Malachi 2:10-17 Abominable Treachery of Judah – God hates Divorce

Treachery of Infidelity

- 10 Have we not all echad Aab (one Father)? Has not echad El (one God) created us? Why do we deal treacherously with one another By profaning the covenant of the fathers?
- Judah has dealt treacherously, And an abomination has been committed in Israel and in Jerusalem, For Judah has profaned Qodesh Yahweh (The holiness of The Lord) which He loves: He has married the daughter of a foreign el (god).
- 12 May Yahweh (the Lord) cut off from the tents of Jacob The man who does this, being awake and aware, Yet who brings an offering to Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts)!
- 13 And this is the second thing you do: You cover the altar of Yahweh (the Lord) with tears, With weeping and crying; So He does not regard the offering anymore, Nor receive it with goodwill from your hands.
- 14 Yet you say, "For what reason?" Because Yahweh (the Lord) has been witness Between you and the wife of your youth, With whom you have dealt treacherously; Yet she is your companion And your wife by covenant.
- 15 But did He not make them echad (one), Having a remnant of the Spirit? And why echad (one)? He seeks elohiym (godly) offspring. Therefore take heed to your spirit, And let none deal treacherously with the wife of his youth.
- 16 "For Yahweh Elohey Yisrael (the Lord God of Israel) says That He hates divorce, For it covers one's garment with violence," Says Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts). "Therefore take heed to your spirit, That you do not deal treacherously."
- 17 You have wearied Yahweh (the Lord) with your words; Yet you say, "In what way have we wearied Him?" In that you say, "Everyone who does evil Is good in the sight of Yahweh (the Lord), And He delights in them," Or, "Where is Elohey hamishpaat (the God of justice)?"

Facts Revealed:

Treachery of Infidelity [Malachi 2:10-12]

- ♦ Why do we profane the covenant of the fathers by dealing treacherously with one another?
- ♦ Judah profaned the holiness of Yahweh (the Lord) he loves by treachery against the Law
 and commandments of Yahweh. By his actions, he profanes the Name of Yahweh before
 the watching Gentiles.
- ♦ Malachi says, "May Yahweh cut off from Judah the man who does this being fully aware
 of what he is doing."
- ♦ Yahweh will not regard nor accept sacrifices or offerings from his unclean hands though he
 covers the altar of Yahweh with his tears. [Malachi 2:12-13]
- → They asked "Why," The reason is because Yahweh is a witness of the treachery done toward the wife of his youth who is his companion and wife by covenant. [Malachi 2:14]
- → Yahweh originally made them echad (one) flesh when they came together. [Genesis 2:24, Matthew 19:4-6, Mark 10:5-9, 1 Corinthians 6:16, Ephesians 5:25-33]
- → The reason Yahweh made them echad (one) flesh is that they may provide godly offspring.

 [Malachi 2:15]
- ♦ We need to be careful to avoid dealing treacherously with our wives. [Malachi 2:15]
- ♦ Yahweh hates divorce because of the violence it represents. [Malachi 2:16]

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 - ♦ One of the evils of the End Time is when they call good and acceptable what Yahweh calls evil, and when they call evil what Yahweh calls good.
 - ♦ They will seek to change the Laws. [Isaiah 24:2, Daniel 7:24-26]
 - ♦ Today in USA we have a government that is blatantly changing the laws just as described in this text. The sins Yahweh declared will bring His curse and judgment against a land are now becoming promoted by national, state, and local laws.
 [Leviticus 18:1-30, (note 24-30)]
 - ♦ This is enabled and demanded by a sin sick society that is electing evil and perverted politicians at all levels of government.
 - ♦ The time of God's wrath is rapidly approaching because the problem is not restricted to the United States of America, but is running rampant in all nations of the earth.
 - ♦ The Great Tribulation is just around the corner and looming over the world.
 - ♦ It will be followed by the Judgment of God purging away all evil and establishment of His Kingdom of pure righteousness on all the earth.
 - ❖ Be careful to be found worthy to escape the purge and to stand before the Son of God. [Luke 21:36]