Can the Dead Communicate with Mankind?

Isn't it ironic that people everywhere are trying to communicate with the dead?

Today, like times of old, there is an extreme interest in the afterlife. This isn't anything new; it has been going on since the ancient of times. Lately there has been a surge of activity in the movies and on T.V. concerning communication with the dead, the dead living and wirches. What's troubling about this is that most don't go to their pastor, priest or assembly leaders to attempt this phenomenon; but to the occur, namely some witch! Contrary to popular belief & assumptions, in the Bible the possessed are NOT believers but unbelievers. Believers are the houses for the Holy Spirit. The Apostle Paul makes this plain in KJV 1 Corinthians 3:16, "Know ye not that ye are the temple of Elohim, and that the Spirit of Elohim dwelleth in you?" There is not one instance in the Bible in which a *believer* is possessed; it is the possessed, "THE occult;" which are attempting to deceive the believer.

The new schedule for television, movies and plays portrays people communicating, coming back to life and *living AmandedSTUS*...*Alive* AGAIN. Is this really so? Even ministers are diverse in opinions about such nonsense. However, even amongst the sincerest clergy, some do admit that the Bible does in some cases show communication with the dead. They point to Saul and Samuel (who had died) communicating for proof. A *quick read* of 1 Samuel 28 may lead one to believe "*communicating with the dead*" to be Scripturally sound; but letting the Scriptures interpret Scripture relates that the dead are really dead until the resurrection. Let's read this account, see what the Scriptures say concerning what is said (**in BOLD**); then align what is taught from the Scriptures for the correct interpretation!

Notice what the Prophet Moses wrote concerning "Whom to consult:"

LXE **Leviticus 20:6**, "And **the soul** that shall follow those who have in them divining spirits, or enchanters, so as to go a whoring after them; I will set my face against **that soul**, and will destroy it from among its people."

^{KJV} **Ezekiel 18:4**, "Behold, <u>all souls are mine</u>; as the soul of the father, so also the soul of the son is mine: <u>the soul that sinneth, it shall die</u>."

Religious Authorities *unknowingly* contribute to this error.

It is true that many Christian Religions *claim* that the *dead* are really just in a different state of being. Moreover, Christian leaders also give credence to the suggestion that witches have success in communicating with the dead. Isn't it sad that a pastor or priest who claims to represent the Mighty Living One would admit that a *witch* could do what they (*through their mighty one*) cannot? A person with a sound mind might ask or think, "*if we in the Assembly worship the True Mighty One, then how can this witch communicate with one of our loved (or unloved) ones and our pastor can't*?" When you think about it, **if** certain PtoPtt are able to communicate with the dead, this would demonstrate the powers of the *Qccutr* and *Witcheraft* superior to that of *Christianity*. But how true is this?

We will examine *the Strongest argument in the Bible* that is used by those who claim that men are able to communicate with the dead (Christian or otherwise) to demonstrate that **mankind cannot communicate with the dead**. To demonstrate this point, we simply ask the reader to read the verses below then think or reminisce what you have been taught. Then — verse-by-verse let **The Scriptures** interpret the passages: for there is not one contradiction in Yahweh's Words. See how the Words of Yahweh dispel that the Witch of En-dor raised up Samuel from the dead.

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:3**, "Now <u>Samuel was dead</u>, and all Israel had lamented him, and buried him in Ramah, even in his own city. And <u>Saul had put away those that had familiar</u> <u>spirits</u>, and the wizards, out of the land."

Comment: What does the *Bible* say about the dead?

1 Samuel 28:3, "Now Samuel was dead..."

^{KJV} **Genesis 3:19**, "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, <u>till thou return unto the ground</u>; **for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou** *art*, <u>and unto dust shalt thou</u> <u>return</u>."

KJV **Ecclesiastes 9:5**,10, "For the living know that they shall die: **but** <u>the dead know not any thing</u>, neither have they any more a reward; for the memory of them is forgotten.

¹⁰Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do *it* with thy might; for *there is* no work, nor device, nor knowledge, nor wisdom, in the grave, whither thou goest."

