Transcript – What is the name of our Saviour

Greetings friends and welcome to another program of *Search the Scriptures*. One thing that we always say on this program is that we will go into Scripture, and we will look at the scriptures. And we will make sure that what we are telling you is not just religion of men, or traditions of men, but the Word of our Heavenly Father Yahweh.

The last couple of programs we have been discussing the third commandment. If you talk to most people and you ask them, "Do you believe in the commandments?" Most people will say, "Of course I believe in the ten commandments". Yet, as you start going down, you will find out that they do not keep the Sabbath Day and they do not even know, a lot of them, what the Heavenly Father's name is. So these are very, very important questions to ask.

And I know years ago what got some of the great men in the early part of the 20th century thinking about these things was the scripture in Proverbs 30, in verse 4. Proverbs 30, in verse 4, it says:

Proverbs 30:4 *Who has gone up to Heaven, and come down? Who has gathered the wind in His fists? Who has bound the waters in His garments? Who has made all the ends of the earth to rise? What is His name, and what is His Son's name?* … come on … *Surely you know… Surely you know.*

And in the last couple of programs we have conclusively proved that in your Bible, almost 7,000 times, the translators of the Bible have taken out the personal name of our Heavenly Father Yahweh; and have replaced it with generic titles like *"Lord"* and even worse, the name of the Babylonian deity called, *"god"*.

If you did not get to hear our program yesterday, or the day before, on this subject you can always go to our website, www.coyhwh.com … www.coyhwh.com and you can get any of these radio broadcasts online. You can download them for free. And you can listen to the broadcast on, *The Name of Yahweh*. There are two parts to that.

Today, I want to get into though, the second part of this … the second part. What is His name? Which we proved in the last two programs. But what is His Son's name? … What is His Son's name? What is the name of our Saviour?

If you look in the world today there are almost 7 billion people, an amazing number. And out of that 7 billion people, almost … Well, more than 2 billion people are what they call, Christians. Catholics, Christians, people that believe in the New Testament. And will tell you they believe that "*Jesus"* is the Saviour … they will believe that "*Jesus"* is the Saviour.

What I want to show you today, is that our Saviour's name is not "*Jesus"*. How can you know that right off the bat? We went into this in our other message on *The Name of Yahweh* a little bit. But our Saviour was born where? In Israel, right? Right where I am doing this broadcast. The Law will go forth from Zion and the Word of our Heavenly Father Yahweh from Jerusalem. And I am doing these broadcasts directly in The Land of Israel. That is where me and my wife live. It is where we host the three pilgrim feasts during the year … over here,

particularly Pesach and Sukkot, but most of the time Shavuot. And we know that our Saviour was born here, in The Land of Israel.

If you read your Bible you will see that He spent … was born in Bethlehem. He spent most of His childhood in Nazareth. His ministry was all around the Sea of Galilee. And I do not think anybody doubts that. I mean if anybody does, it is not even really worth arguing about. Because it is very clear that our Saviour was born in Israel.

So, He was born in Israel and one of the things that makes Him the Saviour … There are over three hundred Messianic prophecies in your Bible and one of those prophecies is that He would be the Son of David, you know, King David. He would be from the lineage of David. So, we know that He was a Jew … we know that He was a Jew here and we know that He spoke Hebrew and Aramaic. English is a language that is only four or five hundred years old, it is not an ancient language. But the ancient language of Hebrew and also Aramaic, which is like a dialect of Hebrew, was spoken in the first century.

So, considering that in Hebrew there are twenty-two letters that were originally pictures. It is a language that goes back … an ancient language that goes back to Phoenician and then to Hebrew. But it is one of the most ancient, if not the most ancient language. And the language of Hebrew has twenty-two letters and it does **not** have the letter *"J"*, amazingly enough. So again, trying to prove the point, our Saviour's name could not be *"Jesus"*.

Where did the name *"Jesus"* come from? Well when your Bible, your New Testament, was translated … And we will do a whole program on this; on the Aramaic origins. Maybe even more than one program of the New Testament. But the New Testament was originally written in Aramaic, there is much proof for that. And then later on in the second to third century it was translated into Greek. And from Greek you have the name that you get in your Bible that is *Iésous* … is the name in Greek. Which they transliterate into *"Jesus"*, or "*Je-sus"*. Which, believe it or not, has **some** correlation to the pagan god Zeus; Iezus, the son of Zeus. So, clearly I am going to prove to you today, in the next twenty minutes or so that our Saviour's name could not and was not *"Jesus"*.

