# The Remnant: Are You One of Them?

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I remember many years ago when everybody called themselves by the denomination that they belonged to: "I'm Baptist, Methodist, Lutheran, Catholic." Then the non-denominational movement came and suddenly everybody became just "Christians". Now in the midst of the Christians we see another selection happening. That's what my husband, Shane, would say: "Being chosen among the chosen ones." Among of the thousands who call themselves Christians, God is doing an end-time selection. Just like the Navy Seals in the American Armed Forces. They are a very special, elite group. They are ready to die for their Kingdom and for their King. They are radical and incredibly loyal. Those will be called the remnant! Are you among them?

### WHO ARE THEY?

## 1) A FEW: Isaiah 10:21-24

The remnant shall return, even the remnant of Jacob, unto the mighty God. For though thy people Israel be as the sand of the sea, yet a remnant of them shall return: the consumption decreed shall overflow with righteousness. For the Lord GOD of hosts shall make a consumption, even determined, in the midst of all the land.

Chosen of the chosen!

2) CHOSEN BY GRACE: Romans 11:4-20

But what saith the answer of God unto him? I have reserved to myself seven thousand men, who have not bowed the knee to the image of Baal. Even so then at this present time also there is a **remnant according to the election of grace.** 

3) An example of guy who found grace in God's eyes: Noah!

Genesis 6: As in the days of Noah: flooding is coming. Few: remnant were saved. Noah: just, righteous in his generation 6:9, he found grace in the eyes of the Lord 6:8 blameless in his generation walked in habitual fellowship with God. He built the ark according to ALL that the Lord told him 7:5

4) They abide in the vine:

# Jeremiah 23:3

And I will gather the remnant of my flock out of all countries whither I have driven them, and will bring them again to their folds; and they shall be fruitful and increase.

5) They shall be saved!

Romans 9:27-29

Isaiah also cries out concerning Israel: "Though the number of the children of Israel be as the sand of the sea, **The remnant will be saved**. <sup>28</sup> For He will finish the work and cut it short in righteousness, Because the LORD will make a short work upon the earth. And as Isaiah said before: "

6) They carry an incorruptible seed in them:

"Unless the LORD of Sabaoth<sup>1</sup> had left us a seed, we would have become like Sodom,

**DREAM:** Two years ago, I had this vision during my worship. I was in the Mosque, and I saw hundreds of Muslims on their knees, bowing down and praising Allah and glorifying him. Their positions involved having the forehead, nose, both hands, knees and all toes touching the ground together. Everybody was facing in one direction, but there was one guy who was facing in the opposite direction. It should be noted that, in Islam, it is a sin to bow to anyone, but <u>God</u>. In my vision, the Spirit was showing me that he was worshipping another god: our GOD! He was not afraid even if he had to die because of Jesus.

Now, think about this. That guy, he is one of the remnant.

God Himself has separated a few people for Himself.

# Read 1 Kings 19:18

Yet I have reserved seven thousand in Israel, all whose knees have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

Those who are The Remnant are not ashamed to put their lives at risk. There is no reputation to keep.

**DREAM:** We are having a meeting and the house is full of Christians. We are all worshipping the Lord with fervent love. Then suddenly a guy breaks in and started shooting everybody. Those people in the house, they are part of the remnant. Are you among them? Are you ready?

**DREAM:** Another dream: a guy kidnapped me. He pointed a gun to my head, and he was teasing me the whole time. The people around me couldn't do anything because they were all afraid just like me. I wanted to talk about Jesus, but I was very scared because my life was at risk. Then I started praying in the Spirit and rebuking the Devil. The guy passed out, and I knew that was the power of the Holy Spirit. I tried to run away as he was on the floor. I took one step away from him, but he grabbed me and came back to life. Then he pointed his gun right in the middle of my forehead. I said to him: "Go ahead. I'm ready to die for Jesus." The dream is over.

Remnant: People who will die for Jesus, if necessary. If right now we cannot die to ourselves, what makes us think that we are willing to die for Jesus and for our faith?

#### Revelation 6:9-11

Fifth Seal: The Cry of the Martyrs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> When He opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of those who had been slain for the word of God and for the testimony which they held. <sup>10</sup> And they cried with a loud voice, saying, "How long, O Lord, holy and true, until You judge and avenge our blood on those who dwell on the earth?" <sup>11</sup> Then a white robe was given to

each of them; and it was said to them that they should rest a little while longer, until both *the number of* their fellow servants and their brethren, who would be killed as they *were*, was completed.

A few days ago the Lord told me, "The only way for us to make it through to the end-times is not through revelation. It's not even through faith. It's not through hope. All of this will fail the test in the last days. The only way to make it is through love. The remnant are the few who have kept the first love. They will not deny Him. They will not betray Him with a kiss. They will not bow to any other god or to themselves. They will be willing to lose their life to gain His. It's time to go back to the first love. The remnant are the ones who are completely sold out because of the love for Him that burns inside of them, love that is stronger than death."

#### Revelation 12:11

<sup>11</sup> And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.

Judas kissed him (Luke 22:47), actually He kissed Baal. Peter denied Him three times (Luke 22:61). Peter had revelation of Christ, but revelation was not enough to keep him from denying Jesus. Now, how many times have you denied Him? How many times have you have kissed Baal? How many times have you bowed to Baal? How many times have you kept silent when people asked if you know Him?

### Revelation 12:17

<sup>17</sup> And the dragon was enraged with the woman, and he went to make war with the rest of her offspring (SEED), who keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus Christ. [a]

The Remnant: they carry the testimony of Jesus. What is it? It's the spirit of prophecy. Revelation 19:10

They will speak the oracles of God. They will have deep intimacy with Him. They will know His very thoughts. That's why the World will hate them. Satan is enraged with the seed of God that was planted inside of us through Jesus (the seed that fell into the ground: our spirits). The remnant will keep the commandments of God. They will obey even if they have to die. And if they die, they will find their lives. It is their gain.

The remnant has nothing to do with this World or of the things of this World. They hate sin. They walk in righteousness and love justice. They are clothed in humility. They have a servant's heart. They apply the cross to their earthly desires. They are called and chosen because they have found grace in God's eyes. They may be one person among an entire generation, just like Noah! As in the days of Noah...Are you among them?

Old Testament: chosen period / New Testament: calling period / Revelation: the final selection: manifestation of the few.

In Revelation:

- 3:4: He has a few names / they will not defile their garments: holiness
- 6:9-11: they will not defile the body (eat unleaven bread) /they are ready to die for Jesus.
- 14:11-12 They didn't love their lives to the death
- <sup>11</sup>And the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night, who worship the beast and his image, and whosoever receiveth the mark of his name. <sup>12</sup>Here is the patience of the saints: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus.

12:17: they will go through tribulation

They keep the commandment of God and have the testimony of  ${\rm JC}$ 

6:9-11: martys: ready to die for the WORD and for the testimony of Jesus which they held.

Above any other characteristic, the remnants have set HIS love upon HIM. Psalms 91 and they dwell in the secret place where JESUS, the lover of their souls is.

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# Are you ready?

They will hate you.
Your family will turn their back on you.
You may lose your friends.
You may lose your friends
You may lose your job and all that you have
You may lose your reputation.
Are you ready to follow ME?
They will say lies about you.
They will take you to jail.
You will be reject for them all.
They will spit on you.
They will slash your back.
Are you ready to follow me?
You will feel alone.
Rejected.
Unwelcome.
Undesired.
Are you ready to follow me?
They will question your faith.
They will blaspheme your believe.
They will mock you.
They will laugh at you.
You will have not reputation at all.
Are you ready to follow me?
The cross is heavy.