^{KIV} **Job 14:10-13, 21**, "But man dieth, and wasteth away: yea, man giveth up the spirit, and <u>where *is* he</u>? ¹¹ As the waters fail from the sea, and the flood decayeth and drieth up:

¹²So man lieth down, and <u>riseth not: till the heav-</u> <u>ens *be* no more, they shall not awake, nor be raised</u> <u>out of their sleep</u>.

¹³ O that thou wouldest hide me in the grave, that thou wouldest keep me secret, <u>until thy wrath be past, that thou wouldest appoint me a set time</u>, **and remember me**!

21 <u>His sons come to honour</u>, and he knoweth *it* not; and they are brought low, but he perceiveth *it* not of them."

KJV **Psalm 6:5**, "<u>For in death *there is* **no remembrance of thee**: in the grave who shall give thee thanks?"</u>

^{NAU} **Isaiah 26:14**, "**The dead will not live**, the <u>departed</u> <u>spirits will not rise</u>; Therefore You have punished and destroyed them, And You have wiped out all remembrance of them."

The New Testament – No after life or *heaven* taught:

^{NAU} Acts 13:22, "After He had removed him, He raised up David to be their king, concerning whom He also testified and said, 'I HAVE FOUND DAVID the son of Jesse, <u>A</u> <u>MANAFTER MY HEART</u>, who will do all My will."

Is David alive in Heaven? Notice the very First New Testament Sermon!

^{KJV} Acts 2:29, 34, "Men *and* brethren, let me freely speak unto you of the patriarch David, that he is **both dead and buried**, and his sepulchre is with us unto this day... ³⁴ For **David is not ascended into the heavens**: but he saith himself, YAHWEH said unto my Sovereign, Sit thou on my right hand,"

There are *many* Scriptures, which state that the dead are not in heaven or in some state of consciousness. Please read what our Savior, Yahushua, says. He cannot lie (Titus 1:1-2), moreover, He is the only person that has been in the heavens and He says in

^{NAU} John 3:13, "<u>No one</u> has ascended into heaven, <u>but</u> <u>He who descended from heaven: the Son of Man</u>."—Wise King Solomon wrote in Proverbs—

KIV **Proverbs 30:4**, "Who hath ascended up into heaven, or descended? who hath gathered the wind in his fists? who hath bound the waters in a garment? who hath established all the ends of the earth? what *is* his name, and what *is* his son's name, if thou canst tell?"

Did King Saul see or talk with Samuel?

What about this statement in **1 Samuel 28:3**, "<u>Saul had put</u> <u>away those that had familiar spirits?</u>" Sadly, King Saul was an occultist person that abandoned the law of Almighty Yahweh; just like many people and Religions do today. However, many are ignorant of this fact. The Scriptures are the final authority for worship, not man's ways.

In 1 Samuel 15 after Yahweh had Saul anointed King, Samuel's instructions from Yahweh for Saul were to destroy *all* of the pagan Amalekite idolatrous people and not take *any* of the spoils because of what they had done to Israel for years. However, Saul let some of the people go (including this witch at En-dor) and when confronted by Samuel, Saul blamed the people for doing the evil deeds. In 1 Samuel 15:1-22, King Saul (like so many today) did not take responsibility for *his* actions, but attempted to shift the blame to someone else. Notice the Bible account how Saul shifted the blame to the people for not doing ALL that Yahweh told him to do. Notice also, Saul says Yahweh THY Elohim: Yahweh wasn't Saul's Elohim (Mighty One) anymore because of disobedience.

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 15:14-15**, "And Samuel said, [to King Saul] What *meaneth* then this bleating of the sheep in mine ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?

