

Timeline of Truth: God Appoints Feasts to Be Observed (Leviticus 23:1-44)

<p>^{23:1} And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ² "Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: `The feasts of the LORD, which you shall proclaim <i>to be</i> holy convocations, these <i>are</i> My feasts.</p>	<p>GOD'S APPOINTS FEASTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "feast" – appointed _____ [meeting or feast] • "convocation" – sacred _____
<p>³ `Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day <i>is</i> a Sabbath of solemn rest, a holy convocation. You shall do no work <i>on it</i>; <i>it is</i> the Sabbath of the LORD in all your dwellings.</p>	<p align="center">_____ SABBATH</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Week</p> <p>Length?: _____ Hours (Sundown to Sundown)</p> <p>Why?: Review Our Constant _____ of God</p>
<p>⁴ `These <i>are</i> the feasts of the LORD, holy convocations which you shall proclaim at their appointed times.</p>	<p align="center">_____ FEASTS</p>
<p>⁵ `On the fourteenth <i>day</i> of the first month at twilight <i>is</i> the LORD'S Passover. Ex 12:1-14 ² This month <i>shall be</i> your beginning of months; it <i>shall be</i> the first month of the year to you. ³ Speak to all the congregation of Israel, saying: `On the tenth <i>day</i> of this month every man shall take for himself a lamb, according to the house of <i>his</i> father, a lamb for a household...⁵ Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male of the first year. You may take <i>it</i> from the sheep or from the goats. ⁶ `Now you shall keep it until the fourteenth day of the same month. Then the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill it at twilight.</p>	<p>1. The Feast of _____</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: 1 Evening _____</p> <p>Why?: To Recall God's _____ from Egypt</p> <p>Christ?: _____ as the Lamb of God</p>
<p>⁶ `And on the fifteenth day of the same month <i>is</i> the Feast of Unleavened Bread to the LORD; seven days you must eat unleavened bread. ⁷ `On the first day you shall have a holy convocation; you shall do no customary work on it. ⁸ `But you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD for seven days. The seventh day <i>shall be</i> a holy convocation; you shall do no customary work <i>on it</i>." Ex 12:15-20</p>	<p>2. The Feast of _____</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: _____ Days (including pilgrimage)</p> <p>Why?: To Recall Leaving Egypt in _____</p> <p>Christ?: _____ Bread of Life</p>
<p>⁹ And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ¹⁰ "Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: `When you come into the land which I give to you, and reap its harvest, then you shall bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest to the priest. ¹¹ `He shall wave the sheaf before the LORD, to be accepted on your behalf; on the day after the Sabbath the priest shall wave it. ¹² `And you shall offer on that day, when you wave the sheaf, a male lamb of the first year, without blemish, as a burnt offering to the LORD. ¹³ `Its grain offering <i>shall be</i> two-tenths <i>of an ephah</i> of fine flour mixed with oil, an offering made by fire to the LORD, for a sweet aroma; and its drink offering <i>shall be</i> of wine, one-fourth of a hin. ¹⁴ `You shall eat neither bread nor parched grain nor fresh grain until the same day that you have brought an offering to your God; <i>it shall be</i> a statute forever throughout your generations in all your dwellings.</p>	<p>3. The Feast of _____</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: 1 Offering (Sheaf + Lamb + Grain)</p> <p>Why?: Dedicate First of _____ to God</p> <p>Christ?: Firstfruits of the _____ (1 Cor 15:20-23)</p>
<p>¹⁵ `And you shall count for yourselves from the day after the Sabbath, from the day that you brought the sheaf of the wave offering: seven Sabbaths shall be completed. ¹⁶ `Count fifty days to the day after the seventh Sabbath; then you shall offer a new grain offering to the LORD. ¹⁷ `You shall bring from your dwellings two wave <i>loaves</i> of two-tenths <i>of an ephah</i>. They shall be of fine flour; they shall be baked with leaven. <i>They are</i> the firstfruits to the LORD. ¹⁸ `And you shall offer with the bread seven lambs of the first year, without blemish, one young bull, and two rams. They shall be <i>as a</i> burnt offering to the LORD, with their grain offering and their drink offerings, an offering made by fire for a sweet aroma to the LORD. ¹⁹ `Then you shall sacrifice one kid of the goats as a sin offering, and two male lambs of the first year as a sacrifice of a peace offering. ²⁰ `The priest shall wave them with the bread of the firstfruits <i>as a</i> wave offering before the LORD, with the two lambs. They shall be holy to the LORD for the priest. ²¹ `And you shall proclaim on the same day <i>that</i> it is a holy convocation to you. You shall do no customary work <i>on it</i>. <i>It shall be</i> a statute forever in all your dwellings throughout your generations. ²² `When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not wholly reap the corners of your field when you reap, nor shall you gather any gleaning from your harvest. You shall leave them for the poor and for the stranger: <i>I am</i> the LORD your God."</p>	<p>4. The Feast of _____ (_____)</p> <p>When?: _____ days after Passover</p> <p>Length?: 1 Evening _____</p> <p>Why?: Thank God for _____ Harvest</p> <p>What?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Leavened Loaves • 7 Lambs • 1 Young Bull • 2 Rams • Grain & Drink Offerings • 1 Kid of the Goats as a Sin Offering • 2 Lambs as a Peace Offering <p>Christ?: Giving of _____ by Jesus (Acts 2:32-33)</p>

