

## Mercy Rejoices against judgment

### Part I

Mankind created by God are commanded by God to worship Him and Him only, (Deuteronomy 5:1-7). To have no other God's before Him who alone is True (John 17:17). By God's mercy and grace we grow to see this as one of the greatest evidences and joys of truly being in Christ. To know the one true God, who, alone, from nano-second to nano-second, is the Creator and maintainer of all things, (Isaiah 40:21-31; Colossians 1:16-17; Luke 21:15-19; Philippians 2:13).

Of the present creation God commands His people that they are not to make idols of any kind, including, and especially, "themselves"; [*which can be the most deceptive*], (Leviticus 19:1-4; Jeremiah 17:9; 2 Corinthians 10:12). We are to worship no person, place, or, thing, but God and Him alone (Revelation 19:10). So that in this way we might truly worship the One True Living God, and Him only, according to the scriptures, (1 Corinthians 15:3-4).

For as the scriptures also reveal beginning in, Genesis chapter three, there is another who is hard at work who has a vast number of followers, (2 Corinthians 11:4, 12-15). These also would be called by God's name, (Isaiah 4:1). But who eat their own bread, [*insist on their own word*]. Who make their own covering for sin, [*who wear their own apparel/ gospel*]. But who demonstrate to have no relationship to the One True God who's testimony is understood and known, according to the scriptures only, (Joshua 1:8; Isaiah 28:9-13; 2 Timothy 2:14-16; 3:16-17; 2 Peter 1:20-21; Revelation 22:18-19).

While the earth remains, the proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ shall manifest a spiritual warfare which God's people shall endure until the end (Matthew 24:13). While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease, (Genesis 8:22; Matthew 13:34).

*2 Corinthians 10:4-5 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;) 5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;*