¹⁵ And Saul said, **They** have brought them from the Amalekites: for **the people** spared the best of the sheep

and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto YAHWEH <u>thy</u> Elohim; and the rest we have utterly destroyed." = {Another lie}

Notice what Samuel concludes in verse 23:

KIV **1 Samuel 15:23** Samuel says, "**For rebellion** *is as* **the sin of witchcraft**, and stubbornness *is as* iniquity and idolatry. <u>Because thou hast rejected the word of YAHWEH</u>, **he hath also rejected thee from** *being* **king.** {witchcraft: Heb. divination}

^{KJV} **1 Chronicles 10:13**, "So Saul died for his transgression which he committed against YAHWEH, *even* against the word of YAHWEH, **which he kept not**, <u>and also for</u> <u>asking counsel of one that had a familiar spirit, to</u> <u>enquire of it</u>;"

In **1 Samuel 28:4-6** (23 years later) Saul became afraid because the enemy nations were coming against him; but did he seek Yahweh? Oh Yes, but Yahweh did not answer him because he was not following Yahweh's commandments; but rather was doing what he wanted for himself. This is somewhat like people are today. When things are going well serving the Heavenly Father is barely done; but in times of trouble, then The Almighty is wanted: this was evident after the 911 attack on the United States of America. Now, seven years later, the seeking of the *occut* is at an all time high.

Almighty Yahweh & his Son, Yahushua, are the same today as they were yesterday and in ancient times. When we consult MHCR KUNGS (human or spirit) in <u>lie</u>u of Almighty Yahweh; follow the traditions of the "Church Fathers" by practicing the errors [traditions] of men or follow the Pharisaical Jewish traditions, our prayers too are not being heard by Almighty Yahweh—unless we repent — then Yahweh is pleased to forgive. Repentance is a must! The prophet Amos warns of this very thing, as does Yahushua (Matt 15:9).

Noteworthy to mention is when Yahweh speaks of <u>His Festivals</u> He speaks of them by My Feasts or the Feasts of Yahweh, and in turn when he speaks of <u>corrupt festivals</u> or even Festivals to him in a *Laodicean manner* (lukewarm) He states, "<u>your</u> religious feasts." Notice this in the Scriptures:

NIV Amos 5:21-24, "<u>I hate</u>, [*says YAHWEH*] I despise your religious feasts; I cannot stand your assemblies.

²²Even though you bring me burnt offerings and grain offerings, **I will not accept them**. Though you bring choice fellowship offerings, {22 Traditionally peace offerings} <u>**I** will</u> have no regard for them.

²³ <u>Away with the noise of your songs!</u> I will not listen to the music of your harps.

²⁴ But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!"

Continuing — KJV **1 Samuel 28:7**, "Then said Saul unto his servants, <u>Seek me a woman that hath a familiar spirit</u>, **that I may go to her**, <u>and enquire of her</u>. And his servants said to him, Behold, *there is a woman* **that hath a familiar spirit at Endor**.

YAHWEH says in ^{NAU} Leviticus 19:31, "<u>Do not</u> turn to mediums or spiritists; <u>do not</u> seek them out to be defiled by them. I am YAHWEH your Elohim-{Mighty one}."

KJV **1 Samuel 28:8-11**, "And Saul disguised himself, and put on other raiment, and he went, and two men with him, and they came to the woman by night: and he said, **I pray thee**, divine unto me by the familiar spirit, and bring me *him* up, whom I shall name unto thee.

⁹And the woman said unto him, Behold, thou knowest what Saul hath done, how he hath cut off those that have familiar spirits, and the wizards, out of the land: wherefore then layest thou a snare for my life, to cause me to die?

¹⁰ And Saul sware to her by YAHWEH, saying, *As* YAHWEH liveth, there shall no punishment happen to thee for this thing.

¹¹Then said the woman, Whom shall I bring up unto thee? And he said, **Bring me up Samuel.**"

Next is where the hermeneutics of the Scriptures *must be utilized*. Hermeneutics simply means that Scripture interprets Scripture, and <u>there are no con-</u> <u>tradictions in The Scriptures</u>.

Did the witch bring up Samuel?