Now, I want to say right off the bat that I am not doing this to fight; to put down; to take away from any miracle that was done in the name of *"Jesus"*; any prayer that was answered in the name of *"Jesus";* any healing that was done in the name of *"Jesus"*. That is not my point here. My point is not to degrade people's faith in what has been done.

I think that we would all agree that our Heavenly Father and our Saviour … although their name is extremely important … that even if we did not know their name if we were praying to them, we are praying to the person that is in Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. And even if you incorrectly knew Him as *"Jesus"* when His name is actually, *Yahshua*, He respects that.

So, I am not here to debate. Or to, like I said, to degrade, or put anyone down for a miracle that happened. Because people will say, "Well, if His name is not *'Jesus'* why was I healed in the name of *'Jesus'* ?" Or "Why did I do this in the name of '*Jesus'* and it seemed to work out". Well, because our Father is merciful. He has a

lot of mercy. And like I said, if your faith was in Him, even though you may not have known His proper name, He may have honored that.

But what I want to do today is, I just want to clearly show you from the Bible, first of all, and also if you look into archaeology. If you look into history you will find out that clearly your Saviour, and my Saviour, the person in Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John, the person who has fulfilled **all** three hundred Messianic prophecies was named, *Yahshua,* the Messiah. That was the name that was given to Him from birth. And like I said, the Father's name is, Yahweh the Father and the Son is *Yahshua*. And we will go into some scriptures showing this.

Like I said, the first thing how you know it could not be *"Jesus"* is, there is no letter *"J"* in the Hebrew language. But there are a lot more important reasons for this too. Because what I am going to show you is … and part of this is actually in my book that I wrote *Who is the Messiah of Israel.* That when the Hebrew name of our Saviour *Yahshua*, is hidden … There is so much written about Him in the Old Testament that you will miss. **Absolutely** things that you will miss that are there, that I am going to show you today. That He is **everywhere** written in your Old Testament, if you only know who He is.

So first of all, I want to make the simple statement like I did when I was going over *The Name of Yahweh*, that names are transliterated. They are not translated. I have a glass of water in front of me, refreshing. In English we call it, *"water"*. In Hebrew we call it, *"mayim"* … *"mayim"*. The two words have nothing to do with each other. They are not phonetically similar. It is a translation. One language it is called, *"water"*, one language it is called, *"mayim"*.

But names are not translated, names are transliterated. What do I mean? Well, what I mean is whatever your name is … no matter what language … No matter what country you go to, your name is going to stay the same. Your name does not change. In the Bible … in the Bible we have thousands of names. Every single name in the Bible is transliterated, except for two.

Adom is Adam, Moshe is Moses, Ahron is Aaron, Nehkhemyah is Nehemiah, Moshe … I said Moshe already, Dahveed is David. Every name is transliterated, meaningly that the Hebrew name stays the same, with a little bit of phonetic difference according to what language.

The only names that are **totally** changed is the name of Yahweh, taken out like I said in the Old Testament alone, almost **7,000** times and replaced; and the name *Yahshua* our Saviour. So why would that be? … Why would that be? Because there is **power** in these names. There is a lot of power in these names. Power for healing. Power for relationship. Power for so many things. And the name of our Saviour *Yahshua*, as I am going to show you here in a few minutes, it is so powerful that if Satan can hide the name from you, he can hide the meaning behind it.

So, another thing that is very interesting is, if you look at the name "*Jesus"* there is no etymology to it. What do I mean by that? I mean that it does not mean anything, it is a hybrid name. It is a hybrid. It is a very bad, poor transliteration that is a hybrid. And in Greek that name does not mean anything. And in English it is a transliteration from the Greek, it does not mean anything. But the name *Yahshua*, it was prophesied that the

Saviour's name would be, *Yahshua*. I want to read the scripture here. I am going to go to Matthew the 1st chapter. Matthew the 1st chapter, and in verse 18. Matthew 1, in verse 18 and it says:

Matthew 1:18-21 *At the birth of Yahshua Messiah was this way (for His mother Mariam had been betrothed to Joseph) before coming together of them, she was found having babe in womb by the Holy Spirit. But her husband, Joseph, being just, and not willing to make her a public example, he purposed to divorce her secretly. And as he was thinking about these things, behold, a Cherub of YAHWEH was seen by him in a dream, saying, Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mariam as your wife. For that in her is generated by the Holy Spirit. And you will bear a son, and you will call His name Yahshua, for He will save His people from their sins.*

Now very interesting, if you look in the Hebrew language that this was originally written in, Hebrew or Aramaic, it is very much a language that is written in syntax. It is written in poetic form. And many times in the Bible you will see thousands of references like this, where there are word plays … there are word plays. The Father will say something and then, He will do it in a word play, all over the Bible.

