# **Resurrection Life of Jesus Church**

**TRUSTING AND RESTING IN GOD** 

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### ELIJAH SUFFERS FROM FEAR

When most Christians read the account of Elijah's victory on Mount Carmel, it is puzzling and hard to understand how he could just melt and run after he received the death threat from Jezebel in which she promised that he would be dead in 24 hours. **1 Kings 19:1-2** 

# WHO WAS QUEEN JEZEBEL?

In order to understand how Jezebel could project so much fear in Elijah, which wiped away all his faith and trust in God, we need to understand her background. Here is an excerpt from my article entitled, *As the Days of Noah*.

### WHAT IS ENOCH TELLING US ABOUT FALLEN ANGELS?

In Enoch 1, Chapter 6, the following details are given:

1. The leader of this group of Satanic angels is Semyaz, and his group of fallen angels consisted of 200. When this group of fallen angels saw how beautiful the women born on earth were, they decided to take some of these women as wives and produce children through them. **Genesis 6:1-2** 

My personal understanding is that this group of 200 angels prior to the fall of the angels had been working with God in the creation of human beings, and thus had the knowledge of how the human body was engineered. Using this knowledge for their own purposes, they were able to create what was needed in them, to have some kind of a physical body, through which they then could have sexual intercourse with these young women.

2. Semyaz did not trust the fallen angels under his command. He made them swear an oath with a curse, which bound them altogether before they started this project.

I believe that this type of oath with a curse is the same kind of oath that is practiced by Satanists, witches, Baal worshipers, Freemasons, Mormons etc. This should not come as a surprise to Christians since Paul tells us that demons do seduce and teach doctrine. **I Timothy 4:1** 

3. They descended upon Mount Hermon (9,101 ft. above sea level) which is located in what is now Syria; this mountain became their headquarters.

Now I understand where the Baal worship came from. After the flood, demons seduced people into idol worship, and Mount Hermon became a worship center in the Middle East where altars were built and human sacrifices performed. Compare this with the false religion of the Greek people, who claimed that the gods lived on Mount Olympus, led by Zeus, who was known for his enormous sexual appetite of women. In Rome he was known as



Jupiter and the Vikings called him Thor. The Aztec empire in central Mexico worshiped a cluster of demon gods with high pyramid temples, where at the top, humans were cut open and their still throbbing hearts were sacrificed to the sun god. The current Olympic Games are in reality a revival of the old Zeus worship. The Olympic fire is lit on top of Mount Olympus by female priests, carried to the game of that year in a torch, and then the Olympic altar is lit. There are songs and dances at the opening and closing of the games, all in honor of the old Greek gods. Do you think it was a coincidence that the Roman Emperor Theodosius abolished the games in 393 A.D. because of their ties to demon worship? Was it an accident that the games were brought back to the world in 1894?

- 4. The 200 fallen angels were divided into groups of ten, each group having a leader. Enoch gives the names of each of these sub-leaders.
- 5. Each one of the 200 fallen angels took a woman as a wife and made them pregnant. The babies to whom these women gave birth grew to a height of 300 cubits (450 ft.); they consumed so much food that the people of the earth hated them since they were forced to feed them. The giants turned their wrath upon the people and began to kill and eat humans. They also drank blood and ate birds, fish, animals and reptiles.
- 6. One of the fallen angels taught technology to mankind. He taught them how to mine for ore, melting the ore and extracting different metals. He then taught them how to fashion the metals into swords, knives, shields and breast plates.

Those who became initiated into this demon religion were educated into making bracelets, decorations (shadowing of the eye); making medication (pharmakia), ornamentation, the beautifying of the eye lids, all kind of precious stones, and all coloring tinctures and alchemy. Other fallen angels taught humans how to do incantations and the cutting of roots, how to resolve incantations, astrology and how to deceive people.

7. These fallen angels educated the people not only in technology, which was used to make war, but also in occult practices, releasing more demon power on the earth.

After reading this, I suddenly came to understand why the prophet Elijah became petrified with fear right after he had experienced a great victory on Mount Carmel (**1 Kings 18:22-46**). When Jezebel sent a message to him, she did not send it as from the queen, but as the high priestess of Baal. It was the demon prince of Baal himself possessing her, who sent this message and wiped Elijah out with fear.

Jezebel was a woman who from her childhood had been initiated into Satanic worship:

And Ahab the son of Omri did evil in the sight of the LORD above all that were before him. And it came to pass, as if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, that he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal, king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal, and worshiped him. And he reared up an altar for Baal in the house of Baal, which he had built in Samaria. **1 Kings 16:30-32** 

When Jehu came to confront Jezebel, she went into her chambers, **painted herself up in all the colors of a Satanic Baal priestess**, put on a head gear and went to the window, hoping to scare Jehu into submission. Jehu was not intimidated and had her killed on the spot. Until now I have never understand why Jezebel put on her makeup before she went to the window, now I know the reason. 2 Kings 9:30-37

Is it a coincidence that when the great revivals and awakenings began first with the Wesley brothers in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, followed by Jonathan Edwards, George Whitefield and Charles Finney in the 19<sup>th</sup> century, and the Pentecostal revival in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, that the Holy Spirit spoke through all these men and women that it was a sin for women to wear makeup?

Since many women wear makeup today, this is indeed a very touchy subject! The old time Pentecostals in the early 1900's believed that any woman who used makeup would end up in hell; that is simply not true, since a woman's salvation does not hinge upon whether or not she wears makeup. Given the Bible's stance on makeup, each woman should ask herself, "Why do I wear makeup?"

#### THE JEZEBEL SPIRIT

I believe that when people worshiped Baal, they in reality worshiped Satan himself. Jezebel, who was married to King Ahab, was possessed by powerful demons, which are known as *Jezebel spirits*. Their activities are described in the book of Revelation. **Revelation 2:18-29** 

# SATAN HAS BEEN DEFEATED, BUT NOT OUT OF IT!

- □ The believer in Christ does have power over the Devil and his fallen angels. Luke 10:17-22
- □ Satan has the right to entice, tempt and lure the believer in Christ away from God and in to sin. **1 Peter 5:6-9**
- □ This legal right for the Devil to tempt people will not be taken away until after the 1000 years kingdom. **Revelation 20:7-10**
- Next week we are going to look at how God helped Elijah to recover from his fear!

#### Do you have an ear to hear with?