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:12**, "And when the woman saw Samuel, she cried with a loud voice: and the woman spake to Saul, saying, 'Why hast thou deceived me? for thou *art* Saul.'" Notice this carefully, "And when <u>the woman</u> saw Samuel:" <u>The Bible nowhere says</u> *Saul saw Samuel*. Revealing that she now knew he was King Saul perhaps

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convinced Saul that Samuel told her who he was. Even today in news reports and at the movies, it is the medium that peeps, mutters or howls: the scared people are trusting these imposters to tell them what is going on and some of the Christian ministers even swallow this lie up. These wiRtD SOUNDS OF OCCULINGTS in dark rooms convince the payee that something real is happening, however, the Words of Yahweh warn against such nonsense. Notice this in the Scriptures:

^{KJV} **Isaiah 8:19**, "And when they shall say unto you, Seek unto them that have familiar spirits, and unto **wizards that peep, and that mutter**: <u>should not a people seek unto their</u> <u>Elohim (Mighty One, آاآ")? for the living to the dead?</u> (^{NEW} AMERICAN STANDARD (NAS)</sup> translates v.19, "*Should they consult* the dead on behalf of the living?")

Notice *carefully* the **bold & <u>underscored</u> words**.

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:13**, "And the king said unto her, Be not afraid: **for what <u>sawest thou</u>**? And <u>the woman said unto</u> <u>Saul, **I** saw</u> elohim {mighty ones} ascending out of the earth."

^{KJV} 1 Samuel 28:14, "And <u>he</u> [Saul] said unto her, What form *is* he of? And <u>she said</u>, An old man cometh up; and he *is* covered with a mantle. And Saul <u>perceived</u> that it *was* Samuel, and he stooped with *his* face to the ground, and bowed himself."

Notice again *carefully*, "And **Saul <u>perceived</u>** (in the mind's eye) that it *was* **Samuel**." Again, Saul did not <u>see</u> Samuel, but from the witch's description, he <u>perceived</u> in his mind that it was Samuel.

"What form *is* he of..." Samuel was well known as a Prophet of Yahweh and all of Israel knew him and what he looked like including the Philistines and Amalekite idolatrous pagans whom Samuel condemned. It was no act of magic or a miraculous thing to describe Samuel; it was PLAIN OLD DECEPTINE TRICKERY, just as it is today.

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:15**, "<u>And Samuel said to Saul</u>, Why hast thou disquieted me, to bring me up? And Saul answered, I am sore distressed; for the Philistines make war against me, and Elohim (the Mighty One) is departed from me, and answereth me no more, neither by prophets, nor by dreams: therefore I have called thee, that thou mayest make known unto me what I shall do." {by prophets: Heb. by the hand of prophets}

Comment: 1 Samuel 28:15, "And Samuel said to Saul" i.e. Samuel said to Saul by "TRICKERY!" by the peeps and mutters of the witch, in which Samuel's Prophecies were well known by all of Israel *including* King Saul and also the pagans. Remember in verse 14, "... Saul (*did not* see or hear, but) perceived that it was Samuel."

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:16-19**, "Then said Samuel, Wherefore then dost thou ask of me, **seeing YAHWEH is departed from thee**, and is become thine enemy?

17 And YAHWEH hath done to him, as he spake by me: for YAHWEH hath rent the kingdom out of thine hand, and given it to thy neighbour, *even* to David:

¹⁸Because thou <u>obeyedst not</u> the voice of YAHWEH, nor executedst his fierce wrath upon Amalek, therefore hath YAHWEH done this thing unto thee this day.

^{LXE 19} And YAHWEH shall deliver Israel with thee into the hands of the Philistines, **and to-morrow thou and thy sons with thee shall fall**, and YAHWEH shall deliver the army of Israel into the hands of the Philistines."