Maybe in another program one day we will even go over some of these word plays. But this is exactly one of these. It is one of the proofs that, definitely this was written originally in the Aramaic or the Hebrew, but not in the Greek. Because He says, *And she will bear a son, and you will call His name Yahshua, for He will save His people from their sins.* See it is a metaphor. He is saying His name, and then He is telling you what the name means.

What does the name *YAHshua* mean? In Hebrew, the word for *salvation* is ***hoshua*** … *hoshua***,** like the prophet Hosea. In English we would say, "*hosea"*. In Hebrew you would say, "*hoshua"*. So, *hoshua* or *hosea* means *salvation*. *YAH-hoshua* or *YAH-shua* … YAH-shua is *Yahweh's salvation,* or *Yahweh saves*. So that is why it says, *you will call His name Yahshua, for He will save His people from their sins.*

Clearly, He is telling you that **is** His name. His name is *salvation*, *saving*. Where the name "*Jesus"* does not mean that. Like I said, not to put anybody down, or put down your faith it is not to do that at all. I used the name "*Jesus"* for probably the first 15 years of my calling as a believer. I had miracles happen; I had healings happen in that name. But when I found out … when I came to Israel and I found out that our Saviour's name is **really** *Yahshua*, not "*Jesus"*, I did not take it as a point to fight, or … I just took it as, thank you Father that you have revealed another point of truth to me. Because there is **power** in that name … there is power in that name.

Is it very important? … Is it very important? Well, Acts 4, the book of Acts the 4th chapter, verse 10. I want to read to you verse 10 through verse 12. And I want to show you how important it is. It says:

Acts 4:10-12 *let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that in the name of Yahshua, Messiah, the Nazarene, whom you crucified, whom Yahweh raised from the dead, in* ***this*** *name, … in this name* ... Yahshua... *this one stands before you whole. This One is the Stone rejected by you builders, the One who has come in to be the Head of the Corner; And there is salvation in* ***no*** *other man, for neither is there any other name under Heaven having been given among men by which we must be saved.*

So, I do not think this is just semantics. I think it is **extremely** important, for the people that are really seeking out the Truth. Because it says, *there is no other name in Heaven where people will be saved*. And that name clearly as it was written, back almost 2,000 years ago, was the name *Yahshua*.

Really interesting that there is actually a prophecy that talks about this. And it is in Exodus the 23rd chapter. Exodus 23, I will read it. Exodus 23, verse 20. And this is when the Father was talking to Moses and to the Israelites. Exodus 23:20, it says:

Exodus 23:20-22 *Behold, I am about to send a messenger before you, to guard you in the way, and to bring you to the place which I have prepared. Be on guard before Him, and listen to His voice. Do not be rebellious against Him, for He will not forgive your transgressions; for My name is in Him, … for My name is in Him. For if you fully listen to His voice, and do all which I speak, I will be an enemy to your enemies, and will be a foe to your foes.*

So here it was … who was the messenger of Yahweh? Clearly … It is another whole program that we can do on that. But you could clearly, a thousand percent, you could prove that *Yahshua,* the Son of Yahweh, was His messenger that was there in the Old Testament, in the Old Covenant. And He says, *He is sending HIm*. He is sending Yahshua.

We know from **1st Corinthians 10:4**, *He was the Rock that followed them in the wilderness*. And what does He say? He says, *be on guard and do not be rebellious against Him or He will not forgive your sins*. Who else besides Yahweh the Father and Yahshua the Son can forgive sins?

But He says, *because My name is in Him*, *YAH-shua … YAH-shua*. *Yahweh* is the family name … Another program we will do, maybe even in the next couple of days. I think that is an important subject for you to get down before we really move on to other things. But, *Yahweh* is actually a family name ...it is a family name consisting of Yahweh the Father and Yahweh the Son. And He is creating many, many more sons to salvation through us. So, **extremely** important.

