father’s house and from the land of my family, and who spoke to me and swore to me, saying, ‘To your descendants I give this land,’ He will send His angel before you, and you shall take a wife for my son from there”

All modern Bibles corrupt the promises made to Abraham and his single SEED, which is Jesus Christ! They give the promises to plural physical Jews instead!

| Version | “Seed” Perverted to: |
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| Revised Standard (1952) | “Descendants” |
| Modern Language (1959) | “Offspring” |
| Amplified Bible (1964) | “Posterity” |
| Jerusalem (1966) | “Descendants” |
| New Life Version (1969) | “Children” |
| New American Bible (1970) | “Descendants” |
| New American Standard Version (1970) | “Descendants” |
| New English Bible (1970) | “Descendants” |

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| Living Bible (1971) | "Descendants" |
| Good News Bible (1976) | "Descendants" |
| New International Version (1978) | "Descendants" |
| Reader's Digest Bible (1982) | "Descendants" |
| New Century (1986) | "Descendants" |
| New Revised Standard (1989) | "Offspring" |
| Contemporary English Version (1995) | "Descendants" |
| God's Word (1995) | "Descendants" |
| New International Reader's (1996) | "Children" |
| New Living Translation (1996) | "Children" |
| English Standard Version (2001) | "Offspring" |
| The Message (2002) | "Descendants" |
| Holman Christian Standard (2004) | "Offspring" |
| The Story (2005) | "Descendants" |

For Further Study:

The sermon, "[The True Israel](#)," proves that the people God loves and blesses are His elect in Jesus Christ.

The sermon, "[The Gospel Millennium](#)," proves the Bible millennium is this present gospel age in Jesus Christ.

The document, "[Every Word of God](#)," gives Bible examples of Jesus and Paul arguing doctrine from single words.