This was Prophesied by Samuel about 23 years earlier [General Accepted Date] **1 Samuel:15**; where Saul left Agag the king of the Amalekites live and Samuel executed him;(**1 Samuel 15:1, 8, 32**) then Saul and Samuel went their separate ways except now, told through the witch. The witch goes on to tell Saul more bad news, just as today, satan and *his* followers greatly enjoy feeding mankind falsehood then joyfully telling men their doom for following the falsehoods. This warning is echoed strong in the New Testament as Paul – like Samuel, tells you and me the same in 2 Thessalonians 2:

^{KJV} 2 Thessalonians 2:3-13, "Let no man deceive you <u>by</u> <u>any means</u>: for *that day shall not come*, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

⁴<u>Who opposeth</u> and exalteth himself above all that is called Elohim, or that is worshipped; so that he as Elohim sitteth in the temple of Elohim, shewing himself that he is Elohim. ["<u>exalteth himself above all that is called Elohim</u>" = ignoring Yahweh's Scriptural commandments and replacing them with imposters such as **HALLOWEEN**!]

⁵Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told

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you these things?

⁶And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time.

⁷For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth *will let*, until he be taken out of the way.

⁸And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom YAHWEH shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming:

9 *Even him*, whose coming is after the working of satan with all power and signs and lying wonders,

¹⁰ And with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received <u>not the love of the</u> <u>truth</u>, that they might be saved.

¹¹And for this cause Elohim shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: {"And for this cause" i.e. loving <u>not</u> the Truth nor following Yahushua's commandments}

¹²That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

¹³But we are bound to give thanks always to Elohim for you, brethren beloved of YAHWEH, because <u>Elohim hath</u> from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit **and belief of the truth**:"

^{KJV} **1 Samuel 28:20**, "Then Saul fell straightway all along on the earth, and was sore afraid, **because of the words of Samuel**: and there was no strength in him; for he had eaten no bread all the day, nor all the night."

"...the words of Samuel," were the words Samuel told Saul over twenty years ago. The words of Yahweh endure forever and do come to pass just as they were unfolding for Saul. This witch knew and was ratifying them even as a witch. There wasn't any good news for Saul coming from her either. Many today do not realize that satan, *his* ministers and followers know what the Scriptures say; but deceive, misquote and outright lie to all of mankind to *build their church* and masquerade it as "the *True* Assembly/ *Church*."

1 Samuel 28:21-25, "And the woman came unto Saul, and saw that he was sore troubled, and said unto him, Behold, thine handmaid hath obeyed thy voice, and I have put my life in my hand, and have hearkened unto thy words which thou spakest unto me.

²²Now therefore, I pray thee, hearken thou also unto the voice of thine handmaid, and let me set a morsel of bread

before thee; and eat, that thou mayest have strength, when thou goest on thy way.

²³ But he refused, and said, I will not eat. But his servants, together with the woman, compelled him; and he hearkened unto their voice. So he arose from the earth, and sat upon the bed.

 24 And the woman had a fat calf in the house; and she hasted, and killed it, and took flour, and kneaded *it*, and did bake unleavened bread thereof:

²⁵ And she brought *it* before Saul, and before his servants; and they did eat. Then they rose up, and went away that night."

If King Saul was following Yahweh he would have heeded Moses' words that almighty Yahweh inspired in ^{KJV} **Deuteronomy 18:10-12**, "There shall not be found among you *any one* that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, *or* that useth divination, *or* <u>an observer of times</u>, (i.e. today's **NEWSPAPER Horoscope**) or an enchanter, or a witch, ¹¹Or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a <u>necromancer. (seek a spell for death</u>) ¹² For all that do these things *are* an abomination unto YAHWEH: and because of these abominations YAHWEH thy Elohim doth drive them out from before thee."

Summary:

Even today, ministers play a sad role in the name of **unity**. In an attempt to keep people in their congregations they **ignore the Words of Almighty Yahweh** and actually teach others to ignore Yahweh's words also. I know a statement such as this sounds improbable to some, but having studied with different groups in the past thirty years, Yahweh knows this is true. Pretending to be ignorant won't help us out either. Yahweh wants honest people who admit mistakes, but are willing to change to the ways of Yahweh; not anti ways such as ignoring His words of truth and following traditions. Most of us are not perfect people, but people who will teach the Scriptures regardless of what *men say!*

The Word of Yahweh stands forever. The Scriptures do not say that the state of the dead is in the house of the living. If we even *think that* from reading a Scripture, then it is we that are misunderstanding the Word of Yahweh. There are MANY Scriptures which state that men do not go to heaven when we die or live in another state of being. **Yahushua quotes Psalms 37:11 in Matthew 5:5**, moreover, *all of The Scriptures agree*. However, **Zero** Scriptures say

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men go to heaven or to any other place (except the grave) when they die and definitely are not raised by some evil witch!