Now, I want to show you another scripture here in the book of Acts, that is a very interesting scripture when we are looking at this subject of the name of our Saviour. And it is in Acts 26. Acts 26, I am going to start in verse 12. Now this is where Paul is telling about when he was knocked down on the road to Damascus. And he is going to talk about this … and it is a very interesting subject. This particular scripture with the topic we are going over ... so Acts 26, in verse 12. It says:

Acts 26:12-15 *In which also traveling to Damascus* ... this is Paul talking about ... *with authority and decision power from the chief priests, at midday along the highway, O king, I and those with me saw a light from heaven shining around me above the brightness of the sun. And all of us falling to the ground, I heard a voice speaking to me, and saying in the Hebrew dialect, Shaul, Shaul why do you persecute Me? It is hard for you to kick against the stakes. And I said, Who are you, Sir? And He said, I am Yahshua whom you persecute;*

So, very interesting here, how do we know that it was Yahshua? Because He said, *He spoke to me in the Hebrew dialect*. Which was either Hebrew or Aramaic, one or the other. Like I said, they are very similar. But

He was speaking in the Hebrew dialect. So, "*Jesus"* is not a Hebrew name; there is no letter *"J"* in Hebrew. So, if He is speaking in the Hebrew dialect, clearly He is going to say His name, which is *Yahshua*, Yahweh's Salvation … Yahweh's Salvation.

I think as long as we are on the subject here, for a minute, I should also say that the character of "*Jesus"* that the Christian world has portrayed of this very weak, skinny, frail, long haired person … European looking person that did away with His Father's Law and did all these things … this character is actually … It is not just His name that was changed, it is the whole character.

Because let me tell you something, your Saviour number 1, He did not have long hair. **1st Corinthians 11** says, *it is a shame for a man to have long hair*. Very, very clearly we could prove that in the days that Yahshua walked the earth people did not have long hair; they had normal hair. And when they came to the Garden of Gethsemane they had to actually have a sign to which one was Yahshua. Because they all looked the same Judas had a sign with the guards … the One I kiss that is the One. Because they all looked the same. He was not a weakling. He was a builder. He was a carpenter. In those days He worked with a lot of stone, He would have been very strong. And He certainly did not come to do away with Yahweh's Torah, Yahweh's Law.

We will extensively … probably for a whole week … go into the Torah from the New Testament. But **Matthew 5:17**, Yahshua clearly said, *I did **not** come to do away with the Torah, but to magnify it*. To make it larger, to explain it. And that is one of the biggest lies that these pastors in Christianity are telling you today. And in the other program I said, we will talk a lot about **Revelation 12:9**, *Satan has deceived the whole world.*

And a big way he has deceived that world is through Christianity, sorry to say. And we are going to get into the Truth. We are going to show you these things, from Scripture, that you may have never heard in your life; about the true Sabbath day; about the Holy days of Yahweh; and **all** the things that His Word says. And the wonderful things that are in there, apart from the religion and traditions of men.

But, the real *Yahshua* is very, very different than the "*Jesus"* character that Christianity is portraying to the world. Very, very different.

Well, our time is running short. Boy, it is amazing how quick 28 minutes can go, right? And I only have a few minutes left. So, what I want to do is, I want to show you why this is very important. Beside the fact of knowing His real name, and praying to Him, and calling Him His real name … Whatever your name is … my name is Don Esposito, and I would not really like it if people kept calling me Bill, or Jim, or Nick, or something else that was not my name. I think it would be disrespectful, especially if you knew the name. So, I think it is the same with our Heavenly Father and with His Son, our Saviour *Yahshua*.

Like I said, the third commandment is, we are not to take His name in vain. And that literally means to change, to falsify, or to make it common. We are to honor His name; respect His name; uplift His name. So believe me when I say, it is important to know these things.

But another reason is, His name is encoded in the Old Testament, hundreds of times. And I want to read you some scriptures here to show you this. I want to read Psalm 18 … Psalm 18 … And I just finished, about a year

ago, a new Bible translation. I have it right here in my hand. It is the Hebraic Roots Bible, a literal translation. And you can go to our website, www.coyhwh.com. You can download the Bible for free, if you would like to. If you want a hard copy of it, we do have hard copies that we can send out for a $25 donation. But we are never selling things … selling the Word of Yahweh or whatever. Freely you receive, freely you give and we try to do that with all things that we do.

