

Whose Report Do You Believe 7 Who Is A god Like Our God

KJV Isaiah 53:1 Who hath believed our report? and to whom is the arm of the LORD revealed?

The Report is...

Psalm 3:8 Salvation belongeth unto the LORD: thy blessing is upon thy people. Selah.

The Report of The LORD is Jehovah is the only elohim with the **desire** and the **power** to save us!

This might sound like a contradictory and confusing statement but when you understand that Elohim is a plural word that simply means “**divine beings**” as when God said in Gen 1:26 “let us make man in **our** image after **our** likeness...!”

*ESV Deuteronomy 32:8 When the Most High gave to the nations their inheritance, when he divided mankind, he fixed the borders of the peoples according to the number of the sons of God.
9 But the LORD's portion is his people, Jacob his allotted heritage.*

What this means is Jehovah God chose 70 or 72 (it's not clearly known) elohim or divine beings and placed them over the 70 or 72 nations of the world to teach mankind who God was and what their purpose was.

These 70 elohim rebelled against God and began teaching mankind to worship them.

These 70 so called fallen angels along with Lucifer, The serpent, and the Nephilim became the principalities, authorities, rulers of the darkness of this world and the spiritual wickedness in the heavenlies.

That we the church fight against all our lives!

70 is an important number from **Gen 10** to **Luke 10!**

Luke 10:1 After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go.

2 And he said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.

Luke 10:17 The 70 disciples came back very happy. They said, "Lord, even demons obey us when we use the power and authority of your name!" Again, some translations use the number 72

The idea is Jehovah God ordained and anointed 70 men to go to all the nations of the world where the fallen elohim became false gods and dispose them of their power, authority and influence over mankind!

These false gods (elohim) had set up their kingdoms on earth among men, they had no desire to teach truth, only to be served forever.

They enslaved mankind with worldliness e.g. the lust of the flesh, the pride of life and the deceitfulness of riches.

Jehovah is The Only Elohim who has shown us His love, power and desire to save us!

This is the purpose of God that every kingdom and nation would become subject to Jesus Christ.

Joh 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

If you are rescued from the power of sin and death, born from above and made to sit in heavenly places in Christ Jesus, it's only because God by His mighty power and outstretched hand reached out and grabbed you!

GWN Micah 7:18 Who is a God like you? You forgive sin and overlook the rebellion of your faithful people. You will not be angry forever, because you would rather show mercy.

Who and what (elohim, divine being) can be compared to Jehovah?

He forgives sin and overlooks rebellion against him (when we are full of ourselves) and ignore God!

All other masters demand total complete obedience and allegiance!

They punish disobedience and incompetence with death, but not Jehovah

God gets angry but doesn't **stay** angry with His people!

Psa 103:8 The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy.

God is **merciful & gracious**, **slow** to anger, in other words it takes God along time before he gets angry with us, God gives us a lot of time before He reveals His anger toward us!

❖ Instead of **judging** us quickly God waits for us to repent!

Giving us time to recognize what we've done to Him, ourselves & others

You know sometimes people don't immediately recognize how what they did affected you! For some it may takes years for them to understand the ramifications of their actions on your life!

As our sins **hurt God and upset lives** God waits patiently for us to repent and get it right with Him.

❖ Did you know **our sin hurts God**?

KJV Hebrews 3:9 When your fathers tempted me, proved me, and saw my works forty years.

10 Wherefore I was grieved with that generation, and said, They do alway err in their heart; and they have not known my ways.

God said He was grieved with that generation for 40 years, wow!

God was grieved because after 40 years of teaching; the people still didn't understand God's great love for them.

While Israel cried out for deliverance for **430 years** no other *elohim* came to their rescue, **only Jehovah!**

300 years after the people receive The Law they still **grieve God!**

Democracy is **cannot** save us, a political party **can't** save us!
A good **economic plan** can't save us! Neither can't the best foreign policy!

These are all **false gods** (principalities and powers)!

***Psalm 20:7** Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.*

***Psalm 33:17** Horses are not a guarantee for victory. neither shall he deliver any by his great strength.*

*ESV **Judges 10:6** The people of Israel again did what was evil in the sight of the LORD and served the Baals and the Ashtaroth, the gods of Syria, the gods of Sidon, the gods of Moab, the gods of the Ammonites, and the gods of the Philistines. And they forsook the LORD and did not serve him.*

***7** The LORD became angry with the people of Israel. So he used the Philistines and Ammonites to defeat them.*

[But they repented of their rebellion!](#)

*ESV **Judges 10:15** And the people of Israel said to the LORD, "We have sinned; do to us whatever seems good to you. Only please deliver us this day.*

***16** And they put away the strange gods from among them, and served the LORD: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.*

God was **grieved** by the suffering of His people at the hands of their enemies!

[It hurts God when His children suffer!](#)

I am the LORD that healeth thee. (Exodus 15:26)

Our God a **The Healer**, He's The One who makes us whole!

***Exo 23:25** And ye shall serve the LORD your God, and he shall bless thy bread, and thy water; and I will take sickness away from the midst of thee.*

***Psa 103:3** Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases;*

Eph 4:30 And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption.

Grieving God is causing Him displeasure, disgust and anger!

This is what it means to be **longsuffering!**

Psa 103:9 He will not always chide: neither will he keep his anger for ever.

Kept by the power of God