TWO HALVES OF THE SAME WHOLE

WHY? - Part 1 March 3, 2024

I. TWO TESTAMENTS

A. Testament Agreement, Covenant, A Pact, A Promise

B. Old Testament The Record of God's Promises Before Jesus

C. New Testament The Record of God's Promises After Jesus

The New Testament Didn't Replace The Old Testament

It Fulfilled It

II. TWO DIFFERENT GODS?

The Old Testament

A God of Justice And War, Judgement And Wrath?

The New Testament

A God Of Love And Mercy, Grace And Forgiveness?

The Old Testament Isn't Dominated By God's Wrath
It's Dominated By His Love

III. TWO HALVES OF THE SAME WHOLE

"In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. And they were calling to one another: 'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord

Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.' At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. 'Woe to me!' I cried. 'I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the Lord Almighty.'"

Isaiah 6:1-5 (NIV)

"Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." Isaiah 6:3 (NIV)

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"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy." Matthew 5:5-7 (NIV)

"Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You clean the outside of the cup and dish, but inside they are full of greed and self-indulgence."

Matthew 23:35 (NIV)

"Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You are like whitewashed tombs, which look beautiful on the outside but on the inside are full of the bones of the dead and everything unclean."

Matthew 23:27 (NIV)

"I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips...."

Isaiah 6:5 (NIV)

"A good person produces good things from the treasury of a good heart, and an evil person produces evil things from the treasury of an evil heart. What you say flows from what is in your heart." Luke 6:45 (NLT)

"Then one of the seraphs flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, 'See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for."

Isaiah 6:6-7 (NIV)

God Is Holy And Merciful, Just And Loving