KJV **Matthew 5:5**, (Yahushua says) "Blessed *are* the meek: for <u>they shall inherit the earth</u>."

^{KJV}**Psalm 37:11**, "But <u>the meek shall inherit the earth</u>; and shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace."

The Prophets and Yahushua taught that there would be a resurrection at the time appointed, at the last day, and a peaceful Earthly Kingdom would prevail. The Prophets Isaiah and Zechariah describe it in this manner:

^{KJV} Isaiah 2:2-4, "And <u>it shall come to pass</u> in the last days, *that* the mountain of YAHWEH'S house shall be established in the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it.

³And many people shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of YAHWEH, to the house of the Elohim of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths: for out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of YAHWEH from Jerusalem.

⁴ And he shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people: and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: **nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.**"

The word mountain (**Strong's 2022** har) symbolizes government and strength. *Theological Wordbook Old Testament* states, "The Mountain of [Yahweh] in Psa 68 [H 16] is taken by both BDB and Dahood (Psalms II, in AB) as general, "a great mountain," <u>but still the picture is of</u> [Yahweh]'s ascent on high and so the great heavenly mountain (cf. Eph 4:8-10). In the last days Zion will be the exalted source of [Yahweh]'s law and center of his rule, **the heavenly Jerusalem** <u>on earth</u> (Isa 2:2-3; Mic 4:1-2)..."

^{KJV} **Zechariah 14:16-19**, "And <u>it shall come to pass</u>, *that* every one that is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall even go up from year to year to worship the King, YAHWEH of hosts, and to keep the feast of tabernacles.

¹⁷ **And it shall be**, *that* whoso will not come up of *all* the families of the earth unto Jerusalem to worship the King, YAHWEH of hosts, even upon them shall be no rain.

¹⁸ And if the family of Egypt go not up, and come not, that *have* no *rain*; there shall be the plague, wherewith YAHWEH will smite the heathen that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles. {that have no: Heb. upon whom there is not}

¹⁹This shall be the punishment of Egypt, and the punishment of all nations that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles."

^{KJV} **Daniel 7:27**, "And the kingdom and dominion, and the greatness of the kingdom <u>under the whole heaven</u>, <u>shall</u> <u>be given to the people of the saints of the most High</u>, whose kingdom *is* an everlasting kingdom, <u>and all dominions</u> <u>shall serve and obey him</u>."

Notice in the Scriptures below, "<u>all die</u>" and "<u>shall all</u> <u>be made alive.</u>" There is no mention that the dead are in another phase of being, or rapture; this is taught erroneously *by assumption*. Of the dozens of Scriptures, which state that there is a resurrection in the last days, Paul also was inspired to write the following:

^{KJV} **1** Corinthians 15:22-24, "For as in Adam <u>all die</u>, even so in Messiah <u>shall all be made alive</u>.²³ But every man in his own order: Messiah the firstfruits; **afterward** <u>they that are</u> <u>Messiah's at his coming</u>.²⁴ Then *cometh* the end, when **he shall have delivered up the kingdom to YAHWEH**, even the Father; when he shall have put down all rule and all authority and power." (Daniel 7:27)

^{KJV} 1 Corinthians 15:50-52, "Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of YAHWEH; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption. ⁵¹ Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

⁵²In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, <u>at the last trump</u>: for the trumpet shall sound, and <u>the dead shall be raised</u> incorruptible, **and we shall be changed**."

According to the Bible, "the dead" are raised "at the last trump" then "Yahushua shall have delivered up the kingdom to YAHWEH" – these are the words of Yahweh who cannot lie! Also there are dozens of Scriptures which state that the Sabbaths and Festivals of Yahweh will still be the same ones that he designated at the beginning (Gen.1:14{see *moed*, *Strong's 4150*). Yahweh's ways are different than the ways of men and the adversary.

