WHAT IS THE KINGDOM OF YAH?

Most people use the words "kingdom of Yah" without realizing what it actually means. If you look in a dictionary you will see that a "kingdom" is a "state of government with a king or queen presiding over it". A kingdom requires: laws, a form of government, citizens, land/territory, and a ruler. The kingdom of Yah is just this. When Yeshua comes back, He will form the kingdom of Yah, and this kingdom will be ruled by various anointed people who have followed the teachings of Adonai, whether it was back in the days of Abraham, or now. This kingdom will be heading by Yeshua Himself and King David, who will represent Adonai, as foretold in a prophesy of Isaiah. Isa. 9:6 "For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; And the government will rest on His shoulders; And His name will be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty Yah, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace." and also as described to Mary by the archangel Gabriel in **Luke 1:32-33** "He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High; and Adonai **Yah will give Him the throne of His father David**;" and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever; and His kingdom will have no end." Yeshua's purpose for coming the second time to form a kingdom was again foretold in **John 18:37** "Pilate therefore said to Him, "So You are a king?" Yeshua answered, "You say {correctly} that I am a king. For this I have been born, and for this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice."



The kingdom of Yah are all those who are obedient to His Word. They are scattered all over the world. You become part of the kingdom when you follow Him. The kingdom will come back together and David will rule. We are all remnants in the kingdom. The kingdom also actually refers to ten northern tribes and ten southern tribes. Anyone in the kingdom belongs to one of these tribes.

Luke 16:16 "The Law and the Prophets were proclaimed until John; since then the gospel of the kingdom of God is preached, and everyone is forcing his way into it." This particular verse is used by many christian preachers to suggest that the law and the prophets is somehow diminished or no longer needed. All it's talking about is that the teaching and preaching of the kingdom of Yah was now at hand in their day. John the Baptist was preaching about the kingdom of Yah coming, at hand. He was referring to Yeshua. The Kingdom consists of three things: the King, the servants of the king, and the land of the King. John was explaining that the King was about to present Himself in the land. Prior to this time the law and the Prophets were taught with all the emphasis. Now the Messiah was coming and the kingdom would be taught, not just the law and the prophets. The news that the king was coming was a very powerful message and that was the message he was preaching. The statement was concerning the relative time they were living in. We have now seen the law and the prophets, plus the coming of the Messiah, the redemption, and the gifts of the holy spirit. If we are truly the last generation, then we too will probably speak like John in regards to relative things taking place when we start seeing obvious signs of Yeshua's return. We are relative to the events that are taking place.

In Nebuchadnezzar's dream (Daniel 2), Daniel explained about the kingdoms to come and go throughout the generations of mankind. He foretold of the last of the Roman Empire that will be destroyed. Rev. 11:15 "And the seventh angel sounded; and there arose loud voices in heaven, saying, "The kingdom of the world has become {the kingdom} of our Yah, and of His Messiah; and He will reign forever and ever." It tells us about Adonai's kingdom on earth standing forever in

Dan. 2:44 "And in the days of those kings the Yah of heaven will set up a kingdom which will never be destroyed, and {that} kingdom will not be left for another people; it will crush and put an end to all these kingdoms, but it will itself endure forever."

Yah is going to set up a literal kingdom on earth when Yeshua comes back, and those elect who truly followed Him on earth will be rulers and participants in the kingdom, while those who have simply received salvation, will be the citizens in the kingdom. Those who have done the things that the word said to do, instead of talking about doing things, will be leaders and rulers, over territories and people. This is what Yeshua is referring to in Matt. 5:19 "Whoever then annuls one of the least of these commandments, and so teaches others, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever keeps and teaches {them,} he shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven." Yeshua told His disciples that they would some day reign over nations. The parable of the "talents" in Matt. 25:14-30 was explaining about those who follow the word of El Gibor and invest and teach properly. Yeshua explained how those who do His work diligently will be rulers of cities, they will be put in charge of much, because they have sown their seeds correctly and have produced a crop. Because they bore fruit they too will have a chance to participate in the organization and ruling of Yah's kingdom.

More of the prophesies of the Old Testament that tell us about the literal kingdom coming to earth after the Roman Empire of these last days collapses, are found in Isa. 11:4-10, and Zech. 14:6-9, and 16. You don't hear teaching about this coming kingdom of Adonai, but the scriptures reveal clearly that it will soon take place. I believe those who have followed the Word of Yah and have kept His commandments, laws and statutes, feasts etc., will prevail in this new kingdom and those that didn't will simply be citizens. Those who followed the book, instead of doctrine, will be rulers of the saints in this new kingdom. John explained it well in **Rev. 20:6** "Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power, but they will be priests of Yah and of Messiah and will reign with Him for a thousand years."

As true believers we are called "ambassadors for Messiah" in **2Cor. 5:20** "Therefore, **we are ambassadors for Messiah**, as though Yah were entreating through us; we beg you on behalf of Messiah, be reconciled to Yah." Ambassadors are officials, representatives of a government, in the land of another. We represent the kingdom of Yah, but we live in the kingdom on earth.

One of the main requirements of any kingdom is a set of rules, a code of laws in order to govern accordingly. In Yah's kingdom the laws will be His spiritual laws, Ten Commandments. The true saints will live in the New Jerusalem and govern the unsaved people on the earth during the 1,000 year reign, while the least in the kingdom, simply exist.

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