<p>²³ Then the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ²⁴ "Speak to the children of Israel, saying: `In the seventh month, on the first <i>day</i> of the month, you shall have a sabbath-<i>rest</i>, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, a holy convocation. ²⁵ `You shall do no customary work <i>on it</i>; and you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD."</p>	<p>5. The Feast of _____ (Rosh HaShanah)</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: 1 Day of Rest / Blowing of Trumpets</p> <p>Why?: Reminder of Coming _____</p> <p>Christ?: Return of Jesus in the Air (_____)</p>
<p>²⁶ And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying: ²⁷ "Also the tenth <i>day</i> of this seventh month <i>shall be</i> the Day of Atonement. It shall be a holy convocation for you; you shall afflict your souls, and offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. ²⁸ "And you shall do no work on that same day, for it <i>is</i> the Day of Atonement, to make atonement for you before the LORD your God. ²⁹ "For any person who is not afflicted <i>in soul</i> on that same day shall be cut off from his people. ³⁰ "And any person who does any work on that same day, that person I will destroy from among his people. ³¹ "You shall do no manner of work; <i>it shall be</i> a statute forever throughout your generations in all your dwellings. ³² "It <i>shall be</i> to you a sabbath of <i>solemn</i> rest, and you shall afflict your souls; on the ninth <i>day</i> of the month at evening, from evening to evening, you shall celebrate your sabbath." Lev 16:8-10, 20-22, 29-34</p>	<p>6. The _____ of _____ (Yom Kippur)</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: 1 Day, Evening to Evening</p> <p>What?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Afflict Your Souls (Fasting) • Offering of Fire • 2 Goats (sin offering; scapegoat) <p>Why?: Pay for _____ of People (Holy of Holies)</p> <p>Christ?: High Priest Offering Himself _____ for All</p>
<p>³³ Then the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ³⁴ "Speak to the children of Israel, saying: `The fifteenth day of this seventh month <i>shall be</i> the Feast of Tabernacles <i>for</i> seven days to the LORD. ³⁵ `On the first <i>day</i> <i>there shall be</i> a holy convocation. You shall do no customary work <i>on it</i>. ³⁶ `For seven days you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. On the eighth day you shall have a holy convocation, and you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. It <i>is</i> a sacred assembly, <i>and</i> you shall do no customary work <i>on it</i>. ³⁷ `These <i>are</i> the feasts of the LORD which you shall proclaim <i>to be</i> holy convocations, to offer an offering made by fire to the LORD, a burnt offering and a grain offering, a sacrifice and drink offerings, everything on its day--³⁸ `besides the Sabbaths of the LORD, besides your gifts, besides all your vows, and besides all your freewill offerings which you give to the LORD. ³⁹ `Also on the fifteenth day of the seventh month, when you have gathered in the fruit of the land, you shall keep the feast of the LORD <i>for</i> seven days; on the first <i>day</i> <i>there shall be</i> a sabbath-<i>rest</i>, and on the eighth <i>day</i> a sabbath-<i>rest</i>. ⁴⁰ `And you shall take for yourselves on the first <i>day</i> the fruit of beautiful trees, branches of palm trees, the boughs of leafy trees, and willows of the brook; and you shall rejoice before the LORD your God for seven days. ⁴¹ `You shall keep it as a feast to the LORD for seven days in the year. <i>It shall be</i> a statute forever in your generations. You shall celebrate it in the seventh month. ⁴² `You shall dwell in booths for seven days. All who are native Israelites shall dwell in booths, ⁴³ `that your generations may know that I made the children of Israel dwell in booths when I brought them out of the land of Egypt: I <i>am</i> the LORD your God."</p>	<p>7. The Feast of _____ (Booths)</p> <p>When?: _____ Day of _____ Month</p> <p>Length?: 7 Days + 8th Day Sabbath</p> <p>What?: Build/Live in booths; REJOICE</p> <p>Why?: Recall God's _____ for 40 Years in Wilderness</p> <p>Christ?: Second Coming of Jesus to _____</p>
<p>Neh 8:14-17 And they found written in the Law, which the LORD had commanded by Moses, that the children of Israel should dwell in booths during the feast of the seventh month, ¹⁵ and that they should announce and proclaim in all their cities and in Jerusalem, saying, "Go out to the mountain, and bring olive branches, branches of oil trees, myrtle branches, palm branches, and branches of leafy trees, to make booths, as <i>it is</i> written." ¹⁶ Then the people went out and brought <i>them</i> and made themselves booths, each one on the roof of his house, or in their courtyards or the courts of the house of God, and in the open square of the Water Gate and in the open square of the Gate of Ephraim. ¹⁷ So the whole assembly of those who had returned from the captivity made booths and sat under the booths; for since the days of Joshua the son of Nun until that day the children of Israel had not done so. And there was very great gladness.</p> <p>Zech 14:16-19 And it shall come to pass <i>that</i> everyone who is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall go up from year to year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Tabernacles. ¹⁷ And it shall be <i>that</i> whichever of the families of the earth do not come up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, on them there will be no rain. ¹⁸ If the family of Egypt will not come up and enter in, they <i>shall have</i> no <i>rain</i>; they shall receive the plague with which the LORD strikes the nations who do not come up to keep the Feast of Tabernacles. ¹⁹ This shall be the punishment of Egypt and the punishment of all the nations that do not come up to keep the Feast of Tabernacles.</p>	<p>SUMMARY</p>
<p>⁴⁴ So Moses declared to the children of Israel the feasts of the LORD.</p> <p>Deut 16:16 Three times a year all your males shall appear before the LORD your God in the place which He chooses: at the Feast of Unleavened Bread, at the Feast of Weeks, and at the Feast of Tabernacles; and they shall not appear before the LORD empty-handed.</p>	