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KIV **Isaiah 55:8-9**, "For my thoughts *are* not your thoughts, neither *are* your ways my ways, saith YAHWEH.

⁹For *as* the heavens are higher than the earth, so are **my ways higher than your ways**, and my thoughts than your thoughts."

^{KJV} **Isaiah 56:1-2,6**, "Thus saith YAHWEH, Keep ye judgment, and do justice: for my salvation *is* near to come, and my righteousness to be revealed.

² Blessed *is* the man *that* doeth this, and the son of man *that* layeth hold on it; that keepeth the sabbath from polluting it, and keepeth his hand from doing any evil...

⁶Also the sons of the stranger, that join themselves to YAHWEH, to serve him, and to love the name of YAHWEH, to be his servants, <u>every One that keepeth</u> the sabbath from polluting it, and taketh hold of My covenant;"

KJV **Revelation 14:12**, "Here is the patience of the saints<u>:</u> <u>here are they</u> that keep the commandments of **YAHWEH**, and the faith of Yahushua."

Conclusion:

Nowhere in Scripture does it state that powers are given to witches, mediums, pagans, or even good pastors of Assemblies to communicate with the dead.

Yahushua holds the keys to the resurrection and not wtARit (MINGL; the people who are going to teach <u>His</u> Message are doing so today.

When "*whoever*" tells about someone communicating with the dead, people in heaven, $(\# \otimes S \otimes S)$, out of body experiences, or reincarnation, **it is not from the Bible.** The Scriptures are plain: the *dead* will rise "at the last day" and there will be a first resurrection for them and another resurrection afterwards. Please notice this in Yahweh's Words:

NAU Mark 12:23, "In the resurrection, when they rise again..."

^{NAU}**Daniel 12:2**, "Many of those who sleep in the dust of the ground will awake, these to everlasting life, but the others to disgrace *and* everlasting contempt."

^{NAU}**Luke 14:14**, "and you will be blessed, since they do not have *the means* to repay you; for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

LXE **Isaiah 26:19**, "The dead shall rise, and they that are in the tombs shall be raised..."

^{MRD} John 5:28-29, "wonder not at this; for the hour cometh <u>when all that are in their graves</u> will hear his voice; 29 and will come forth; they that have done good, to the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation."

^{KJV} **Hosea 13:14**, "I will ransom them from the power of the grave; I will redeem them from death:"

^{NAU} John 11:24, "Martha said to Him, 'I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.""

^{NAU} **Revelation 20:6**, "Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power..."

The Scriptures give a **<u>double warning</u>** in Galatians about teaching the traditions of men or angelic teachings that contradict the Bible.

NAU Galatians 1:8-9, "But even <u>if we</u>, or <u>an angel from</u> <u>heaven</u>, should preach to you an Evangel <u>contrary</u> to what we have preached to you, he is to be accursed!
9 As <u>we have said before</u>, so I say again now, <u>if any man is</u> preaching to you an Evangel contrary to what you received, <u>he is to be accursed!</u>"

^{NAU} Isaiah 47:13, "You are wearied with your many counsels; Let now <u>the astrologers</u>, Those who prophesy by the stars, Those who predict by the new moons, Stand up and save you from what will come upon you."

Once again, all in The Scriptures who were vexed with devils were *unbelievers*. Believers "*are the temple of the <u>Liv-</u> <u>ing Elohim</u>," which satan <i>flees!* These *unbelieving* witches/ soothsayers peep, mutter and laugh all the way to the bank over the ignorance of the people who trust *unsuspecting* pastors because they think that they are truth seekers who would not deceive them. Let's **Wake up and read the Words of Yahweh**.

^{KJV} **Revelation 22:14**, "**Blessed** *are* **they that do his commandments**, <u>that they may have right to the tree of</u> <u>life</u>, and may enter in through the gates into the city."