

CHRISTMAS TREES CUT FROM THE FORREST

Jer. 10:1-4 *“Hear the word which the LORD speaks to you, O house of Israel. Thus says the LORD, Do not learn the way of the nations, And do not be terrified by the signs of the heavens Although the nations are terrified by them; For the customs of the peoples are delusion; Because it is **wood cut from the forest**, The work of the hands of a craftsman with a cutting tool. **“They decorate {it} with silver and with gold; They fasten it with nails and with hammers So that it will not totter.”**”*



The Oak Christmas tree was first used as a Pagan custom 2000 years before Messiah was born. The tree supposedly symbolized the renewal of the human spirit. It also represented fertility, an erect penis. The Bible warned us of such heathen festivals. These pagan people associated an oak tree with the celebration of their sun god. They created a ritual of decorating the oak tree with balls representing the sun god. They hung balls (representing the testicles of their sun gods) and ornaments, around their homes in honor of the Baal sun god. These ornaments represented the bright sun god. Today people put ornaments on their Christmas trees and hang lights all over their house in celebration and honor to the heathen god of the sun, without even knowing it. A more simple but crude way of explaining it is: the christmas tree represents an erect penis and the lights represent testicles. It's all about fertility and sun god worship. People who do this have the audacity to say they are celebrating Messiah's birth and attributing an idol to it.

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