# THE CHRISTIAN AMERICAN & THE JEWISH PEOPLE

1 Corinthians 10:31	1 Corinthians 10:32
Whether therefore ye eat, or drink,	Give none offence,
or whatsoever ye do,	<u>neither</u> to the Jews,
do all to the glory of God.	<b>nor</b> to the Gentiles,
	<b>nor</b> to the church of God:

Where do we stand?

As Christians? As Americans? As fellow humans?

# 1. We <u>don't</u> (necessarily) stand for every action & decision of Israel (the nation)!

## 2. We don't stand for every individual Jewish person!

We are discussing a people &/ a nation **not** every individual Jewish person.

We might strongly disagree with many individual Jewish people... <u>However</u>, every Jewish (& other) person's safety and dignity is sacred!

## 3. We do stand against murder, rape, & pillage!

1,400° is probably sufficient to know it is wrong and evil!

### The Image of God (Imago Dei):

Genesis 1:26 And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth. Genesis 1:27 So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

Genesis 9:5 And surely your blood of your lives will I require; at the hand of every beast will I require it, and at the hand of man; at the hand of every man's brother will I require the life of man. Genesis 9:6 Whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed: for in the image of God made he man.

1 Peter 2:17 Honour all men. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honour the king.

#### WARNING: The Protocols of the Elders of Zion

## Genocide:

- The deliberate killing
- > Of a large number of people
- > From a particular nation or ethnic group
- > With the aim of destroying that nation or group

### 4. We stand with our allies!

The USA has relationships with many countries...some are exceptionally close. These would include:

Israel would be one of our **closest** allies!

## 5. We stand for Israel &/ the Jewish people > God's chosen people!

1 Corinthians 10:32 Give none offence, neither to the Jews, nor to the Gentiles, nor to the church of God:

Genesis 12:3 And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

Exodus 4:22 And thou shalt say <u>unto</u> Pharaoh, Thus saith the LORD, Israel is my son, even my firstborn: Exodus 4:23 And I say unto thee, Let my son go, that he may serve me: and if thou refuse to let him go, behold, I will slay thy son, even thy firstborn.

<u>Exodus 33:15</u> And he said unto him, If thy presence go not with me, carry us not up hence. <u>Exodus 33:16</u> For wherein shall it be known here that I and thy people have found grace in thy sight? is it not in that thou goest with us? so shall we be <u>separated</u>, I and thy people, from all the people that are upon the face of the earth.

Numbers 23:8 How shall I curse, whom God hath not cursed? Or how shall I defy, whom the LORD hath not defied? Numbers 23:9 For from the top of the rocks I see him, And from the hills I behold him: Lo, the people shall dwell alone, And shall not be reckoned among the nations.

<u>Deuteronomy 32:8</u> When the most High divided to the nations their inheritance, When he separated the sons of Adam, He set the bounds of the people **According to the number of the children of Israel.** 

<u>Acts 17:26</u> And hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth, and hath determined the times before appointed, and the bounds of their habitation;

## 6. We stand as recipients of Jewish | Abrahamic blessings!

#### The covenants of promise!

**Romans 9:4** Who are Israelites; to whom pertaineth the adoption, and the glory, and the covenants, and the giving of the law, and the service of God, and the promises; **Romans 9:5** Whose are the fathers, and of whom as concerning the flesh Christ came, who is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.

Matthew 1:1 THE book of the generation of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham.

Genesis 12:3 And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

<u>Genesis 18:18</u> Seeing that Abraham shall surely become a great and mighty nation, and all the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him?

Genesis 22:18 And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed; because thou hast obeyed my voice.

<u>Genesis 26:4</u> And I will make thy seed to multiply as the stars of heaven, and will give unto thy seed all these countries; **and in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed;** 

<u>Genesis 28:14</u> And thy seed shall be as the dust of the earth, and thou shalt spread abroad to the west, and to the east, and to the north, and to the south: **and in thee and in thy seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.** 

<u>Psalm 72:17</u> His name shall endure for ever: His name shall be continued as long as the sun: And men shall be blessed in him: **All nations shall call him blessed.** 

Acts 3:25 Ye are the children of the prophets, and of the covenant which God made with our fathers, saying unto Abraham, And in thy seed shall all the kindreds of the earth be blessed. Acts 3:26 Unto you first God, having raised up his Son Jesus, sent him to bless you, in turning away every one of you from his iniquities.

<u>Galatians 3:8</u> And the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham, saying, **In thee shall all nations be blessed.** 

**Ephesians 1:3** Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places **in Christ**:

Colossians 3:11 Where there is neither Greek nor Jew, circumcision nor uncircumcision, Barbarian, Scythian, bond nor free: **but** Christ is all. and in all.

# 7. We stand <u>for & with Israel &/</u> the Jewish People despite their **paradoxical** position!

#### Romans 11:28-29

As concerning the gospel, they are **enemies** for your sakes:

but as touching the election, they are **beloved** for the fathers' sakes.

For the gifts and calling of God are without repentance.