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*“Now to him that is of power to stablish you according to my gospel, and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery, which was kept secret since the world began”*



## Monthly Insight

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# NewsLetter



**Important topics >>> “Paul”**

### **the Apostle to the Gentiles**

In his letter to the Galatians, Paul identified himself as an Apostle, sent not from men nor by man, but by Jesus Christ and God the Father, who raised Him from the dead (**Gal. 1:1**). In **Gal 1:11-24** Paul explained that after his conversion on the Damascus Road, he went into Arabia (probably Mt. Sinai) where he received the gospel message by direct revelation from the LORD for approximately three years, so he could preach among the gentiles. During that time he was also taken to Heaven to see things he was not permitted to describe (**2 Cor. 12:1-4**). According to **Gal. 2:1-9** these things all happened over a period of fourteen years before his trip to the Council at Jerusalem when James, Peter and John perceived the grace that was given to Paul to preach the Grace of Christ to the Gentiles.



### **The Mystery of the “Union of the Jews and Gentiles in One Body - the Church of Grace”**

A "Mystery" in the New Testament sense is not something that cannot be understood, but is some plan or purpose of God that has been known to Him from the beginning, but which He has withheld from the knowledge of men until the time came for Him to reveal it.

What many Israelites obviously did not realize is that God's plan was not just for the Jewish people, but for everyone, both Jew and Gentile, who receives Jesus Christ as their Savior. God's plan throughout Scripture has always been the same, and since Israel fell after the stoning of Steven, that plan has been in motion.. Now that Christ's work on the Cross has been completed, and the mystery has been revealed to us through Paul. (**Ephesians 3:8-9 KJV**) "Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ; 9 And to make all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, who created all things by Jesus Christ: it is time to boldly proclaim the gospel to everyone—both Jew and Gentile" In his letter to the saints at Ephesus Paul says, that God by revelation made known to him the "Mystery," which in other Ages had not been made known unto the sons of men, "That the Gentiles should be 'Fellow Heirs,' and of the 'Same Body,' and partakers of His promise in Christ by the Gospel."But now in Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For He Himself is our peace, who made both groups into one, and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall, by abolishing in his flesh the enmity, which is the Law of commandments contained in ordinances, that in Himself He might make the two into one new man, thus establishing peace, and might reconcile them both in one body to God through the cross, by it having put to death the enmity against God.