But in Psalm 18 … Now, I want to show you how in the original Hebrew our Saviour's name … you see it clearly there … that you will not get in the translation into English. So let me read it. I am going to read Psalm 18, starting in verse 32 … 32, 33, 34, 35. Then I am going to drop down to 46, and 49 and 50. It says:

Psalm 18:32-35 *It is El* … or Elohim … *who girds me with strength and gives my way to be perfect; setting my feet like the deer, and making me stand on my high places; teaching my hands to war, so that a bow of bronze is bent by my arms. You have also given me the shield of Yahshua; and Your right hand holds me up; and Your condescension has made me great.* … Verse 46 …

Psalm 18:46 *YAHWEH lives! And blessed be my Rock! And let the Elohim of Yahshua be exalted!*

Comment: Verse 49, of Psalm 18:

Psalm 18:49-50 *On account of this I will extol You, O YAHWEH, among the nations, and I will sing praises to Your name, magnifying Yahshua, His king, and working mercy to His Messiah; For David and to his Seed forever.*

Comment: Now, like I was just saying, if you do away with the Saviour's real name, *Yahshua*. And you change it to a hybrid name of "*Jesus"* you would never ever know that His name is written there in the Hebrew. They could use words like deliverance, or saving, or whatever they are using. But **literally,** in the Hebrew, is His name, *Yahshua*. Let's go to Psalm 20. I will show you another. And this is all over … it is all over in the Old Testament. Psalm 20, in verse 5. It says:

Psalm 20:5 *We will rejoice in Yahshua, and in the name of our Elohim set up banners; may YAHWEH fulfill all your prayers.*

Comment: Whenever you see that setting of banners it is a Messianic phrase. So it fits right in.

Psalm 20:6-9 *Now I know that YAHWEH saves His Messiah, He answers Him from His holy Heaven with the mightiness of Yahshua, His right hand. These trust in chariots, and these in horses, but we will make mention of the name of YAHWEH our Elohim. They have bowed down and have fallen, but we have risen and stand upright. O YAHWEH, Hoshua, The King, answer us in the day of our calling.*

Comment: Wow … Wow, isn't that **awesome** to see this? Look at Psalm 28. Psalm 28, in verse 7.

Psalm 28:7-9 *YAHWEH is my strength and my shield; my heart trusted in Him, and I helped; yea, my heart greatly rejoices; and I will thank Him with my song. YAHWEH is their strength, and He is the fortress of*

Yahshua, He is His Messiah. Save Your people and bless Your inheritance and feed them, and lift them up forever.

Comment: Wow. Psalm 42, in verse 5.

Psalm 42:5 *O my soul, why are you cast down and moan within me? Hope in Elohim, for I shall yet thank Him Yahshua, to His face.*

Comment: Friends, **all over** … all over your Bible, the very name *Yahshua* our Saviour is **there**. **If** you only know … if you only know what His name is. Let me look at another one here. Isaiah 62 … Isaiah 62, in verse 1.

Isaiah 62:1, 10-12 *For Zion's sake, I will not be silent; and for Jerusalem's sake, I will not hold rest; until her righteousness goes forth as brightness, and Yahshua as a burning torch.* … verse 10 … *Pass! Pass through the gates; prepare the way of the people! Raise up! Raise up the highway; clear it from stones; lift up a banner over the people ...* Isaiah 62:11 … *Behold, YAHWEH has made it heard to the ends of the earth; Tell the daughter of Zion,* ***Behold! Yahshua comes****! Behold! His reward is with Him, and His work before Him. And they shall call them, The Holy People, the Redeemed of YAHWEH. And to you it shall be called, Sought Out, A City Not Forsaken.*

Wow … wow, you know something? I have **barely** touched the surface … I have **barely** touched the surface of the importance of our Saviour's name. But like we said, in Acts 4, in verse 10 [should be verse 12], *there is one name unto Heaven where all men will be saved*. And that name is *Yahshua,* the Messiah.

I have a tape on this. The tape is called *The Name Above all Names.* You can get it for free on our website, www.coyhwh.com. If you have any comments or questions you can write to us.

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