

## The LORD is a Savior

Read the following verses from the NKJV and the ASV. Remember, in the ASV, the Name of God is written as "Jehovah." Again, I prefer "Yahweh" but the point is that His Name is not "LORD or Lord."

Jdg 3:9 ASV - And when the children of Israel cried unto Jehovah, Jehovah raised up a **saviour** to the children of Israel, who saved them, even **Othniel** the son of Kenaz, Caleb's younger brother.

Jdg 3:15 ASV - But when the children of Israel cried unto Jehovah, Jehovah raised them up a **saviour, Ehud** the son of Gera, the Benjamite, a man left-handed. And the children of Israel sent tribute by him unto Eglon the king of Moab.

2Ki 13:5 ASV - And Jehovah gave Israel a **saviour**, so that they went out from under the hand of the Syrians; and the children of Israel dwelt in their tents as beforetime.

Isa 43:3 NKJV - For I am the **LORD your God**, The Holy One of Israel, **your Savior**; I gave Egypt for your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in your place.

Isa 43:11 NKJV - I, even I, am the **LORD**, And besides Me there is no **savior**.

Isa 45:21 NKJV - Tell and bring forth your case; Yes, let them take counsel together. Who has declared this from ancient time? Who has told it from that time? Have not I, the **LORD**? And there is no other God besides Me, A just God and a **Savior**; There is none besides Me.

Isa 49:26 NKJV - I will feed those who oppress you with their own flesh, And they shall be drunk with their own blood as with sweet wine. All flesh shall know That I, the **LORD**, am your **Savior**, And your **Redeemer**, the **Mighty One of Jacob**."

Isa 60:16 NKJV - You shall drink the milk of the Gentiles, And milk the breast of kings; You shall know that I, the **LORD**, am your **Savior** And your **Redeemer**, the **Mighty One of Jacob**.

Hsa 13:4 NKJV - "Yet I am the **LORD your God** Ever since the land of Egypt, And you shall know no God but Me; For there is no **savior** besides Me.

Isa 43:3 ASV - For I am **Jehovah thy God**, the Holy One of Israel, **thy Saviour**; I have given Egypt as thy ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in thy stead.

Isa 43:11 ASV - I, even I, am **Jehovah**; and besides me there is no **saviour**.

Isa 45:21 ASV - Declare ye, and bring [it] forth; yea, let them take counsel together: who hath showed this from ancient time? who hath declared it of old? have not I, **Jehovah?** and there is no God else besides me, a just God and a **Saviour**; there is none besides me.

Isa 49:26 ASV - And I will feed them that oppress thee with their own flesh; and they shall be drunken with their own blood, as with sweet wine: and all flesh shall know that I, **Jehovah**, am thy **Saviour**, and thy **Redeemer**, the **Mighty One of Jacob**.

Isa 60:16 ASV - Thou shalt also suck the milk of the nations, and shalt suck the breast of kings; and thou shalt know that I, **Jehovah**, am thy **Saviour**, and thy **Redeemer**, the **Mighty One of Jacob**.

Hsa 13:4 ASV - Yet I am **Jehovah thy God** from the land of Egypt; and thou shalt know no god but me, and besides me there is no **saviour**.

If you read carefully, early in Israel's history, the LORD (Jehovah or Yahweh) would send a human savior or deliverer . . . Moses . . . Othniel . . . Ehud, but also defines Himself as a Savior. The LORD (Yahweh or Jehovah) is setting the stage of history for when He Himself will become human to save.

Luk 2:11 NKJV - "For there is born to you this day in the city of David a **Savior**, who is **Christ** the **Lord** (kurios, which is Greek for Yahweh or Jehovah.)

Phl 3:20 NKJV - For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the **Savior**, the **Lord** Jesus Christ,

1Ti 1:1 NKJV - PAUL, an apostle of Jesus Christ, by the commandment of God our **Savior** and the **Lord** Jesus Christ, our hope,

Tts 1:4 NKJV - To Titus, a true son in our common faith: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and the **Lord** Jesus Christ our **Savior**.

2Pe 1:11 NKJV - for so an entrance will be supplied to you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our **Lord and Savior** Jesus Christ.

2Pe 2:20 NKJV - For if, after they have escaped the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the **Lord and Savior** Jesus Christ, they are again entangled in them and overcome, the latter end is worse for them than the beginning.

2Pe 3:2 NKJV - that you may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandment of us, the apostles of the **Lord and Savior**,

2Pe 3:18 NKJV - but grow in the grace and **knowledge** of our **Lord and Savior** Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.

Hsa 4:6 NKJV - **My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge** (My people are the Northern Kingdom based in Samaria that left Yahweh for Baal). Because you have rejected **knowledge** (of the true God, Yahweh or Jehovah), I also will reject you from being priest for Me; Because you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children.

Hsa 6:6 NKJV - For I desire mercy and not sacrifice, And **the knowledge of God** (as opposed to the false god of Baal worshipped in Samaria), more than burnt offerings . . .

Jer 2:32 NKJV - Can a virgin forget her ornaments, Or a bride her attire? Yet **My people have forgotten Me days without number** (now the LORD is referring to the Southern Kingdom of Judah who went into captivity in Babylon for not changing their ways after watching the Northern Kingdom go away into captivity into Assyria).

2Pe 3:18 NKJV - but grow in the grace and knowledge (restored to a remnant) of **our Lord and Savior** Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.

Can you see why the “Gospels of Paul and Thomas as recorded by John” that I wrote about earlier are so important for the church today? You might want to read or re-read them and consider . . . the consequences of not fully realizing that Jesus is Yahweh or Jehovah of the “Old Testament” who came to save as “foretold” by the prophets of old . . .

2Ch 7:14 NKJV - "if **My people who are called by My name** will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land (here, Yahweh . . . Jehovah is speaking through the “prophet Solomon” and the pen of Ezra, priest and scribe.)

Remember, Yahweh or Jehovah, the God of all flesh, from Jeremiah 32:27?