

Christianity Today, Just another religion?

Christianity today is one of the great religions of the world and that is all it is. Just another religion. Having been robbed of its eternal purpose of "the kingdom of God at hand". It ascribes the kingdom to another Jesus with another coming and another kingdom and another saving from planet earth to feed their carnal infatuation.

They forfeit their inheritance as did the Jews of old by looking for a Kingdom to come and not that "which cometh not with (carnal) observation". Luke 17.22

It is because of this there is no saving power. Because without "The Kingdom of God at hand" you are in need of another Savior and another saving from planet earth. So they interpretation scripture that way and reuse expired prophecies to make their point. But Christ said "all the law and the prophets were until John. Now the Kingdom is preached and all are entering".

But they are not allowed to speak of the "Kingdom of God at Hand" as evident by speaking about another coming King and Kingdom. In this way they reject the Kingdom ready now. For "even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are parishing, who do not believe, to those who are blinded by the god of this age" by presenting a physical kingdom of this age.

Don't other religions and cults expect a savior? A saving one? To save them and help them from their fallenness or wicked world in the distant future? Then they expect a Kingdom of God in form of a man in a city made with mans devising for carnal indulgence. If God allows this to happen then He would need to apologize to the religious Jews of the day for believing the same thing. A kingdom made of earthen elements and not the eternal invisible building blocks being the "kingdom prepared before the foundations of the world".

But we speak and we testify that "God has sent His Son Savior of the world". And if this testimony is not true then God must send somebody again to save and we are all still in our sin. Then yes

there will be a second coming savior and the cross has no value but to keep you in a 2000 year old prison of empty promises and the cross is a hoax. Didn't Christ send out the 12 telling them to preach "the Kingdom of God is at hand? That it is right now and always? Was that command ever retracted?

The 2nd coming message is why the saving of the Christ of the cross is road blocked and detoured by a message "with all lying signs and wonders if possible to deceive the elect". These people seek a second coming saving and it is because of this that the true gospel message has been lost. God sent not His Son into the world not to condemn the world (like a 7 year tribulation) but that through him the world would be saved. And He did. That was the saving for all who believe. (John 3.17)

It is to the redeemed and sanctified by the spirit of those who have received Christ in this way that the earth has been restored to them for blessing. That "they being saved from their enemies and all that hate them to serve Him without fear, in holiness and righteousness all the days of our life" in the here and now. Luke 1.70-75

This was also displayed at the cross. Him bearing our crown of thorns they we may be crowned with His Glory. "On Him was laid the sin of us all, and by His stripes we are healed". And "He became poor for us to become rich". This is the basic gospel they deny.

This is what Paul meant when he said "We are a new creation. Old things have passed away, and all things have become new". Past tense verbiage.

This is also the confession at baptism to bury the old man and be raised up new now.

And "Today is the day of salvation, now is the appointed time, I have heard and I have helped" declares the Lord.

Any other gospel message that comes short of taking away the sins of the world is incomplete. Any other message that teaches of a future saving or a future victory over Satan, sin or death in any other way is a false gospel, a truncated gospel. But “we speak of what we’ve heard and testify to the things that we have seen that God has sent His Son as Savior of the world”. The victory of the Cross is sufficient for these things. The “blood of Christ through the eternal spirit” was enough. “PAID IN FULL!”